

Partnering In Hope Conference (4):

March 20-21, 2013

Western Development Museum in North Battleford,

Registration

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Organization: _____

Special Requirements (ie: dietary, mobility, etc): _____

Registration Fee: \$120

Registration Fees Include: Breakfasts and Lunches

Registration Fee Must Accompany Registration

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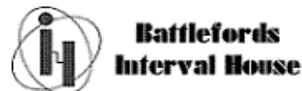
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Session Information:

Master of Ceremonies: Ray Fox

Aboriginal Elder: Ethel Stone

Wednesday March 20

9:00am to 10:45am

- **Cpl. Breanne Brown, Project KARE**
 - Project “KARE” is an investigation unit originally created with the highest priority being to examine the deaths of several “High Risk Missing Persons” who were found in rural areas surrounding the City of Edmonton. KARE has expanded its mandate to include cases of murdered or missing high risk persons from all parts of Alberta. One objective of the program is to investigate all leads and capture and prosecute those responsible for these crimes.
 - **Norma Chamut**
 - **Biography:**
Norma is a survivor of child sexual abuse which led to 28 years of being sexually exploited through street prostitution and human trafficking. She shares her life experiences to prevent young people from being exploited and to educate adults to recognize the signs of abuse and exploitation so that they can better help young people. Now 50 years old, Norma bears witness to the healing power of love and hope and is a passionate advocate and educator. She is the recipient of a Woman of Courage Award from PAAFE (Prostitution Awareness and Action Foundation of Edmonton) now called CEASE: Centre to End All Sexual Exploitation.
 - **Lynn Cysouw**
 - **Biography:**
Lynn has 13 years’ experience working with sexually exploited and trafficked individuals. She is currently a Victim Advocate for CEASE. Lynn is the recipient of an award from the York Regional Police Drugs and Vice Unit for her dedication and commitment to the prosecution and convictions of two human traffickers in 2011.
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11:00am to 4:30pm

- **Jacqui Linder**
- **Understanding Psychological Trauma** – This workshop will be an introduction to the field of psychological trauma in relation to family violence. Topics discussed will include the four categories of traumatic stress, the neurobiology of interpersonal violence, variables that affect clinical outcome, and the cognitive, emotional, and behavioral impact of trauma exposure.
- **Biography:**
Jacqui is a PhD candidate, registered psychologist, and certified Clinical Traumatologist. She has training and experience in healing techniques and facilitating numerous workshops. She has worked with many populations including First Nations and Inuit communities. She works with a number of organizations across Canada supporting survivors of human trafficking and exploitation.

Thursday March 21

9:00am to 10:00am

- **Rod McKendrick**
 - **Understanding Some of the Tools Available to Victims of Abuse.** – There are various resources available to those who have to deal with violence and abuse and this presentation will try to address ways to access the tools (E.I.O.s, Peace Bonds, Powers of Attorney, etc.). The presentation will look at some of the barriers that individual’s face and how to deal with them.
 - **Biography:**
Rod McKendrick is currently working with Saskatchewan Ministry of Justice, Victims Services, as the Interpersonal Violence Specialist for the province and has done so since 1998. His responsibilities are the development of training materials, policies and protocols in the area of Interpersonal Violence. He also manages the contracts for Aboriginal Family Violence Programs, the Children Exposed to Violence Programs and other specialized programs.
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10:00am to 11:00am

- **Lyle Miller: Know Harms Way – The Road Back**
 - This presentation is about Lyle’s family since late July 2006. He will reflect on the abduction of his son, how police and Victim Services helped their family, the people they have met, and groups like Child Find and the Canadian Center for Child Protection. He will introduce the “Kids in the Know” education program for children in schools as well as the “Commit to Kids” program which is a step by step plan to help prevent sexual abuse from happening from within child-serving organizations. Lyle is 53, married, and has worked and farmed all his life. They raised 6 kids and they share their story in the hope to make a difference.
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11:15 to 12:00pm

- **Reginald Bugler**
 - Reg will share his personal story in an effort to inform and inspire. He will describe his experience with residential schools and the intergenerational effects of residential schools on his family. He will explain how the residential schools experience can sever the parent-child bond and how it can affect attachment. He has overcome these affects and is seen as a role model. He will share how he was able to reach a place of healing and wellness.
 - **Biography:**
 - Reg has been married for 38 years and has 6 children and 15 grandchildren. Reg and his wife recently returned to North Battleford after having moved to Regina in 2005 from the Red Pheasant Cree Nation. He was employed with the Ministry of Justice and Attorney General as the Community Liaison for the Regina Drug Treatment Court in 2007-09. Reg recently completed training of trainers with White Bison Inc. in Colorado Springs and is a certified 12 Step/Medicine Wheel facilitator and certified Grief counselor. He is respected amongst Elders who pass on their knowledge to him and expect him to pass on the wisdom he received to today’s generation. He is a pipe carrier and conducts pipe ceremonies at traditional feasts, wakes/funerals, and healing circles. Reg is fluent in the Cree language.
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1:00pm to 3:30pm

- **Marge Reynolds**
- Marge will share the teachings of the Medicine Wheel and will focus on how it can be used to create wellness. She is a Denesuline from English First Nation. In 2002, she was certified to teach the Medicine Wheel and has sat with Elders from numerous communities to help her with her presentations and teaches Medicine Wheel workshops. She is a survivor of residential schools and has traveled her healing journey for the past 15 years.