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CHILDREN'S FIRST SOCIETY releases Scholarship Program!

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The Children's First Society (CFS) of Inuvik is excited to announce a new Scholarship Program at the Children First Center (CFC) that is designed to help families access CFC Early Learning and Care programs for their young child.

Co-Chair Mike Harlow says “the Board recognizes that not all families have equal access to the CFC and we have found a small way to help alleviate that.”

Scholarships will be subject to available funding. Should there be more successful applicants than available funding the CFC will apply a lottery process to determine recipients. Specific criteria are used to check if a family qualifies for the Children First Society Scholarship Program. These criteria can be found in the application information package on CFS website.

“The new scholarship program is a wonderful outcome of all the hard work and support from the CFS executive director, staff, directors, parent volunteers, and our community. I am happy that the CFS is in a position where we can give back to our community in a way that will continue to help children achieve their greatness!” said Lenora McLeod, one of the Society's Co-Chairs

The CFC will start accepting scholarship applications from now until November 8th, 2019. The process has been designed to be simple, confidential, and fair. For more information on how to apply families should contact Patricia Davison, CFC Executive Director.

“We have been looking for ways to ensure better accessibility to our programs. Now funding from the GNWT’s Department of Health and Social Services has given us seed money for the Scholarship program. We hope to be able to find ways to make this program permanent.” said Patricia Davison, CFC Executive Director.

With the launch of this new and exciting initiative the Children First Society continues to help children achieve their greatness. Why not come on by and check out the Children First Center for yourself and follow us through our website, Facebook page, and local announcements!

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