

BNAS Board Report April 21, 2020

Going remote learning has the potential to help the BNAS dept with respect to the Blackfoot Language, mainly in that the BNAS team and students have time to learn the curriculum, which has been extremely focused on using the Big Bull Writing system. I am currently working on a video to put on YouTube that will attempt to teach the system succinctly and skillfully.

I want to centralize all lessons on the BNAS YouTube page and have requested that all spelling goes through myself (for remote learning) to ensure consistency. We will be having periodic meetings with the BNAS team on Wednesdays, setting it up has been difficult for myself for various reasons but we will pull through this troubling times together

I want to thank the BHS for including me and inviting me to their digital meetings regarding the BNAS teachers there. I really appreciate that and respect it. I have communicated with Andrea Evens in being included in meeting with the curriculum specialists to explain and show what they can expect to see being taught with respect to the BNAS classes and content.

More videos are being planned and discussed and scripts for various other videos are being written. We are going to use the strengths each BNAS team member has to have them to make videos for the YouTube page.

Other than that, Prayers to everyone and thank you