

People First

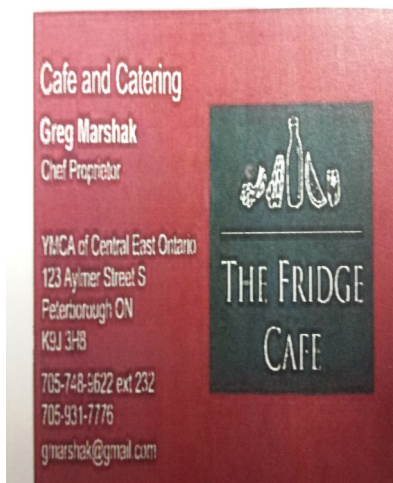
Peterborough Chapter

Our 8th Annual Conference Advocacy Speaks Friday May 27th, 2016



Prices Per Person

Local membership	\$35
General Public	\$50
Groups (10 +)	\$35
Youth groups (i.e. Schools)	\$25



*Registration fees are
non-refundable*



Registration Acceptance
Cut off Date: Friday May 13, 2016

Featuring

Keynote Speakers **Richard Ruston**
PFO President



Stephen Kylie
Local Lawyer

Biography's for Today's Leaders

Keynote and Work-

Richard Ruston Richard started out in People First Windsor. He had involvement with People First Canada and is currently People First Ontario President. Richard believes in and promotes the rights of people with intellectual disabilities to make their own decisions, to choose where they live, to have real work for real pay, to have the opportunity for education, and to have enough money to live a life with dignity. Richard is an accomplished speaker and has presented locally, provincially, nationally, and internationally. Richard has received many awards for his work throughout the years, including the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal for his contributions to the disability community.

Stephen Kylie Stephen was born and raised in the City of Peterborough, in the Province of Ontario, Canada. He completed a Bachelor of Science degree at Trent University, Peterborough, Ontario in 1975 with a joint major in mathematics and economics. He graduated with a Bachelor of Laws degree from the University of Ottawa in 1978 and was called to the Bar by the Law Society of Upper Canada in 1980. Steve has practised law in Peterborough since his call to the Bar. Stephen is also a Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal recipient.

Workshop Leaders

Laura Challice Laura has been with People First Peterborough for approximately 14 years. In her current position she is the Newsletter and Membership Chair. Laura is engaged to fellow advocate Daniel Lombardi and together they have a little boy named Nathan. Laura has also been accepted to college and will be attending Fleming this fall.

Jennifer Edwards: Jennifer has worked for Community Living Peterborough as an Outcomes Facilitator for nearly 8 years. In her current role she assists youth in developing employment skills along with facilitating job readiness workshops. Over the past year Jennifer has been a liaison for the People First Peterborough.

Phil Mechetuk Phil enjoys helping others; he does this through teaching people about their rights and responsibilities, recognizing abuse and healthy relationships and self esteem. He takes part in Skill Building exercises through the Peer Educators. Phil also sits on the local People First Board of Directors. He believes in inclusion and teaches people to be an advocate.

Andrew Jaikaran Andrew grew up having a rough childhood. He grew up in a school environment with bullies. His experience has made him want to teach others to stand up for themselves and be inclusive. He works for Peer Educators, which is a self-advocacy group. Providing knowledge by inspiring others to learn, opening their minds and have all communities become inclusive to individuals with an intellectual disability so no one is perceived as different.

Keynote Speakers for today

Richard Ruston

People First Ontario President and great contributor to the advocacy movement. Richard is an accomplished speaker and has presented locally, provincially, nationally, and internationally.

Stephen Kylie

Local Lawyer is very dedicated to helping others in his community. He is motivated to improve his community as a whole.

Additional Workshops

Advocacy All Around

(Laura Challice, advocate and Jen Edwards, liaison)

In this workshop you will learn advocacy skills, recognizing what needs advocacy in your community. Where advocacy has been, where it is and it's future.

Rights And Responsibilities (Peer Educators)

Rights and Responsibilities Presentation, based on the presentation they give to local advocates. Peer Educators will guide you through some of your rights and the responsibilities that go with them.

First Annual

Susan Cooper Advocacy Award

Looking for Strong advocates in your Community

Do you know someone who has shown *EXCELLENCE* in advocacy; it can be for either for others or themselves!

Has someone you know made a long lasting impact in their community that deserves recognition.

Please nominate an advocate

Contact:

People First Peterborough liaison Jennifer Edwards at
jedwards@communitylivingpeterborough.ca
or (705) 743-2412 ext. 354

Please note: nomination deadline is May 2nd, 2016



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REGISTRATION FORM

CHECK TICKETTYPE:

Registration due: Friday May 13, 2016

- ☐ Adult local member \$35
- ☐ General Public \$50
- ☐ Group (10+) \$35 per person
- ☐ Youth Groups (i.e. Schools) \$25 per person

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Affiliated Association: _____

Special dietary
needs _____

Accessibility needs: Please Specify to ensure we can be of assistance

PAYMENT METHOD:

- ☐ Cheque Enclosed* Make cheques payable to Community Living Peterborough for People First Conference
- ☐ Credit Card Type: ☐ Visa ☐ Master Card Number: _____
- Expiry: _____ Name on Card _____
- (mm/dd) Authorized Signature: _____

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1. Workshop page
2. Registration Form
3. Payment to:
People First Peterborough Chapter
c/o Community Living Peterborough
223 Aylmer St. Peterborough, Ontario K9J 3K3

Cancellation Policy:

If you cancel your registration, please contact us in writing, email or call. Cancellations received by May 10th are refundable, less \$15.00 registration processing fee per person.

Cancellations will not be accepted after May 13th, 2016 and are non-refundable.

For more information contact Jennifer Edwards at 705-743-2412 ext. 534

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Agenda for the Day

9:15 Greetings from People First Board Member

9:30 Keynote Speaker, Richard Ruston

10:30 Snack

Choose One

Richard Ruston ☐

Rights and Responsibilities ☐

LUNCH 11:30 to 12:45

1:00 Keynote Speaker Stephen Kylie

Choose One

Stephen Kylie ☐

Advocacy All Around ☐

3:00 Award Presentation and Wrap Up

Catering Done By:

The Fridge Café

It is located in our local Peterborough YMCA.

They will be providing a choice of wraps or sandwiches in both meat and vegetarian varieties.



Location: Westdale United Church

1509 Sherbrooke Street, Peterborough ON

Directions east 401– (From west of Peterborough)

Take 401 until you hit exit 436, which is HWY 35/115.

Stay on 115 N. until you reach exit 45B which is Ontario HWY 7 W

Continue, turn onto Mount Pleasant Rd. which turns into Sherbrooke

When you cross HWY 28, Continue on Sherbrook St. W

Westdale United Church will be on the right

1509 Sherbrooke Street, Peterborough ON

Directions west 401–(east of Peterborough)

Take Trans Canada hwy 417 , use the right 2 lanes to take exit 145 for Ontario 7W toward Carleton place/Toronto.

Continue onto Trans-Canada Hwy on-7.

Use the left 2 lanes to turn left onto Hwy 115.

Take the Sir Sandford Fleming Dr,/parkway exit.

Continue onto Sir Sandford Fleming Dr.

Turn right on Spillsbury dr. /

Continue onto Kawartha heights Blvd.

Turn right onto Woodglade Blvd..

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