

Volunteer Administrators Networking Meeting

October 6th, 2021

9:30-10:30

Volunteer Orientation and Training

Attendees: 19

Welcome from the Executive Committee, Land Acknowledgment

Judy Dancause – Chair

Juliette Labossiere – Vice Chair

Carilyne Hebert – Executive Director of the Social Development Council of Cornwall and Area.

Kaitlyn Legue – Secretary

Round Table Introductions

Guest Speaker – Kaitlyn Legue BGC Cornwall/SDG

Topics of Discussion:

- What is volunteer orientation & training?
- The difference between orientation vs. training
- Benefits of orientation & training
- Creating positive introductions & organizing materials.
- Benefits of creating a training program

See presentation slides attached.

Resources:

<https://www.galaxydigital.com/blog/volunteer-training/>

<https://www.galaxydigital.com/blog/volunteer-orientation/>

<https://volpro.net/managing-volunteers/volunteer-training/>

<https://www.volunteerhub.com/blog/volunteer-training-program/>

<https://volunteer.ca/ccvi>

Agency Updates:

- 30th Anniversary York Centre, gala in November, music trivia mania is coming back! (fundraiser)
Oct 12 York centre informational session.
- Oct 15th United Way - Us and Them documentary – panel discussion from experts on homelessness in our area. Wine gala! Few tickets up for sale in November.
- SDC, Unconscious Bias workshop a second time. \$25.00
- Tri County Literacy – save cents make money, practical tips to live on limited income. Tablet training.

Next Meeting: Unconscious Bias Thurs. Oct 28th 9:00-12:00- \$25. Per person.