

## Highlights:

“Dedicated to supporting deaf and hard of hearing children and their families in Northern BC”



**ADVENTURE CAMP**  
SEPTEMBER 11-13



**DEBRA RUSSELL**  
**WORKSHOP**  
NOVEMBER 7, 2015



**RESOURCE LIBRARY**  
AVAILABLE THROUGH  
CDC

# NORTHERN BC CHILDREN AND FAMILIES HEARING SOCIETY

## NEWSLETTER



## Adventure Camp 2015

Thank - you to everyone who was able it to make Adventure Camp 2015!! It was another successful year and we hope everyone had a blast.

We also would like to thank all our sponsors, we acknowledge the financial assistance for making our Adventure Camp possible every year.

**Telus, CIBC Children’s Foundation, The Hamber Foundation, BCLC (BC Lottery Corp) Provincial Employees Community Services Fund, CKNW Orphans’ Fund, PPWC Local 9, Variety - The Children’s Charity, Province of BC, United Way of Northern BC and Dunkley Lumber.**

Thank- you!



## Upcoming ASL Courses

### Continuing Education at CNC

#### Signing Naturally Level 1, Prep 2

CESL 112 30 hours \$295 + GST

Building on Prep 1, this course includes spatial referencing, contrastive structure, the expression of time, rules for social interaction, the formulation of negative statements and finger spelling.

Prerequisite: Signing Naturally Level 1, Prep 1

Textbook: Signing Naturally Level 1 (order from [www.dawnsign.com](http://www.dawnsign.com) or by calling 1.800.549.5350)

Offered once: Nov 16 to Dec 16/15 Mon, Wed  
6:00-9:00

For more information click [HERE](#)



**We're always updating our database!**

If you wish to have your name removed or if you are interested in receiving our newsletters and information about upcoming events, please let us know!

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**[www.nbhearingsociety.com](http://www.nbhearingsociety.com)**



*The Society's mandate is to provide education, networking/socializing opportunities and emotional support to deaf and hard of hearing children all across Northern BC, their families, friends and others who interact with deaf or hard of hearing children in their lives.*

## **FALL ASL Workshop with Debra Russell**

**November 7, 2015 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm**

**Location: Exploration Place - 333 Becott Place Prince George, BC**

**Cost: \$20 per family OR \$10 per person**

### **Topic: Great Kids and Great Schools Meaningfully including the Deaf learner**

**This workshop will explore what meaningful inclusion can mean for a deaf learner and identify some of the ways that schools and families can ensure their child's social, emotional and academic needs are met in a mediated interpreted education. This topic will be great for everyone; Families, teachers, EA's and Professionals.**



**Don't have a sitter? It's okay! Bring your children with you and they will be entertained by Exploration Place activities, staff and volunteers! We have the whole afternoon planned for the kiddies while the adults enjoy Debra's workshop. There will be mid-afternoon snacks for both the adults and children. We ALSO have a gift for everyone who attends this workshops. AND after the workshop, the families can take a look around the gallery together and enjoy the remainder of the day at Exploration Place.**

## **REGISTER HERE:**

**<https://debrarussell-workshop.eventbrite.ca>**

**Any questions or concerns, please call or email us at:**

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**\*\* Financial Assistance is available upon request. If you would like to attend our event and require financial assistance, please email the society at [pgdeaf@telus.net](mailto:pgdeaf@telus.net)**



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# IN THE NEWS!

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## [Celebration of Inclusion: What Does Inclusion Mean](#)

**MORE DETAILS:** October is Community Living Month. The Celebration of Inclusion: What Does Inclusion Mean to Me! event is open to everyone. Come join in the fun activities and lend your voice to recognizing how important inclusion is to our community.

101.3 The River Event

## [15 Ways To Improve Your Deaf Awareness](#)

In honor of Deaf Awareness Week (September 21-28), here are some hot tips for being a more Deaf Aware human.

[www.BuzzFeed.com](http://www.BuzzFeed.com)

## [10 Things an Audiologist Wants Parents to Know](#)



## Learning Resources at CDC!

The Society has a great resource library of books and Signing Time DVD 's at the Child Development Centre .

Don't forget, we can mail books to our out-of-town readers!

**Please call: 250-563-7168 OR**

**visit: 1687 Strathcona Avenue, Prince George.**

### Join our Facebook Page!

*“A major goal for the Northern BC Children & Families Hearing Society page is that it be a safe place for all. This includes our families, and the professional community that supports our families, as this page includes members from each. It promotes the sharing of positive resources, successes and stories about your child or family.”*



### Northern BC Children & Families Hearing Society

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