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Call for Community Kitchen Leader

Trout Lake/Cedar Cottage Food Security Network Community Kitchen Leader

Community Kitchen Leader Role

The Trout Lake Cedar Cottage Food Security Network is looking for a Community Kitchen Leader who is an enthusiastic advocate for peer-to-peer learning and cross cultural collaboration. The CK Leader will have their Level 1 Food Safe Certificate, have completed their Vancouver Fresh Choice Kitchen's "Community Kitchen Leadership" training and will be interested in working with a diverse group representing a wide range of economic situations, ethnic backgrounds, abilities and cooking experiences.

This volunteer position requires about 12 hours per month of time. The Network is able to offer a \$30 honorarium per kitchen for a total of \$60.00 per month.

Location and Timeline

The CK will occur twice a month on Wednesdays or Thursdays from 6:00pm-8:30pm, starting in September 2009 and running until the end of March 2010.

Location is to be confirmed but will be in the Commercial / Victoria Drive area, between Broadway and Kingsway.

Responsibilities

The essence of the position is to encourage participation in a fun, convivial and inclusive environment. The leader will facilitate the exchange of cooking techniques and recipes between members of the group while offering insights into menu planning, budgeting and healthy eating for omnivores. An interest in gardening is an asset as the CK will have access to fresh produce from a plot in the Cedar Cottage Community Garden.

- Overall CK coordination including grocery shopping, menu planning with input from participants, opening kitchen and thorough clean-up upon departure
- Oversee budget, track expenditures and collect data for each CK
- Encouraging active participation from all participants including menu planning and cooking
 - Promotion and recruitment
 - Maintain communications and updates to the TLCC Coordinator

Please submit a letter of interest including a description of your relevant experiences to:
TLCCfoodsecurity@gmail.com.

Insert "Community Kitchen Leader for Trout Lake" into the subject line.

THANKS FOR YOUR INTEREST!

Trout Lake Cedar Cottage Food Security Network