



Welcome Home

Liam — Domestic

Amara — US

Jaeden — US

Tyson — US

Wyatt—Bulgaria



We would love to feature a photo of your child in our newsletter. Please be sure to send us submissions to include at jenn@kcr.ca.

Spring/Summer Newsletter

May/June 2015

HAITI UP-DATE

We are excited to announce that The Adoption Centre of British Columbia received it's relicensing to continue facilitating adoptions with Haiti! If this is a country you are interested in, please connect with our office to book an appointment to find out more. Spots in the program are limited!

Adoption News

US Program is Open Again!

Our agency has a great relationship with Adoption By Shepherds Care, based in Florida. We successfully facilitate many adoptions each year with their agency. Their program is so popular that for the past few years, they have gone through periods of time where they cannot take on new applicants, which can be disappointing for families who are hoping to apply to their program.

We are excited to announce that Adoption By Shepherds Care (ASC) are open again as of April 15th and will be accepting new Canadian families! We never know how long they will remain open and so if you are considering applying please let us know asap!

ASC will accept approved applicants who are:

- ♦ married;
- ♦ between 25 and 50 years, with neither spouse's age exceeding 52 years old.

The Children available are new born of primarily African— American, Hispanic and bi-racial heritage.

Remember

We work with **US, Ethiopia, South Africa, Haiti, China and Bulgaria.**

Be sure to call us to learn about any of these inter-country programs.

Reminder:

- Stay connected with ACBC by making sure that you “LIKE” us on **FACE-BOOK!** This is where we post information on countries to adopt from, educational opportunities as well as support group opportunities! Join now!!



Remember

where we are:
255 Lawrence
Ave., Kelowna
BC
Monday- Fri-
day; 8:30-4:30
(closed for

Adoption Profiles On Line

Our online profiles are now active and available for viewing through our main website! This is an optional service for Domestic families who are wanting to get their profiles out there via this venue. Anyone looking at our agency website can choose to click on the tab to learn a little bit about these families. If you are in the Domestic program and have not taken advantage of this service but would like to, please send Deanna an email at dnotte@kcr.ca and she will send you instructions and a waiver form to complete.

Remember

Keep in touch and let us know if you will be going away on vacation so we can reach you if needed!



Up-date on Agency Adoption Fees

The Province of BC has recently approved a fee increase that will come into effect as of April 1, 2015. Over the next few weeks we will be working on a communication strategy to inform our families how/if it will impact you. Please stay tuned and watch for this information.



Remember Who's Who.....

Just so that you don't forget who's here to assist you....

Jennifer Wall—Agency Administrator

Marni King—Part time social worker

Deanna Notte—Part time social worker

Vickie Harvey— Part time Program Assistant

Diane Wiseman—part time Program Assistant—AEP book-ings