

Newsletter



Taanshi Shiikwahki! Hello Spring!

Spring is here at the Winnipeg Métis Association! Lets look back at everything we've accomplished. Read more on pages 2-4. Also see Local Spotlight pages 5-6.

We Have Moved!

Please see page 9 for contact information.

Come visit us soon!

Upcoming Events

Annual Regional Meeting

JUNE 2024 - more info TBA

Victoria Day

CLOSED - Monday, May 20, 2024

Canada Day

CLOSED - Monday, July 1, 2024



Annual General Assembly

OCTOBER 13-15, 2023

Red River Métis citizens far and wide gathered at the Assiniboia Downs for the 2023 AGA.

It was a standing room following President Chartrand's State of the Nation speech. He also celebrated the investments and growth the Red River Métis National Government has achieved.



THANK
YOU
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Métis Cost of Living Supplement Program

OCTOBER 2022-MARCH 2024

An emergency food program for Red River Métis citizens to help with the rising cost of living has ended as of March 31, 2024.

By the end of the program, the Winnipeg Region had almost 2,000 citizens receiving monthly supplements!

A special thank-you to Downtown Family Foods and Cantor's Meats for their partnership and business for the duration of the program.

Find more info here:

<https://mmfwinnipegregion.ca/cost-of-living-supplement>



Tracking and Wilderness Training

NOVEMBER 4, 2023

Winnipeg Region youth gathered at FortWhyte Alive for tracking and wilderness training.

Youth learned how to track animal prints and practiced survival techniques outside!

Tracking games were played and fires were made to cook our tin foil lunches!

Thank you FortWhyte Alive and the Métis Sports and Youth department!

Local Executive Leadership Training

FEBRUARY 11, 2024

Did you know the Winnipeg Region has **18** active Locals? That's 72 Local Executives - not to mention, they are all volunteers!

Thank you to our Local Executives for all the hard work you do!

See page 5 to look at what our locals are doing!



Spring Propagation Workshop

MARCH 24, 2024

Citizens learned different propagation techniques for plants such as flowers and trees.

Everyone had the chance to practice the skills they learned. We sure got our hands dirty!

Thank you to the Energy, Infrastructure and Resource Management's Kevin Wasylenko for instructing the workshop!



Holiday Family Fun Night at Lasertopia

DECEMBER 20, 2023

Winnipeg Region youth celebrated the holiday fun at Lasertopia this past December.

We even had a special visitor from the North Pole with gifts!

Special thanks to Lasertopia and the RYAC team!



Local Spotlight

Kinew Métis Council

Kinew Fiddle and Jigging Program



Seven Oaks Métis Council

Fundraiser - please contact executives@sevenoaksmetiscouncil.com for more information

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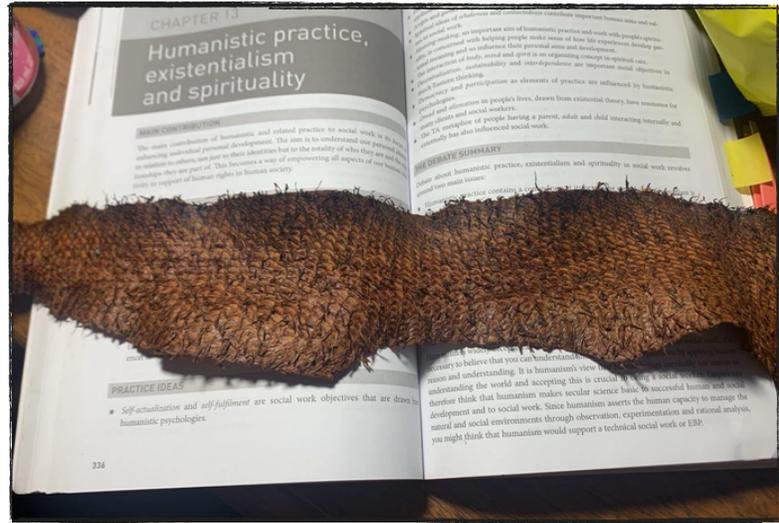
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Local Spotlight

Two-Spirit Michif Local Fish Skin Tanning Workshop



Keenleyside Local Beading Night



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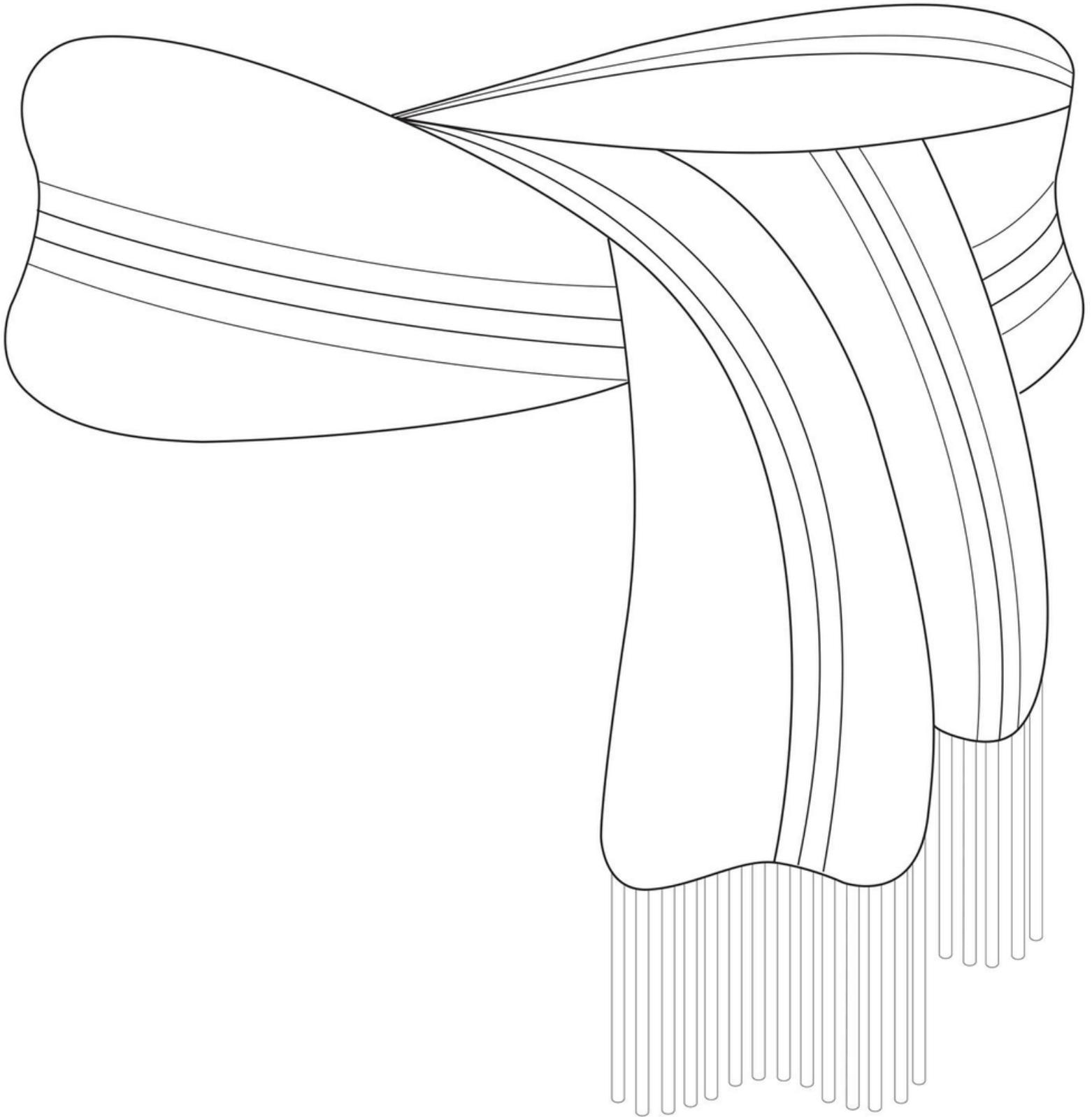


Please bring your finished colouring page (next page) to the new Winnipeg Region office and we will display it!

Design and colour your own sash and on the back, tell us what each colour represents.

All ages welcome to participate.





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