

Atausiuqatigiingniq Inuusirmi Stakeholder Summit for Suicide Prevention

Start Date: April 29, 2016 End Date: May 6, 2016

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From May 4-6, 2016, the Atausiuqatigiingniq Inuusirmi (United for Life) Stakeholder Summit for Suicide Prevention will bring together community wellness leaders, Inuit organizations, businesses, treatment organizations, survivors and other stakeholders to share best practices, learn from each other and develop a long-term action plan for suicide prevention.

The Atausiuqatigiingniq Inuusirmi (United for Life) Stakeholder Summit for Suicide Prevention aims to acknowledge and encourage work of individuals, families, communities and organizations in reducing and preventing suicide, and in improving the well-being of all Nunavummiut.

Community members, families and survivors interested in participating can register at http://nspsummit.ca/.

The public is welcome to participate in the following activities:

- Free screening of *Swift Current*, a documentary about former NHL hockey player Sheldon Kennedy and his recovery from childhood sexual abuse, Monday, May 2, at 6 p.m., at the Astro Theatre.
- Free screening of *Tony: Back From the Brink*, a film about Tony Kalluk's journey from crime and incarceration to healing and counselling others, Tuesday, May 3, at 6 p.m., at the Astro Theatre.
- Free Inuusirmi concert featuring Kelly Fraser, Hyper T and Julia Ogina, Wednesday, May 4, at 6 p.m., in the Koojesse Room at the Frobisher Inn.
- Square dance and games, Thursday, May 5, at 6 p.m., at Nakasuk School.
- Iqaumaniq Memory Walk, to remember and honour those lost to suicide, and join others in the call to choose life, Friday, May 6, at 8 p.m., starting from the Frobisher Inn.

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