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Multicultural Association working with local youth to celebrate Human Rights Day

The Multicultural Association of Wood Buffalo will be hosting their annual Human Rights Day Conversation Café, featuring panel discussions between local panelists and Wood Buffalo youth.

Fort McMurray, AB/November 27, 2023 – This year marks the 75th anniversary since the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR) was adopted. In acknowledgement of this day, the Multicultural Association of Wood Buffalo (MCA) is teaming up with local community members alongside YMM's 20 under 20 youth participants, discussing the theme "Youth Standing for Human Rights".

The community is invited to be a part of this conversation on Sunday, December 10. The event will feature a lunch for all to enjoy, followed by a panel discussion where panelists and youth will discuss and answer questions to this year's theme. The event is set to take place at the Keyano Recital Theatre (8115 Franklin Avenue) from 12 - 3 pm.

Those interested in attending can register for free at <u>bit.ly/MCA-HRD-2023</u>.

Every year, on December 10 since 1948 the United Nations observes Human Rights Day. This day acknowledges the entitled rights to everyone as a human being – regardless of race, colour, religion, sex, language, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, birth, or status. 2023 continues the year-long campaign set by the UN campaign to promote and recognize the 75th anniversary of the UDHR, which falls on December 10, 2023.

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