



SEVEN OAKS SCHOOL
DIVISION

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SETTLEMENT PROGRAM

FOR IMMIGRANTS TO SEVEN OAKS

MARCH 2014

www.7oaks.org/programs/settlement

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 or 204-697-5961

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
10am- 8pm
(extended hours starting this month)

Drop-in Computer Use, Help or Information
660 Sheppard St.
Monday to Thursday
1-4pm

Settlement Team: Shane, Rowena, Jose, Randean and Sally

PRESENTATIONS, PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS

March is a special month to help parents attend our programs. Fee Childcare is available for most programs. Please consider taking this opportunity to join in.

- **Men's Cooking Classes**— Saturday March 1st, 8th, 15th, 10am--12 noon at Maples Collegiate (1770 Jefferson Ave.) Call Jose if you have questions or to Register
- **Computer Classes** – Saturdays starting March 1, 1-3pm at 950 Jefferson Ave. OR Wednesdays 1-4pm at 660 Sheppard St (Wednesdays include child-care). Beginner level classes at your own pace— Call Jose if you have questions or to Register
- **Manitoba Start Employment Program** with free childcare— Saturdays March 8, 15, 22, and 29, 950 Jefferson Ave. Programs includes career planning, job search, resumes, interview skills, networking— Call Randean if you have questions or to Register.
- **Income Tax Clinic** with free childcare— Saturday, March 22 and 29, April 5, 12, and 26 at 10am-2pm at 950 Jefferson Ave. Volunteers will help you with your 2013 income tax if you income is below \$30,000 and your taxes are simple. Please see page 2 to know what to bring to do your taxes. Phone Randean if you have questions or to book an *appointment*.
- **Mom and Me** – Tuesdays starting March 4th, 1-4pm at 660 Sheppard St. This is a parent/pre-school child time of games, songs, crafts. Call Rowena if you have questions or to Register
- **Women's Zumba and Sharing Circles** with free childcare— Fridays starting March 7, 5-8pm at 950 Jefferson Ave.
- **Career Coaching** with free childcare— Mondays starting march 10th, 1-3pm at 660 Sheppard Ave. Call Shane if you have questions or to register
- **Conversation Classes with free childcare** continue Saturdays only. 1-3pm at 950 Jefferson Ave. Call Randean to register.

EVENTS

Budget Shopping Tour— Saturday, March 2014 11am-3:30pm. Learn some of the best places in Winnipeg to shop and save money for clothes, furniture, food and electronic by joining on the bus tour. Call Randean if you have questions or to register. No children.



COMMUNITY NEWS IN THE SEVEN OAKS AREA

- ◆ **Free Women's Craft Day**– celebrating International Women's Day -- on Saturday, March 8th, 2014 from 12pm-4pm at 611 Main St. Craft workshops on beads, medicine pouches, Metis sashes. Includes child-minding and multi-cultural snacks. No need to pre-register.
- ◆ **Presentation on Post-Secondary Education Supports for Immigrants**– Wednesday, March 12 at 6:30pm at 950 Jefferson Ave. Do you want to further your education? This presentation will help you know about the extra supports you can use to help you succeed. Bring your PR card to register for this presentation.
- ◆ **Red River Community College Presentation** – Thursday, March 13th at 6:30pm at 950 Jefferson Ave.

SCHOOL NEWS FOR SEVEN OAKS SCHOOL DIVISION

- ◆ **Kindergarten Registration** started Monday, Feb 24th in Seven Oaks School Division. If you have a child ready for school, please contact your local school or see our website: www.7oaks.org
- ◆ **Spring Break in Seven Oaks School Division** is March 31st-April 4th, 2014



C O M M U N I T Y B E G I N S H E R E

What you need to get ready to file your 2013 Income Tax

* Bring these items with you when you attend your appointment with the free Community Income Tax Clinic in March (see first page for details including eligibility, registration and times)

You must have the following information and documents when filing your Income Tax Return:

- Your income information – T4, T5007, T4A, T4E, T5, etc.
- Date of birth
- Date of entry to Canada
- Your spouse's net income (if applying for GST rebate)
- Your spouse's SIN
- Proper address with the right postal code
- Void cheque to be attached to the Income Tax Return if you require direct deposit for GST or CTB.
- All receipts for medical expenses if you want to claim them. Ask your pharmacist for a printout of all your prescriptions.
- All receipts for charitable donations you made to claim deductions.
- A copy of your last year's tax return; it will help volunteers to ensure they have all the necessary information.
- If you received a T1 package in the mail with personalized identification label, bring it with you.
- Report any changes to your family situation or to your income since last year.

If you are bringing a return for someone else, bring their SIN and their personal identification information such as, date of birth, address, and spouse's name.

March 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Men's Cooking 10am-12, Maples Collegiate Conversation Class 1:00-3:00, 950 Jefferson Computer Class 1:00-3:00, 950 Jefferson
2	3	4 Mom & Me 660 Sheppard 1:00-4:00pm	5 Computer Class 660 Sheppard 1:00-4:00pm	6	7 Women's Zumba 950 Jefferson 5:00-7:00pm	8 MB Start 9-12am, 950 Jefferson Men's Cooking 10am-12Maples Collegiate Shopping Tour! 11am-3:30 Meet at 950 Jefferson Computer Class 1-3pm 950 Jefferson Ave.
9	10 Career Coaching 660 Sheppard 1-3pm	11 Mom & Me 660 Sheppard 1:00-4:00pm	12 Computer Class 660 Sheppard 1:00-4:00pm PRESENTATION Global Welcome Centre 6:30-7:30pm 950 Jefferson,	13 PRESENTATION Red River College 950 Jefferson 6:30-7:30pm	14 Women's Zumba 950 Jefferson 5-7pm	15 MB Start 9-12am, 950 Jefferson Ave. Men's Cooking 10am-12, Maples Collegiate Computer Class 11-3pm, 950 Jefferson Ave. Conversation Class 1-3pm 950 Jefferson Ave.
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