Research Collections





Eskimo Sea Dreams

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactnep.04.01

Artist:	Napatchie Pootoogook (1938 – 2002, Canadian)
Title:	Eskimo Sea Dreams
Date:	1960
Medium:	ink on paper
Dimensions:	49.5 x 60.5 cm
Description:	Background is blue green variegated light and dark. On this are various black shapes of men and animals. The top part of the picture has 4 men in a boat, 2 with oars, one casting a spear which is touching the head of a walrus, there are 2 walrus heads. A long curving line runs along the picture, below this image is another scene. An animal/man with horns, holding a spear and horns is facing another animal/man, behind them a small bird. They are all standing on a large, black whale. brc artist's carver's chop in red and Dorset chop in black.
Subject:	activity, hunting
	fishing
	mythological
Credit:	Gift of Doreen Hutchinson, Calgary, 1988
Catalogue Number:	NeP.04.01

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Hunter Pulling Up Seal

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactwes.06.01

Artist:	Eli Weetalooktook (– 1958, Canadian)
Title:	Hunter Pulling Up Seal
Date:	prior to 1958
Medium:	stone; sinew; wood
Dimensions:	7.2 x 11.5 cm
Description:	green stone; a parka clad lnuit hunter sitting with legs braced; leaning back to be almost horizontal; carved features; a piece of sinew in both hands which connects to a wood peg in a hole; the hole is in the centre of a carved point in a carved circle which is in a 2.5 wide carved depression across base foreground.
Subject:	figure, male
	activity, hunting
	fishing
Credit:	Gift of Doreen Hutchinson, Calgary, 1988
Catalogue Number:	WeS.06.01

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Hunter with Bow

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactjoh.06.02

Artist:	Joanassie Oomayoualook (1934 – , Canadian)
Title:	Hunter with Bow
Date:	prior to 1962
Medium:	stone; bone; sinew
Dimensions:	6.0 x 4.0 cm
Description:	Green stone, hunter poised to shoot. Parka clad hunter, left leg to the front, hands holding bow (no arrow). Bow is bone 5.0 long, notched at both ends, slightly bowed, sinew tied one end, hole cut in middle of other end to slip over end of bow. Incised features and hair on forehead.
Subject:	figure, male
	activity, hunting
Credit:	Gift of Doreen Hutchinson, Calgary, 1988
Catalogue Number:	JoH.06.02

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Kayak out of Dog's Reach

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactars.04.01

Artist:	Syollie Amituk (1936 – 1986, Canadian)
Title:	Kayak out of Dog's Reach
Date:	1962
Medium:	ink on paper
Dimensions:	40.2 x 49.5 cm
Description:	Black positive image, kayak is turned upside down on three paddles, front and back. A dog is standing underneath. Three black shapes around kayak - left, top and right. In lower black shape are 4 Inuit letters. On back tlc ink stamped: Povungnituk Cooperative Society Pr. Quebec Canada 1962Syllabics in image read "http://www.Bottom text reads "28/30 dc http://www. hon/ldbjon/bostfl Pf_f??obstlef.
Subject:	activity, hunting
Credit:	Gift of Doreen Hutchinson, Calgary, 1988
Catalogue Number:	ArS.04.01

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Man in Kayak

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactunk.06.45a-g

Artist:	Unknown
Title:	Man in Kayak
Date:	prior to 1962
Dimensions:	7.1 x 4.2 x 17.5 cm
Description:	Green stone with shades of yellow, orange (a) base 13.5x4.2x1.3, rounded edges, hole drilled near centre (b) kayak 17.5x3.0x2.8 nicely shaped kayak has raised lip on manhole, ivory inlaid across kayak with groove to hold spears, hole drilled in bottom to connect with base, small pieces of wood in hole to stabalize connection, (c) carved man 6.0x3.0x3.3 has arms stretched out front, white inset in eyes, mouth open, (d) ivory paddle 10.0 long (e-h) carved spears ca 5.0 longThe letters "AWI" are written on the top surface of the stone base.
Subject:	activity, fishing
	activity, hunting
Credit:	Gift of Doreen Hutchinson, Calgary, 1988
Catalogue Number:	UnK.06.45a-g

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Seal Hunter

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactana.04.01

Artist:	Anna Kingwatsiak (1911 – 1971, Canadian)
Title:	Seal Hunter
Date:	1970
Medium:	ink on paper
Dimensions:	52.7 x 30.1 cm
Description:	A figure with arms outstretched, holding a stick in one hand, a line in the other, stands in the upper half of the picture. A seal viewed from above with it's head in the hole fills the bottom half. Left of the figures head is the artists seal.
Subject:	figure, male
	activity, hunting
	animal, fish
Credit:	Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1971
Catalogue Number:	AnA.04.01

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Smelling Out Seal

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactjau.04.01

Artist:	Juanisialuk Irqumia (1912 – 1977, Canadian)
Title:	Smelling Out Seal
Date:	1962
Medium:	ink on paper
Dimensions:	38.9 x 55.3 cm
Description:	A black positive image of a hunter with spear in right hand and a dog on a leash on left hand. The dog is looking down at a seal under the ice. The seal is lying down and looking up. A bird is flying over the back of the dog. A black shape at centre left has lnuit letters on it, from it a line runs across the picture, indicating the ice line. On back is stamped: Povungnituk Cooperative Society Pr. Quebec 1962Image text reads " $d \circ d \circ$
Subject:	activity, hunting
	dog
	seal
	figure, male
Credit:	Gift of Doreen Hutchinson, Calgary, 1988
Catalogue Number:	JaU.04.01

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Untitled

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactola.08.01

Artist:	Olassie (1915 – , Canadian)
Title:	Untitled
Date:	1970 – 1976
Medium:	wool
Dimensions:	100.0 x 174.0 cm
Description:	Light purple background; on the right side is a figure dressed in parka, green, blue pants, brown trim on parka and pants with a spear in his right hand; fleeing before him on the left is a running clothed creature; two long braided ropes with tassels both ends with colours of hanging;
Subject:	activity, hunting;
Credit:	Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1976
Catalogue Number:	OIA.08.01

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