

The Connection

"Keeping our Community Connected"

JULY 2023

Monthly Newsletter of the East Central Newcomer Welcome Centre Inc.



ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The East Central Newcomer Welcome Centre Inc. acknowledges that we are on Treaty 4 territory, the ancestral lands of the Cree, Saulteaux, Dakota, Lakota, Nakota and the Métis Nation.



We have adjusted our office hours to align with the holidays

Our adjusted hours are as follows:

JULY 3 - CLOSED

Otherwise, our staff is available

Mon to Fri from 8 am to 12 pm and 12:30 pm to 3:45 pm.

Call (306)783-2777 to book an appointment.

Information from Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC)...

Through the Economic Mobility Pathways Pilot (EMPP), Canada is tapping into talent that is too often overlooked by creating more opportunities for skilled refugees and other displaced individuals to immigrate and to use their education, training and experience to continue their careers in Canada.

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For more information



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This is HOME

Meet *Bolatito Olaoye*

Settlement Advisor at the East Central Newcomer Welcome Centre Inc.



Tito, is a Settlement Advisor at the East Central Newcomer Welcome Centre Inc. With a passion for helping others and a wealth of personal experience, she guides temporary residents along the path to establishing a well-rounded life in Canada.

In September 2022, Tito, along with her husband and four children, made the life-changing move from Nigeria to Canada as permanent residents.

With an impressive 22-year background in finance, specializing in banking, she brought a wealth of knowledge and expertise. However, adapting to a new country proved to be a difficult task. Despite her extensive experience, she faced challenges in finding employment within her field. Initially, she found herself in entry-level positions, but she approached these jobs with a positive attitude and gracefully embraced the challenges they presented.

"I find great contentment in witnessing the remarkable progress of my children,

there is access to good health care and I get to meet a lot of warm and hospitable people in the community and church, I really like it here"

"In my role as a Settlement Advisor, I find great joy in my ability to provide support and guidance to individuals who are new to our community, just as I once received assistance during my own initial journey."

"Canada has made our family's dream a reality, and we eagerly embrace the promise of a fulfilling future that awaits us here."

EXPLORE OUR COMMUNITY



**THE YORKTON EXHIBITION SUMMER FAIR
IS FROM JULY 5TH - 8TH**

Community Activities & Events May 2023

Here is a list of some of the upcoming activities or events happening in our community!

If you are interested in any of these please call our office at
(306) 783-2777 and we can help you register and /or attend with you.

CRA Information Session

What: CRA newcomer information session

When: July 11, 2023 — 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

Where: At East Central Newcomer Welcome Centre INC., Unit H, 132 Broadway St. West

Cost: FREE

Contact: Contact Ruel - rguthrie@ecnwc.ca or call (306)-783-2777 to register



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Babysitting Basics Course

What: A course for youth aged 11 to 15 years old to provide care to children

When: July 17 2023 9:00 am - 3:30 pm

Where: St. John Ambulance Training Centre, #21 1st Ave North

Cost: FREE

Contact: Jeisel - jtolentilo@ecnwc.ca/Bob -rbuhler@ecnwc.ca or call (306)-783-2777 to register



City of Yorkton Park Party

What: Fun in the Park

When: July 18, 2023 — 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Where: At the Heritage Heights Park

Cost: FREE. Contact RUEL - rguthrie@ecnwc.ca or call (306)-783-2777 to register



Learn how to Dragon Boat & Kayak

What: A beginners session to kayaking and Dragon Boating

When: July 24, 2023 — 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Where: At the York Lake Regional Park, SK S0A 2X3

Cost: FREE. Contact Ruel - rguthrie@ecnwc.ca/ Bob - rbuhler@ecnwc.ca
or call (306)-783-2777 to register



Learn how to Dragon Boat & Kayak

What: A beginners session to kayaking and Dragon Boating

When: July 27, 2023 — 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Where: At the York Lake Regional Park, SK S0A 2X3

Cost: FREE. Contact Ruel - rguthrie@ecnwc.ca/ Bob - rbuhler@ecnwc.ca
or call (306)-783-2777 to register



Multifaith Festivals in July

Baha'i Faith - July 10 - Martyrdom of The Báb*

Buddhism - July 3 - Asalha Puja (Dhamma Day)

Islam - July 19 - First of Muharram

Shinto - July 30 - Oh-harai-taisai

Judaism - July 27 - Tisha B'Av*

Jainism - July 3 Guru Purnima

These dates were highlighted in the Multifaith Calendar which is distributed by the Multicultural Council of Saskatchewan



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