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11th YMCA-YWCA ANNUAL PUBLIC CAREER FAIR

March 21, 2012 (St. John's, NL) - The YMCA-YWCA of Northeast Avalon is pleased to invite you to our 11th Stay In Newfoundland and Labrador Career Fair on Wednesday, March 21st, 2012 from 10:00am – 4:00pm at the Holiday Inn in St. John's, NL.

The Y, in keeping with its commitment to the community, has hosted successful public career fairs twice a year without interruption since 2007! We offer a multi-sector recruitment event to our exhibitors and job seekers.

This approach provides opportunities for the most number of people. From general labour, to trades, to skilled professional positions, job seekers can often find what they are seeking in terms of a career.

"It is an excellent opportunity for companies to promote themselves and meet face to face with potential candidates," says Tonya Belbin, Employment and Liaison Coordinator at the Northeast Avalon YMCA. "For job seekers, it offers a unique opportunity to meet directly with those hiring and present their resume in person as opposed to being another faceless candidate through an e-mail application."

Presentations will also be offered to the public based on relevant career topics such as how to stay motivated during your job search and Newfoundland and Labrador labour market information.

As an alternative to charging exhibitor fees, the Y encourages exhibitors to make a donation to our annual YMCA Strong Kids Campaign, focused on raising much needed financial support for children, youth, and families who are unable to afford the full cost of participation in a Y program or activity.

The YMCA-YWCA has maintained a strong presence in the Northeast Avalon for over 150 years. Our core service areas including health, fitness and recreation, employment and enterprise, and children's services are offered at over 30 locations throughout the region.

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