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Interview with Shauna

Shauna became our Ministry Manager in May 2024. She oversees our annual Bible Camp programs, liaises with partner communities, processes donations, and ensures our Edmonton office is running smoothly. We are absolutely thrilled to have her on staff!



What do you love most about OEW?

I love being able to help others and serve as the hands and feet of Jesus in a tangible way. I am also grateful for the opportunity to build connections with people and children, to be welcomed into their lives and communities, and to witness how we are all part of God's family despite the physical distance between us.



What surprises you most?

Seeing the joy, happiness, and resilience of children living in challenging circumstances. Another thing that really amazes me is the willingness of so many people to give what little they have to support our volunteer teams. From monetary

donations to hosting venues, the communities come together to bless *OEW* and the children in any way they can. The high costs of food, travel, and living in the North have also been a real surprise. Travel alone can range from \$1600-\$8000 per volunteer, depending on which community they are travelling to.

Favourite Bible Camp Memory?

There are so many memories, but one of the best was seeing the kids' excitement to learn about God each day. They asked thoughtful questions about faith, memorized Bible Verses, and eagerly shared their beautifully created crafts with their loved ones. One child excitedly



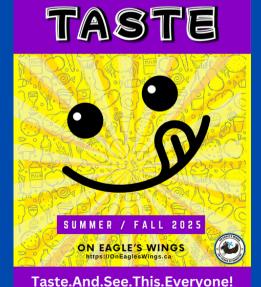
took home their memory verse of the day on a small piece of paper, wanting to keep it close. It was amazing to witness God working in these young hearts and minds.

Tell us about this year's Bible Camps

Get ready for a little **TASTE** of something special! Kids will discover the goodness of God through fun, food-themed lessons and activities. They will learn they are deeply loved by God, understand the importance of loving their neighbours, and much more! The children will **TASTE** and See that the Lord is good in a deliciously memorable way!

- TASTE and See
 David Flees (1 Samuel 23 & 24)
- A Special Party!
 The Wedding Banquet (Luke 14: 15-24)
- Dinner for Two!

 Zacchaeus and Jesus (Luke 19: 1-10)
- Living Water
 The Woman at the Well (John 4: 1-30)
- Water for a Neighbour
 The Good Samaritan (Luke 10: 25- 37)



3 Weeks in Ulukhaktok

This summer we are planning something very special with our friends in **Ulukhaktok**, a small community

in the High Arctic.

We are partnering with the Diocese of the Arctic, Athletes in Action, and the Canadian Bible Society (CBS), to provide 3 weeks of ministry in this distant and isolated community.



Athletes in Action will begin

by hosting a sports camp for children and youth.

On Eagle's Wings will partner with CBS to facilitate Caring for the Wounded Heart, a Trauma Healing Group for adults.

A team from the **Diocese of the Arctic** will spend several weeks performing much-needed repairs on the failing church building that has been disused for some time.

Each week, community events, gospel nights, expeditions and worship services will take place.



An elder shows
how to light a
qulliq (traditional
whale oil lamp
used for light
and heat in
igloos) in
Ulukhaktok.