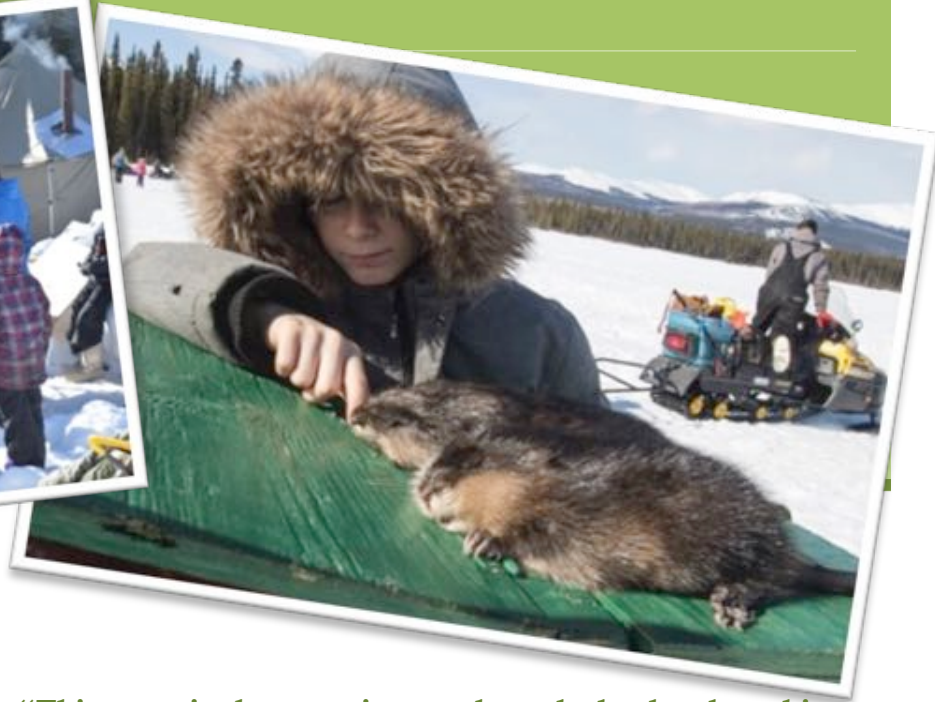


2018 Youth Trapping Camp



About The Camp:

The second annual Youth Trapping Camp at Lubbock Creek is an event put on by the Carcross Tagish Renewable Resources Council with help from the CTFN.

This year, the camp was a huge success with over twenty kids and eight adults at the camp full time, with many more stopping by throughout the three-day event.

The event included trapping, ice fishing, staying overnight in wall tents, and talks designed to teach the kids about trapping, fishing and respecting the environment and animals.



“This camp is about getting youth on the land and teaching them about trapping, respect for the animals, ice fishing, and how to target different fish.” – Ken Reeder, CTRRC Chair

The kids were lucky enough to trap nine muskrats and snare one beaver.

They got to experience setting and checking the traps, skinning the animals, and learned about how important it is to treat the animals with respect. They were able to go out ice fishing and caught lake trout, northern pike, and whitefish.

There were many opportunities for the kids to learn at the camp including talks by Regional Biologists and Conservation Officers from Yukon Government’s Department of Environment, a CTFN elder, Ida, trapping instructors Jean Legare and Ryan Sealy, Graham Van Tighem from the Yukon Fish and Wildlife Management Board, local trapper Jacques Jobin and CTRRC Chair, Ken Reeder.

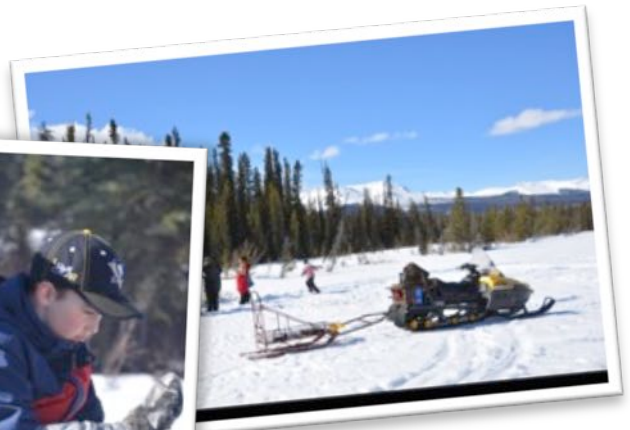
It was a great event that really focused on teaching the kids about living off the land and showing respect to the land and animals.

What Does The CTRRC Do?

The Carcross Tagish Renewable Resources Council is the local management body for fish, wildlife and forestry management in the CTFN Traditional Territory. You can find out more at <http://www.ctrcc.ca/> or find us on Facebook.



A few more photos from the camp...



The CTRRC would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who came out and participated, the volunteers, and Daphne and Crystal for the great photos!

