

# Summer at Mosaic



## The Sun is here, and Mosaic's Summer program is underway!

The Summer season has brought new and exciting activities to the centre and all of its visitors!

This includes the planting of our garden; made by the community for the community.



Our friends received haircuts thanks to the talented students at Marvell College. We are starting the Summer off right with a fresh cut and trim!



This Summer, Mosaic is holding an art class every Tuesday from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. We have learned how to mix colors, paint, and bead.

## Jules' Story

Jules is a friend of the Mosaic Centre. She often comes into the centre to just sit-down and have coffee while she beads throughout the afternoons.

Jules started beading at a young age and was taught the traditional form of art by her mother and grandmother. Jules grew up on a reserve near Edmonton with her family, where she became pregnant at a young age and had several children.

As a single mother, Jules worked to not only to put her children through school, but also graduated from post-secondary herself with a degree from Nait. Jules worked for a women's healing centre on the reserve where she and her family lived. She acted as a councillor and leader within her community.

While commuting home from Edmonton one day, Jules and her 5 year-old granddaughter were victims of a car accident. Jules sustained minor injuries, and her granddaughter suffered from severe head and face injuries, causing her to lose vision in her one eye.

After the accident, Jules turned to her prescribed pain-killers as a mean of coping with the stress that had come from the accident. This led to many years of addiction and abuse. Jules lost her job, lost her home, and lost her way.

Today, with the help of services provided by Mosaic, Jules has been able to get herself housed and off the streets. Though she still struggles with some addictions, Jules is beginning to heal and find her way back to who she was, and ultimately who she would like to be.

Jules is on a happy and healthy road, and enjoys teaching her now 11 year-old granddaughter how to bead.



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