



SETTLEMENT PROGRAM

FOR IMMIGRANTS TO SEVEN OAKS

FEBRUARY 2014

All events and programs are for newcomers to Canada. They are CIC funded and hosted by the Seven Oaks Settlement Program.

BRING YOUR PERMANENT RESIDENT CARD TO REGISTER.

Questions? Phone 204-632-1716

CONTACT INFORMATION

Seven Oaks Adult Learning and Settlement Services

Website:

www.7oaks.org/ programs/settlement

Call us: 204-632-1716

Email us:

settlement@7oaks.org

Visit us:

950 Jefferson Ave

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday 9am- 8:30pm (extended hours starting this

> Welcome to our new Settlement Worker, Randean!

PRESENTATIONS, PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS

- Income Tax Presentation Tuesday, Feb 25th, Wednesday, Feb 26th at 6:15pm at 950 Jefferson Ave. Basics of what you need to do your taxes, forms, how to file etc...
- <u>Basic Financial Workshop</u> Friday Feb 21st and 28th, 12:45-2:30pm at 950 Jefferson Ave. Budgeting, credit history, managing debt etc... Call Rowena to register.
- Beginner Computer Classes

 every Saturday starting Feb 1st, 1-3pm.

 Call Jose to register.
- <u>Conversation Classes</u>

 Tuesdays every Saturdays, 1-3pm at 950

 Jefferson Ave. Practice speaking and listening to English. Call Shane to register.
- <u>Conversation Café</u>

 Tuesday, Feb. 25th, 10-12am at 950 Jefferson Ave. Practice English by telling your story of coming to Canada

 for CLB 5+. Call Shane to register.
- Men's Group -Cooking classes -- Saturdays in February 10am-12pm at Maples Collegiate (corner of Adsum and Jefferson). Includes information on saving money and nutrition information.
 Call Jose to register.
- <u>Entry Program in Seven Oaks</u>— We are hosting the Entry Orientation Program for new immigrants in February and March. Important program for all newcomers to Canada. Free child care. Call the office to register.

EVENTS

Free Winter Family Event-- Sat. Feb 22nd, 3-6pm behind 950 Jefferson & Value Village. Bring the whole family for a bonfire, sleigh ride, snow-play, snacks, crafts, and "Punjabi Night in Canada" (ice hockey game). Please call to register. Bring extra warm clothing. Check our website for any weather cancellations on the day.

- **Elwick Community School has free skating** every Tuesday and Thursday at 30 Maberley Rd. from 4-6pm during the winter. This is a great chance for the whole family to learn how to skate and enjoy the outdoors in winter. Includes skates and teacher. No skating if the outdoor temperature is below -25 degrees.
- Coming soon to Seven Oaks Adult Learning and Settlement Services Centre: Manitoba Start employment workshops; Red River College; women's zumba classes, the Global Welcome Centre, a budget shopping tour, Trade Fair and more. Please see the March newsletter, our website or call us at 204-632-1716.
- Nor'west Co-Op Community Health Services, located in the community just south of Inkster, has many excellent programs for those living in the area, including programs for parents, children, youth, women, various family health programs and 3 Resource Centres. Please see their website for more information: www.norwestcoop.ca or phone 204-938-5900. They are located at 785 Keewatin St.

SCHOOL NEWS FOR Seven Oaks School Division

- SOSD Schools will be releasing report cards in February. Depending on your child's school, you may need to check "Parent Connect" at www.7oaks.org under "Parents" at the upper right of the page. If you need help with this, phone your child's school, or contact a settlement worker for help.
- Kindergarten registration starts on Feb 24th 2014
- <u>Continuing Education classes for adults</u> in Seven Oaks School Division—registration is now. You can register for classes such as cooking, crafts, fitness, computer etc... These classes are not free. Please see www.7oaks.org front page for more details.

Did you know?

Sometimes SOSD cancels school buses because of bad winter weather. If the temperature and the wind chill together is -45 C or colder at the Winnipeg Airport (as posted by Environment Canada at 6:00 a.m.), then buses will not run for the whole day but schools usually stay open.

Check the Seven Oaks School Division website home page or the radio stations about buses in the morning.



PROGRAM DETAILS

- Men's Cooking Classes Saturdays 10am-12pm at Maples Collegiate
- <u>Conversation Classes</u> Tuesdays 1-3pm at 950
 Jefferson Ave
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 Jefferson Ave.
- Entry Regular Program—
 Mon-Fri. all of February at
 660 Sheppard St., Ex press—last week Feb. in
 afternoons or evenings.
 Free childcare.
- <u>Conversation Café</u>

 Feb25th 1-12am only at 950 Jefferson Ave.
- Winter Family Event
 Saturday, Feb 22nd 3-6pm
 behind 950 Jefferson and
 inside the building
- Income Tax Presentations-Tuesday, Feb. 25th AND Wednesday, Feb. 26th 6:15pm at 950 Jefferson
- Financial Workshop— Friday, Feb 21st and 28th at 12:45pm-2:30pm at 950 Jefferson Ave.
- English Classes—
 various times and classes
 are held at 950 Jefferson
 Ave. Call office for details.
 Term 3 starts Feb 3rd.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 Men's Cooking Group @ Maples Conversation Classes @ 950 Jefferson
2	3 Entry Program Starts English Classes term 3	4 Entry Conversation Classes	5 Entry	6 Entry	7 Entry	8 Men's Cooking Group Conversation Classes
9	10 Entry	Entry Conversation Class	12 Entry	13 Entry	14 Entry	Men's Cooking Group Conversation Classes @ 950 Jefferson
16	17 Entry	18 Entry Conversation Class	19 Entry	20 Entry	21 Entry Financial Workshop	Men's Cooking Group WINTER FAMILY EVENT Conversation Classes
23	24 Entry Entry Express Starts	25 Entry Conversation Class & Café' Income Tax Presentation	26 Entry Income Tax Presentation	27 Entry	Entry Program graduation Financial Workshop	



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