

BC CRN REPORTS

NEWS FROM THE BC ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY RESPONSE NETWORKS

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We will publish this newsletter periodically to keep you informed of what is happening around the province and to make announcements which will help you do your work in your communities.

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BC CRN VISION:

Building safe communities where all adults are valued, respected and free from abuse and neglect

2015-2016 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Please welcome the following members of the BC CRN for the coming year:

Co-chairs - Ward Bertram (Surrey) and Kelley Williams (McBride)

Secretary - Susan Harland (White Rock)

Treasurer - Phil Hall (Chilliwack)

Directors - Lillian Allison (Cawston), Jill Hightower (Sechelt), Joe Scaletta (Victoria), Matt Scott (Gabriola).

They are looking forward to a busy and exciting year!

NEW SPECIAL PROJECTS GRANT ANNOUNCED

In addition to two \$500 project grants and one \$500 WEAAD grant we are adding a new Special Projects Grant for up to \$5,000 for CRNs who are planning bigger projects with their community partners. There is a limited amount of funding available so these grants will be approved on a first come, first served basis. Use the same grant application form. The same grant criterion also applies. Contact your Mentor or Shirley Gust shirley.gust@bccrns.ca for details.

REGIONAL GATHERINGS

October 7 in Prince George for CRNs in the Northern Health Region

October 29 in Nanaimo for CRNs in Island Health Region

November 3 in Vernon for CRNs in the Interior Health Region

January 26 in Langley for the Fraser Health Region

February 3 in Vancouver for the Vancouver Coastal Health Region

This is a chance for our hard-working volunteers to have input into how their CRNs work – and to meet all our Management Team!

TWO VACANT POSITIONS POSTED ON WEBSITE

1. [Regional Mentor](#) - North East Region
2. [Communications/Marketing Coordinator](#) – NEW Part-time contract

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