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newsletter

Liard Aboriginal Women's Society

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Together for Justice

Our last workshops in Whitehorse and Watson Lake were focused on developing a community safety plan. There are many great ideas coming forward from the group that would continue developing a partnership with the RCMP in creating safety for our women and youth in our community. There are plans for a small group to visit our men in the corrections and have a dialogue with them on creating safety.

We are currently working on circulating a survey in our Kaska communities of Lower Post, Watson Lake and Good Hope Lake that will encourage more ideas from the youth and adult populations.



Our next workshops for Together for Justice will be in:

Watson Lake:

December 12th & 13th

Location: 2 Mile Hall

Time: 9:00am to 4:00pm

&

Whitehorse:

December 15th and 16th

Location: Yukon Inn

Time: 9:00am to 4:00pm

"Sometimes your joy is the source of your smile, but sometimes your smile can be the source of your joy."

- Thich Nhat Hanh .





The White Ribbon Campaign

Taking a stand against gender-based violence



What does it mean to wear a white ribbon?

Wearing a white ribbon is a personal pledge to never commit, condone or remain silent about violence against women and girls. Wearing a white ribbon is a way of saying, "Our future has no violence against women."



Please join us at Wye Lake Cabin from Noon–1pm on December 6, 2011

A light lunch will be served

RSVP to monica@helpandhopeforfamilies.ca

DECEMBER 6TH IS CANADA'S
NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE
AND ACTION ON VIOLENCE
AGAINST WOMEN...

Crafts and Language

We are thankful that many of you in the community were interested in learning your Kaska language and sewing traditional crafts and attended our many workshops this past fall. We do hope to continue with these workshops in the New year.

We would like to invite anyone that is interested in a vest making project using Milton in January or February to call our office at 536-2097 to register in order to ensure we order enough material for everyone. Please ensure when you call to register to leave your phone number. We encourage all young women in the community to come out and join us...



LAWS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

We recently held our AGM and women in attendance passed a motion: "Kaska Women Stand in Solidarity On Ending Violence Against Women."

We would like to thank and acknowledge Violet Greenway and Mary Maje for their dedication and service to our people and honor you for your leadership at L.A.W.S

We would like to welcome our new board members: Maggie Dick and Agnes Chief.

We honor you both in being involved with the organization in creating positive changes for our members.

On behalf of the board of directors and staff at L.A.W.S we would like to wish you a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year in 2012.

Our office will be closed from December 16th to January 4th 2012.



MANY OF YOU HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO WORK WITH AUDREY DESVENTS—TRAUMA, ADDICTIONS AND GRIEF RECOVERY SPECIALIST. AUDREY IS PLANNING A LARGE CONFERENCE IN EDMONTON IN JUNE 2012 AND WOULD LIKE TO EXTEND A SPECIAL INVITATION TO YOU.

PLEASE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING THIS CONFERENCE, WE NEED YOU TO ATTEND A MEETING ON DECEMBER 7TH AT 7:00PM AT THE 2 MILE HALL. WE WILL BE DISCUSSING FUNDRAISING IDEAS AND BE FORMING A SMALL COMMITTEE TO OVERSEE FUNDRAISING.

PLEASE SEE THE POSTER BELOW FOR FULL INFORMATION ON THIS UPCOMING CONFERENCE.

Sacred Healing Journeys Holistic Healing Conference 2012



Dr. Issam Nemeh: Physician & Faith Healer

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Dr. Issam Nemeh guest starred on an episode of The Dr. Oz Show. This episode featured Dr. Nemeh and two of his patients who experienced medically-documented miraculous healings. If you are interested, you can find more information and links to watch the episode at Dr.NemehTV.com. Dr. Nemeh is a Cleveland-based physician and devout Catholic who has prayed over tens of thousands of people from all faiths and all walks of life in the past two decades. The result? Miracles.

[DR. Nemeh.com](http://DR.Nemeh.com) & pathtofaith.com

The Sacred Healing Journeys Holistic Healing Conference 2012 “Strengthening Our Wellness”

Presents: Dr. Issam Nemeh Physician & Faith Healer

Place: Ramada Conference Centre Edmonton Alberta Canada

Keynote Speakers Dr. Maggie Hodgson, Dave Belleau

Date: June 22-25. 2012

Conference \$425.00 Three days of Holistic Healers

Holistic Healers, Audrey Desvents MCHT, Dr. Karyn Smith-Acupuncturist, Scott Ward, Dr. Allen Eastman, Ruth Eastman-Hypnosis, Don Morin-Quantum Massage, Linda Belenczuk-Cellular Energy, Jacqueline B. Hilton - Jin Shin Jyutsu Massage, Clinton Morin Sam & Kalika Moody-Traditional Teachings, Grant Wilson-Naturopath & Medicines, Barb Taylor-Laser Quit smoking, Frank Ledoux Healer & Herbalist, Claire Dupuis-Body works, Yvette L'rondelle-Channeling Medium, Marilyn Domet-Face Reader, ,

Tickets Includes two, Buffet meals, Dinner & Entertainment: Day 1 Scott Ward Hypnotist Show, (Day 2) 60's Dinner & Dance - Double Highway introducing Charles Desvents,

For Advance Tickets for Dr. Issam Nemeh and Conference Registration Forms (limited seated for private sessions)

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