

Chat Notes from May 5, 2020

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From Sara Phalen to Everyone:

<https://www.museumaction.org/massaction-blog>

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From Amanda Wolf to Everyone: 04:48 PM

I listened to a museum wellness talk today and a way the Children's Museum of Pittsburgh has launched a video series that the community gets involved. The one they found very successful is New Ways to Say Hi. <https://youtu.be/ndf2IWe-BHA>

In a way I think this pulls in diversity but in a different and creative way.

From Kimberly Stull to Everyone: 05:00 PM

We may be offer a resource in training on de-escalation as we all get closer to reopening. We have been training our staff in a concept called Wakenheza, which was started in Minnesota. It is a child-abuse prevention program that we have found is helpful in de-escalating adults in public situations. We plan to redevelop this for use with all the new rules around being in public. As we develop this, I would be happy to talk more with you about a way of making this available to staff and volunteers in small museums.