

## McMan Youth, Family and Community Services Association

**Our McMan Youth Initiative Program is seeking:**

### Volunteer Youth Mentors

The McMan Youth Initiative is a new initiative to help support the youth of Drayton Valley & Brazeau County through volunteer mentorship. The program is currently funded through a grant McMan received from Weyerhaeuser's Giving Fund.

Mentoring is a powerful way of leading support to a younger person by teaching skills, listening to their perspectives, and creating a sense of belonging. It can improve academic performance, peer and family relationships and helps youth develop confidence, self-esteem, and social skills.

McMan is looking for Volunteer Mentors aged (18+) who are interested in making a difference in the lives of youth. Spending as little as one hour a week with a young person can make a difference in their life.

#### **Volunteer Activities Can Include:**

- Attending Youth Sporting Events
- Spending time with youth in the community including swimming, community festivals and libraries
- Tutoring and working on homework
- Teaching life skills such a cooking, basic carpentry, and household maintenance
- Outdoor activities that engage the youth and their passions

#### **Requirement of a Volunteer Position:**

- Have the ability to model appropriate mentoring skills
- Standard First Aid – Level C CPR
- Suicide Intervention Training (in house training can be provided)
- De-Escalation Training (in house training can be provided)
- Intervention Record Check
- Criminal Record Check
- Class 5 Drivers License
- Clean Drivers Abstract
- Reliable vehicle for youth transportation



**If you are interested in volunteering, please forward a resume or letter of interest to:**

McMan Central Region      **Email:** [careers@mcmancentral.ca](mailto:careers@mcmancentral.ca)

We thank all that apply, Only short-listed applicants will be contacted for an interview.

*McMan is committed to providing and maintaining a work environment that is safe and healthy for our staff and clients, accordingly we require all new staff & volunteers be fully vaccinated against COVID-19*

***McMan is Committed to the Principles of Employment Equity***