

OTIPEMISIWAK

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is my honour to welcome you to the Métis Nation of Alberta. Our strength comes from our community which is why we strive to keep our members informed about news, events, and opportunities. As a member, you can stay connected by browsing our website (www.albertametis.com), visiting our Facebook page (bit.ly/AlbertaMetis), or opting in to receive email newsletters by emailing communications@metis.org. Our quarterly magazine, Otipemisiwak, is available on our website and in print. Print copies of the publication can be picked up at our provincial head office in Edmonton as well as at our regional offices located in Lac La Biche, Bonnyville, Calgary, Edmonton, Slave Lake, and Peace River.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Audrey Poitras".

Audrey Poitras
President, Métis Nation of Alberta

News



SYMPOSIUM ON DANIELS DECISION

*Edmonton, AB -
January 26, 27, and
28, 2017*

In efforts of exploring the social and political implications of the Supreme Court of Canada Daniels decision, the Rupertsland Centre for Métis Research in the Faculty of Native Studies (University of Alberta) is hosting the Daniels conference: In and Beyond the Law on January 26, 27, and 28, 2017. The conference agenda includes panel discussions and opportunities for the public to ask experts questions. More information about the event can be found at uab.ca/daniels2017.

LOCAL MÉTIS FEATURES WORK AT GALLERY



Stoney Plain, AB - January 14, 2017 - March 3, 2017

From January 14, 2017 through February, local Métis artist Heather Shillinglaw will be featuring her installation artwork, entitled "Buffalo Corral," at the Stoney Plain Multicultural Heritage Centre. Shillinglaw's unique style blends European Romantic artistic techniques with traditional Métis beading. "Buffalo Corral" juxtaposes two representations of Refinery Row in different time periods, provoking questions of stewardship, ambition, and much more. For more on the event, please visit multicentre.org.

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