



CIRCLE OF ALL NATIONS (CAN)

Legacy Work of Late Algonquin Elder William Commanda, Sacred Wampum Belt Carrier, PhD, Officer of the Order of Canada

March 21, 2020 Circle of All Nations Spring Equinox Workshop PSAC J. K. Wylie Boardroom, 233 Gilmour Street, Ottawa

AGENDA

SYNTROPIC SPIN And RENEWING THE CAN JOURNEY OF FRIENDSHIP

A Smorgasbord Presentation of the Critical Interests of the Circle of All Nations: Mother Earth, Species at Risk, Indigenous Activism, Child and Youth Care, Justice, Racial Harmony and Peace Building

- 10.00 Opening Prayer Circle, Welcome and Acknowledgements of Spring Equinox, and the UN International Day for the Elimination of Racism, A Song for Terre Mere, and Greetings from Guests from Afar
- 11.00 Circle of All Nations Orientation and Child and Youth Care (CYC) Issues and CAN/ Indigenous Approaches for Regenerating a Legacy of Hope for Future Generations (Part 2, following Part 1 Sept 2019 Workshop on CYC Issues) Donald Marshall Junior Cultural Camp Video
- 12.00 Sandra Hernandez/Tito Medina Update on South American News
- 12.20 Andrew Costa Preliminary Legal Analysis of Multiple Disputes on Wet'suwet'en Title
- 12.45 Lunch, Commentary from Presenters at the Sept 2019 Event and Circle Sharing
- 14.00 Lalith Gunaratne Meditation, Mindfulness and Resilience
- 14.15 Circles of Reconciliation, TRC Video Clip Clayton Sandy, William Commanda at the Men's Wellness Conference in Winnipeg, and Introduction of Keith Neuman
- 14.30 Judith Matheson Outaouais Wellness Learning Activities
- 14.45 Luc-Anne Salm "The Miraculous Life of Pimisi" Integrating Art, Storytelling, Algonquin Language and Environmental Stewardship in the Ongoing Prayer for the American Eel
- 15.30 Celebrating Tommy Dewache's 80th Birthday (weather and health permitting), Cake and Closing Circle

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