



FCSSAA Conference Notes  
November 13-15, 2024



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As the 2024 FCSSAA conference draws near, we have some important updates, reminders and notes to share.

### ***New Session Added***

A new session, The Big Data approach to Community Wellbeing, has been added to Thursday's agenda. If you are interested in attending the session, please go through your registration and sign up or you may join the session at the conference.

### **The Big Data approach to Community Wellbeing (Thursday, November 14 @ 2:45 – 4 pm)**

Learn how Alberta's RCMP are working to support local efforts in communities using key data to address those individuals who create the most harm. The discussion will highlight the evolution of data, how it is used to focus policing resources and the ways that can contribute to better outcomes for those with the highest needs. *Presented by Menasha Nikhanj, Community Safety and Well-being Branch "K" Division, Alberta RCMP*

### ***Registration & Jubilations Sell Out Quickly – Join the Waitlist***

The conference sold out in record time, and we encourage anyone who wasn't able to register to join the waitlist. [Join the waitlist here.](#)

There is also a waitlist for those who are still interested in joining us at Jubilations, but were not able to secure your tickets, please email [registration@harlowagency.ca](mailto:registration@harlowagency.ca).

### ***Rooms at the Fantasyland Hotel***

If you have confirmed reservations and are unable to use the room(s), please check with other programs in your region, before you cancel. There are many people still in need of rooms who would be more than willing to have your reservation changed to their name.

### ***FCSS Regional Meetings***

Regional meetings will be held on Wednesday, November 13 following the opening keynote speaker. This is the opportunity to meet with FCSS colleagues from your region, discuss the resolutions to be debated at the Annual General Meeting, begin to plan your Spring Regional Meeting, and elect your regional representative to the 2024 FCSSAA Board.

### ***Breakfast with Your MLA***

**Thursday, November 14, 7 - 8:30 am**

Thank you to the FCSS programs who invited their MLAs to breakfast. Several MLAs have said they will attend, and we look forward to welcoming them for conversations on the good work of FCSS programs.

Tables will be marked and grouped by regions. Please sit at one of your regional tables and the MLAs will be seated with programs from their constituencies. This allows the MLAs to mingle with FCSS programs from their areas. We appreciate your assistance in making this work.



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***Voting Delegates for the AGM***

All conference delegates are invited to attend the AGM on Friday November 15 at 10:30 am. [The Annual Report can be accessed here.](#)

Each FCSS program that is a member in good standing of the FCSSAA is entitled to two voting delegates. An AGM voting delegate registration table will be set up near the conference registration table. All voting delegates must register prior to attending the AGM.

Voting will take place electronically. If you are a voting delegate, please ensure you can vote online, either with your own device or with the assistance of a colleague's device.

***Member in Good Standing/Membership Fees***

To be a member in good standing to attend the conference at the member rate and vote at the AGM, your 2025 FCSSAA membership fee must be paid. If you are unsure if your membership is up to date, please contact Judy Macknee at [assistant@fcssaa.org](mailto:assistant@fcssaa.org).

If you have any questions about the conference or the program, please contact Colleen Burton Ochocki at [coordinator@fcssa.org](mailto:coordinator@fcssa.org).

***We look forward to seeing everyone at the 2024 FCSSAA Annual Conference!***

Don't forget to download the Conference app for easy access to your scheduled sessions and other key updates on the Conference! Instructions are in your registration confirmation email.

Remember to tag the FCSSAA and include the Conference hashtags if you're posting from the Conference.

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