Making Sense of Young Children

A presentation with family therapists Colleen Drobot and Patti Drobot Based on the approach of Dr. Gordon Neufeld



In Making Sense of Young Children Patti and Colleen will explore:

- the developmental characteristics of young children
- how to cultivate a deep attachment and deal with separation anxiety
- why young children are impulsive or often resist our direction
- why young children can be aggressive
- how we can help our children to adapt to what they cannot change thereby cultivating resilience

Date: Thursday, November 20, 2014 Time: 7 to 9:30 pm Location: West Point Grey United Church, 4595 W. 8 Ave., Vancouver, BC Cost: \$45 per person (includes GST) To register: http://msoyc2014.eventbrite.ca

Based on the groundbreaking work of clinical and developmental psychologist, Dr. Gordon Neufeld, Colleen and Patti Drobot will provide insight into the inner world of young children (ages 18 months to 7 years), will help make sense of their separation anxiety, aggression, resistance, oppositional behaviour and more. Making sense of this confusing, yet wondrous time in a child's life, lays the foundation for intuitive and fruitful interaction with them.

Patti and Colleen will not only present Dr. Neufeld's theories and approach but will draw from personal and professional examples and stories to bring the theory to life.

For more information about Colleen and Patti, please visit <u>www.drobotcounselling.com</u>

For more information about Dr. Gordon Neufeld, please visit <u>www.neufeldinstitute.com</u>



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Patti is a registered family therapist and a parent consultant with a private practice in Vancouver and is a Faculty Member of the Neufeld Institute. She has a background in occupational therapy with 20 years experience as both clinician and educator in the areas neurology, psychiatry and community mental health. Patti is a mother of two teenage children.



Colleen Drobot

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Colleen is an educator as well as a registered family therapist and parent consultant with a private practice in West Vancouver. She is a faculty member of the Neufeld Institute, training other professionals in this approach. Colleen is a mother of two children ages 12 and 16.