

Kayla Parsons-Collins.

While I am a student who attends Menihek High School in grade 10 with successful marks, I also withstand a part-time position working at Mary Browns. My job is an important part of life because this way I can display my communication skills and courtesies to other people. Also, I deliver the weekly newspaper to people on my street to encourage them to keep informed about what is happening in our city. Although my interest is not towards sports, music, or art, I am a family-oriented person who enjoys economics, politics, and being involved in my community and province. As well, I am also enthralled in a wide variety of things such as drama, computers, traveling, sight-seeing, finance and learning new things. Having the curiosity in learning more about my culture, I plan to travel and research more about Newfoundland and Labrador. When I graduate from high school I plan to attend Memorial University in St. Johns doing certain degrees to set me on my way to either become a Chartered/Forensic Accountant, a Pharmacist, or a Lawyer. I am a member of the student council in our school and the Hyron Youth Council, with the aim to get mine and others voice out into the community. I volunteer for many organizations in our community, trying to help out with anything that I can. Overall I am an enthusiastic, confident and determined person on the path to learning more about anything and everything.

Corinna Freake

My name is Corinna Freake and I am a 26 year old female residing in Labrador City. I am currently employed by the Hyron Regional Economic Development Board as an Economic Development Officer, and I am interested in becoming a member of the Provincial Youth Council.

I have been widely involved with the youth of Labrador West for the past 3 years, since moving back home in 2008. I have been a member of Hyron's Youth Development Council (HYDC) for the past 2 years, before obtaining employment with the Hyron Board. I was a 25-30 year old rep for this council and participated in meetings and assisted with organizing events such as youth forums. I currently now am a resource member for this council, as I am employed with Hyron. My main goal within the HYDC is recruiting youth in Labrador West to this youth led council, and continuously aid in the development of youth driven activities, such has youth opportunities and more recently organizing a Youth Video Media Contest.

My previous employment was with the Protected Areas Association of Newfoundland and Labrador. As the Labrador Coordinator for this organization, I conducted many presentations regarding biodiversity and climate change to a wide variety of individuals, including youth in schools and katimavik programs in Labrador West and Happy Valley Goose Bay.

Being a member of FINALY since 2009, I would love the opportunity to represent Labrador on the Provincial Youth Council. I am a dynamic and energetic individual with excellent written and oral communication skills.

Toni Rice

My name is Toni Rice I'm 16 years old I go to Menihek High School in Labrador City. I have my own babysitting business with Youth Ventures. I'm involved with Student Council in my school. When I have free time I like to volunteer when I can.

Shannon Goulding

Hi, my name is Shannon Goulding, and I am very interested in sitting on the board of FINALY. I was born and raised in Labrador City and Wabush. The only times I have left the area is to pursue my interest in a career. I have a three year diploma in public relations from Cambrian College, in Sudbury, Ontario, which gave me the tools to live a lifelong dream of starting my own business. I am a young entrepreneur and have opened up a public relations and marketing firm. One of my business' core values is assisting/educating children and youth. I am actively involved in HYDC and JA, and I am looking for additional programs/organizations that fit my core value. Thank you for your consideration.