



Arts & Culture Community Conversation Notes: January 18th, 2023

TRENDS:

- Moroccan community looking for a place to pray - Habitat, JAC and Library rooms were suggested.
- Community Dinners are going well with the highest attendance since they started.
- Habitat for the Arts is putting information up in many more places, such as: Marmot, Fairmont, Décor, Pursuit, the schools etc.
- There is still some confusion between what Habitat for the arts is and what Jasper Art Gallery (JAG) does.
- It's worth keeping Arts and Culture conversation separate.

COMMUNITY UPDATES:

- Volunteers needed for Community Dinner - 4 people who can do the dish pit for the season 4-8PM on Sundays and 4 people in the evening for the season 4-8PM
- Tuesday, March 21st is the International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination. Ideas include: Peer mentors, Social Media, Mayor's declaration/appreciation
- The Museum is still looking for a manager. Herb Robinson currently filling the position on an interim basis.
- Museum acquired the animal display from The Whistler's Inn. It will be displayed soon.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS OR EVENTS:

- Jasper Artist's Guild is looking for Jasper the Bear art.
- Habitat for the Arts will be doing a companion exhibition upstairs.
- Drop-in Tuesday mornings at the library for parents with young kids.
- Tweens Takeover (10-12 range) in the Library Tuesdays after school.
- From the Stacks 2 times a month at the Library (1st and 4th Thursdays)
- Saturday Storytime in different languages at the Library.

ACTION:

- **Lisa:** Contact Gillian at Pursuit for Community Dinner volunteers
- **Lisa** to reach out to Uplift about joining
- **Lisa** to record a video on how to use the Community Calendar.



What do you think?

- ✓ [Municipal public engagement opportunities](#)
- ✓ [Give feedback, contact council or report an issue.](#)
- ✓ [You can also contact council by emailing them.](#)

Promote your program or event:

- ✓ [Check the Community Calendar to find out what's going on in Jasper.](#)
- ✓ [Add your program or event to the calendar.](#)

Share your passion:

- ✓ [Fill out this form](#) and we will contact you to discuss your idea!

All things Community Conversations:

- ✓ [Community Conversations schedule and information](#)
- ✓ Community Conversations most recent notes
- ✓ Application to join Community Conversations
- ✓ Municipal Community Conversations policy

Do you have neighbours or colleagues who are new to Jasper?

- ✓ The [New to Jasper page of the website](#) has helpful information for them.

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