

NEWS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Grand Opening of Ogimaa Gichi Makwa Gitigaan – Chief Grizzly Bear's Garden

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2013 WINNIPEG, MANITOBA- On behalf of the steering council for Ogimaa Gichi Makwa Gitigaan – Chief Grizzly Bear's Garden, Spence Neighbourhood association is announcing the community Grand Opening of the park. There will be entertainment by local youth.

Members of the media are invited to come down to 561-569 Sherbrook Street between 4:00 pm and 6:00 pm to speak to staff and community members. There will be opportunities to take video and pictures of participants listening to the music and enjoying the celebration. Between 3:00 and 4:00 will be ceremonies that we request not be recorded out of respect for the elders.

Location:

- 561-569 Sherbrook St. (Ogimaa Gichi Makwa Gitigaan – Chief Grizzly Bear's Garden)

The grand opening is coordinated by a steering council of community members who guide the direction of the park. At the event a feast of stew and bannock will be provided.

The Spence Neighbourhood Association works with the people of Spence to revitalize and renew their community in the areas of Holistic Housing, Community Connecting, Community Economic Development, Environment and Open Spaces, and Youth and Families.

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