



**Wednesday, December 05, 2012**

7:00am-7:45am	Pipe Ceremony: Manitoba Room			
8:00am-12:00noon	Registration: Courtyard Room (Dec 4, 5:00pm-8:00pm, Dec 5-6, 8:00am-12:00pm) Booth Display: Mezzanine ABC (Dec 4, 5:00pm-8:00pm, Dec 5-6, 8:00am)			
9:00am-9:45am	<p><b>OPENING REMARKS: Ballroom B</b></p> <p>Morning Song: Barry Ahenakew  Master of Ceremonies: Howard Walker  Opening Prayer: Elder Lorraine Yuzicappi</p> <p>Treaty Six Territory Welcoming Remarks: Tribal Chief Felix Thomas, Saskatoon Tribal Council  Welcome Address: Vice-Chief Bobby Cameron, Federation of Saskatchewan Indian Nations and Dorothy Myo, President, Saskatchewan Indian Cultural Centre</p>			
9:45am-10:15am	<p><b>PLENARY SESSION: Ballroom B</b></p> <p>"Celebrating 40 years"  Dorothy Myo, President, Saskatchewan Indian Cultural Centre</p>			
10:15m-10:30am	Health Break			
10:30am-12:00pm	<p><b>PLENARY SESSION: Ballroom B</b></p> <p>"Community-Based Curriculum Development" (MFNERC)  <u>Ruth Norton &amp; Marcella Fontaine</u>  CFN Consulting</p>			
12:00pm-1:00pm	<p><b>LUNCH: Ballroom B</b>  <b>ENTERTAINMENT: Ballroom B</b></p> <p>2011 &amp; 2012 SICC Book Writing Contest  Brian Waskewitch (Puppet Show)</p>			
Breakout Session Meeting Room	Canadian Room	Ballroom B	Courtyard Room	Manitoba Room
1:15pm-2:15pm	<p>"Using Humour to Heal and Pass On Language"  <u>Brian Waskewitch</u>  Kihew Waciston School  Plains Cree</p>	<p>"Nahkawē Language Revitalization"  <u>Madeline Whitehawk</u>  Kici anisinābēk Native Language Committee  Nahkawē</p>	<p>"Help Us Protect Our Dene Traditions"  <u>Julius Park</u>  Northern Lights School Division  Dene</p>	<p>"Assiniboine Language Revitalization"  <u>Freda O'Watch</u>  Carry The Kettle First Nation  Nakota</p>
2:15pm-2:20pm	Health Break			
2:20 pm -3:20 pm	<p>"The Importance of Language &amp; Ceremony"  <u>Peter Nippi</u>  Kinistin First Nation  Nahkawē</p>	<p>"The Complex Layers of Traditional Song as a Teaching Modality"  <u>Anna-Leah King</u>  University of Alberta  Anishinaabe</p>	<p>"Teaching From a Sacred Balance"  <u>Dorothy Thunder &amp; Susan Sinclair</u>  University of Alberta  Plains Cree</p>	<p>"Saskatchewan First Nations Speaking Circle"  <u>Allan Adam</u>  Nortep, Norpac  Dene</p>
3:20pm-3:25pm	Health Break			
3:25pm-4:25pm	<p>"Understanding our Dakota and Lakota Language and Culture"  <u>Lorraine Yuzicappi</u>  Dakota/ Lakota</p>	<p>"Swampy Cree Language Revitalization"  <u>Wesley McKay</u>  Red Earth First Nation  Swampy Cree</p>	<p>"Create Your World Through The Medicine Wheel &amp; Its Teachings"  <u>Margaret Reynolds</u>  English River First Nation  Dene</p>	<p>"Language Acquisition Happens in the Cradle Board"  <u>Kasey Fulton &amp; Nancy Carswell</u>  Credenda Virtual College &amp; High School</p>
5:00pm-12:00 Midnight	Round Dance at Oskāyak High School – A shuttle will be provided to/from the Saskatoon Inn Hotel & Conference Centre			

Trade Show Open

**Thursday, December 06, 2012**

8:00am	Pipe Ceremony: Manitoba Room				
9:00am-10:45am	<p><b>OPENING REMARKS: Ballroom B</b></p> <p>Morning Song: Barry Ahenakew  Master of Ceremonies: Howard Walker  Opening Prayer: Elder William Ratfoot  Morning Speaker: Miss FSIN Cheyenne Fineday  Eagle Sponsor Address: Dr. Doyle Anderson, President, First Nations University of Canada</p>				
9:45am-10:15am	<p><b>PLENARY SESSION: Ballroom B</b></p> <p><i>"The First Nations Language Instructor Certification Program"</i>  <u>Jack Rayne &amp; Anthony de Padua</u>  Saskatchewan Indian Cultural Centre and First Nations University of Canada</p>				
10:15am-10:30am	Health Break				
10:30am-11:15am	<p><b>KEYNOTE PRESENTATION: Ballroom B</b></p> <p><i>"Rebuilding Our Nations Through Language"</i>  <u>Ellen Gabriel</u>  Mohawk Language Custodians Association</p>				
11:15 am-12:00pm	Elder Panel: Margaret Reynolds (Dene), Lorraine Yuzicappi (Dakota/Lakota) , William Ratfoot (Cree) & Peter Nippi (Nahkawē)				
12:00pm-1:00pm 12:15pm-1:00pm	Trade Show Open	<p><b>LUNCH: Ballroom B</b>  <b>ENTERTAINMENT: Ballroom B</b></p> <p>Great Plains- A First Nations Dance Company &amp; Wild Horse Drum Group</p>			
Breakout Session Meeting Room		Canadian Room	Ballroom B	Courtyard Room	Manitoba Room
1:15pm-2:15pm		<p><i>"Our History &amp; Culture through the Arts"</i>  <u>John Spyglass</u>  Mosquito, Grizzly Bear's Head,  Lean Man First Nation  Nakota</p>	<p><i>"Teaching First Nations Worldview in the Classroom"</i>  <u>Judy Bear</u>  Sweetgrass First Nation  Plains Cree</p>	<p><i>"Elders in the Classroom: Language &amp; Cultural Programming"</i>  <u>Cheryl Thunder &amp; Otto Fietz</u>  Prince Albert Grand Council  Woodlands Cree</p>	<p><i>"Holistic Approaches to Teaching Indigenous Languages"</i>  <u>Minnie McKenzie &amp; Laura Burnouf</u>  Nortep, Norpac  Woodlands Cree</p>
2:15pm-2:30pm		Health Break			
2:30pm-3:30pm	<p><i>"Copyright Laws For First Nations Language Instructors"</i>  <u>Olga McIvor</u>  Manitoba First Nation  Education Resource Centre</p>	<p><i>"Cree Language Learning Principles and Cultural Arts for Language Learning"</i>  <u>Delvin Kanewiyakiho</u>  Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools</p>	<p><i>"Online Cree Resources Dictionary and Atlas"</i>  <u>Arok Wolvengrey &amp; Jean Okemasis</u>  First Nation University of Canada</p>	<p><i>"E-Master Apprentice Pedagogy: A Video-Based Language Mentoring Project"</i>  <u>Ethel Gardiner</u>  Canadian Indigenous Languages and Literacy Development Institute</p>	
3:30pm	<p>Thank You Prayer: Elder William Ratfoot  Closing Remarks: Dorothy Myo, President, Saskatchewan Indian Cultural Centre</p>				