



The Rainbows Journey

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The Journey Continues

We are incorporated! Our official name as registered with Alberta registries is, (and take a big breath before you read this!): “Rainbow of Encouragement for Emotional Healing Alberta Society”. To form a charitable society, there are some very specific laws about the name! We will be known as “Rainbow of Encouragement” or simply “Rainbow”. Our Registration as a charitable society at the Charities Directorate in Ottawa happened March 7. We will be able to issue tax receipts by the end of March.

Code of Conduct

Rainbow of Encouragement has adopted the “Ethical Fundraising and Financial Accountability Code” of the Canadian Centre for Philanthropy. You can view this code at <http://www.ccp.ca>. We also are an affiliate member of the Canadian Council of Christian Charities and adhere to their Standards of Organizational Integrity and Accountability. You can view these standards at <http://www.cccc.org>.

Web Page

Our Web page is being developed. Watch for upcoming announcement.

What Has Happened Lately?

Things are continuing to happen and I am so excited that wherever I go, God has been there before me preparing the way.

- First Baptist Church in Calgary began Rainbows January.
- Schools in the towns of Vulcan and Bassano began Rainbows in February.
- A school in Coaldale will begin Rainbows in April.
- We held Rainbows training in Calgary on December 5, January 11, and February 2. More training is planned for March 17 and 22.
- We are in discussions with people with an aim to offer the Rainbows program on two local Indian reservations. This is an extremely big task and we need support at many levels.
- In November, two school divisions phoned us in one day. We are now talking to the Palliser, Wheatland, Rockyview, and Foothills school divisions. The Foothills division, which includes Okotoks, Black Diamond and High River, are planning to do Rainbows training in March.

