

FORT ST. JOHN PUBLIC LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

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October 20, 1994

Sue Popesku, President
Community Arts Council of Fort St. John,
Box 6474,
Fort St. John, BC
V1J 4H7

Dear Sue Popesku,

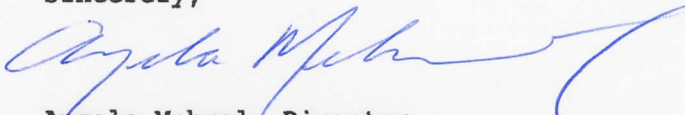
As an honorary member of our local Arts Council, I was very pleased to have the opportunity to help prepare for the Assembly of BC Arts Council's Conference. Your suggestion that we decorate the Library's windows in the Conference colours was a wonderful idea and I hope our display lived up to your expectations.

The Library was very concerned with presenting the right image to the conference delegates. Not only were we representing Fort St. John, we were representing the Cultural Centre and the Arts Council. As a result, I decided to ask for expert help and I secured the services of Tara Salmond. She graciously agreed to paint our windows, despite a very busy school schedule.

Her efforts far surpassed my expectations. She spent over eight hours of her time, creating a whimsical sky theme in yellow and teal. Tara managed to tie in the Library's kites, that are hanging in the children's department, with the colours of the conference. Her work featured a sun, clouds, moon and stars that may still be seen on the Library's windows.

Like other charitable organizations, the Library does not have extra funds for projects. I believe you indicated that the Library would be able to seek compensation for any expenses incurred, as long as it did not exceed \$100. I would like to propose that this money be given to Tara, as an honorarium for her hard work and beautiful art. In turn, the Library will absorb the costs of the materials. By presenting this money to Tara, I believe we have the opportunity to support a budding local artist and demonstrate that art has value in our community. Thank-you.

Sincerely,


Angela Mehmel, Director
Fort St. John Public Library Association

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Jan. 20/95

Community Arts Council of Fort St. John
Box 6474
Fort St. John, British Columbia
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Attention: Sue Popesku

Dear Sue,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you and *The Fort St. John Community Arts Council* for your continued support of community programming in the North Peace.

The *ArtSpace* has been able to provide the community with a growing number of educational and entertaining programs due in part to the support of organizations like the arts council.

The revenue raised through advertising alone allowed the *ArtSpace* to pay for the publishing and distribution of more than 10,000 *ArtSpace* brochures for both the Fall '94 and Winter '95 sessions.

The ability to pay for these two expenses through advertising allows us the luxury of using revenue created through enrolment for teacher's wages and supplies. Because we do not need to dig into enrolment fees to pay for the cost of printing and distributing the brochure, we are able to offer our classes at a reasonable rate affordable to most residents.

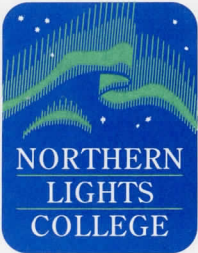
As we enter a new year with new challenges, I hope that we can continue to offer the quality programs currently on the menu and add a few new courses to reach an ever-expanding and diverse community.

Your ad reached more than 8,000 homes through direct mail and another 2,000 residents through distribution by the cultural centre and Welcome Wagon. Your support shows the community that your organization is interested in the welfare and health of our community.

Enclosed you will find the invoice for your Winter '94 *ArtSpace* ad. I hope we are able to continue this business relationship in the future and, once again, I would like to thank you for your continued and generous support.

Sincerely,

Anna Milligan,
Education co-ordinator
ArtSpace (North Peace Cultural Centre)



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A REGISTERED CHARITY
WHICH SUPPORTS THE
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April 24th, 1995

Fort St. John Community Arts Council Scholarships
c/o Ms. Sue Popesku
Acting President
10003-100th Street
Fort St. John, BC
V1J 3Y5

Dear Ms. Popesku:

I am writing to confirm that the Fort St. John Community Arts Council is again prepared to sponsor the *Fort St. John Community Arts Council Creative Writing and Music Awards* as part of the Northern Lights College Fort St. John Campus Awards Ceremony, which takes place on Friday, June 9, 1995 beginning at 1:30 pm.

As you are aware, last year the award amounts were valued at \$150 each. If the Fort St. John Community Arts Council is prepared to again sponsor the awards, a cheque should be made out to the Northern Lights College Society and forwarded to my attention at: Regional Administration, 11401 8th Street, Dawson Creek, B.C. V1G 4G2. If there is anything in connection with the awards and their presentation that you would like to discuss, I would be pleased to do so. I can be contacted directly at 784-7518.

On behalf of the Northern Lights College Society I would like to acknowledge the significant support of the Fort St. John Community Arts Council in our student scholarship and financial aid program. It is appreciated, and I trust suitably acknowledged.

Yours very truly

Paul Dampier
Registrar & Director of Educational Support Services

cc: Jim Kassen, College President

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