

# Sqigwts Ha'chsetq'it 2014

## \*Water Potato Day\*

### EDUCATIONAL STATIONS

**Water Potato Digging:** Come and Harvest Water Potatoes. Some boots and waders will be provided but bring them if you've got them, it's going to be muddy!

**Beaver Nature's Engineer:** Learn about beavers and have the opportunity to test your own dam making skills.

**Native Foods:** Learn about the ecological significance of Traditional foods with an opportunity to sample huckleberries, cooked water potato, and deer.

**Cultural/Language activities:** Take part in fun learning activities while immersed in the Coeur d'Alene language.

**Aquatic Nuisance Species:** Learn how non-native plants and animals can cause problems in the lake and rivers in this area, how they move between water bodies and their environmental impacts and the means to control them.

**Traditional Tools:** See and learn about traditional tools used by the Coeur d'Alene Tribe.

**Take A Nature Walk:** Learn about the local flora and fauna in Heyburn State Park

**Hide Tanning:** Learn the traditional way of brain tanning deer hides

**Dates:** October 20-22nd

**Times:** 9 am – 2:30 pm

**Location:** Heyburn State Park, Hawley's Landing

**DIRECTIONS FROM PLUMMER:** TAKE HIGHWAY 5 APPROXIMATELY 5 MILES EAST. TAKE A LEFT INTO THE PARK AT THE FIRST ENTRANCE (PARK HEADQUARTERS AT 57 CHATCOLET RD, PLUMMER ID 83851)



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