



**Ânskohk Aboriginal Literature Festival**  
**NATURAL W/RITES**  
 November 21-23, 2019  
**SASKATOON, SK**



The festival invites writers and participants to explore and give voice to the link between all that gives or sustains life

<b>THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2019</b>	
1:00-4:00	<p><b>Billy-Ray Belcourt, Louise Halfe, and Joshua Whitehead</b>  <i>The Idea of "Home" in Your Writing</i>                      Panel Discussion                      with moderator, Tenille Campbell  <b>GORDON OAKES CENTRE, U OF S CAMPUS</b></p>
4:00-6:00	<b>Break</b>
6:00-9:00 PM	<p><b>CELEBRATING OUR STORY-IORS</b></p> <p>Fiddle Music: Tristen Durocher                      Rubaboo and bannock                      Opening prayer                      Honour song                      Dessert and discussion with SK Indigenous authors with new books!</p> <p>Feature Readings:                      Indigenous Poets Society                      Randy Lundy, author of <i>Blackbird Song</i>  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>

	<b>FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2019</b>
9:00-10:30 AM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Author Talk and Reading—High School Visits</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Billy-Ray Belcourt Joshua Whitehead Carol Rose GoldenEagle</p>
11:00 AM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>DOORS OPEN—Roxy Theatre</b> LUNCH SERVED All Welcome!</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Join us for the Saskatoon launch of:</b> <i>Performing Turtle Island: Indigenous Performance on the World Stage</i> Edited by Jesse Archibald-Barber <b>ROXY THEATRE</b></p>
NOON	Opening and Welcome Remarks
12:30	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>nîpawistamâsowin: We Will Stand Up</i></b> by Tasha Hubbard Documentary Film Screening sponsored by Amiskusees Semaganis Worme Family Foundation with host: Verna St. Denis <b>ROXY THEATRE</b></p>
2:30-3:30 PM	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PANEL DISCUSSION</b></p> <p>Following the screening of the film, <i>nîpawistamâsowin: We Will Stand Up</i>, a panel of Indigenous journalists will discuss issues raised</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Doug Cuthand, Betty Ann Adam, and John Lagimodiere with moderator: Verna St. Denis <b>ROXY THEATRE</b></p>



	<b>SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2019</b>
9:00-10:30 AM	<p align="center"><b>Billy-Ray Belcourt, Louise Halfe, and Joshua Whitehead</b>  <i>The Idea of "Home" in your writing</i>            Panel Discussion            with moderator, Tenille Campbell  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>
10:45 AM- NOON	<p align="center"><b>RESIDENCY W/RITES</b>  <i>Fieldnotes of an Indigenous Writer in Residence</i>            Panel Discussion            Garry Thomas Morse, Curtis Peeteetuce, and TBA  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>
NOON- 1:00 PM	<p align="center"><b>LUNCH</b>  <b>KEYNOTE ADDRESS</b>            Joshua Whitehead  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>
	<p><b>AFTERNOON: CONCURRENT EVENTS</b></p>
1:15PM- 2:30PM	<p align="center"><b>NATURE W/RITES</b>            Poetry Workshop            with Randy Lundy  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>
1:15PM- 2:30PM	<p align="center"><b>SPOKEN WORD</b>            Workshop            with Indigenous Poets Society  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>

<p>1:15PM- 2:30PM</p>	<p><b><i>nîpawistamâsowin: We Will Stand Up</i></b>  director Tasha Hubbard  Documentary Film Screening  hosted by Carol Rose GoldenEagle  <b>ST. GEORGE'S SENIOR CITIZEN'S CENTRE</b></p>
<p>2:45-4:00 PM</p>	<p><b>REFLECTIONS on <i>nîpawistamâsowin: We Will Stand Up</i></b>  Writing workshop  Facilitated by Carol Rose GoldenEagle  <b>ST. GEORGE'S SENIOR CITIZEN'S CENTRE</b></p>
<p>2:45-4:00 PM</p>	<p><b>PLAY W/RITES</b>  Playwriting workshop  with Curtis Peeteetuce  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>
<p>2:45-4:00 PM</p>	<p><b>FICTION W/RITES</b>  Fiction workshop  with Garry Thomas Morse  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>
<p>4:00- 4:30pm</p>	<p>Wrap Up  Door prizes  <b>STATION 20 WEST</b></p>