

Partnership Proposal



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Project Information			
Activity Name:	Rec N Crew Play Streets		
Tell us about your idea and why this is a good idea for your community (maximum 100 words)			
<p>The goal of the project is to provide more opportunities for kids to try life long sports and recreation activities in a non-competitive, play-based environment. The project has 3 key components: 1) bringing Play Streets to Fort Frances (turning streets into play spaces), 2) enhancing the Rec N Crew Program and, 3) developing a Junior Leaders-in-Training mentor program. Children taking part in the programs will also be involved in community outings to experience sport/activity opportunities in the community (orienteering, geoacaching, curling). If we give kids more opportunities to learn sports skills in a</p>			
Who and how many will benefit from the activity? (maximum 50 words)			
<p>The primary target group will be school aged children of the Rainy River District. 400 children under the age of 15 will benefit from the programs. Playstreets will be launched in three lower income neighborhoods. Rec N Crew is a very low cost program that is available to all elementary-aged children.</p>			
Plan of Action - Outline key steps and dates for planning, implementing and completing the activity			
Steps	Date		
Bring partners together to develop plan, timelines and choose neighborhood for play streets	February		
Purchase program supplies required	February		
Promote program to area schools, sports clubs and parents	on-going		
Provide training for junior leaders in training	June		
Rec N Crew program on PD Days, March Break and weekly during the summer	on-going		
Budget - How will the funds be used? Itemize all applicable expenses. Please be specific. Refer to list of eligible expenses.			
Expenses	Amount Requested		
Services: Honorarium for junior leaders in training	250		
Program Materials: Playstreet and Rec N Crew supplies: New Age Curling, Team Launch Volleyball, Drag n tails, orienteering, team home run, tri golf set, action drive	4510.98		
Transportation:			
TOTAL amount requested			4960.98
Complete the following questions, ONLY IF you are applying for more than \$1000 (up to \$5000 maximum):			
Need - How will the project meet an identified need in your community and how will it promote physical activity?			
<p>Less than 15% of kids are active enough to meet the recommended guidelines for physical activity. Locally, girls were less likely to meet the Canadian Physical Activity Guidelines, with 9.8% of females getting at least 60 minutes of moderate to vigorous physical activity daily, compared with 19.4% of males (SHAPES, 2014). We need to increase more play-based opportunities to expose kids to sport and skill development at an early age.</p>			
Sustainability Plan - How will the activity be maintained and/or have a lasting impact?			
<p>Partners are in place to ensure programs sustainability. The municipal recreation program will incorporate the junior leaders in training program into regular staff training. By increasing the volunteer base of junior leaders, we can provide additional community activities like PlayStreets and increase support and skill development for Rec N Crew. We are trying to increase</p>			
Partners - List any other partners involved and their role in the activity			
Partner	Role/Contribution to the project		
local schools	promotion		
local clubs	coaching, expertise, knowledge		
OPP	planning, implementation of playstreets		
junior leaders	volunteer with community activities		

Applicants may attach any additional support documents relevant to the proposal.

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