



**CAPT 2024 Annual General Meeting & Training** 

CAPT members gathered this year to celebrate the success and growth of Play Therapy in the East of our great Country. Over the past few years, the Maritimes have endured a lot of challenges and we wanted to explore how these challenges are represented and overcome in the Play Room, what is resiliency and how does it support communities to overcome the many challenges they face. We explored that subject with our Play Therapists in the East in order to learn and grow from their incredible strength and perseverance.

## Our theme was Resilient Communities: Renewal and Rebuilding in the Playroom

#### Nicole Perryman RSW, CPT-S, RP

Presented a workshop where members joined together to discuss how to transform difficult experiences into sources of strength. Through experiential exercises the participants had the opportunity to discover strategies and tools that not only enhance practice but also enrich outcomes for clients.

Members also participated in an informative Q & A session with our panelists:

### Cynthia Manley, Nova Scotia

MA, RCT, CCC, CPT

#### Ricky McIntyre, New Brunswick

CPT Certified EMDR Therapist, MSW

#### Krysteli Needham, Ontario

MA, RSW, CPT, CYC (cert.), RP

Thank you to everyone who attended, our presenter and to our panelists who led us through a valuable training experience. Watch for a more detailed recap of the conference in the Fall issue of Playground Magazine

The Annual General Meeting was well attended where members had an opportunity to hear reports from CAPT officers and Committees about 2023, and to recognize award winners. (See below)

#### **CAPT Mission, Vision and Value Statement**

#### **Vision**

• Connecting children, youth, adults, families, and communities with play therapy education and certification.

#### **Mission**

• To strengthen voices, health, and well being with individuals, families, and communities by providing support, connection, education, and certification to assist play therapists in promoting the healing therapeutic powers of play and play therapy.

#### **Values**

- Connections/Outreach/Mentorship
- Growth and Advocacy
- Inclusion and Respect through cultural humility
- Education, Ethics and Professionalism
- Integration, Diversity, Equity, recognizing different worldviews, flexible, responsive













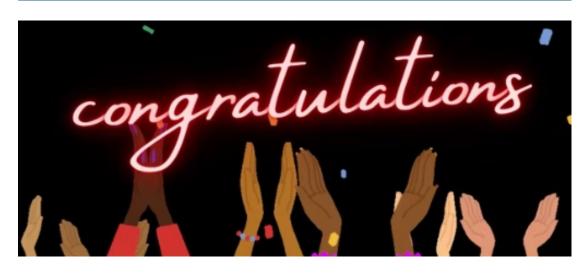
#### **Andrew Perry Presentation**

Strategic Marketing & Communications to support CAPT Strategic Priorities.

<u>View the presentation</u> and see the initiatives currently underway, including the CAPT Member Survey, <u>click here</u>

#### **AGM Slate of Board Directors**

- Kevin St Louis Omemee ON
- Nicole Perryman CPT Ajax ON
- Ineke Guadagnin Belleville ON
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- Justine Elliot Edmonton, AB
- Lindsay Crowe CPT Bradford ON
- Hannah Sunreid CPT-S Cobourg ON
- Ricky McIntyre CPT Saint John NB



#### **Monica Herbart award**

• Christopher Conley CPT-S

#### **Betty Bedard Bidwell Volunteer Award**

Hannah Sun-Reid CPT-S

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Coffee Break Sponsor Nicole Perryman RSW, CPT-S, RP

#### 2023 Annual Report

Watch our upcoming newsletters later this summer for the release of the CAPT 2023 Annual Report

#### **Newly Certified CPT and CPT-S 2024**

**CPT** 

- Natalie Bergman AB
- Darcie Flanders BC

CPT-S

- Sharlene Bradford YK
- Morgan Bissegger AB

- Lurline Ketler-Raposo BC
- Hannah Kipp ON
- Stephanie Ng BC
- Jodi Phipps MB
- Michelle Smith AB

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

## 2024 Canadian Association for Play Therapy (CAPT) Foundation Play Therapy Training Summer 2024

**View Upcoming Schedule** 



~The next live Certification Q & A session is being held on May 21st, 2024 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm EST

The zoom link is on the <u>certifications</u> <u>standards page</u>

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

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