**PIPE CEREMONY IN PROGRESS**

A pipe ceremony will be taking place in this area today from:

[start time] to [end time].

You may smell some burning tobacco during this time.

## Pipe Ceremony

A pipe ceremony is a prayer ceremony practiced in many First Nations cultures, and is usually led by a Pipe Carrier, who carries the ceremonial pipe on behalf of their people.

The pipe ceremony was traditionally used to open and close negotiations between nations, to ensure that everyone negotiated with a good mind.

For more information on Indigenous ceremonies such as these, or to receive this information in an accessible format, please contact the Centre for Equity and Inclusion at equity@sheridancollege.ca or by calling 2229.