



# First Nations, Métis and Inuit Education Newsletter

Week of March 4, 2019

*This newsletter is a roundup of information and community events outside of the board that supports cultural competency and learning.*

## Events

### History of Colonization

Our History of Colonization workshops provides an interactive educational activity for group settings which engages participants to look more deeply into the history of colonialism within Canada. Examining the policies, laws, everyday interactions, and forms of resistance, the workshop shows the effects and the continued legacy of colonialism for Indigenous people within Canada.

Registration for this free event on March 20 from 6-8pm is through [Eventbrite](#).

### Inuit Awareness Day

Suswaaning Endaajig – Durham College Aboriginal Student Centre, 2000 Simcoe Street North, Oshawa, Ontario

Special guest speakers Tauni Sheldon and Albinson Galiford will speak on Inuit Culture.

March 20, 2019 starting at 10am. Everyone is welcome! Lunch provided.

### Trent University Pow Wow

Trent University Native Association has been hosting the traditional Powwow for over 35 years, which allows students, faculty, and community to come together in celebration of Indigenous culture, nationhood and unity.

Trent University, 1770 West Bank Drive, Peterborough, Ontario K9L 1Z7

Saturday March 23 starting at 12pm – Feast at 5pm. All Welcome.

## Digging up the Medicines: Project Dissemination Workshop

This event will disseminate the findings from the research project titled: “Digging up the Medicines: Urban Métis womxn’s identity and experiences with health services in Toronto, Ontario”. This research project was nested in the Our Health Counts Toronto study, co-led by Seventh Generation Midwives Toronto and the Well Living House at St. Michael’s Hospital. Conversations will be had around Métis womxn’s recommendations to improve access to health and social services for the urban Métis community in Toronto.

FREE EVENT! Space is limited.

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