

School District No. 67 (Okanagan Skaha)
PRESENTATIONS AT THE BOARD MEETING



February 8, 2010

WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Tammy Carter, Bradley Shmyr's Intervenor, presented at the Provincial Deafblind Conference in Richmond, B.C., on December 3 and 4, 2009. Her presentation followed Bradley's journey through his work experience program, demonstrating how valuable this program is to both students and employers alike. Ms. Carter and Darlene Knudsen, Special Education Teacher, shared the presentation with the Board. Appreciation was extended to Ms. Carter as well as the participating businesses including Staples, Bradley's current work experience job site.



TAMMY CARTER
Work Experience Program

BC FUN FRIENDS PROGRAM

School District No. 67 was chosen as one of seven throughout the province to be part of the BC FUN FRIENDS pilot program, which was implemented in four grade 1 classrooms this January. Heather Rose, Literacy and School Completion Helping Teacher, coordinates the delivery of all FRIENDS programs in the district in grades 1, 4 and 7, and provided an overview of the BC FUN FRIENDS pilot program along with Tamara Chapman from Ministry of Children and Family Development.



TAMARA CHAPMAN
BC FUN FRIENDS Program
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