

For immediate release: March 19, 2014

## Alberta Aboriginal Arts

presents the

# The Legacy of Living Together

Edmonton's Aboriginal Arts Community welcomes the National Truth and Reconciliation Commission in a "Local meets National" Cultural Tribute

---

With the support of the City of Edmonton and the Edmonton Arts Council, **Alberta Aboriginal Arts** presents **The Legacy of Living Together**, a "local meets national" arts project to bear witness to the **Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada's National Event** in Edmonton **March 27 – April 1, 2014**. Professional Aboriginal artists will be highlighted in a series of presentations complementing the visiting national program. The project welcomes delegates and the general public to experience challenging artistic works that speak from a unique Aboriginal perspective. *(For more information about the TRC Commission, visit [www.trc.ca](http://www.trc.ca))*

**The Legacy of Living Together** includes the following presentations:

**March 27 – 30, 2014 (Open daily)**

**"A Place to Hang Your Stories"** visual art installation featuring an interactive art project and healing garden by Cree Metis artist Dawn Marie Marchand from Cold Lake First Nations.

**City Room, City Hall (1 Sir Winston Churchill Square)**

**March 27 – 30, 2014 (Open daily)**

**Armstrong Photograph Exhibit** featuring 2'x3' mounted photographs by photographer Ken Armstrong of Edmonton, a member of the Sagkeeng First Nation.

**Mezzanine Level, City Room, City Hall (1 Sir Winston Churchill Square) & Second Floor, Stanley Milner Library (7 Sir Winston Churchill Square)**

**March 27, 2014 (5pm)**

**"Bunk 7"** by Larry Guno, residential school survivor: play reading, Elder Song and talk back by Porcupine Stone Productions of Edmonton.

**CKUA Radio Building (9804 Jasper Avenue)**

March 29, 2014 (2pm)

**Dreamspeakers' Walk of Honour Ceremony** with four inductees: Douglas Cardinal, Willie Littlechild, Audrey Poitras and Pearl Calahasen.

Lobby, Winspear Centre (4 Sir Winston Churchill Square)

March 31, 2014 (7:30pm)

**"A Musta Be: Maskihkiy Maskwa Iskwew"** play reading and talk back by Jane Heather and Old Earth Productions of Edmonton.

CKUA Radio Building (9804 Jasper Avenue)

April 1, 2014 (6:30pm)

**Indigenous Writers Readings** featuring Anne Marie Sewell, Naomi McIlwraith, Norma Dunning, Nola Nalugiak, Daniel Poitras, Doris Torangeau, Marilyn Dumont, and Wayne Arthurson.

Also featuring Cris Derksen, musician, and

**"Native Girl Syndrome"** contemporary dance, choreographed by Lara Kramer.

Stanley Milner Library Theatre (Downstairs, 7 Sir Winston Churchill Square)

Admission is free to all events. Registration\* is recommended via TIX on the Square at 780.420.1757 or [www.tixonthesquare.ca](http://www.tixonthesquare.ca) (\*Not required for art installation and photography exhibits.)

-30-

**Media contact:**

Darka Tarnawsky, Bottom Line Productions Inc.

P: 780.988.8914, ext 1 C: 780.490.8277 E: darka@bottomlinepro.com

