

Secwépemc Winter Gathering

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This is an invitation to all our Secwépemc relatives from across the Secwépemcul'ecw to gather, reconnect with each other and celebrate another gathering.

**Secwépemc Winter Gathering will be at
Moccasin Square Gardens
Tk'emlúps te Secwepemc**

November 30 - December 2, 2018

Full agenda to follow

In addition to the knowledge filled activities, workshops, meetings and ceremonies there will be an Honouring for our Fluent Speakers and an introduction to the Winter Dance.

Are you planning on attending, please RSVP so we can prepare to host you!

To Register or for more information please contact govcoordinator@shuswapnation.org

or telephone 778-471-8200.

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Friday, November 30, 2018

3pm Registration Opens

4pm Opening Ceremonies

- ◆ "Brushing off"
- ◆ Intro to Winter Dance
- ◆ Standing up the People Presentation
 - ◆ Honouring our Fluent Speakers
 - ◆ Lahal
 - ◆ Language Circle

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At this year's Winter Gathering we will be **honoring our Fluent Speakers**

We are requesting that all the Fluent Speakers within the Secwepemc Nation submit your name & contact information.

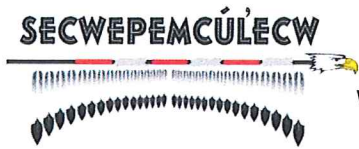
Also please confirm if you will be attending the Winter Gathering November 30th – December 2nd, 2018 in Tk'emlups te Secwepemc.

Please confirm by: Friday, November 23rd, 2018.

Your confirmation of attendance for the gathering is required for the planning of this event.

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Please submit your name & contact information to Maryann Yarama, Governance Director at governancedir@shuswapnation.org or call Shuswap Nation Tribal Council at 778-471-8200.



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AGENDA

"Healing our Spirits"

Friday, November 30

| Time | Event | Location |
|----------------|---|-------------------------|
| 3:00 – 8:00 pm | Registration Open | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 4:00 pm | Opening Ceremonies | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Spiritual Brushing | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Introduction to the Winter Dance | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Standing up the People, Grassroots Level, <i>Esketemc</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 6:00 pm | Dinner | |
| 7:00 pm | Honoring our Fluent Speakers | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 8:00 pm | Lahal | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 8:00 pm | Language Circle | Chief Louis Center |



Saturday, December 1

| Time | Event | Location |
|----------------------|--|-------------------------|
| 8:00 am | Registration | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 8:00 am – 9:30 am | Breakfast | |
| 10:00 am to 12:00 pm | Elders Council Meeting | Chief Louie Center |
| 10:00 am to 12:00 pm | Breakout Sessions | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Holistic Healing – <i>Buckles Camille</i> | |
| | Wellness – <i>Secwepemc Health Caucus</i> | |
| | Fish Spear Making – <i>Ed Jensen</i> | |
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| 12:00 pm | Lunch – <i>Stsmemelt, Alan Cumming</i> | |
| 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm | Breakout Sessions | |
| | Holistic Healing – <i>Buckles Camille</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Wellness – <i>Secwepemc Health Caucus</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Fish Spear Makin – <i>Ed Jensen</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Massages – <i>Peggy McBryan</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 1:00 pm – 2:00 pm | Story Telling – <i>Ivy Chelsea</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm | Secwépemctsin Bingo - <i>Ivy Chelsea</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 4:00 pm – 4:30 pm | Dugout Canoe Carving, <i>Brenda Celeste</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 5:00 pm | “Sneena” Storyteller – <i>Kenthen Thomas</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 6:00 pm | Dinner | |
| 7:00 pm | Pow-wow & Traditional Dancing | Moccasin Square Gardens |



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Sunday, December 2

| Time | Event | Location |
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| 8:00 am- 9:30 am | Breakfast | |
| 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | Tmicw Circle – <i>Sunny Lebourdais & Ed Jensen</i> | Chief Louie Center |
| 10:00 am – 12:00 pm | Breakout Sessions | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Holistic Healing – <i>Buckles Camille</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Wellness – <i>Secwépemc Health Caucus</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Secwépemctsin Bingo – <i>Ivy Chelsea</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch - Morale Patrol, <i>Skeetchestn</i> | |
| 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm | Breakout Sessions | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Holistic Healing – <i>Buckles Camille</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Wellness – <i>Secwépemc Health Caucus</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Massages – <i>Peggy McBryan</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| | Beading - <i>Elizabeth Spike</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm | Leadership Circle | Chief Louis Center |
| 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm | Story of Suckerfish, <i>Kenthen Thomas</i> | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 4:00 pm | Closing Ceremonies | Moccasin Square Gardens |
| 4:30 pm | Dinner | |

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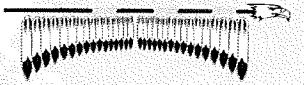
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8am Registration Opens

8:30-10am Breakfast

12pm Lunch

6pm Dinner

- ◆ Elders Council Meeting
- ◆ Holistic Healing w/ Buckles Camille
- ◆ Traditional Healing/ Medicines
- ◆ Fish Spear Making
- ◆ Kenthen Thomas & other Story Tellers
- ◆ Massages
- ◆ Secwépemc Bingo
- ◆ Mini Powwow
- ◆ Traditional Dancing
- ◆ Kwséltkten & - Secwépemc-kt: Secwépemc Citizenship Law— UVIC

Sunday, December 2, 2018

8:30-10am Breakfast

12pm Lunch

5pm Dinner

- ◆ Tmicw Circle
- ◆ Holistic Healing w/ Buckles Camille
- ◆ Traditional Healing/ Medicines
- ◆ Massages
- ◆ Story Telling
- ◆ Beading workshop
- ◆ Leadership Circle
- ◆ Stsmémelt Project

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We have successfully blocked off 30 hotel rooms at a discounted rate for anyone needing accommodations in Kamloops during the Secwepemc Winter Gathering.

The Best Budget Inn
1773 Trans Canada Hwy East
Kamloops, B.C. V2C 3Z6

Please call the hotel directly to book and specify whether you will be needing a ground floor room as the second floor rooms are only accessible by stairs. In addition, there are rooms available with 2 Queen Sized Beds or 1 Queen Sized Bed, and as there are a limited amount of rooms, please specify which type of room you will be needing.

We have secured the following rates:
2 Queen Sized Beds \$64+tax per night
1 Queen Sized bed \$54+tax per night

For any clarification, questions, or additional information please contact:

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