

Introduction

This journal documents the ongoing botanical decolonization and re-indigenization of Logan Creek, on the KPU Langley Campus. We use names in the *Hən̓q̓əmin̓əm̓* dialect, which is spoken in the Lower Mainland by the *xʷməθkʷəy̓əm* (Musqueam) at the mouth of the Fraser River, and upriver to the Kwantlen First Nation at Fort Langley. We acknowledge that KPU Langley is located on the unceded, un-relinquished land, wetlands, and waters of the Kwantlen First Nation.

We are very grateful to CN EcoConnexions From the Ground Up for their financial and moral support for the planting projects since 2015.

Our intention in this first issue is to develop biographies for significant food, medicinal, and technology plants used by the Kwantlen First Nation, from which information can be extracted and developed into signage for the site. Subsequent issues will focus on landscape and settlement history, riparian ecosystems, fish, water, wildlife, ecosystem repair, creating a wapato garden, and the ongoing never-ending commitment to managing this 1.5-hectare natural area.

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