VISIONS' VOICE

Visions Employment Plus Inc., 58 Glencoe Drive, Mount Pearl, NL A1N 4S9 www.visionsemployment.ca visionsemployment@nf.aibn.com Tel: (709) 364-4600 Fax: (709) 364-4700

Congratulations City Tire & Auto Centre Ltd. Recipient of the 2017 CODNL Business Inclusion Award!!

by Melissa Slade, Career Development Specialist



Visions Employment Plus Inc. would like to congratulate City Tire & Auto Centre Ltd. located on Topsail Road, Mount Pearl for receiving the 2017 Business Inclusion Award presented by the Coalition of Persons with Disabilities NL. "This Award recognizes the efforts of a local business to advance the principles of inclusion for persons with disabilities in the workplace through support and best practices (such as inclusive hiring practices and inclusive training, to name but a few). Businesses play an active role in creating meaningful and more inclusive communities for all Newfoundlanders and Labradorians when they advocate for and include persons with disabilities". Jordan Blackwood, Director of Marketing and the staff of City Tire & Auto Centre Ltd. have gone above and beyond to be an inclusive employer and to show their support for Visions Employment Plus Inc. and a client with an intellectual disability. They truly understand what it means to be an inclusive employer and we are so proud of them for receiving this Award! Congratulations to City Tire & Auto and their staff! Thank You for helping to make a difference.

INSIDE THIS ISSUE

2017 CODNL Business Inclusion Award

Colobrating 20 Years of Employment

Our Newest Employer Partner

Celebrating 20 Years of Employment Our Volunteer Board of Directors



Our Newest Employer Partner

by Yvonne Fowler, Career Development Specialist

Visions Employment would like to welcome and acknowledge our newest Employer Partner, the McDonald's Freedom Foods Chain, owned and operated by Trevor Morris. Operations Manager Mark Dawe has been instrumental in making this partnership a success and we would like to extend a very sincere thank-you to McDonalds Freedom Foods Chain for all of their support.

McDonald's, Freedom Foods Mount Pearl & Paradise



Our Service Area



Questions? Feel free to contact us! (709) 364-4600 visionsemployment@nf.aibn.com

VISIONS' VOICE

Congratulations Danny Russell on 20 years of Employment!

by Yvonne Fowler, Career Development Specialist

Visions Employment would like to congratulate Danny Russell on achieving his 20th year anniversary with Coleman's, Mount Pearl. Danny currently works part-time as a Stock Clerk.

Yvonne: How long have you worked at your current job? **Danny:** I just celebrated 20 years with Coleman's.

Yvonne: What is your favorite part about your job? **Danny:** I enjoy working with my colleagues.

Yvonne: How has your life change since you started working? **Danny:** I have a lot more friend's now, my co-workers and customers.

Yvonne: Why is working important to you? **Danny:** It gives me responsibility, and routine to my week. I don't like to miss work.



Danny Russell

Visions Employment Volunteer Board of Directors

Visions Employment Plus Inc. is governed by a Volunteer Board of Directors including professionals from the community, the business sector and parents of individuals with intellectual disabilities.



Norm Mercer Chairperson



Vince Burton Councilor Town of Paradise Vice Chairperson



Steve Pearce, CA Treasurer



Dominic Foley Secretary



Kirk Youden Councilor Town of CBS



Darren Reid Director

Interested in volunteering on our Board of Directors? We are currently looking for new members, as well as a Consumer Client Representative. Contact us, or visit our website to download an Application!

Interested in becoming a Job Coach? Contact us for more information or submit a resumé!



Funded by the Provincial Government of Newfoundland and Labrador through the Department of Advanced Education, Skills & Labour