CALGARY POLICE YOUTH FOUNDATION

E-NEWS - JANUARY 2022

NEW YEAR - NEW SPEAKER SERIES

Our first speaker series of the year was held on January 26th and was hosted by Mr. Rick Green, Wealth Strategist and Founding Partner Sagium. Rick was able to inform attendees about the importance of having an up to date Will, planning for a secure financial future and offer advice on how to support your favorite charity. Thank-you, Rick for volunteering your time to meet with CPYF supporters and provide them with valuable information on wealth management.

This year, we have three more Speaker Series presentations planned for our supporters on a variety of topics. See below for a sneak peek on what you can expect in the coming months!

Speaker Series #2 - Mental Health and Youth
June 14, 2022 - *Putting Children, Youth and their families on the path for better mental health.*

Speaker Series #3 - The New Driver
September 2022 - *Helping students to stay safe on the roads.*

Speaker Series #4 - Inspiring Stories
December 2022 - *Stories from those who strive to keep children and youth safe from crime and victimization*

WHAT'S IN STORE FOR 2022 – MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

This year, CPYF has a full Program of events planned to help support the vulnerable children and youth in our communities. Below are just a few of the exciting campaigns we have to look forward to this year and all of the proceeds raised will fund crime prevention, risk reduction, education and early intervention programming for our city's youth.

Dinner with Chef Paul McGreevy

April 2022

Learn the skills and secrets of the trade with this exclusive group cooking lesson!

CPS Scavenger Hunt

May 2022

Have fun exploring our city and enjoy some friendly competition with this family friendly scavenger hunt.

Youthlink Calgary 50/50 Cash Raffle

May 2022

Test your luck with the Youthlink Calgary 50/50 raffle for your chance to win up to $10,000!

Cadet Summer Hamper Program

June 2022

Members of the Calgary Police Cadet Corps will distribute hampers to select local schools.

Back to School Backpack Drive

August 2022

Preparing students for the school year ahead by providing 800 backpacks filled with essential school supplies

2023 Calendars Launch

September 2022

Enjoy stunning photos in the latest editions of the CPS Canine Unit, Mounted Unit and Traffic Section calendars.

Chief Youth Courage and Philanthropic Leadership Awards Celebration

October 2022

Join us in celebrating six youth from CPYF funded programs along with an outstanding local philanthropist.

Kiki's Care Boxes Holiday Hamper Campaign

December 2022

Providing children, youth and their families with holiday cheer, special gifts and essential supplies.

RINGING IN THE NEW YEAR WITH COOKING WITH KIDS!

Do your New Years Resolutions include learning to cook, spending more quality time as a family, or eating healthier? If so, then the Cooking with Kids Cookbook is for you! This family friendly cookbook has over 100 carefully curated recipes submitted by local celebrities and families along with fun cooking tips, jokes and crafts suitable for the whole family!

Proceeds from the Cookbook directly support children and youth in Calgary through the Kiki's Care Boxes hamper campaign – an initiative that provides care boxes filled with essential items such as food, personal care items and more to children, youth and families in need.

Get your copy today online at **www.CPYFStore.ca**, at Calgary and area London Drugs, or at select Chapters and Indigo stores.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE ALL YEAR LONG!

Sign up today for our monthly giving program – Promising Futures – and help make a positive impact on children and youth all year long! Promising Futures is an easy and convenient way to give, while helping to make a larger impact over time.

By becoming a monthly donor, you are joining a dedicated group of supporters committed to improving the lives of children and youth through the crime prevention, education, risk reduction and early intervention programs funded by CPYF.

DONATE NOW

To learn more or to sign up today, visit our website at:
https://yycyouthfoundation.ca/promising-futures/

LAST CALL FOR 2022 CALENDARS!

Time is running out to get your 2022 Calgary Police Service Canine Unit, Mounted Unit and Traffic Section Motorcycle calendars. These calendars highlight the important work of the Calgary Police Service, and showcase the fine work of the animals used in policing as well as the skilled drivers who operate police motorcycles.

By purchasing a calendar, you too can help keep our city's children and youth safe from crime and victimisation. All of the proceeds raised from calendar and merchandise sales directly support the education, crime prevention, and early intervention programs funded by the Calgary Police Youth Foundation.

Calendars are available until January 31, 2022 for $15 each, and can be purchased at the following locations:

All – Online at www.CPYFStore.ca

Canine Unit Calendar – Sobeys and Safeway stores in Calgary and Area

Traffic Section Motorcycle Calendar – Select Canadian Tire Stores (Richmond, McLeod Trail, Shawnessy, Beacon Hill, 130, Country Hills, Deerfoot)

Mounted Unit Calendar – Lonestar Tack and Feed, The Horse Store, and Equine Energy Veterinary Services

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!

To our dear supporters, we often say we can't do what we do without your help, and in the case of volunteers this is very true. We need and value each and every person who volunteers their time and talent in the service of others. This year we are improving our processes to recruit, screen, place and recognise our wonderful volunteers and we are pleased to announce that our friends at the Calgary Police Service will be providing volunteer management services going forward.

What this means for current volunteers is that you will receive an email asking you to complete some paperwork to register you as a volunteer with CPYF. For those wishing to sign up for volunteering with CPYF, you can apply at **CPYFVol@calgarypolice.ca** and we will provide you with the required application and security clearance form.

Volunteering with Calgary Police Youth Foundation is always fun! Sign up today and know that your volunteer contribution will go a long way to helping keep children and youth in Calgary safe from crime and victimisation. How great is that!

MEET OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Calgary Police Youth Foundation is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors. These talented individuals donate their time, talents and treasures to our organization with a goal of helping to better the lives of children and youth in our city. We are so grateful for their ongoing support and for everything they do for the Calgary Police Youth Foundation.

Brian Ferguson - Board Chair

Chief Constable Mark Neufeld

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The Calgary Police Foundation o/a Calgary Police Youth Foundation is planning to raise an estimated amount of $1,738,500 this year on fundraising. It will cost our organization an estimate of $244,500 to raise this. The money raised will be going to keeping children and youth safe from crime and victimisation. For further information, please contact Susan Cron, Executive Director 403-428-8020. Our address is 5111-47 Street NE, Calgary, Alberta, T3J 3R2. Our charity number is 812 149 714 RR0001.