

Conference set for this week

A Cross-Cultural Conference will be held in Terrace Bay at the High School on April 11-13, according to a news release.

The Conference objectives are to provide a forum for the various cultural groups in Northwestern Ontario to meet and discuss ways of establishing better intercultural communication and co-operation; to provide an opportunity for the different cultural service groups in the region to share ideas and enlighten others on the problems each faces in context of Multiculturalism; and, to facilitate for the expression of opinions on issues of mutual concern and the presentation of resolutions on the same.

Representatives from Multicultural Associations, Indian Friendship Centres, Anglophone and Francophone Organizations and other service organizations working with cultural groups in the region are being invited to attend. Approximately 50 delegates are expected to take part at the conference, with special guests being invited for some sessions.

The Conference will begin on Friday, April 11. Check in at the Imperial Motel in Terrace Bay is expected on this day. From 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. there will be registration and a welcome reception, at the High School gym. Local community leaders will be invited as special guests, and delegates will have an opportunity to be acquainted informally.

On Saturday, April 12, there will be a late registration at the Terrace Bay High School from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. From 9 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. there will be announcements, introduction of delegates and guests as well as a summary of conference goals and objectives. From 9:45 to 10 a.m. there will be coffee and tea and a break into subgroups. From 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. group work sessions will be held.

The delegates will be subdivided into four main groups, i.e. Anglophones, Francophones, Natives and "all others" where they will have an opportunity to prioritize key issues they regard as problem areas. The groups will take notes and will have a reporter to present their deliberations. The group reports will be presented from 11:30 to 12:30 p.m.

Lunch will be then held at the Terrace Bay High School from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Small group workshops will get under way from 1:30 to 3 p.m. During this time, delegates will be mixed and will now have to discuss the issues presented from the specific cultural groups. They are expected to highlight any problem areas and make recommendations. Each group will have to choose someone to report the deliberations.

At 3 p.m. there will be a fifteen minute coffee/tea break, and following this break, reports from the different groups, and general discussion of the issues raised will commence until 4:30 p.m. From 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. there will be a break or a free time period, and following this break supper will be held at the Terrace Bay High School. Supper will end at 7:30 p.m. and from 7:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. there will be entertainment featuring a variety of Cultural groups from the Region.

On Sunday, April 13 a continental breakfast will be served at the Imperial Motel. A summary of conference proceedings, the passing of resolutions adopted and the follow up strategies will then be held from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. From 11 a.m. until 12 noon, a lunch will be held at the Imperial Motel. Following the lunch, the delegates will depart.

Accommodation will be at the Imperial Motel, just off Highway 17 in Terrace Bay, for Friday and Satur-

day nights. It is advisable to have all names of potential delegates to enable us to reserve adequate rooms. The hosts will pay for accommodation only. All telephone or room service bills will be the responsibility of the occupants.

The hosts of the conference will provide all meals. Continental breakfast will be provided Saturday and Sunday mornings. Lunch and supper will be provided at the High School on Saturday. Allowances will be paid to delegates for the Friday supper and Sunday lunch.

Delegates will be given allowance to cover travel expenses. However, due to the vast distances between communities in Nor-

thwestern Ontario, delegates are encouraged to use car-pools wherever possible. This office could be used to help transport co-ordination.

A registration fee of 10 dollars will be charged to all participating delegates, and this will be used to cover printing costs and the materials to be distributed at the Conference. A report on the Conference proceedings will also be published and sent to all the participants.

Community groups, cultural organizations and serviced groups that may require more information on the proposed Cross-cultural conference should call: (807) 344-1050 in Thunder Bay.

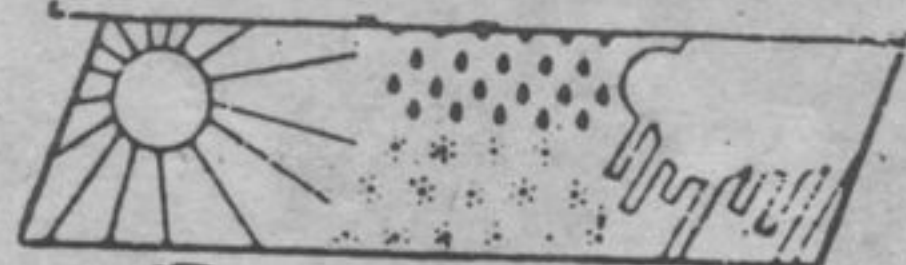
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Appointments must be made in advance.

Appointments **625-5944**

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