



Update!

Everything you need to know about exciting news, resources and products.

Fall 2016

15 Years of HIGH FIVE® The celebration continues!

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HIGHFIVE.org/15-years



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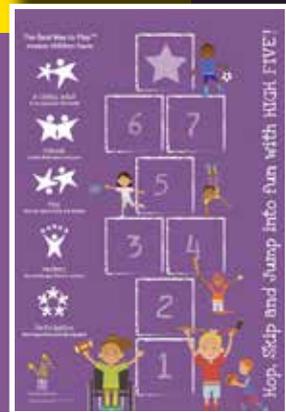
(Offer valid through 2016)



Mini Soccer Ball +
'Lucy Tries Soccer' kid's book



15th Anniversary Stress Star



Hop Scotch Floor Decal
4' x 6'

What's new!

These are some of the ways HIGH FIVE is working ahead of the curve to bring our stakeholders what they need to continue their commitment to children as effectively as possible.

WEBSITE ENHANCEMENTS

In keeping with stakeholder feedback, we have made several improvements to our website home page and user experience.

Visitors can now access key content tailored to meet their unique needs upon entering the site, by selecting from a menu of profiles. Quick links related to training, and new featured updates are also more accessible from the home page.

www.HIGHFIVE.org

TRAINER UPDATE WEBINARS

Occurring on a quarterly basis and archived on the HIGH FIVE Database, these free webinars are an invaluable way for HIGH FIVE Trainers to stay informed, connected and be the best they can be.

Trainers will also gain an opportunity to learn from Master Trainers, who will present on best practices, key learnings and provide mentorship.

HIGH FIVE DATABASE ENHANCEMENTS

2 new in-demand functions have been added to enhance your experience:

- Online printing of training certificates, providing each successful training participant with the ability to print their own certificates at anytime.
- Search a Training Participant allows for any individual/organization to search for a person's HIGH FIVE training record - very useful for organizations to gain immediate confirmation of staff credentials.

Login to your account to access these features.

POLICIES FOR CONSIDERATION

Bringing the most current issues in healthy child development and safety to our stakeholders is important to us. That is why we have created two new policies for your consideration and updated an existing one from our QUEST 1 Guide to Policies and Procedures.

Addressing LGBTQ2 issues, concussion and a vulnerable sector check policy, these updates are crucial to providing a safe, inclusive and optimal environment for providing positive experiences for kids. All HIGH FIVE Organizations can find these new policies within the HIGH FIVE Database.

For more information about HIGH FIVE policies:

www.HIGHFIVE.org/take-action/get-trained/QUEST-1

What's next!

A sneak peek at some of the great projects we're working on. We're always on the lookout for new ways to enhance the programs and initiatives of our valued members in the HIGH FIVE National Network!

NATIONAL CHILD DAY

National Child Day has been celebrated across Canada since 1993, commemorating the United Nations' adoption of two documents centred on children's rights. Join us to celebrate and honour the flagship event in Ottawa. Stay tuned for more information as we get the ball rolling on another year committed to kids!

HIGH FIVE FOR OLDER ADULTS

HIGH FIVE has taken the first significant steps toward providing positive experiences for Canada's aging population! An environmental scan and literature review has been conducted and focus groups across the country are underway. We are looking forward to analyzing the research to inform the creation a quality framework for older adult programs! For more information and updates:

www.HIGHFIVE.org/older-adults



HIGH FIVE DATABASE ENHANCEMENTS

HIGH FIVE is continuing to enhance the value of the Database for stakeholders with a focus on visual dashboards and reports as well as increased security.

Watch our for these enhancements over the next few months!

ACROSS CANADA: SEASONAL CONFERENCE LINE UP

Look for HIGH FIVE at any of these upcoming conferences and events!

1. **Grey Matters Conference: Sept 20-21** www.greymatters2016.com
2. **NWTRPA Conference: Sept 27-29**
www.nwtrpa.org/upcoming_events/150470.htm
3. **Recreation Nova Scotia Conference: Sept 28-29**
www.recreationns.ns.ca/conference
4. **ARPA Conference: Oct 20-22** arpaonline.ca/events/energize-conference
5. **SPRA Conference: Oct 27-29**
www.spra.sk.ca/news-events/conference-and-agm/
6. **PRO Aquatics Conference: Nov 1-4** www.prontario.org/index.php?ci_id=3360



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