

VOICES OF COUNSELLING: Owning The Story Writing the Ending

ATA Council of School Counsellors 2018

Thursday, November 15		
3:00-9:00 PM	REGISTRATION DESK	Main Lobby
6:00-6:30	CSC EXECUTIVE MEETING	TBA
7:00-9:00 PM	Academic Address Dr. Kelly Shwartz- Are the Kids All Right? The Current State of Adolescent Mental Health	
Friday, November 16		
7:00-4:00	REGISTRATION DESK	Main Lobby
6:30-7:15	MORNING WALK AROUND CANMORE TOWN CENTRE	Meet in Lobby Area
6:30-7:15	Sunrise Yoga	Squirrel
8:00-4:00	EXHIBITS	Ladyslipper Ballroom
8:00-9:00	Breakfast	Crocus/Arnica Ballroom
9:00-10:00	KEYNOTE Address Sheldon Kennedy	Crocus/Arnica Ballroom
10:00-10:15	NUTRITION BREAK	Hall
10:15-12:15	Social Media and the Adolescent Brain: What We Know, What We Don't Know, and Why That Matters to What You Do- Dr. Kelly Schwartz	Crocus/Arnica Ballroom
	Lead With Your Heart so You Don't Lose Your Mind- Larry Tomiyama	Caribou
	A School's Role in Keeping Kids Safe- Kim Campbell	Grizzly
	An introduction to the Therapeutic Power of Play- Natalie Doucette	Wolverine
	Beginning Counsellor? Let's talk- (an informal mentorship session with seasoned counsellor Mary Frances Fitzgerald, bring your questions)	Squirrel
12:15-1:15	Lunch followed by Murray Jamplonski Award Presentation	Crocus/Arnica Ballroom
	Title of Session ~ Speaker	Room
1:30-3:00	(Nutrition break set out at 2:30)	
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	Improving Student Attendance: What's a School Counsellor to Do? Kristy McConnell and Cris Pawluk	Wolverine
	From Mental Health Screening to Support Planning- Dr. Michael Zwiers and Babi Rosch	Caribou
	Preventing and Managing Burnout among School Counsellors-Dr. Noorfarah Merali	Crocus/Arnica
	Supporting Transgender Youth in Schools - Ashleigh Yule	Grizzly
	Mindfulness Practical Session	Squirrel
3:15-4:15	Hearing the Story; A Conversation with Transgender Youth in Alberta about their School Experiences.	Squirrel
2:30-2:45	NUTRITION BREAK	Hall
7:00-9:00	Awards Followed by Drama Production A Starry Starry Night, Calgary Schizophrenia Society	Crocus/Arnica
9:00-11:30	PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION	Orchid Ballroom
Saturday, November 17		

6:30-7:15	MORNING YOGA WELLNESS SESSION	Squirrel
7:00-8:15	REGISTRATION DESK	Wapiti Boardroom
7:45- 8:45	BREAKFAST & AGM: AGM COMMENCES @ 8:15 AM	Crocus/ Arnica Ballroom
8:00-4:00 pm	EXHIBITS	Ladyslipper Ballroom
9:00-10:15	SHORT SESSIONS	
	Title of Session ~ Speaker	Room
	Failure to Launch, unsticking the stuck for young adults -Vincent Mireau	Caribou
	Non-Suicidal Self-Injury in Schools: There's a Protocol for that- Aleta Ambrose	Wolverine
	Grief and loss in our schools: creating a compassionate environment- Laura Coatsworth, Hospice Calgary	Grizzly
	Becoming a Culturally Competent School Counsellor-Dr. Noorfarah Merali	Crocus/Arnica
	Beginning Counsellor? Let's talk- (an informal mentorship session with seasoned counsellor Sara Dean, bring your questions)	Squirrel
10:15-10:30	NUTRITION BREAK	Hall
10:45-11:45	SHORT SESSIONS	
	Title of Session ~ Speaker	Room
	Effective Responses to Anxiety in the School- Dr. Michael Zwiers and Babi Rosch	Crocus/Arnica
	Pushing the Pendulum: Risky Play competence for Emotional Regulation- Stacey Hannay	Grizzly
	Active Bodies, thriving minds; How moving Fuels Mental Health- Christine McKernan	Wolverine
	Skills Canada Alberta - The Future is Now- Randi Tajcna	Caribou
	Interested in becoming involved with the CSC Council? Meet with current President Vincent Mireau and ask questions about how you can become involved	Squirrel
12:00-1:30	Closing Remarks/Really Good Door Prizes and Grab and Go Lunch	Crocus/ Arnica Ballroom
<p><i>Thank you for attending the 2018 ATA Council of School Counsellors Conference: Owning the Story</i></p> <p><i>Safe travels and we look forward to seeing you in 2020!</i></p>		