

Summer is well under way and after that comes Autumn -but for the first time since Covid-19 arrived last year, sunnier times are expected to continue. As lockdowns ease, the economy expands and many of us get busier, now it's the time to ensure that we make financial wellness for all Canadians an imperative. In particular, the past 16 months have been a rich learning environment for the financial planning industry. Professional financial planners across the country rose to the occasion to help many Canadians navigate the financial uncertainty associated with the pandemic.



Yet despite the evidence that highlights the benefits of working with a professional financial planner, many Canadians have not yet connected with one. Misconceptions that financial planning is only for the wealthy and costs a lot of money are partly to blame. Many simply lack knowledge on how to find a planner.

In identifying this shortfall, First Capital Financial (FCF) brought on board Garth Broughton in February of this year. Garth is a Certified Financial Planner (CFP) and is already playing an integral role with many clients, in helping them map out their financial journey. The program offered through First Capital is called NEXT, and it is designed to help clients prepare financial for *what comes next*.



Our on-line booking system (Microsoft Booking) allows you to connect and book directly with Garth for a financial planning consultation. Please visit our website at [www.fcfcorp.ca](http://www.fcfcorp.ca) and click **Book Now**. I've known Garth for three decades now and his expertise and commitment to helping clients with their money is why he is a valued partner of the FCF team. Garth looks forward to hearing from you soon!

Be safe, be well!

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