

NASHUA COMMITTEE MEETING/DINNER

Wednesday, November 1, 2023

Nashua School Library

5:30PM

Indian Education for All Committee:

Facilitated by Shannon Knowlton

Plan for the Year

- Goals
 - Access to Materials
 - Guest Presentations/Demos/Discussions
 - Professional Development

Currently in Place:

- **Monthly Emails**- Shannon sends monthly emails to staff. The emails contain IEFA information, ideas, and materials. Videos, DVDs, CDs available to teachers that were donated by Patti Sibley will be distributed to classrooms this month.
- **Montana Historical Society Footlockers** - There are 3 coming to our district this year. The current Locker came from Poplar. It is called, "To Learn a New Way". It will be available to staff starting November 6th through December 1. The second footlocker titled "Montana First People" will be in the district January 8-19, 2024 and the final footlocker on Native Storytelling will be present January 29-February 9, 2024.
- **Presentations** - Teresa Heil - Art Murals - Frazer students have created 3 murals that were on display in Missoula for the month of September. Each mural has also been displayed during the summer months in Great Falls as part of the Urban Art Exhibit. These murals were inspired and created by Frazer students. Ms. Heil has been nominated for Teacher of the Year and has been recognized professionally for her dedication to Art and culture in education. She will bring them to Nashua so they can be displayed in our district and speak to students. She will also connect with Mr. Garcia.
- **The Elder's Decree Audio/Video Lessons** - Grades 9-12 - Lessons are given twice a month during math class. This month's lessons will be on Nov 8th and 22nd.
- **The Great Plains Video Lessons** - Grades 6-8 Traditional Games - There are games in the foot locker. Shannon will talk to Mrs. Edwards about them.
- **Beading** - After school program type classes TBD.
- **Ribbon Skirts** - After school program type classes TBD.
- **Cooking** - After school program type classes TBD.
- **Red Ribbon Run** - Red Ribbon Run was on October 24. Nashua had 14 students participate. They met up with Frazer students and ran East from Frazer toward Wolf Point. Our students carried the hoop. One of our students ran 10 miles. They ran to Wolf Point and handed the hoop to the WP student runners. Our students were fed a lunch of chili and fry bread, won various prizes, received information about drug and alcohol awareness, and were recognized for their efforts to spread the message of Red Ribbon Week.