

Canadian Counselling and Psychotherapy Association

Nova Scotia Chapter President's Report

April 29, 2017

Chapter Executive:

President	Belinda Josephson
President Elect	Nick Zwaagstra
Past President	Eric Ross
Executive Secretary	Patricia Wentzell
Executive Treasurer	Jean Blackler
School Counsellor Liaison	Belinda Josephson
Coordinator of Professional Development	Joan Conrad
Coordinator, Advocacy & Professional Identity	Vacant
Student Representative	Vacant
Members at Large	Karen Covey, Theresa Robertson
CCPA Director (ex-officio)	Andrea Currie

Membership:

As of March 31, 2018, the Chapter has 290 members.

Finances:

As of Jan 31, 2018 the balance is \$ 11344.86

Past Activities:

Our goal this year was to offer low cost training opportunities to our membership. In September 2017 we offered Regional Gathering for our members. There were 2 CEUs for each gathering. Thanks to Andrea Currie our CCPA Director for writing and receiving a grant from National Office to fund the Regional Gatherings. The Gathering was held at Sir John A. MacDonald, Halifax.

The NS Chapter President attended quarterly conference call meetings with National Office.

The NS Chapter Executive held bimonthly conference call meetings to organized Chapter business and Professional Development.

The Chapter President-Elect attended the National Conference held in St. John's, NL in May 2017.

Chapter President-Elect attended the President Chapter Presidents breakfast held at the St John's Conference.

Planned Activities:

Once again we are combining our annual AGM with a workshop for NS Chapter members. May 7, 2017 we held our AGM and Professional Development. We offered Trauma-Informed Practice Level 2. This year's workshop titled will be held at Acadia University followed by the AGM to take place May 5, 2018. We will be calling for nominations for vacant positions on our Executive. The position available is as follows: Coordinator, Advocacy and Identity, Student Representative.

Regular online communication was also sent out to all NS Chapter members along with any PD opportunities.

Other:

Respectfully submitted,

Belinda Josephson

CCPA Nova Scotia Chapter President