

## Youth Employment Services YES E-News Monthly



### Success with YES



In 2001, YES client, Eddy Bathalien, came up with the idea to start a one-of-a-kind laundromat in Montreal. After five years of research and planning Bathalien opened **Laundromat Etc.** Located in the Village, this funky laundromat includes a café and gym to pass the time while your clothes soak.



**"YES gave me the help and determination I needed when refining my business plan"**, Bathalien explains.

With plans to open Laundromat Etc. boutiques across the Island, Bathalien is realizing his dream one step at a time.

If you would like your YES success story featured, call 878-9788 ext 313.

*Laundromat Etc. 1294 Ontario East  
514-524-2121*

### Win a YES Prize Pack !

Until September 5th, when you visit YES and donate \$2 you will be entered to win an exclusive YES Prize Pack valued at over \$85! The prize pack includes YES' Entrepreneur and Arts books, a wine cooler, and much more!

### Let YES Promote Your Business for Free!

YES entrepreneurship clients now have access to the YES E-Directory, a FREE marketing tool on the YES website to promote their products/services. .

For more information, please contact (514) 878-9788 x 316.

### This Month at YES

<u>Workshops</u>	<u>Days Offered</u>
Cover Letter and Resume Writing	July 3, 17, 31
Cold Calling	July 4, 18
Negotiation	July 26
Self-Assessment: Part 1	July 5
Self-Assessment: Part 2	July 12
Networking and Marketing Yourself	July 10, 24
Interview Workshops	July 11, 25
Grants and Loans Information	July 12

*For all the details, please visit [www.yesmontreal.ca](http://www.yesmontreal.ca)*

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**Jordan Officer, Susie Arioli and Marissa Minicucci speak at YES' Artists Conference.**

### Artists Unite!

On June 5th, YES kicked off its 6th Self-Employed Artists Conference, hosting over 400 participants.

*"The conference was exceptional. Thank you for the low-cost, variety of speakers, and un-pretentiousness of this event. I really appreciated the opportunity to network with the speakers" -- Event Attendee*

### Mentorship Program

Whether you're looking for a helping hand in career development or starting your own business, the YES Mentorship program can help.

Mentees will be matched with a mentor, who will guide them and pass on their skills, knowledge and wisdom.

For more information, contact: 878-9788 ext 305.