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# Honouring Our Mothers

## Woman's Conference



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**Friday May 10, 2019**

**Sponsor Proposal**

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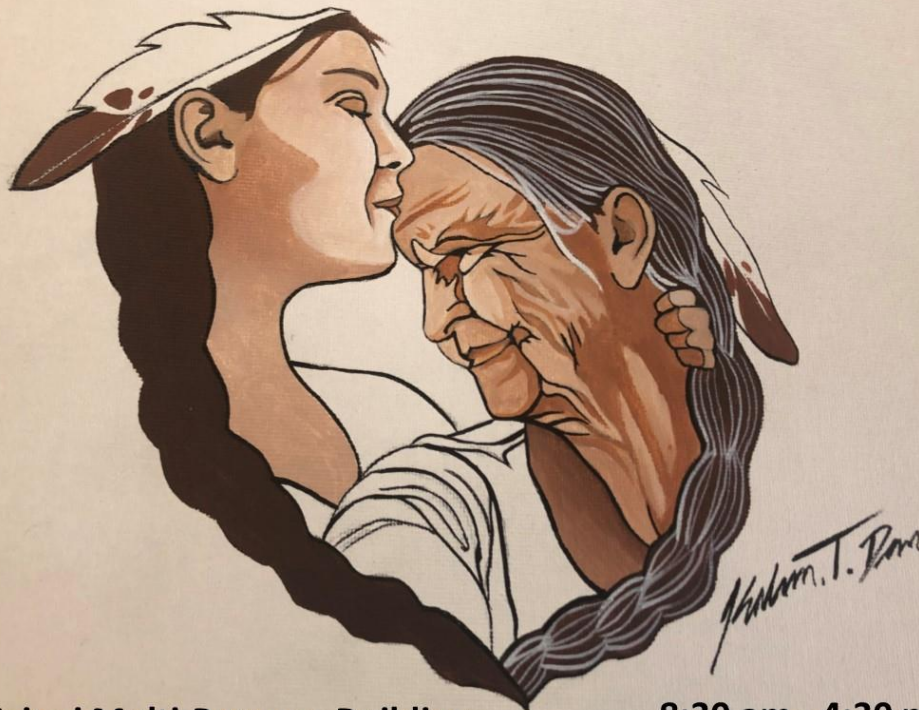
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Woman's Conference  
Friday May 10, 2019



Kainai Multi-Purpose Building  
Standoff, Alberta

8:30 am - 4:30 pm  
Lunch & Door Prizes

**HOSTED BY KAAMIPOISAAMIKSI SOCIETY**

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**Register today !!**

Limited space available

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## *Why is this conference important?*

The Truth and Reconciliation Commission developed 94 “calls to action” for indigenous and non-indigenous Canadians to come together and find solutions that will help repair the harm caused by residential schools and move forward with reconciliation. It takes more than words to start this process. The Kaamipoisaamiiksi Society is hosting this first annual conference to “Honour Our Mothers”.

The “*Honoring Our Mother’s* Conference is an opportunity to bring our Blackfoot woman together to start dialoguing and celebrating our mother’s through storytelling and knowledge sharing. This conference invites all our Blackfoot woman to gather together under one roof to celebrate and honour our Mothers.



As a grassroots initiative we strive to work together with community in an effort to create better outcomes for our Blackfoot communities. We invite everyone from all our communities (Aamsskaapi Piikani, Kainai, Piikani, Siksika)

Keynote speakers will be from our Blackfoot communities. We will have an elders and young woman’s panel discussion along with self-help opportunities.





## *Who is the target audience?*

- Caregivers (foster parents, kinship providers, parents, grandparents etc.)
- Children Services workers
- Educators (Teachers, principals, administration, teacher aides etc.)
- Childcare providers
- Healthcare professionals (Nurses, doctors, dentists, pharmacists etc.)
- Any individual or agency wanting to build capacity around building Indigenous knowledge
- Mothers, grandmothers, great-grandmothers, great-great grandmothers, daughters, nieces and aunties

## *What are the deliverables?*

- Begin sharing the stories from our mothers, grand-mothers about the importance of mothers in our Blackfoot communities, pre-contact.
- Obtain information from knowledge keepers, elders and keynote speakers about our Blackfoot values
- Provide guidance and solutions for building healthy families.
- Learning processes on building relationship
- Learning new Empowerments techniques for self
- Enhance current parenting techniques and family plans
- Understand cultural and historical parenting practices
- Understanding the significance of our Blackfoot woman

**The goal is to help empower Blackfoot woman living on and off reserves.**







## *What you can do to help*

- Provide in-kind contributions (volunteers, marketing efforts)
- Provide monetary contribution to help cover costs of gathering
- Provide 250 gifts for bags
- Hand out posters

## *Benefits to You*

Kamotaan Consulting takes our sponsorship agreement very seriously. Your commitment and support will help foster positive relationships among our Blackfoot communities. Kamotaan Consulting is partnered with Shinah House Foundation a registered Canadian charity, more information can be found at [shinahhouse.org](http://shinahhouse.org)

Acknowledging your support in this conference demonstrates Secret Garden is dedicated to learning, understanding and moving forward with Canada's commitment to further renewed relationships with the indigenous people.



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## Sponsorship Categories

Medicine Wheel Teachings	Spiritual	Emotional	Physical	Mental
	\$ 5,000 +	\$2,000 +	\$ 1000 +	In Kind +

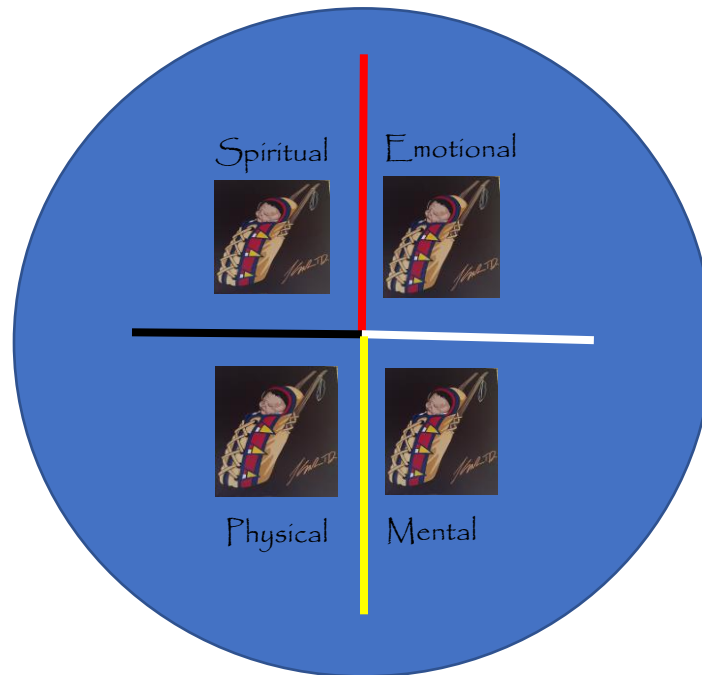
Considerable logo appreciation & recognized as partner of event throughout ic. media coverage				
Logo recognition on promotional material, banners, signs etc.				
Logo recognition on Website				
Acknowledgement at Conference				
Logo in Program				
Conference registration	 4seats	 3seats	 2seats	 1 seat

Kamotaan Consulting would like to thank you for taking time to consider supporting this conference. We would be happy to discuss sponsorship or other concepts further with you. Please don't hesitate to contact Karen or myself. If you require any more information or would like to discuss how we can work together moving forward we would be happy to connect. We also wondered if you would collect donations at your store which a tax receipt can be given would only need donors contact information to arrange. We have a number of community members looking to support and it could be made by the Secret Garden. We believe this would be a way the community can show their support to the women of Blackfoot territory who are in the aftermath of genocide. We are working to be of ONEHEART. Sincerely, Sharon Ryder Unger





## Medicine Wheel Teachings



**Spiritual** - Spirituality is considered a natural component of everything. Anyone willing to sponsor at this level will be recognized as our partners and this will help cover cost of food, conference materials and conference bags for the delegates.

**Emotional** - Encompasses the problem-solving abilities to address immediate family difficulties through understanding each others feelings. This sponsor will help with the cost of our invited speakers and guests.

**Physical** – includes addressing the many barriers Indigenous communities face in the engagement of physical activity. This category goes towards the gifts and door prizes needed for the conference.

**Mental** - Mental health and wellness encompass both the mental and emotional aspects of being - how you think and feel. This goes towards donations, volunteers and in-kind contributions.

