



BC Association of
Aboriginal Friendship Centres



GATHERING OUR VOICES 2010

Aboriginal Youth Conference

"Our Health and Our Environment"

Vancouver, BC March 10 - 13th 2010

The **BC Association of Aboriginal Friendship Centres** is excited to announce the 8th Annual Provincial Aboriginal Youth Conference *Gathering Our Voices* will take place **March 10-13th, 2010** in **Vancouver, BC** at the **Hyatt Regency Vancouver**.

The eighth annual Provincial Aboriginal Youth Conference will attract up to 1500 Aboriginal youth (ages 14-24) from across both the Province of BC and Canada. This year our chosen theme is "**Our Health and Our Environment**", and is reflected in 30+ workshops, a 50 booth Health and Environment Fair, Cultural and Recreational Activities, Evening Events and Motivational Speakers.

Please see below for further information on Conference Registration, our Call for Workshop Facilitators and our Call for Exhibitors. To access all of this information online please visit:

www.bcaafc.com/content/view/54/207/

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Early Registration Fee \$125.00 UNTIL FEBRUARY 5th, 2010

(EARLY REGISTRATION INCENTIVE: 6th registrant FREE for every group of 5 registered!)

Regular Registration Fee \$175.00 FEBRUARY 6th - MARCH 10th, 2010

- ❖ For every five youth registered (under the age of 18) there must be one chaperon
- ❖ All chaperons must register for the conference, and must 21 years of age or older

To access Conference Registration Package please click here: www.bcaafc.com/content/view/54/207/

CALL FOR FACILITATORS

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: November 27th, 2009 by 5:00 pm PST

The Aboriginal youth conference planning committee **invites interested individuals/groups to facilitate highly interactive workshops** for the 2010 Aboriginal Youth Conference.

Preference will be given to workshops that demonstrate high interaction and share best practices/successful approaches to this year's theme of **Health and the Environment**

To access the Call for Facilitators please click here: www.bcaafc.com/content/view/54/207/

CALL FOR EXHIBITORS

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: February 1st, 2010 by 5:00 pm PST

The Aboriginal youth conference planning committee **invites interested individuals/organizations to exhibit at the Health and Environment Fair** during the 2010 Aboriginal Youth Conference. This is a unique opportunity to share information with up to 1500 Aboriginal youth. Aboriginal youth who attend come from across the country and reside either on-reserve or in urban centres. While in the Health and Environment fair, Aboriginal youth and their chaperons can hear presentations, gather information, and network with various Health, Environmental and Educational institutions, organizations, public agencies and departments, industry, and arts and craft vendors.

- ❖ *Spaces for the Health and Environment Fair will fill up very quickly. Potential Exhibitors are encouraged to send in their completed forms as soon as possible to ensure a spot at the Youth Conference.*

To access the Call for Exhibitors please click here: www.bcaafc.com/content/view/54/207/

For More Information Please Contact:

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