



A CIRCLE OF ALL NATIONS A CULTURE OF PEACE

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New E-newsletter for Circle of All Nations Colleagues! Please Register our New Contact List

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PLEASE UNSUBSCRIBE by MARCH 21 if this is not of interest.

CURRENT NEWS

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INVITATION - JOIN US!! - MARCH 24





**Convocation Address and Hon PhD 2006 University of Ottawa
Doctorate honorific 2011 l'universite du Quebec-Outaouais
and 2017/18**

**Celebrating our Doctoral Thesis on
Ginawaydaganuc
and the
*Circle of All Nations***

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**The Remarkable Environmental Legacy of
Elder William Commanda**

**JOIN US FOR THE CIRCLE OF ALL NATIONS
SPRING EQUINOX EVENT
SATURDAY MARCH 24, 2018**

506 Stratas Court, Kanata, ON K2L 3K7

2 pm Circle of All Nations Conversation - Theme The Many Faces of Education, Learning and Teaching

Please arrive by 2 pm if you want to participate in the talking circle

4.30 pm or later Circle of All Nations Socialization and Supper - Just show up!

You know how GWC likes a celebratory Banquet. Well he has sent Venison!! Via Brenda, who keeps us spruced

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Highlight A Special Anniversary Report

Check out our Circle of All Nations 2017 Year End Report

The text version is posted here.

2017 CIRCLE OF ALL NATIONS Year End Report Text Version

The photo version will be available on www.asinabka.com - Documents Page in a few days

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Photos

Check out photos of our activities of the past year on our Circle of All Nations Facebook Page

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Turtle Lodge Trading Post

Check out this special message via Turtle Lodge Trading Post

[Turtle Lodge Trading Post features CAN Special Message](#)

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Circle of All Nations Teeshirts

First presented in 2018, Circle of All Nations teeshirts are available again, thanks to the persistence of Karen! They arrived in time to honour 20 years of peace building in the National Capital Region, formally initiated by Grandfather William Commanda and the Wolf Project. A special **Lighting Candles for a Culture of Peace workshop at Darcy McGee High School in 1998!! Were you there?** Do you remember this moment, and Grandfather's irreplaceable spirit and energy for racial harmony and peace building continues, and the Wolf Project's thesis is constructed around the CAN logo, as grassroots goes academic!



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Circle of All Nations Products

Have you studied "*Learning from a Kindergarten Dropout*"? Its concepts and ideas are developed in our thesis, which is also structured around our logo. We develop our Canoe Epistemology around the William Commanda canoe documentary, *Good Enough for Two*, which Valerie Pouyanne (Productions) created and contributed to support CAN work. We also discuss Lucie Ouimet's National Board Documentary, *Ojigkwanong: Encounter with an Algonquin Sage, filmed in La Prairie Federal Prison*, (available NFB).

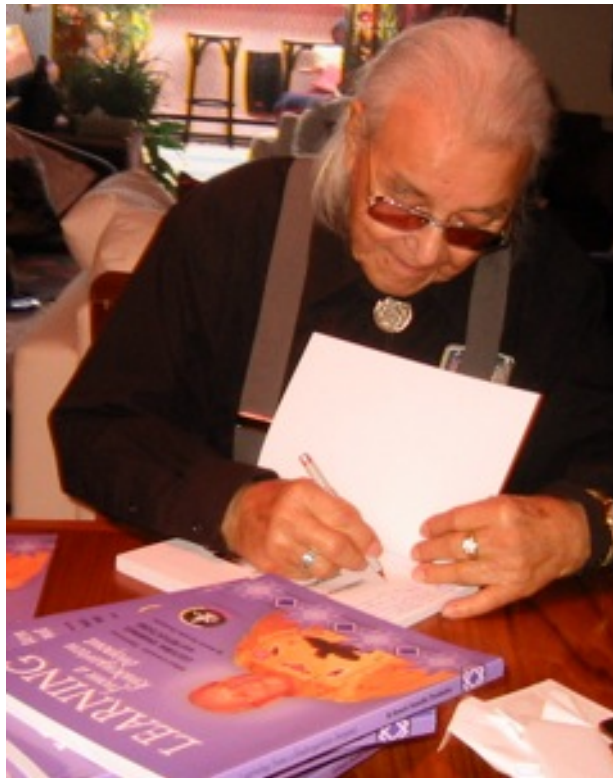
Learning from a Kindergarten Dropout, Good Enough for Two, CAN
Shirts and Magnets are now available!!
Contact circleofallnations@sympatico.ca or
check out www.turtlelodgetradingpost.ca

***CIRCLE OF ALL NATIONS WORK IS ENTIRELY UNFUNDED.
PLEASE HELP SUPPORT OUR ON-GOING WORK and COMMUNICATION.***

***We guarantee you are going to learn things that will enable you
understand contemporary Indigenous issues more profoundly, and
personally.***


***All funds are dedicated to supporting Circle of All Nations work, including
this increasing expensive CC e-letter!***

***We would also love to be in a position to reprint Kindergarten Dropout
Book Two and our Passionate Waters Butterfly Kisses Healing F
Journal soon, in the independent GWC way! - your support will help
that.***




A Teaching Primer

CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK PAGES - and join the discussions!

 A Circle of All Nations

 William Commanda

 William Commanda Legacy Asinabka

 Romola's Nature CAN TEACH Photo/Art Pages

Romola Vasantha Thumbadoo

**Circle of All Nations Legacy Work
of Grandfather William Commanda
11:11:13 - 3:8:11**

**Indigenous Elder, Algonquin of the Ottawa River Watershed, Sacred Wampum Belt Keeper, Canoe Builder,
Recipient of Two Honorary Doctoral Degrees, Officer of the Order of Canada, and *Encore Vivant***

PRIORITIES

**Mother Earth and People
Environmental Stewardship and Peace!**

CAN TEACH

Circle of All Nations

Training

Education

Advocacy

Communications

Healing

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ALL IS RELATED!



THE LEGACY OF ALGONQUIN ELDER
L'HERITAGE DE L'AINE ALGONQUIN
Dr. William Commanda, OC
11.11.1913 - 03.08.2011
"We must come together
with one heart, one mind, one love,
and one determination to create
A Circle of All Nations
A Culture of Peace."
"Nous devons nous unir avec un seul
cœur, une seule âme et une volonté
pour créer un cercle de tous les
nations et une culture de paix."

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**Grandfather William Commanda's
Circle of All Nations**

The Circle of All Nations is a global eco-community unified by Elder Commanda's fundamental and unshakeable conviction that as children of Mother Earth, we belong together and with nature, irrespective of individual colour, creed or culture



Respect for Mother Earth

Promotion of Racial Harmony and Peace Building

Advancement of Social Justice

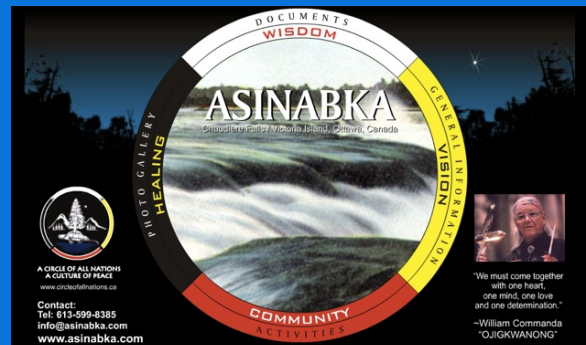
Recognition and Honouring of Indigenous Wisdom

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to create

A Circle of All Nations, A Culture of Peace



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LEGACY VISION SACRED CHAUDIERE SITE

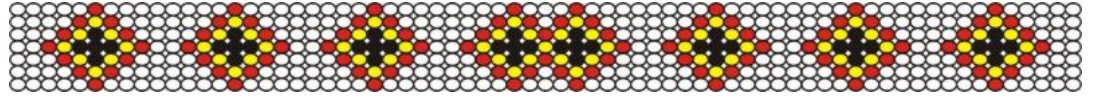
Indigenous Centre - healing, heritage, spiritual and cultural expression

Peace Building - reconciliation, cultural exchange, peace and eco think tank conference centre

Central Eco City Park - sanctuary for individuals and communities; biodiversity; Indigenous plants

Historical Park - showcase for ancient Indigenous and recent collective history

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