



Focus Disability Network Meeting

- Date & Time:** Thursday Sept 17, 2009
9:00 A.M.
- Location:** **Communitas Supportive Care Society**
103-2776 Bourquin Cresc. W
Abbotsford, BC
Tel: 604-850-6608
- 9:00 – 9:15** **Networking opportunities** with colleagues who assist persons with disabilities (bring your business cards and brochures).
- 9:15 – 9:30** **Introductions, program updates**, information on new or changing community based programs or initiatives that are part of providing services to people with disabilities.
- 9:30 – 10:00** **Sadhu Parhar** from **Service Canada**, will talk about the transfer of responsibility for the delivery and administration of Canada's Part II Employment Benefits and Support Measure programs and services to the Province under the Labour Market Development Agreement (LMDA).
- 10:00 – 10:30** **Abbotsford Measuring Up Team** is here to present regarding their multi-faceted approach to making Abbotsford more disability conscious and adaptation friendly.
- 10:30 – 10:45** **REFRESHMENT BREAK**
- 10:45 – 11:15** **Maggie Vilvang** from **accessWORKS** will update us about the varied work he is doing in accessWORKS/2010 Legacies Now projects, the Accessible Tourism initiative, Purposeful Purchasing, Olympic opportunities and successes. He will also share about the work they are doing to build an Employers' Forum on Disability in BC (specifically led by the corporate business world).
- 11:15 – 12:00** **Annual General Meeting for Members (please RSVP your attendance to ensure we have a quorum)**

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