

**Kamloops/Thompson Teacher-Librarian
Association**

2018 SUMMER INSTITUTE

Monday, August 27th

Kamloops, BC

**Transformational
Storytelling**

Join us Sunday evening, August 26th for wine tasting and appetizers at the Sandman Signature Hotel.

Monday, explore storytelling strategies, ethnobotany, Secwepemc culture and history at the site of the Kamloops Residential School.

Register with the BCTLA (bctla.ca)

The morning sessions may not be suited to those with mobility issues.

We gratefully acknowledge the financial support of the BCTLA.

Thank you to the Secwepemc community and local Indigenous peoples who have helped us by sharing their cultures and supporting us in our learning.

Sunday, August 26th, Sandman Signature Hotel 5-7PM

225 Lorne St, Kamloops

The Sandman Signature Hotel is conveniently located downtown. Stroll shops on Victoria St., swim in the Thompson River, play tennis or pickleball at Riverside Courts or simply relax by the hotel pool. Between 5PM-7PM join us for wine-tasting and appetizers at the Sandman Signature Hotel, overlooking scenic Riverside Park. Finish the evening by enjoying our city sponsored Music in the Park at the Riverside Bandshell.

Monday, August 27th, Assembly Hall Residential School 8:30-12:25

345 Chief Alex Thomas Way, Kamloops

Welcome Song and Storytelling 9:00

Begin your day immersed in storytelling with local Secwepemc storytellers.

Tours from 10:15-12:25

Pow-wow Grounds and Pit House Tour

After your fruit and bannock snack, take a tour of the Pow-Wow grounds and pit-houses. Learn about the uses of local plants by Secwepemc peoples, the historical significance of pit house villages and how Pow-wows provide a spectacular expression of the Secwepemc people's heritage.

Residential School Assembly Hall and Secwepemc Museum Tour

Join Cultural Educator, Sabrina Thomas, on a tour of the Secwepemc museum and learn about the history of the Kamloops Residential School. View museum exhibits and gain insights into the lifestyles and culture of the Secwepemc people.

Afternoon Sessions, Henry Grube Education Centre 12:45-4:00

245 Kitchener Crescent, Kamloops

Lunch and Displays 12:45

Welcome!

District Principal of Aboriginal Education, Mike Bowden
Library Coordinator, Andrea Wallin

Storytelling Project

School District #73 Teacher-Librarians will share their collaborative Storytelling Project, focusing on Aboriginal stories and using loose parts and realistic scenes to engage learners.

Pine Needle Art

Participate in a Secwepemc pine needle art activity with a local artisan.

Core Competencies and Aboriginal title lists and displays~ all day (HGEC)

School District No. 73 Teacher-Librarian 2018 curated lists and displays of picture books that support the teaching of the BC Curriculum Core Competencies.