

19 April 2013

The Big Event

We were a part of the Big Event: a disability expo that was held in the ASB Showgrounds on the 5th and 6th of April.

There were over 100 stands featuring Innovation, Technology, Employment services for the Disabled, Daily Living and Accessibility. In addition, there were sporting and fun activities, several different performances and a wonderful art space.

There was a great turn out over the two days. I got to have a look around and find out about what services are on offer to the community. There are plenty of things available for people with disabilities. I was very impressed with the art work produced from the stroke art therapy class, and I was blown away with the touch compass dance company. They are an integrated dance company working with dancers with and without disabilities. Their performance was truly inspiring.

It was fantastic to see that things are being made more accessible for people with disabilities. Overall I believe it was a great success. We were able to inform people about what services INRF provide and get our name out into the community so that we can continue helping to rehabilitate and integrate people back into society.. We have already had many enquiries from potential clients. Let's hope we are able to build up our client base.

Stacey O'Gara



Art Class

The iNRF Art Class is due to start in May or June, subject to our application being granted from the Auckland Council for Art Teacher costs

We have a new tutor standing in the wings for those who are starting for the first time, and we have brushes,

iNRF Conductive Education Session Fees

For people who are new to iNRF Conductive Education programme you will know the first 10 sessions are free . After that we would ask you to pay \$10.00 plus GST, a total of \$11.50 per session. In the past iNRF relied on a donation scheme of \$10 00 so the cost has not increased only the GST element has been added.

If you are receiving NZ Super or a benefit from Work and Income you may be entitled to their Disability Allowance Assistance, but you must meet an income test.

Disability Allowance is a weekly payment for people who have regular on-going costs because of a disability, such as visits to our classes, the doctor, hospital and/or medicines, When you're asking about your session fees, ask if you're entitled to travel costs. See John Toole if you want more information or W & I forms. Your doctor will need to sign relevant documents.

Next term starts: Monday, 6th May 2013

Our Mission is to provide the highest quality of rehabilitation through Conductive Education for people with neurological disorders in New Zealand

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Donations can be made to iNRF by cash, cheque, A/Ps, or internet payments to ANZ Bank account No. 011825-0007244-00

The rooms at the Centre are available for hire for many different occasions such as meetings, weddings, parties, etc. at very attractive rates. There's a new fantastic playground for kids of all sizes opposite us.

Please contact Janet or John in Administration for more details

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