Learning from the Land/Weji-kino'masulti'kw maqamikek

Restigouche NOVEMBER 2, 2021





Per1: 8:30 – 8:45 Guest: 8:45 – 9:30

Opening Blessing with Mi'kmaq Elder Gordon LaBillois (TBC)

Roberta Clowater and Anika Smithson- CPAWS - The Restigouche & Conservation



The Canadian Parks and Wilderness Society - New Brunswick Chapter believes that government needs to conserve the diversity of natural habitats and wildlife across the Restigouche River watershed to ensure vibrant local communities. CPAWS NB has been meeting with community groups in the Restigouche for nearly two decades, and our talk will explain how we, and our partners, are working towards this conservation goal.

Per 2: 9:40 – 10:45

Guest: 9:45 – 10:30 Jean-Daniel Savard - Restigouche River Water Management Council



Jean-Daniel will invite you to the Restigouche Watershed and encourage you to explore its beauty in-person every chance you get! Join Jean-Daniel for an introduction to the challenges for salmon conservation in this watershed, and the on-going work Jean-Daniel and the RRWMC perform.

Per 3: 11:00 - 12:05

Guest: 11:15 – 12:00 Bernie Daigle NRC – Wabanaki Forest & Dichotomous Key Skills



Bernie will show us how to identify trees of the Acadian (Wabanaki) Forest using a dichotomous key. He will focus on species such as black ash, cedar, white birch, and spruces giving examples and discussing why these species are culturally significant to indigenous people. Keys will be included with registration link.

Lunch 12:05 – 1:05 Guest 12:15 – 1:00

Fundy National Park Salmon Recovery Group



This team of biologists will take introduce you to the lifecycle of the majestic Atlantic Salmon and the work being done to protect this species. Beyond its protection, we'll learn how salmon also connect us to far more than our rivers and streams!



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Per 4: 1:05 – 2:10 Guest 1:15 – 2:00

Kristen Elton (NB Invasive Species Council) & Steve Ginnish (MTI)



The NB Invasive Species Council (NBISC) and Mi'gmawe'l Tplu'taqnn Incorporated (MTI) will join forces to discuss invasive species and highlight the work that is being done by indigenous and non-indigenous communities to protect New Brunswick from a new invader: the Emerald Ash Borer



FEDERATION

Per 5: 2:15 – 3:20

Guest 2:20 – 3:15 Derek Gallant – Wild Wisdom



Derek is an outdoor enthusiast and teacher who dreams of outdoor classrooms at schools across the province. Through the wisdom and education of many indigenous friendships, Derek has learned to appreciate the art and importance of storytelling. Join him will talks and teaches us about salmon through story.

Please e-mail pamela.fowler@nbed.nb.ca to register for preferred sessions, passcode and resources All Day Zoom Link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88034027948?pwd=Q21JRmZHSDVyVHhXV1dqdFR6YUdndz09