

APRIL 27 – MAY 1, 2026 | LYTTON AND FRASER CANYON, BRITISH COLUMBIA, CANADA

WHERE PLACE TEACHES THE WORLD

The Lytton Anchor Centre

Water • Climate resilience • Indigenous knowledge • Community-led innovation



What happens when some of the world's most demanding climate and water questions are explored by the people who live them?

In spring 2026, water operators, farmers, firefighters, researchers, artists and community leaders from Norway, Alaska, Kenya, South Sudan, Canada and the United States gathered with Lytton First Nation and Kanaka Bar First Nation.

In a region still rebuilding from the devastating 2021 wildfire, participants explored water security, climate adaptation, infrastructure, land stewardship and community resilience through Jam Sessions, research-based theatre, community visits and lived experience.

The gathering demonstrated Community Circle's Anchor Centre model: bringing people and knowledge to a community, creating reciprocal learning, and allowing place itself to become the teacher.

THE EXCHANGE CONTINUED

- From the Fraser Canyon to Northern Norway
- First Nations, Sámi and Nordic communities
- Learning across lands, waters and cultures
- Watch the story on YouTube: youtu.be/5MORG_A5DM0

Innovation begins with place, relationships and community knowledge.