

# CWSF 2010 - Peterborough, Ontario



## Elijah Linklater

### Oil Spill Clean UP - The Natural Way

**Division:** Physical & Mathematical Sciences

**Category:** Senior

**Region:** Manitoba First Nations

**City:** Nelson House , MB

**School:** Nisichawayasihk Neyo Ohtinwak Collegiate

**Abstract:** This project is about removing oil from water in oil spills. I used the idea in this project as an alternative, instead of known harmful methods which are practiced today. This is a much better way to avoid loss of aquatic life and reuse the oil. In this way we can still use the nonrenewable source of energy which is in high demand

#### Biography

My given name is Elijah Linklater, I am from Nisichawayasihk Cree Nation or Nelson House. I am finishing my highschool grades and am going to continue my studies either in college or university. Science is very interesting to me and I am fascinated with science related topics. The environment is what I really wanted to work with because there are ways to take care of it this project is one. My project is something I really liked working on. I have accepted awards from my school in most of my classes. My hobby is learning, I learn all day. I have one living parent for I have been raised by my grandparents, they only speak Cree to me and always tell me school is important. Over the years I have attended different schools and have had many teachers along the way. It was here in Nelson House that I have participated in my first science fair, Winnipeg was my second and I am now going to participate on behalf of my school in Ontario. This has been a good experience for me and I am thankful for everyone who has taught and inspired me to excel in my studies.

#### Awards

#### Value

Dalhousie University Faculty of Science Entrance Scholarship Senior Silver Medallist - \$2000 Entrance Scholarship Sponsor: Dalhousie University, Faculty of Science	\$2 000
University of Ottawa Entrance Scholarship Senior Silver Medallist - \$3000 Entrance Scholarship Sponsor: University of Ottawa	\$3 000
The University of Western Ontario Scholarship Silver Medallist - \$2000 Entrance Scholarship Sponsor: University of Western Ontario	\$2 000
Silver Medal - Environmental Innovation - Senior Sponsor: EnviroExpo, Presented by VIA Rail Canada	\$700
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7 700</b>