



## A HOST OF DECEMBER EVENTS AND WINNERS

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On Wednesday December 8th, YES provided information about the **Targeted Initiative for Older Workers** to individuals at the 55 Plus Centre on River Street. Pictured here are Marketing Coordinator Sharon Kovacic, with 55+ Centre Volunteer, Heather. Congratulations to our gift basket winner: Judy.



YES also held a "Career Café at our office on Wednesday December 15th, to provide information about new programs for older and experienced workers. Pictured here from left to right are ES client Sean and her mother: TIOW client Joanne, ES client, Suzanne and TIOW client, James. Clients enjoyed receiving information "Café style" with coffee and holiday treats. Congratulations to the winners of our \$50 Safeway gift certificate giveaways: Christina and Crystal.



The Employment Ontario program **Employment Service**, provides all job seekers with resources and information, job search assistance, job matching and placement services and assistance with job/training and retention. YES has seen a growing number of older and experienced workers coming to YES to access this program. Individuals 55 and older have also been accessing the **Targeted Initiative for Older Workers** program which is a joint federal and provincial initiative funded by Employment Ontario and the government of Canada. For more information about these and other programs delivered by YES, visit [www.yesjobsnow.com](http://www.yesjobsnow.com) or just walk in to our Resource Area!

**Special thanks** to Greg Imhoff at Desjardin Financial Security who donated 14 spots on the Nipigon Legion's roulette wheel to YES Employment Services North Shore Communities. On Friday December 10th a lucky YES NSC client won a turkey from the legion as a result of Greg's generous donation. YES greatly appreciates this community support!

Our **Holiday Hampers** were filled to the brim, thanks to the generosity of YES management and staff. Clients filled out ballots throughout the month of December which resulted in a very large number of client entries in our ballot boxes. The lucky winner of our "Singles" hamper was Nolan. Diana won our "Family" hamper. We hope you enjoyed your holiday goodies!

