

# **Board Report • September 17 - September 25, 2012**

## **FUNDING APPLICATION SUCCESS**

#### **Industry Canada; Computers for Schools**

On September 10, I submitted an application to Industry Canada's Computers for Schools programs. I requested 2 'refurbished' computers; 1 for the main room and 1 for the Youth Worker office. O-YA's application has been approved. We will be receiving 2 Pentium IV PCs with 3.5Ghz, 120 Gb and 2Gb of memory. the will have the Windows XP PRO operating system and come with a sound card and 17 inch monitor.

## **FUNDING APPLICATION SUBMITTED**

#### **Community Foundations of Ontario**

On September 25, I submitted an application for funding to Community Foundations of Ontario for a project called Gallery b. O-YA's proposed Gallery b. project will teach youth (ages 11 - 18) how to create jewellery, take photographs, paint using 2 different mediums and organize a Gallery b. Opening Event to display their art for ongoing show and sale at O-YA. The instructional aspect of Gallery b. will take place between February - May 2013 as part of O-YA's regularly scheduled Drop In programming. The Gallery Opening will be in June of 2013. The resulting art show and sale will be ongoing at O-YA (to be enjoyed by our Teen Drop In program participants, After School Homework Club, b.side youth cafe patrons and external rentals such as Girl Guides, Live n' Learn playgroup, City of Ottawa, fitness class participants and more). 1/3 of proceeds from the art sale with be give to the artists, 1/3 will go back to O-YA and 1/3 will be donated to the Me To We non-profit youth foundation. The amount requested was \$9,300 and results will be announced in November 2012.

### **UPCOMING FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**

### **Ontario Trillium Foundation Grant**

On November 1, 2012, O-YA has the opportunity to submit an application for funding to the Trillium Foundation.

#### **Telus Community Fund**

On October 5, 2012, O-YA has the opportunity to submit an application for funding to Telus for their Community Fund.

### STAFFING UPDATE

Alyssa Giampalo has accepted a job with NROCRC as the Program Coordinator for a City After School program and will have her last shift at O-YA on Thursday, September 20.

### **FUNDING REPORTS SUBMITTED**

Very, very overdue Evaluation Reports (JAM Project; 2007 & Peer Press; 2008 - from past O-YA ED's) have now been submitted to Community Foundations of Ottawa. With these Evaluation Reports in place, we are now able to proceed with the Ottawa Citizen Literacy Foundation Grant and our 2012 Community Fondations of Ontario Grant applications. Thanks to Vicki for her help in completing these Reports.



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### **MAYOR'S YOUTH SUMMIT**

O-YA is very excited to be brining 4 youth to the Mayor's Youth Summit on Friday, October 12. We are bringing Carley, Sam, Alyssa and volunteer Mark Frost. It should be a great day where we are realy able to do some advocating for rural youth!

## **POLICY & PROCEDURE MANUAL**

A draft version of O-YA's Policy & Procedure Manual is currently with Theresa Williams. Theresa is reviewing the P&P Manual and suggesting changes. Once the edited Manual comes back to O-YA, I will make the changes and forward it to the Board for approval.

## **UPCOMING FUNDING PROPOSAL DEADLINES**

October 5, 2012 Telus Community Fund
November 1, 2012 Ontario Trillium Foundation

## **EXPECTED DATES FOR RESULTS OF SUBMITTED FUNDING PROPOSALS**

October 12, 2012 TD Bank Community Giving Program

October 15, 2012 Crime Prevention Grant

November 30, 3012 The Ottawa Citizen Literacy Foundation Grant
November 30, 2012 Community Foundation of Ottawa; Gallery b. project

Unknown United Way Ottawa's Targeted Growing Up Great Funding Opportunity

## **NICOLE'S 2012 HOLIDAYS**

- 1. 2 Days: Monday, January 30 & Tuesday, January 31, 2012 (completed)
- 2. 5 Days; Tuesday, March 13 Wednesday, March 21, 2012 (completed)
- 3. 9 Days: Monday, July 30 Friday, August 10, 2012 (completed)
- 4. 1 Day (plus lieu time); Wednesday, September 26 Friday, September 28, 2012 THIS WEEK
- 5. 3 Days: Monday, December 24, Thursday, December 27 & Friday, December 28, 2012