

To: Members of the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory

Committee

From: Ellen Stewart, Youth Recreationist

Meeting Date: February 24, 2015

Subject: Report APRAC15-012

Cyber Seniors Program Update

Purpose

A report to provide an update on the Cyber Seniors Program, through a presentation by the City's Youth Recreationist.

Recommendation

That the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee approve the recommendation outlined in Report APRAC15-012 dated February 24, 2015, of the Youth Recreationist, as follows:

That the presentation on the Cyber Seniors project by the City's Youth Recreationist be received.

Budget and Financial Implications

There is no budget or financial implication resulting from the approval of the recommendations of report APRAC15-012.

Background

On April 15, 2014, the Arenas Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee (APRAC) received report APRAC14-020 and a presentation from the City's Youth Recreationist on the Cyber Seniors Program, which involves youth teaching seniors how to use the internet.

Representatives of the Youth Council made a presentation to the members of the Peterborough Youth Commission at the May 27, 2014 meeting, recommending that the Cyber Seniors program be piloted at Peterborough Manor. With the Commission's approval to proceed, the Youth Council prepared a detailed presentation of the program for Peterborough Manor staff. Peterborough Manor was supportive of the pilot project, which took place between October 15 and December 17, 2014.

The City's Youth Recreationist, Ellen Stewart will attend the APRAC meeting on February 24, 2015 to provide a presentation on the outcome of the Cyber seniors program.

Submitted by,

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