

# South Central Immigrant Services

## August 2013 Newsletter

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## Jumpstart

Thanks to Jumpstart funding dreams are coming true! A 14 year old boy who loves baseball was able to play on an official team for the first time in his life. He was so excited to be able to be on a team and his mother would often give updates about the games he was playing. Our last conversation revealed that he was able to go to Provincials and experience that as well for the first time!

Thanks to the Jumpstart program for partnering with SCIS to help make these dreams come true for our clients children!



## Upcoming Events

### MORDEN

- **Women's Group:** Every week Wednesday from 1:30 to 3:30 at the Spray Park in Morden.





# Harvest Festival Parade

The sounds of "Azzuro", "La Bamba", "Hava Navila" and other world famous tunes created a nice atmosphere for more than 50 volunteers who walked in the parade with us this year. Most of them were immigrants who wore their traditional clothing which added a lot of beautiful color to our float. They were proudly waving their flags as the community cheered us on.

Participants from different Asian, European, and Latin American countries were demonstrating how diversity can create something beautiful.

We thank all participants for making this year's float a huge success and we thank the following community sponsors for their generous assistance:

- Hometown Ford
- PJ Trailers Canada Inc
- Herman Olfert
- Ed Rogalsky
- Pathway Community Church
- MP Candice Bergen's office

Submitted by Julie Nikel



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# English at Work - New Classes!

## ***Workplace Speaking Skills***

*Jan. 8-Mar.28, 2013*

- Speaking in the workplace: pronunciation, conversations, presentations, telephone skills, customer service, business culture
- Tues. + Thurs. 6-9 pm; Benchmark 4+

## ***Workplace Writing Skills***

*Jan. 7-Mar.27, 2013*

- Writing workplace documents: notes, memos, forms, email, reports, letters, and resumes; grammar, sentence structure, business culture
- Mon. + Wed. 7-9pm; Benchmark 4+

## ***English for Customer Service***

*Jan. 7-Mar.27, 2013*

- Helping customers / English for retail, hospitality, sales / Speaking skills
- Mon. + Wed.. 7-9 pm; Benchmark 4+

## ***English for Building Construction***

*Jan. 8-Mar.28, 2013*

- On-site English / Business-to-business English / Customer service English
- Tues. + Thurs. 7-9 pm; Benchmark 4+

## ***English for Potential Health Care Aides***

*Jan. 7-Mar.27, 2013*

- Classroom skills for a college HCA course / Basic English for HCA / Finding a HCA job
- Mon.-Thurs., 9am-12pm; Benchmark 4+

*All classes are at Regional Connections in Winkler. Register today at [eaw@regionalconnections.ca](mailto:eaw@regionalconnections.ca) or 204.325.4059.*



  
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