



Sample Course Outline: The Community Action Training

Source: The Stop Community Food Centre

A core aspect of the civic engagement work at all Community Food Centres is the Community Action Training. The training topics and schedule vary from site to site, and from training to training. Here is a sample course outline, demonstrating the topics covered at the Community Action Training in 2011 at The Stop Community Food Centre.

Community Action Training Program 2011 Course Outline	
Date	Topic
September 19 th	Food Security & Local Community Resources. Guest Speaker: Nick, The Stop
September 26 th	Diversity/Anti-Oppression Guest Speaker: Courtnay, Davenport Perth Community Centre
October 3 rd	Political Economy & Workers Rights Guest Speaker: Sam Gindin
TUESDAY October 11 th	Social Benefits: Know Your Rights & Anti-Poverty Organizing Guest Speaker: John Clark, Ontario Coalition Against Poverty
October 17 th	Tenants Rights and Housing Movements Guest Speakers: Helle, West Toronto Legal & David Hulchanski, University of Toronto
October 24 th	Violence & Community Safety Guest Speaker: Anna Willats
October 31 st	Public Speaking & Story Telling Guest Speaker: Tina, Maytree Foundation
November 7 th	Mental Health & Harm Reduction Guest Speakers: Ambrose, Coalition Against Psychiatric Assault & Barb Panter, Queen West Community Health Centre