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A Way Through, LLC, Adds Staff to Meet Demand for When Girls Hurt Girls® Programs

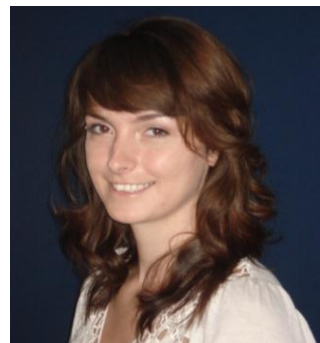
A Way Through, LLC, recently added two part-time employees. The new positions double the number of employees in order to accommodate expansion of When Girls Hurt Girls® and other programs related to preventing relational aggression, a.k.a. emotional bullying.

Janelle Green joined A Way Through as a part-time Workshop Facilitator for bullying prevention programs for girls. Green serves as an Assistant Principal and Assistant Director of Human Resources at West Des Moines Community School District. She became interested in the programs to teach girls effective responses to bullying after attending When Girls Hurt Girls® presentations for parents as well as K-8 counselors in her district. Green currently facilitates the “Bully-Proof” workshops for fifth grade girls developed by A Way Through in collaboration with the Girl Scouts of Greater Iowa.



“I’m excited to facilitate these workshops with girls, which are well-received by the girls and their small group leaders,” said Green. “It is so important to give girls tools they can use when presented with emotional bullying, such as posture, voice, clearing up assumptions and other strategies.”

Eva Roethler has joined A Way Through as Administrative Assistant to provide executive support to co-founders Blair Wagner and Jane Balvanz. Roethler’s responsibilities include researching/coordinating presentations at schools, conferences and corporations, coordinating the ezine and blog for When Girls Hurt Girls® and providing executive support. Previously, Roethler worked in admissions at the National Laser Institute in Phoenix, Arizona. She graduated from Arizona State University in 2009 and now resides in Iowa City.



“I love the award-winning work A Way Through does. It’s nice to see people focusing on empowering girls and teaching them how to stand up for themselves with dignity,” said Roethler. “I’m also really excited to be part of a small business in the process of expanding.”

About A Way Through, LLC

A Way Through, LLC, equips educators and parents to guide girls in grades K-8 through painful friendships. The company developed When Girls Hurt Girls®, an award-winning series of CDs, educational guides and other products, to empower girls to solve their own friendship problems. A Way Through also offers workshops for schools, youth organizations and others to help educators, parents and girls handle the difficult situations girls face with relational aggression. For details, see www.AWayThrough.com.