



Building Opportunities with Business

Supported Employment Program (SEP) Newsletter

May 2011

BOB has moved. Welcome to our new office!

BOB is now located upstairs at 87 E Pender St. We are very pleased to be sharing the building with Tradeworks, the Job Shop and Working Gear. A big thank-you to the Job Shop staff for being so helpful and welcoming throughout the move and as we settle in! Drop by our new office and check out BOB 2.0!



New Job Postings

Please visit www.bobics.org and look under 'HR Services' to check for new postings.

Intakes for the Cycleback Bicycle Repair program are still on-going.

Events

SHINE Supper—May 16

All SEP clients, past and present, are welcome to join us for dinner at the BOB office from 4-6pm!

Please RSVP to Emily:
778-328-7660 or
emily.smith@bobics.org

Pathways Expo—June 16th

Pathways is challenging employers to put forth 100 jobs and hire 100 inner-city residents! If you are an employer who is committed to positive community development, please get involved!

For more info contact
Chelsea Calder:
604-682-7353 ext. 27 or
ccalder@tradeworks.bc.ca

An Inner-City Move: Keeping it Local!

For our office relocation we used inner-city services from start to finish. Want to know how we did it? Check out all these fantastic businesses, who helped us get the job done while supporting our community.



My Black Sista's Painting Company: Corinthian Clark is the proud proprietress of this inner-city based company. She did a beautiful job of our painting with attention to detail, prompt service, and accurate quoting. **604-724-0827** or **corinthian-clark@yahoo.ca**

AJK Moving: This enthusiastic crew tirelessly toted our desks, filing cabinets and Frogboxes up and down stairs. They were an indispensable part of our relocation. **604-875-9072**

Frogbox: We rented eco-friendly, re-useable, heavy duty, hard plastic stacking boxes for the duration of our move. 1% of all their profits go to saving or restoring frog habitat! **1-877-FROGBOX**

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THE RIGHT WAY TO MOVE

Recycling Alternative: They had no trouble making an extra pickup on short notice for ALL the extra paper we had to recycle. Recycling Alternative actively cultivates an inclusive workplace, employing barriered and non-barriered employees. **604-874-SAVE**



These are all shining examples of the type of socially and environmentally responsible businesses we have in the inner-city. The diversity and quality of services they offer is remarkable. The next time you need to move, you know who to call!



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