Schedule of Activities
St. Catharines
January 2017

Our Mission: The Niagara Folk Arts Multicultural Centre is a community based non-profit charitable organization whose team of professional staff and volunteers provide vital settlement services to newcomers as they strive to create a rewarding new life in Canada.

WHAT'S NEW?

Happy New Year to all! English classes resume on January 9. Welcome back!

EMPLOYMENT & SKILLS TRAINING

Looking for a job? We can help!!! Bring your job search questions to us.
Call 905-685-6589 Ext. 231, jsw@folk-arts.ca
or visit Room 10.
Job Search Workshop (JSW):
Learn about how to research your profession in Canada, what jobs are in demand, resumes, interviews and more.
Part 1: January 9-13
Part 2: January 23-27
Dates could change but once registered, you will be notified

Practice Sessions: Come and practice with us!
Public Speaking, Small Talk & Networking and Emailing for Job Search Sessions. Registration required. Please contact Viktorija at 905-685-6589 Ext. 231 or jsw@folk-arts.ca

Computer Training

Offered every Wednesday from 1pm to 3pm in our computer lab. To register, please contact Viktorija at 905-685-6589x231or jsw@folk-arts.ca

SETTLEMENT WORKSHOPS

Banking in Canada
January 18; 1pm to 2:15pm; Room 7

Ontario Disability Support (ODSP) Program
January 26; 1pm to 2:15pm; Room 7

CHILDREN & YOUTH

Youth Group: An after-school program for newcomer youth age 13 and up, meets Wednesdays from 2:30pm to 6pm, Youth Lounge.

Don't Lose your English
Join us for English conversation every Monday from 3:30 to 5:30pm in the Youth Lounge. Open to newcomer youth age 13 and up to practise English conversation skills.

First Aid Training for Youth
Held January 4th and 5th from 8:30am to4:30pm. Registration required.

Exam Preparation Sessions
A number of exam preparation sessions will be held in January to help you prepare for your exams. Dates and times are available in the Community Connections Office, Room 2.

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Social & Table Games Time. Join us every Monday beginning January 16 from 12:30 to 2:00pm to share good times and practice English.

Conversation Practice One-On-One
Practice your conversation skills with us. You may reserve 30-minute practice sessions between 12:30 and 2:00pm by contacting Community Connections staff. This activity is available for eligible newcomers.

"Knitting Group": Join us for this fun activity from 12:30 to 2:00pm every Thursday, beginning January 12; Room # 2.

Chop-Chop Group

Meets Wednesday January 11 and 25 at 12:30pm in "The Robby's" kitchen. A volunteer opportunity to prepare food for the needy.

After-School Program

For children 6-12, Tuesdays at Ferndale Elementary School from 4:30-6:00pm and Thursdays at St. Nicholas School from 4:15-5:45pm.

****SOME PROGRAMS HAVE ELIGIBILITY AND / OR PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS****
FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL ROSE KARBORANI AT 905-685-6589 X225 OR E-MAIL: rkarborani@folk-arts.ca
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