“DOING OUR BEST”
With Nathan Ory

Registration:
$50 includes mid morning nutrition break, lunch and afternoon coffee break.
Registration form attached

When: Thursday March 25, 2010
8:30 am to 4 pm

Where: Comfort Inn (formerly the Holiday Inn)
3020 Blanshard, Victoria BC
Phone: 250-382-4400

Parking: Plenty of FREE parking is available at the Comfort Inn - outside lot or underground.


For additional information call:
Mary Ann Snowden, Garth Homer Society (250) 475-2270
Karen Van Rheenen, Kardel (250) 382-5959

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Thursday, March 25th, 2010
8:30 am to 4:00 pm
Comfort Inn, Ballroom Theatre
3020 Blanshard Street
VICTORIA, BC

Hosted by the South Island Education Committee
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OVERVIEW OF THE DAY

Over the course of the day Nathan will address the following topics:

a.) How to avoid resistive behaviour and unnecessary power struggles: specific strategies to use when behaviour management doesn’t work.

b.) How to survive emotionally fragile and reactive behaviour: Working with anxiety and other mental health disorders in persons with developmental disability.

c.) Functional dependence: how to assist a person who is capable in some areas but dependent in others.

Presenter: Nathan Ory

Nathan Ory is Registered Psychologist who recently left VIHA’s interdisciplinary Developmental Disability Mental Health team to pursue a full time private consultation and training practice.

He has 37 years of clinical experience working in interdisciplinary settings for children and adults with developmental disabilities and emotional/behavior disorders. He has specialized in supporting individuals with fetal alcohol and autistic spectrum disorder, extremely challenging behavior, and/or diagnosis with a concurrent mental illness.

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PLEASE PRINT

First Name: .............................................. Last Name: ..............................................

Association/Company: ..........................................................

Mailing Address: ..........................................................

Telephone: .............................................. Fax: ..............................................

E-mail: ..........................................................

Conference Cost: $50   (lunch included)

Payment
➢ By mail or drop off
➢ Cheque or cash accepted (sorry no credit card payments)
➢ Cheque payable to the Garth Homer Society

Garth Homer Society
813 Darwin Avenue
Victoria, BC  V8X 2X7
Phone: 475-2270                  Fax: 475-2279

Receipts & Refunds: Receipts for registrations received by mail, e-mail or fax will be made available during registration on March 25th. Sorry no refunds after Friday, March 19th.

Block-Booking Registration: Agencies may block book; however the names of registrants must be forwarded no later than Friday, March 19th. Spaces that do not have a specific name attached will not be held past this date.

Register early as space is limited