



**Annual General Meeting 2024**  
The next AGM will be held on Friday  
May 3rd, 2024 at [Oceanstone  
Resort](#),

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**Training Workshop with  
Q & A Panel**

As part of the 2024 CAPT



Presented by: Nicole Perryman  
RSW, CPT-S, RP

Annual General Meeting &  
Conference weekend the CAPT  
training workshop will be held  
on Saturday May 4th, 2024 at  
[Oceanstone Resort](#)

**6 CEU credits available**

Theme: Resilient Communities:  
Renewal and Rebuilding in the  
Playroom

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Conference page for all  
details**



## Introducing our Training Day Sponsor Kathy Eugster



My name is Kathy Eugster and I am a parent, grandparent, and retired Registered Clinical Counsellor and Certified Play Therapist-Supervisor based in Vancouver, BC. My goal is to make resources on children's play available to a wide range of parents, caregivers, and professionals.

Research evidence demonstrates that children need many positive, face-to-face interactions with their parents or caregivers to foster healthy growth and development and for strengthening the parent-child or caregiver-child relationship.

Explore the resources available on the [Pacific Play Therapy Website](#) with **over 30 Blog articles** covering a wide range of topics. I aim to increase awareness of the importance of parent-child or caregiver-child play, which is different from children's play with other children or children's independent play.

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**Visit the Pacific Spirit Play Resources Website**

# Newly Certified CPT and CPT-S 2024

## CPT

- Natalie Bergman AB
- Lurline Ketler-Raposo BC
- Hannah Kipp ON
- Jodi Phipps MB
- Michelle Smith AB

## CPT-S

- Morgan Bissegger AB
- Christina Tsz Wai Chan AB
- Cheryl Hulburd BC
- Leslie Pearson AB
- Jeanne Williams AB



Join us to have your questions answered directly by the Chair of the certification committee regarding the certification standards and procedures.

The next live Certification Q & A session is being held on:

**Tuesday, May 21st, 2024  
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm EST**

The zoom link is on the [certifications standards page](#)

## Recognizing Retiring Play Therapists and members

CAPT would like to recognize retiring members and Play Therapists at the Annual General Meeting on

**May 3rd, 2024 - 5:30-6:30 AT.**

Awards and Reception to follow

If you are retiring we want to connect with you!

**Please contact [scott@canadianplaytherapy.com](mailto:scott@canadianplaytherapy.com) for more information.**

## Celebrate National Volunteer Week April 14-20, 2024

It is National Volunteer Week, and CAPT wants to express our deepest gratitude to our volunteers whose dedication profoundly impacts our community. This year's theme, "Every Moment Matters," reminds us that every act of volunteerism, no matter how small, contributes significantly to our collective strength and wellbeing. Let's celebrate the remarkable contributions of our volunteers who share their time, skills, and compassion to make a difference every day.

We are proud to say that CAPT is a volunteer-driven association, and we simply could not exist without the commitment and enthusiasm of

our volunteers. Your tireless efforts and dedication are the backbone of our association, making every moment of service truly matter.



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**International Journal of Play Therapy**

**APA PsycAlert<sup>®</sup>: APA Journals in APA PsycArticles<sup>®</sup>**

**New research is available from the following journal:**

**[2024, Volume 33, Issue 1 \(Jan\)](#)**

**Questions about Membership,  
Training or Certification?**

**Contact  
Us**



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