



A unique place to host a banquet, a fundraiser or an AGM! Formerly the CPR station, the Aboriginal Centre is a designated heritage site. The original features have been restored, in the 13,000 square foot Rotunda area, to accommodate groups of 50 to 1,000. Catering services are provided by the Aboriginal Centre Restaurant featuring a full menu including traditional Aboriginal cuisine.

The Centre is equipped to handle sit-down dinners; cocktail receptions; conferences; themed events, staff appreciation functions and fundraisers. In addition to various banquets, the Rotunda has been host to weddings, theatre productions and fashion shows.

EVENT PLANNING

- * Organizations utilizing the Aboriginal Centre have the services of a professional Event Coordinator available to them full time.
- * This ensures the client is satisfied with all aspects of an event from start to finish.

CATERING SERVICES

- * The Aboriginal Centre Restaurant handles all in-house catering requirements from board meetings to gala dinners.
- * Off-site catering is also available.
- * Each menu is designed specifically for your group's tastes.

TOURS

- * As a National Heritage site, the Centre sees a wide range of visitors each year from all over the world. Some come to learn about the history, while others are interested in learning more about the Aboriginal culture.
- * Historical tours focus on the era when the building was the main station for the CPR.
- * Cultural tours highlight the services within the Centre and its important role in the Aboriginal community.
- * Guests participating in either tour are treated to an informative and interesting guided tour.
- * Tour fees are as follows: Adult rate \$4.00; Children's rate (6 years +) \$1.00; Seniors \$2.50.

SERVICES

The Aboriginal Centre of Winnipeg's main focus is to offer a variety of services to the urban Aboriginal Community. The concept is to have a one-stop shop for the Aboriginal community.

Employment & Education Services

- * Aboriginal Community Campus
 - o Main focus is the Aboriginal Learning and Literacy Centre
- * Neeginan Institute of Applied Technology (formerly Aboriginal People's College)
 - o Offers a variety of vocational and academic programs in partnership with many post-secondary facilities across the city.
- * Aboriginal Single Window
 - o A Human Resource Development Centre that provides government services related to all aspects of employment.
- * Centre for Aboriginal Human Resource Development (CAHRD)
 - o Counselors assist clients to find appropriate employment and education opportunities.

A Centre for Aboriginal Enterprise and Initiative

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Health Services

- * Aboriginal Health and Wellness Centre
 - Full Service Health Centre: a Clinic; Traditional healing and Elders are available for counseling; Headstart Daycare for pre-school children; and Community Outreach Workers are available to host workshops and information sessions at various locations across the city.

Retail Shops

- * Canadian Plains Gallery - 204.943.4972
 - Paintings; Prints; Sculptures from various Winnipeg and Manitoba artists.
 - Aboriginal entertainment for on and off-site events can be booked through the Gallery.
- * Aboriginal Printing (formerly Shinnecock Native Printers) - 204.589.4844
 - Professional printing services for a wide range of items