

Alberta Ability Network Adaptive Inclusive Recreation Table

Date/Time:

May 18th, 2022 / 9:30am - 11:30am

Location: Zoom

Chairs: Kim Presser, Ashley Fox

In Attendance:

Ashley Fox (Calgary Adapted Hub) Courtney Barnstable (Association for the Rehab of Meri Topchieva (Alberta Ability Network) the Brain Injured)

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Han Tran Kibbi Technologies Jamie McCulloh (Rocky Mountain Adaptive) Kim Presser (Between Friends)

Jordan Chabeniuk Matt McLean (CP Kids) Noelle LeBlanc (VIVO) Nancy Bertram (MS Society Calgary)

Meeting Minutes

Welcome

Land Acknowledgement

Breakout Rooms

Meeting considerations

Review of last month's meeting minutes

Spotlight Presentations:

Kibbi Technologies

- Kibbi is an app and desktop website that connects job seekers to employers.
- This app is connecting local job seekers with local employers through map-based job searching.
- The app is in 175 countries and downloadable through Apple and Android.
- Job seekers go into the app, create a profile and can start searching for jobs either through the home/main page or through the mapbased interface.
- This app is free for job seekers and non-profit agencies to use.
- Revenue model is with featured jobs, where employers can pay their job to be highlighted
- If you would like to be Kibbi's community partner and get any programs on the app, please contact Han for further details.
- The job description can be translated into 60+ languages.
- Can filter jobs based on language requirements, experience or job type.

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- Job seekers can browse without creating a profile.
- Once you give your information, Kibbi has an AI that automatically creates a cover letter for whichever job you want.
- Job seekers can write to employers in their first language and the employer sees it in English or their first language.
- There is no costs for non-profits to join as their goal is to build a community on the app. If you would like to put your organization's jobs and information on here please contact Han at han@mykibbi.com.

Discussion items:

Proclamation Update

- Airdrie just submitted their proclamation and will be including it into their newspaper.
- Calgary submitted its proclamation last week.
- We currently have proclamations from the following cities: Calgary, Camrose, Coldlake, and Airdrie.
- We were supposed to receive a proclamation from Edmonton as well however no one has reached out as of yet.

Adaptive Inclusive Recreation Week Social Media

- We have created a template of what the themes for each day will look like, the posts on the drive are based on those themes.
- If you would like to take a look at what is going to be posted during the Week, please click here: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1f9ZhxbD
 - plFkMInbEiDIWOc2m1tKpwhGkseWHVOcFKc/edit?usp=sharing
- All social media blurbs have been tentatively created; all information was retrieved directly from each agency's websites.
- Will be asking agencies and their marketing teams for approval on the social media posts that they will be included in.
- Some agencies have already approved their posts.
- We will not be posting an agency's reel/photo until we have direct approval from the agency or their marketing representative.
- Made some collaborative grammar edits to the social media posts throughout the table meeting.
- Some of the quotes provided will be turned into graphics so it is easier to share through newsletters and other forms of social media.
- If anyone has any events happening throughout the week for adaptive and inclusive recreation please email Meri or tag AAN on social media and we will share them.

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- If we receive enough events that are occurring throughout the week we can create a small graphic summarizing what agencies have activities/events.
- Some hashtags we will be using are #CelebratingRecreationforALL #CelebratingRecreation #JBRM

Rocky Mountain Adaptive

- Started providing day programming for people with neurodivergence transitioning into adulthood. The local community has communicated that this is a need and Rocky Mountain Adaptive has taken the initiative to offer this program.
- June 20th triad event where they will be highlighting different recreational opportunities for people living with spinal cord injury.

VIVO

- Due to construction, VIVO will not have their aquatics space open for the summer. The HIIT studio and the cloud studio sometime this summer.
- Wanted to offer some classes during the week but the HIIT studio will not be done on time.

CP Kids and Families

- Have an event at South Glenmore Park on the 17th. It is a walk to raise money.
- Summer camp and Learn to Ride, a program teaching how to ride accessible bikes, also occurring in the summer.

Between Friends

- Working with Lil Bettas Swim School and providing them with inclusion training so they are more prepared to accept people with all abilities.
- These lessons are one-to-one and are more expensive, however, if families are interested, please reach out to them.
- Upcoming golf tournament, currently looking for silent auction items, if anyone has anything to donate please contact Kim at kpresser@betweenfriends.ab.ca.

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Action Items:

- The blurbs for all social media posts for Adaptive Inclusive Recreation (AIR) Week are in the following document:



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https://docs.google.com/document/d/1f9ZhxbD-plFkMlnbEiDIWOc2m1tKpwhGkseWHVOcFKc/edit?usp=sharing

- Please tag AAN on social media or email Meri if you have an event/activity scheduled throughout Adaptive Inclusive Recreation Week and we will share it.
- Receive social media post approval from all agencies and their marketing teams before the following meeting.

Wrap-Up/Adjournment

Next meeting:

Date: June 15th, 2022 **Time**: 9:30am – 11:30am

Location: Zoom