

SHUSWAP SUPPORT TO UKRAINIANS

WEEKLY UPDATE #22

Monday 29 Aug 2022

#	TOPIC	DETAILS
1	CUAET	<p>Here is the data for the Canada-Ukraine Authorisation for Emergency Travel program for the period 17 Mar to 24 Aug 2022:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Applications received: 514,689 (an increase of 18,760 since last week).➤ Applications approved: 204,793 (an increase of 11,241 since last week). <p>Reference: https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/ukraine-measures/key-figures.html</p>
2	GoFundMe status	<p>\$14,313. raised to date. An increase of \$2,989. since last week.</p> <p>https://gofund.me/2bcbd1f9</p>
3	Next arrival	<p>Mykhailo Svyrydovych is arriving in Kelowna on Tues 30 Aug. A welcoming delegation, including Bob Burechailo (housing host) and Carole Landry, will be greeting Mykhailo at the airport.</p>
4	Sat 27 Aug Fundraiser Salmon Arm Legion	<p>The sold out event (120 tickets) was a great evening. It was a big undertaking planned in record time and executed like clockwork. We had the perfect recipe for success: Judy Waller as our devoted Fundraising Coordinator and event organiser, supported by a great team of tireless volunteers selling tickets, soliciting items for the silent auction, conducting the silent auction, taking payments, decorating, collecting tickets, taking pictures. This was coupled with a delicious Ukrainian meal, served in a friendly venue, complemented with most enjoyable live music and a wonderful singing of O Canada.</p>

		<p>As the title of the 6 May Scoop article said “Just bring them & we’ll be ready”. We were indeed ready to welcome our Ukrainian families in style.</p> <p>We are still in the process of compiling the financial outcome of the fundraiser and will announce the results next week.</p>
5	Saturday 1 Oct	<p>The silent auction team did such a great job of collecting items that we only had space to display approximately half of the items. With the anticipation that the remaining three Ukrainian families will have arrived by end Sep, we will be holding a Meet and Greet at the Shuswap Lake Estate Community Centre, with phase two of the silent auction. More information to follow next week.</p> <p>The organising team will be meeting on Wed 31 Aug to start planning the event.</p>
6	Additional Coordinator	<p>A new Coordinator position has been established to focus on the need for translator assistance. Iris Bemister will fill that position.</p>

SUPPORT TEAM COORDINATORS

1	Education	Marie Seibel
2	Employment	J.-L. Desgroseilliers
3	Financial	Corryn Grayston
4	Fundraising	Judy Waller
5	General Support	Ken and Margeret Smith
6	Health	Joyce Lastavec
7	Housing	Carole Landry
8	In-kind Donations	Michael and Marilyn Barbero
9	Orientation	Jean Goodyear
10	Social and Recreation	Gord and Linda Shea
11	Transportation	Gloria Heinzmann
12	Welcoming	Patricia Kwitkoski
13	Translation assistance	Iris Bemister

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