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Tansi, Cousins,

I hope you are all enjoying your summer! We have some exciting programming coming up in the next couple months and I hope you can join us! Additionally, there are ample cultural gatherings and celebrations happening in and around the city as we welcome the heat and reconnect with friends and family.

Talk soon,

- Aurora

COUSINS Presents: Free Outdoor Family Movie Night

The Princess Bride

When: August 14th, 8PM

Where: Outside of Gordon Oakes Red Bear Student Centre

Cash concession on site, bring your own chair and/or blanket to sit on. [Register for a free popcorn voucher!](#)

COUSINS Virtual Meet-Up

When: July 24, 12PM - 1PM

Join us online for a casual circle to network, share your challenges and wins, and set personal goals in a supportive, kinship-based environment.

[Register](#) in advance for this meet-up. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Plant Walk | Mini Medicine Walk & Berry Picking

When: Thursday, August 7, 1PM

COUSINS have been invited to join the Summer Scholars for a medicine walk!

Though I had initially planned to go to River Ridge for berries (and there are a TON!), to ensure more people can attend and to fit into more folk's schedules, we will be doing a mini medicine walk on campus that includes some spots to pick berries. We will have a free lunch at 12PM on Thursday, August 7 at the Indigenous Law Centre, followed by the medicine walk at 1PM. Supervisors, friends, Cousins, and family are welcome to attend either portion!

Marianne Nicolson | T̓əwí'stalis̓əla (To Walk Around the World): Reclaiming the Intangible

When: May 16 - August 15

Where: College Art Galleries

Marianne Nicolson advocates for Indigenous ancestral land rights and to preserve the sacred rituals of her community in Gwa'yí (Kingcome Inlet, British Columbia). This exhibition explores Marianne Nicolson's multi-disciplinary practice, including painting, installation, photography and engagement with museum archives, conceptually employing reverse appropriation to privilege Indigenous perspectives. She asserts, "My hope is that through this process of expression, the ideas remain alive and that others can experience their value. I do this because I believe that Indigenous worldviews can benefit all peoples, in particular, our notions of community connection to one another and to the land."

Library Closure

Murray Library will be closed July 10th - 15th.

Back to Batoche

When: July 17 - 20

Celebrate Métis culture, history, languages and distinction! [Click here for more information.](#)

Whitecap Dakota Nation Competition Pow Wow

When: August 27 & 28

Where: Sasktel Centre

Grand entry at 12PM and 7PM. Free admission!

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