

2013



**Unama'ki Institute of Natural Resources is Cape Breton's
Mi'kmaq voice on natural resources and the environment.**

**Forestry, marine science research,
species management, traditional Mi'kmaq knowledge,
water quality monitoring, and environmental partnerships
are among our responsibilities.**



Mi'kmaq Sustainable

Eskasoni • Membertou • Potlotek • Wagmatcook • Waycobah

Unama'ki Cape Breton First Nations

Natural Resources

**At the heart of everything we do
at UINR is Netukulimk.**

**Netukulimk is the use of the natural bounty provided by
the Creator for the self-support and well-being of the
individual and community.**

**Netukulimk is achieving adequate standards of
community nutrition and economic well-being
without jeopardizing the integrity, diversity,
or productivity of our environment.**

**As Mi'kmaq we have an inherent right
to access and use our resources and a responsibility
to use them in a sustainable way.**

**The Mi'kmaq way of resource management includes
a spiritual element that ties together people, plants,
animals, and the environment.**

**UINR combines scientific research
with traditional Mi'kmaq knowledge.**





January

Punamujuiku's

2013-01

Ekntie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	Tom Cod Spawning Time	

| Puna'ne'wimk New Year's Day





February

Apuknajit

2013-02

Ekntie'wimk S	Amskwesewey M	Ta'puewey T	Si'stewey W	Ne'wewey T	Kweltamultimk F	Kespitek S
Snow Blinding Time					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28		

2 Apuknajit E'smut Kiskuk
Feeding of the Winter Spirit Day





March

Si'ko'ku's

2013-03

Ekntie'wimk S	Amskwesewey M	Ta'puewey T	Si'stewey W	Ne'wewey T	Kweltamultimk F	Kespitek S
Maple Sugar Time					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	20 Siwkw Spring 29 Se'sus Klujjewto's Good Friday 31 Pa'kewimk Easter					





April

Penatmuiku's

2013-04

Ekntie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	Birds Laying Eggs Time			

22 Wsitqamu Na'kwekm Earth Day





May

Sqoljuiku's

2013-05

Ekntie'wimk S	Amskwesewey M	Ta'puewey T	Si'stewey W	Ne'wewey T	Kweltamultimk F	Kespitek S
Frogs Croaking Time			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

20 Eleke'wit Na'kwekm Victoria Day





June

Nipniku's

2013-06

Ektie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
Trees Fully Leafed Time						I
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	21 Nipk Summer 21 Lnu'k Na'kwekmuow National Aboriginal Day					





July

Peskeewiku's

2013-07

Ekntie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	Birds Shedding Feathers Time		

1 Kanata Ajipuna'q Canada Day
 26-29 Se'nt A'n Na'kwekm St. Anne's Mission





August

Kisikwekewiku's

2013-08

Ekntie'wimk S	Amskwesewey M	Ta'puewey T	Si'stewey W	Ne'wewey T	Kweltaumtimk F	Kespitek S
Berry Ripening Time				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

5 Skwijinu'k Kanata Na'kwekmuow Civic Holiday





September Wikumkewiku's

2013-09

Ekntie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	Mate Calling Time				

2 Lukowinu'k Na'kwekmuow Labour Day
 22 Toqa'q Autumn





October

Wikewiku's

2013-10

Ekntie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	Animal Fattening Time	

1 Ankuo'mkewey Na'kwek Treaty Day
 14 Mu'ualut Niskam Thanksgiving Day





November

Keptekewiku's

2013-11

Ekntie'wimk	Amskwesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweitamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
Rivers Starting to Freeze Time					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

11 Sma'knis Na'kwekkm Remembrance Day





December

Kesikewiku's

2013-12

Ekntie'wimk	Amskowesewey	Ta'puewey	Si'stewey	Ne'wewey	Kweltamultimk	Kespitek
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	Chief Moon Time			

21 Kesik Winter

25 Nipialasutmamk Christmas Day



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