

The Edge

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Spring Break Cyber Camp

During Spring Break, we held a cyber camp for the kids of Edgewood here at *The Edge*. The first day, Tuesday, we had a Sports Day in the afternoon. This consisted of soccer, kickball, and softball at the school and ball park (Thank you to the IRC for lending us the softball equipment). About a dozen kids came to Sports Day which was the perfect amount to have two teams. The weather was nice and warm too which made the day even more fun. Wednesday we had a Treasure Hunt; Jessica and Solvé set up clues and challenges all around town for the kids to find and complete. At the end, the treasure was buried at the school, where we had a nice picnic of juice and cookies and played a couple of games. Thursday the weather turned for the worse, but we still went out around Edgewood and took pictures of each other and of the town. We then came back to *The Edge* where the kids edited the pictures on the computer and submitted them into a contest. The senior winner was Brady; and the junior winners were Andrew, Dylan, and Kaitlyn. All of the edited photos are on display at The Edge. Unfortunately, we had to cancel our nature hike, rock art, and dream catcher days, but we will reschedule those for another time. All together there were nineteen kids that attended the Spring Break Cyber Camp 2010. Everyone seemed enthusiastic and learned a lot more about fun things to do with the computer. We had a lot of fun together doing this cyber camp and the next one will be just as great.



Brady, Andrew, Dylan, and Kaitlyn's Winning Photos



Abby, Kaitlyn, Jayden, Brady, Dylan, Micki, Raven, Emery, Lyamm, Michelle, Andrew, and Cecily on the monkey bars at the school

Nano Film

Jessica finished filming the kids of Edgewood Elementary School half way through March and sent the video off to the PCNA where it was shown at the 2010 Annual Summit Event in Vancouver. Jessica captured the kids learning to type and editing photos. She also questioned them about the benefits of these skills and what their favourite part of cyber camp was. The two minute film is available to view at *The Edge* if interested. Jessica plans on making a longer video in the future in which the kids will each receive their own copy to remember their time at *The Edge* and at the cyber camp.

2010 Annual Summit Event

From March 19-21st 2010, our Network Coordinator, Jean Bassett, attended the 2010 Annual Summit Event in Vancouver hosted by the PCNA Community Access Program. She collaborated with others from all around the world and participated in workshops targeting small communities coming together.

For information about any of our events or projects, please feel free to call The Edge or drop by. We are interested in discussing ideas of the community. We are open five days a week, Tuesday to Friday from 10-4 and Saturdays 10-2.

Registered charities in Canada perform valuable work in our communities, and Canadians support this work in many ways.

The Edge's Registered Charity #86745 45 RR0001. We welcome regular givers.

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