

“Working Together - Building Sustainable Communities for Our Future”

CONFERENCE AGENDA

Wednesday, January 27, 2010

7:00– 8:30	Buffet Breakfast & Conference Registration	
9:00 – 9:30	Opening Prayer and remarks - FNSDS President, Sandra Seymour	
9:30 – 10:00	KEYNOTE - Blair Carlson - Assistant Regional Director General , INAC	
10:00 – 10:30	Nutrition Break/Networking	
10:30 – 12:00	WORKSHOPS (session 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Children out of Parental Home (COPH)• Social Sustainability• Igniting the Power Within (Essential Skills/PLAR)• Economic Revival of Social Enterprise• Hearts & Backbone of Our Nations – Knowing Who We Are As Women• Two Moccasins- Two Worlds• Stewards of Children–Adult Prevention & Awareness Training	Room: OKANAGAN SKEENA VASEAUX SKAHA SHUSWAP PENNASK KOOTNEY
12:00 – 1:00	BUFFET LUNCH	
1:00 – 2:30	WORKSHOPS (session 2) Presentation of morning workshops repeated for 2nd group	
2:30 – 3:00	Nutrition Break/Networking	
3:00- 4:30	YOUTH PANEL - Unified Aboriginal Youth Collective Panel <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Knowledgeable Aboriginal Youth Association• Aboriginal Youth Leadership Association• BC Association of Aboriginal Friendship Centres – Provincial Aboriginal Youth Council• Métis Youth British Circle• BC Assembly of First Nations-First Nations Youth Council of BC	

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Thursday, January 28, 2010

7:00– 8:30	Buffet Breakfast & Conference Registration	
9:00 – 9:30	KEYNOTE - Jody Wilson-Raybould - Regional Chief, BC Assembly of First Nations	
9:30 – 10:00	KEYNOTE SPEAKER - TBA	
10:00 – 10:30	Nutrition Break/Networking	
10:30 – 12:00	WORKSHOPS (session 1) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Social Education & Employment Dev Services (SEEDS)• Developing Social & Economic Opportunities Thru Entrepreneurship & Self Employment• Empowering Communities with Oral Teachings• Good Medicine Family Wellness - Building Family Strength from Within• Finding and Using Aboriginal Data• Active Measures Field Guide• Snapshot of Quality Life in Remote Communities North of 60	Room: OKANAGAN SKEENA VASEAUX SKAHA SHUSWAP PENNASK KOOTNEY
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3:00- 3:45	RYAN MCMAHON COMEDY SHOW	
3:45 – 4:30	Conference Wrap-up, Door Prizes	