

# THE CONFEDERATED TRIBES LANGUAGE LESSON

## Ichishkiin



**Sawitk**  
Indian Carrot.  
**Xnisha**  
Digging  
**Kapn**  
Digging Tool  
**Wapas**  
Digging Bag  
**Lax**  
Dirt



**Q'taat ku wiic'k ticham**  
Grassy and Hard ground

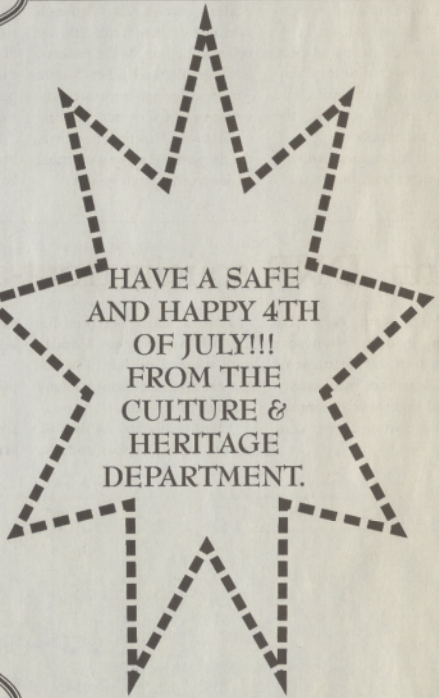
**Chi au kuuk iwa xnit sawitkna**  
We dig Indian Carrot at this time of the month

**Axnixana kapnki**  
We dig the root with a digging tool

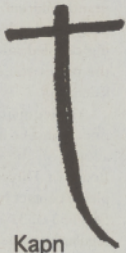
**Awiyataxana wapasyau sawitkna**  
As we dig the Indian carrot, we put it in a root bag

**K't't iwa ticham ku xlak m c'aimc'ai**  
The ground is hard and grassy sometimes

**Sawitk iwa niix ku c'i tkwatatpa**  
The Indian carrot is good and sweet



HAVE A SAFE  
AND HAPPY 4TH  
OF JULY!!!  
FROM THE  
CULTURE &  
HERITAGE  
DEPARTMENT.



Kapn



Sawitk

## Kiksht



**It'ukdi Kadux**  
Good Morning

**Aah, It'ukdi Kadux**  
Yes, Good Morning

**Aga chi amkilabama daya wigwa?**  
Are you going out to dig roots today?

**K'aya.....kadux alma, aiwax anuya.**  
No, Tomorrow, I am going at daybreak.

**Agelga amigabn, amikapunitix, kanawi idmikitid abdutwichktba. Kapt dauma atxuya.**  
Get you root digger, your bag, and your clothes, then we will go.

**Qaxba alma amkilaba**  
Whereabouts will you go dig?

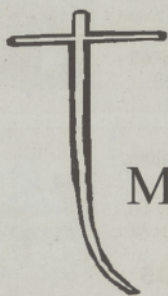
**Lunba wigwa, alma ankilaba iduwak kwidau ikkalakia Tsa=umylityamt**  
Wednesday, I will dig Indian Carrot and wild onion @ Cottonwood Springs.

**Amduqwida yagushbama.**  
Save some for next year



Adwak  
Indian Carrot

## Numu



Podo



**Mago'o** Ooka koosebu mu po'do ma'koo madanekwuni, yise mu mago'o mabetsabe tuwow.  
It is time to dust off the digger, and get your bags ready.

**U'mu Yapa, hape'e no Ku'ka masoo tu nahewekwi ma'ni**  
The Indian Carrots, Indian Potatoes, and the wild onions are ready for digging.

O'no osoo hape'e, u edzaga oo woisana, tsakedoana oo mesoo tu'ka ka su'muo kwanekoosoo.  
As for the indian carrot, you can wash, peel and eat just as you would a regular one.



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Monday to Friday from 11:00am - 5:00pm  
Schedule is subject to change.  
Please call for information and list of materials needed  
C&H 553-3290 or 3424  
Will Be out week of July 13 - 17, 2009

**Kiksht-Numu-Ichishkiin Language Classes for all ages @ the Language Trailer**  
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COMMUNITY CLASSES ARE CANCELLED FOR THE SUMMER!!!  
PLEASE WATCH FOR WHEN COMMUNITY CLASSES RESUME!!!

Language Teachers are at ECE in the mornings teaching in assigned classrooms @ ECE  
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