LSLLN Justice Stories: Community Voice & Visioning Workshops – Summary Report

LSLLN Justice Stories: Community Voice & Visioning Workshops were run attuned to our universal calendar here on planet earth between Solar and Lunar Eclipses in the fall of 2022. On the Solar Eclipse of Oct. 25th at Marina Park Spirit Gardens LSLLN invited the community to a Ecological Justice circle which explored with the question "What message do you hold for our ecological ancestors?"; in the middle of eclipses on Nov. 1st at West Thunder Community Centre Social Justice was addressed with the question "What message do you carry for the citizens of Thunder Bay?"; Finally, during the Lunar Eclipse on Nov. 8 the question of "What message would you share with coming generations?" was discussed.

Intended as a continuation of the Sustainability Stories Series as well as a deepening of LSLLN's digital storytelling work, place-based 360 degree photos from each event were embedded with images, songs, and poems from participants of each of the gatherings for cross-hub sharing in upcoming virtual network meetings. In sum, Justice Stories tackled and catalyze conversation around the "Just" portion of the "Just Sustainabilities" organizing theme of LSLLN—while contributing to the networks digital storytelling efforts with a new framework & flowchart based on learnings from creating and running Sustainability & Justice Stories projects.

Sustainability Stories

Throughout 2020, members of the Thunder Bay hub co-created the Sustainability Stories Video Series. Our goal was to use digital storytelling to highlight efforts, share learnings, and synthesize a place-responsive understanding of what Sustainability means here in the community of Thunder Bay and across the watershed - as related to projects that our members and partners are engaged in. The videos were crafted to tell stories, prompt reflection and invite community participation. The videos also weave together some of the key themes of the LSLLN: relationships, collaboration, diversity, place, and just sustainabilities.



We want to express our gratitude to Gavin Shields, a research assistant with the LSLLN, who led the filming and editing for the Videos Series. His creativity, motivation, and commitment enabled this project, and these Sustainability Stories, to come to life. We also want to thank the Sustainability Stories working group for helping to guide the process and those who participated in the videos.

LAKE SUPERIOR LIVING LABS NETWORK

Invites you every Tuesday at 1pm between the Solar Eclipse on Oct. 25th and Lunar Eclipse of Nov. 8th to attend (choose 1 or more of 3)

JUSTICE STORIES

COMMUNITY VOICE & VISIONING WORKSHOPS

Ecological Justice - What message do you hold for our ecological ancestors? Tues, Oct. 25th at 1pm at the Spirit Gardens at Marina Park.

- - Social Justice What message do you carry for the citizens of Thunder Bay? Tues, Nov. 1st at 1pm
 - at West Thunder Park (West Thunder Community Centre).

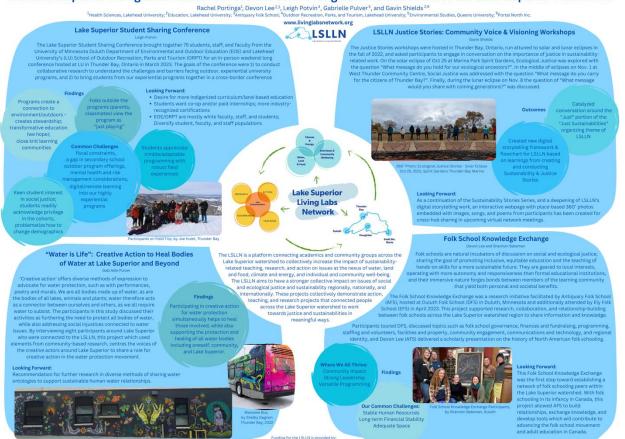
Intergenerational Justice - What message would you share with coming generations? Tues, Nov. 8th at 1pm at the Wellness Path Labyrinth at Lakehead University.

EVERYONE WELCOME! JUSTICE STORIES:

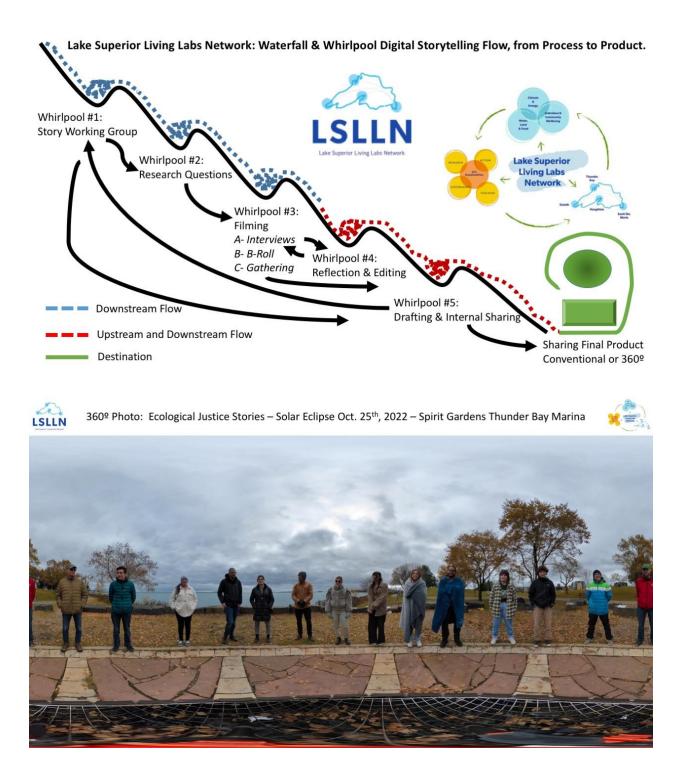
Community Voice & Visioning Workshops are intended as a continuation and deepening of Sustainability Stories efforts at www.livinglabsnetwork.org. For more infromation contact gshields@lakeheadu.ca.

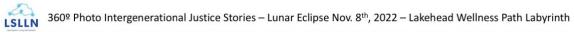
The Lake Superior Living Labs Network Presents: Connecting Communities Across the Lake Superior Watershed

and Lakahoad Haluarsitus 2



+ Soci Canada ces and Humanities ouncil of Canada











360º Photo: Social Justice Stories – Between Solar & Lunar Eclipses Nov. 1st, 2022 – West Thunder Community Centre



