c o n f l u e n c e 2020 season

stories from the river screening

Series of documentary shorts created in partnership with Confluence and Woodrow Hunt (Klamath/Modoc, Cherokee) of Tule Films. Indigenous elders and leaders from the Columbia River share personal stories and insights about the history, culture, and ecology of the land and its people.

Presented in partnership with the Native American Arts Council, as part of the NW Film Center Northwest Tracker Series.

Feb 6 / 7pm / Portland Art Museum /



earth day work party

Confluence, The Mission Continues, The City of Vancouver and Fort Vancouver National Historic Site will partner to organize a volunteer Earth Day work party to tend the earthen bridge that helps connect the community to this special place along the river. Volunteers will help shovel, haul and spread mulch, pick up trash, weed, and plant.

April 18 / 9am - 12pm / Vancouver Land Bridge





basketry workshop

Learn traditional weaving practices from Grand Ronde educator Greg Archuleta. This day-long workshop will leave you with new knowledge about an old craft from the Indigenous cultures of the Columbia River. Greg will teach how to prepare cedar for basket making, plaiting and two weaving methods to complete your basket. We will work at the Confluence office in Vancouver. Make sure to bring a lunch!

March 14 / 10am - 4pm / Confluence Office /



confluence on the road

Confluence on the Road is an experiential opportunity for teachers and education leaders to dig deeper into the storied landscape of the Columbia River system. The journey includes guided visits to sites of cultural and environmental significance with Indigenous speakers to hear first-person insights into Native traditions and history. Participants come away with a richer understanding of sovereignty, cultural resilience and the value of reciprocity.

Summer 2020 / details and exact dates to come

story gatherings



Confluence Story Gatherings are story-driven discussions designed to elevate Indigenous voices in our understanding of the Columbia River system

vancouver / in partnership with Columbia Land Trust and the Watershed Alliance of SW Washington Feb 23 / 3pm / Water Resource Center

hood river / in partnership with Gorge Owned March 23 / 6pm / Columbia Center for the Arts

walla walla / in partnership with Whitman University April 11 / 3pm / Olin Hall

portland / in partnership with the Vanport MosaicMay 23 / location TBD

walks

Friends of the Columbia Gorge Hike / June 7th Design Week Portland Hike / 2nd week of April / day TBD



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