

ANNOUNCING:
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 27 FIRST NATIONS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
2014 ABORIGINAL DAY POETRY CONTEST WINNERS

We are very fortunate to have the following experienced teachers judge our contest this year:
June Striegler and Lynne Rodier.

PRIMARY GRADES (K, 1,2,3):

1st Place Winner (\$100.00): Christine Harry, Dog Cr. Elementary/Jr. Secondary School.
Teacher Ria Tromp: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

2nd Place Winner (\$75.00): Aiden Fulton, Cataline Elementary School.
Teacher Mrs. Neufeld: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

3rd Place Winner (\$50.00): Ronald Wilson, Horsefly Elementary/Jr. Secondary School.
Teacher Mrs. Erickson: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

4th Place Winner (\$25.00): There was no 4th place qualifying poem.

INTERMEDIATE GRADES (4,5,6):

1ST Place Winner (\$100.00): Selina Farkas, Horsefly Elementary/Jr. Secondary School.
Teacher Mrs. Farkas: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

2nd Place Winner (\$75.00): Kira Wehlen, Sacred Heart Catholic School.
Teacher A. MacNeil: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

3rd Place Winner (\$50.00): Wrenn Yano, 100 Mile Elementary School.
Teacher Penny Reid: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

4th Place Winner (\$25.00): Alana Witte, 150 Mile Elementary School.
Teacher Mrs. Wintjes: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

SECONDARY GRADES (7-9):

1st Place Winner (\$100.00): Amber Kalelest, Rosie Seymour School.
Teacher Mr. Jelks: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

2nd Place Winner (\$75.00): Dalton Johnny, Lake City Secondary (Columneetza Campus).
Teacher Ms. Brown: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

3rd Place Winner (\$50.00): Quannah Stump, Dog Creek Elementary/Jr. Secondary School.

Teacher Jane Hancock: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

4th Place Winner (\$25.00): Chamath Wijesekera, Lake City Secondary (Columneetza campus).

Teacher Mrs. Grant: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

SECONDARY GRADES (10-12):

1st Place Winner (\$100.00): Kara Pare, Lake City Secondary School (WL Campus).

Teacher Melinda MacKinnon: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

2nd Place Winner (\$75.00): Sam Delacherios, Lake City Secondary School (WL Campus).

Teacher Melinda MacKinnon: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

3rd Place Winner (\$50.00): Andrew Davey, Lake City Secondary School (WL Campus).

Teacher Melinda MacKinnon: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

4th Place Winner (\$25.00): Alex Petrin, Lake City Secondary School (WL Campus).

Teacher Melinda MacKinnon: Receives Aboriginal themed books for classroom.

Thank you to the following teachers and support staff who encouraged their students to participate in our 2014 Aboriginal Day Poetry Contest for School District No. 27:

TEACHER	SCHOOL
Ria Tromp	Dog Creek Elementary/Jr. Secondary
Mrs. Neufeld	Cataline Elementary
Mrs. Erickson	Horsefly Elementary/Jr. Secondary
Mrs. Farkas	Horsefly Elementary/Jr. Secondary
A. MacNeil	Sacred Heart Catholic School
Penny Reid	Proud
Mrs. Wintjes	150 Mile Elementary School
Mr. Jelks	Rosie Seymour School
Ms. Brown	Lake City Secondary School (Columneetza)
Jane Hancock	Dog Creek Elementary/Jr. Secondary
Mrs. Grant	Lake City Secondary (Columneetza)
Melinda MacKinnon	Lake City Secondary (WL Campus)
Wendy Bergen	Lac La Hache Elementary School
Anne Kohut	Anahim Lake Elementary/Jr. Sec. School
Naomi Miller	Naghtaneqed Elementary/Jr. Sec. School
Mrs. Stenerson	Horse Lake Elementary/Jr. Secondary
Mrs. Neufeld	Mountview Elementary School
Ms. Fushthey	Cataline Elementary School
Mrs. Bruce	Marie Sharpe Elementary School
Mrs. Brown	150 Mile Elementary School

Ms. Macdonald	Yunesit'in ?Esgul School
Mrs. Buker	Mile 108 Elementary School
Mrs. Hopson	Horse Lake Elementary School
Ms. Shaw	100 Mile Elementary School
Mr. Dylan Walsh	Nagwuntl'oo School
Kris Coombes	Distance Education for home school
Charlotte Haines	Chilcotin Road Elementary School
Ms. Kalligosfyris	Sacred Heart Catholic School
Lisa Pugh	100 Mile Elementary School
Sharmaine Grimes	Mile 108 Elementary School
Angela Peters-Oddy	Peter Skene Ogden Secondary School

**Jerome Beauchamp,
Director of Instruction, Education Services
School District No. 27**

**David DeRose, District Principal
First Nations Education
School District No. 27**