

May 2023

May marks the one year anniversary of the 215 unmarked graves found at the Kamloops Residential School.



save the date

May 5th: Red Dress Day

1-2:30pm Galt Gardens Event

May 6th: Wellness Convention @ Lethbridge College

May 11th: Moose Hide Campaign

May 12th: Galbraith Spring Market

May 14th: Mother's Day

May 22nd: Victoria Day- No School

May 23rd: Indigenous Grad @ Chinook High School

apistsisskitsaato'si
"a bis dis gitso doe see"

translates to 'blossom month' the months where we begin to see buds and blossoms on bushes and trees. The Niitsitapi in this area would moving out of their wintering grounds and moving towards the hills once they see the buffalo bean and crocus flowers. The blossoming would indicate where the people needed to be at certain times.

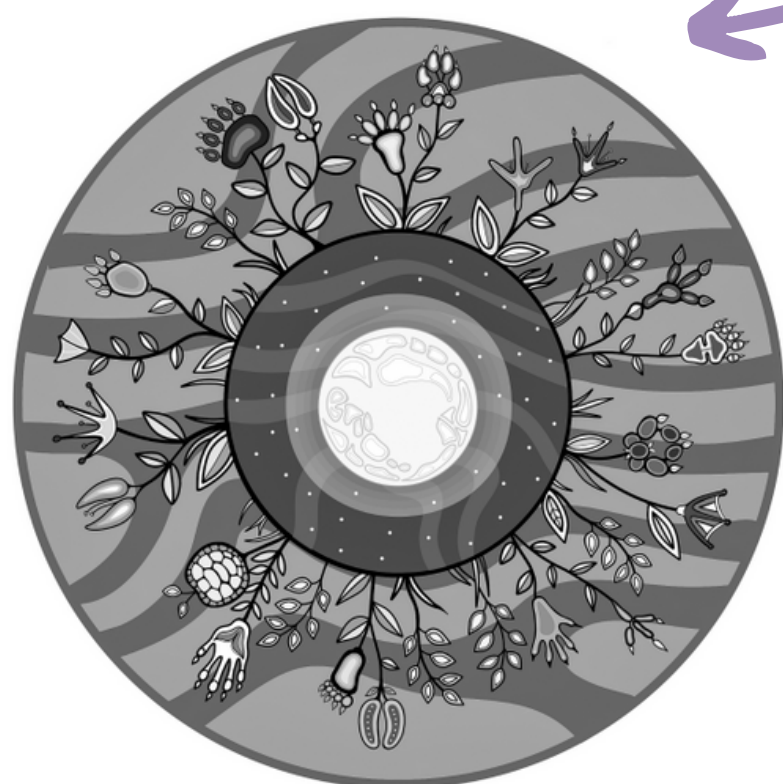
-Annette Bruised Head



red dress day

Red Dress Day is a day that honours the spirits of Indigenous Women and Girls who have been taken too soon and those whose voices are not heard.

Garden of Relatives
Coloring Book



check out this website for some great indigenous themed colouring pages



moose hide campaign

Moose Hide pins have been ordered and are on their way! The Moose Hide Campaign is an Indigenous-led movement to engage ALL members of community in learning about treating people with kindness, dignity, and respect.



Participating in this event has so many benefits! You get to work together to create safe spaces, support reconciliation, promote cultural awareness, and encourage healthy relationships!

Ideas:

- Moose hide square school collage (your school mascot, a moose, a word of support, etc.)
- Check out the k-12 learning platform for recorded and live workshops, video resources, and lesson plans.
- Make the Moose Hide Pledge
- Be creative and share your pictures!

highlights



Indigenous themed Mission Impossible @ Fleetwood

Indigenous Celebration @ Nicholas Sheran



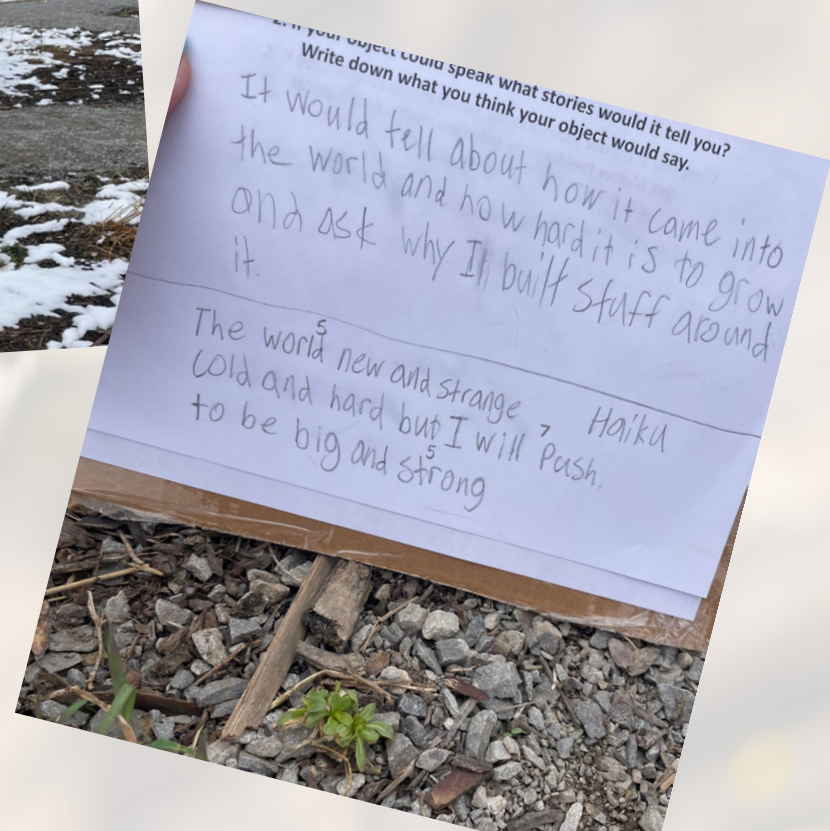
Winter Counts @ Collaborative Communities!



Spotted! Napi Comics @ Fleetwood



Think Outside @ Coalbanks



Spotted! @ Buchanan



Think Outside @ Fleetwood

