

Weaving  
Our Stories

200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the 1819 Treaty of Saginaw

**Special Guest Speakers:**  
**Dr. Jerry Fontaine • Patricia Shawnoo**

History of the  
**Three Fires Confederacy**

at the **Ziibiwing Center**

**September 25, 2019 • 6pm-8pm**

Come share an evening with two incredible cultural treasures.  
Learn from, experience and enjoy this thrilling and special event.

Dr. Jerry Fontaine, Ojibway Anishinaabe Bear Clan, Manitoba, Canada, was chief of the Sagkeeng First Nation from 1987 to 1998.



During his time as chief he helped develop the community's constitutional declaration, which enabled the community to enforce Sagkeeng jurisdiction over traditional territory.

His first book, forthcoming in the Spring of 2020, is on the history and future of Indigenous leadership. He explores how three chiefs, Pontiac, Tecumseh

and Shingwauk, perceived their roles and responsibilities during some of the most challenging periods in the history of North America.



Patricia Shawnoo, Ogitchida Quay is a descendant of Chief Tecumseh and Keeper of the Tecumseh Eagle Staff. As a Water Carrier, she "shares stories, gives life and defends the land for future generations."



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