

Not-for-Profit Connection night at Rec Plex

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More than 45 organizations are expected to take part in the Not-For-Profit Connection and Community Registration Night which will be taking place September 8, from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

According to a recent press release, this night is dedicated to informing the public about Kicking Horse Country's organizations and allows them to register for fall and winter events and programs. It is also used as a method for non-profit events to reduce overlapping and fill gaps.

Due to the amount of people involved this year, the event will be held in the Mount 7 Rec Plex. The event will begin with a "pre-event" which gives "a chance for local groups to learn about new fundraising and grant programs." It will also be a chance for organizations who have a big project and would like further support to come and share their ideas. This Funders Forum will begin at 4 p.m., and run until 5:15 p.m. The Not-For-Profit Connection and Community Registration Night will happen shortly after this meeting.

Organizations ranging from areas as far as Vancouver to Calgary who have "key groups" with support programs available to organizations in Golden and CSRD Electoral Area A, have been invited to this year's event which ensures that there will be something for everyone to get involved with. The night will also be dedicated to a series of performances which will showcase different talents from the area.

Based on the success from the past two years of this community registration night and with the new elements being brought to the table this year, the event should be a hit. Last year 350 people came out to learn about the not-for-profit organizations around Golden.

This event is "a real time saver" for those who want to get involved. Having all of the organizations on one great venue gives you the full experience and the chance to involve yourself all in one simple night.

If you would like to register a display table as well as a public demonstration time for your group or organization, contact Lisa Reinders or Sarah Wegelin at 250-344-2271 ext. 225 or email leisure.events@golden.ca before September 1.

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