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Cadmus Delorme to speak at the library for National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Cadmus Delorme, former Chief of the Cowesses First Nation, will speak about the importance of reconciliation and his hopefulness for the future during a public talk at Central Library.

"Cadmus is an important voice in our community," said Millicent Mabi, Director of Community Engagement and Programming. "We're honoured to offer this opportunity to learn from him about the generational impact of residential schools and actions we all can take towards reconciliation."

The event will commemorate the legacy of residential schools with an opening prayer from Elder May Desnomie and an honour song performed by Lone Creek before Cadmus Delorme shares his presentation. It will close with a healing dance from jingle dancer Kiana Francis.

Participants have the option to attend this event in-person at RPL's Central Library or watch online via livestream on Thursday, September 28 at 12:00 pm. Registration is not required to attend.

The library will also host free screenings of *Spirit Bear: Fishing for Knowledge, Catching Dreams* and *Big Crow* at the RPL Film Theatre from September 28-30. More library events will be held throughout the week to commemorate the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, including a smudge and sharing circle at Central Library and a powwow performance with the Kawacatoose Boys at Sherwood Village on September 30.

Regina Public Library is committed to working together with Indigenous peoples as we take important steps forward on the pathway of collaboration, reconciliation, and change. Find more programs, events and Truth and Reconciliation resources at reginalibrary.ca/reconciliation.

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