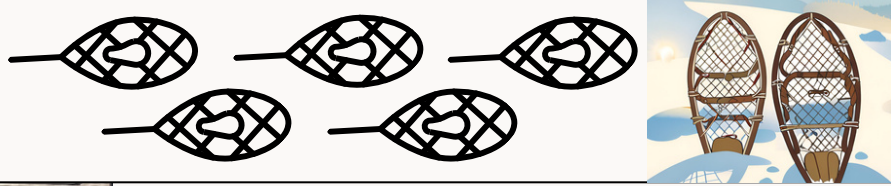


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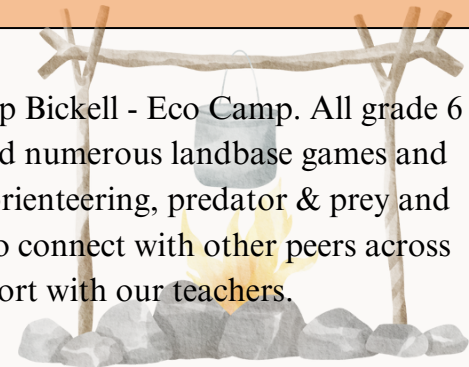


NATIONAL DAY OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION

Students led the TRC Day with a smudge and circle for our high school students. Each grade came to the circle, where we discussed the importance of this day, and to honour students who made it home, and those who didn't. Our office, we had a sacred fire and sent prayers to families and communities.



We completed our third annual Camp Bickell - Eco Camp. All grade 6 students attended where they learned numerous landbase games and activities. Lacrosse, survival skills, orienteering, predator & prey and various others. Students were able to connect with other peers across the board and build rapport with our teachers.



“WE ARE TREATY PEOPLE”

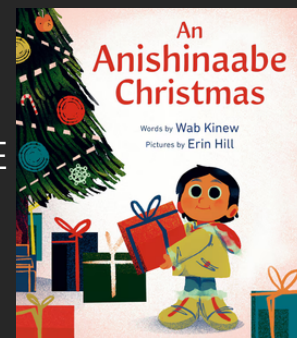
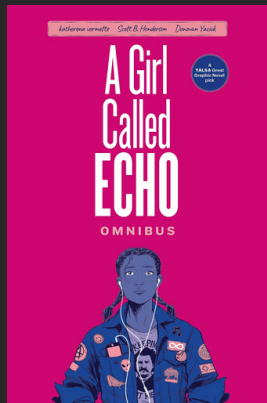
Treaties Recognition Week is the first full week of November every year.

Treaties Recognition Week was introduced in 2016 to honour the importance of treaties and to educate Ontarians about treaty rights and treaty relationships. Reconciliation is about healing and it begins with each of us.



A GIRL CALLED ECHO - EXPLORES LIFE OF A METIS TEENAGER THROUGH ILLUSTRATED STORY TELLING

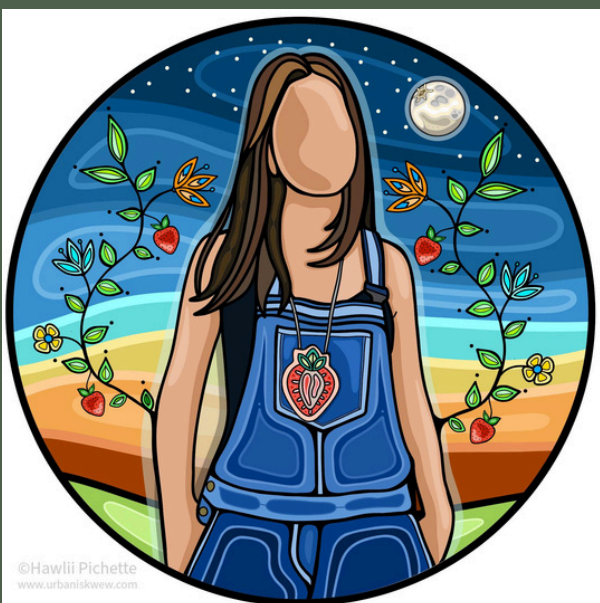
AN ANISHINAABE CHRISTMAS - EXPLORES BOTH CHRISTMAS TRADITIONS AND ANISHINAABE CULTURE



CEDAR TEA BREWING

1. Have your cedar leaves ready
 2. Bring however much water you want to a rapid boil
 3. Put in the cedar leaves for about 5-10 minutes long (You want your water the same colour as the image above (golden brown))
 4. Collect the cedar leaves from the boiling water
 5. Pour into a cup and add honey or maple syrup (optional)
 6. Enjoy your cedar tea
- Use fresh picked Cedar leaves from Cedar trees

Making Cedar Tea



HAWLII PICHETTE

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NCDSB - Indigenous Education Promotional Video



[Indigenous Education Video Link](#)

This video by Casa Di Media captures the type of work we are doing within Indigenous Education at the Northeastern Catholic District School Board. We are always striving to incorporate as much traditional and cultural knowledge within our schools for our students, staff and community. We are a small team, but we are mighty with the connections and rapport building we do within our school communities. We hope you enjoy the video that was created, but take away the enthusiasm and joy we have when we talk about bringing Indigenous cultural to the classroom, it is our goal to make sure all students feel like they belong.

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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from our Indigenous Education Team here at the Northeastern Catholic District School Board. We are wishing you a safe and family filled holiday.

