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## ON-NEIHR Meeting Minutes

**Date:** May 30, 2023

**Time:** 3:00pm to 5:00pm

**Location:** Zoom Meeting

**In Attendance:** Dr. Suzanne Stewart, Paul Whitinui, Roy Strebel, Sabina Mirza, Wendy Phillips, Maile Taualii, Pauline Shirt, Shanti Aguilar-Cardenas, Mikaela Gabriel,

**Regrets:**

ITEM	DISCUSSION	RECOMMENDATION/MOTION/ ACTION
1. Spiritual Opening and Naming Ceremony		Spiritual opening and naming ceremony completed by Elder Wendy Phillips
2. Welcome and Members' Introduction		
3. Member Check-In		
4. PI Update		
5. ON-NEIHR Monthly Webinars	Next NEIHR Webinar – TBD	

Wendy		
Maile		
Pauline	<p>Learning about planting with Luana  Doing research on her own family – for memoirs  Tantoo Cardinal called her – grew up together.  Wandering Spirit Pow Wow coming up – June 14<sup>th</sup> (all day event)  York University lecture tomorrow.  Kent Monkman came to visit the school – Research in Repatriation  Going to Lethbridge, Alberta – Watson Lake – Doing Research</p>	
Suzanne	<p>Been in Ottawa for a few days  NGGS Oct 11-14, in Halifax, Anyone in Ontario who wants to go ON-Neihr will cover costs.  ON-NEIHR Fall Gathering Oct 24<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>- Teaching Lodge at Hart House Farm. 90% confirmed  Next 2024 Sept/Oct Symposium – Global Health Tattoos (Maile &amp; Wendy). And Mikaela (committee) and a series of workshops. (Do it on the land) Hasn't been done before.  A year to plan it  Policy Forum on June 27<sup>th</sup> – invited levels of Gov't - Indigenous Women's Health. (NWRCT)  Pauline is not available – Luana will attend  Finishing up some reports – MMIWGS+, Climate Crises, Pepper Spectacle</p>	
Wendy	<p>Other major thing we are doing is Land Based courses with Angela in May  Land Based – Everyone is shy – take awhile to get out of their shell  Talking how we educate and be on the land – long term investment.  Quality of education and the out takes – low numbers now but would like to see it change.  Land-Based education can change people – the benefits and challenges for young people.</p>	

	<p>Starting to think about next year now          Educate people about spiritual contexts first and how we are looking at things.          Lots of ethical questions have come up from the students and conversations</p>	
Roy	If everyone can fill in the survey for the ON-NEIHR 2023 report. Need the Data by the end of June.	
Maile	I will hand in by next week. Haven't met with the group in awhile. Rod wants someone to	
Suzanne	Up to theme leads to update – What theme group would Paul like to be in?	
Paul	As a collaborator – Maybe policy and knowledge translation	
Suzanne	Going on Sabbatical – still going to be doing research – Going to do a MOOC – and writing two books. Wendy go to Hawaii for a Knowledge Exchange – Planning meeting for conference next year	
Closing Elder Wendy Phillips		