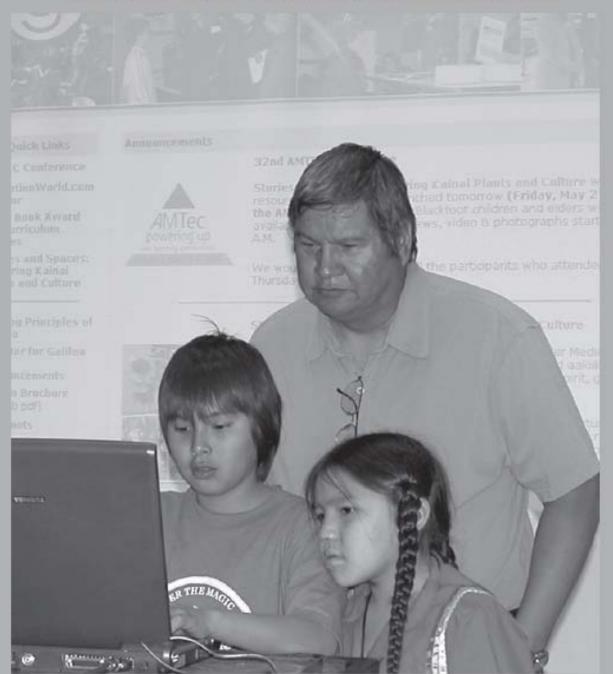


NATIVE KNOWLEDGE



Bryton Chief Moon (left) and Marvin Calf Robe show Elder Narcisse Blood their new website, Nitsitapiisinni — Stories and Spaces: Exploring Kainai Plants and Culture. The Kainai people of the Blood Reserve were at risk of losing precious knowledge of indigenous plants and their healing properties, knowledge traditionally handed down orally from elder to child. A class of Grade 4 Blackfoot immersion students re-collected the stories to make them available to their own people and to the world. The collection is accessible on the web at www.galileo.org/plants/kainai. I Photo by Ken Bendiktsen