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NANIVARA



THE REPORT
OF THE
NANIVARA
PROJECT

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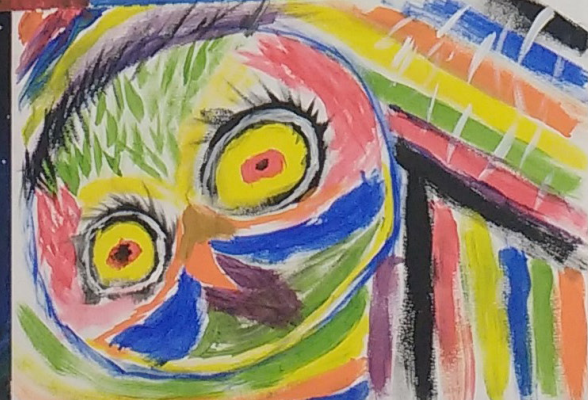
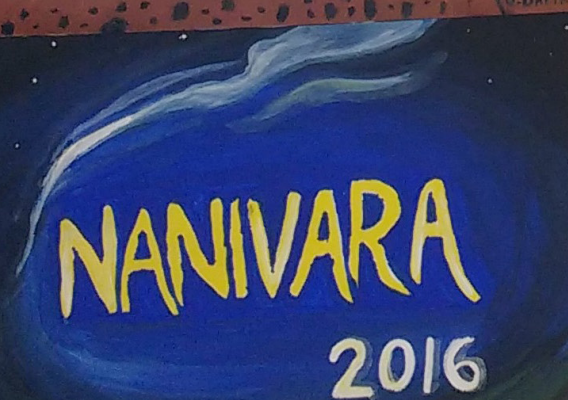
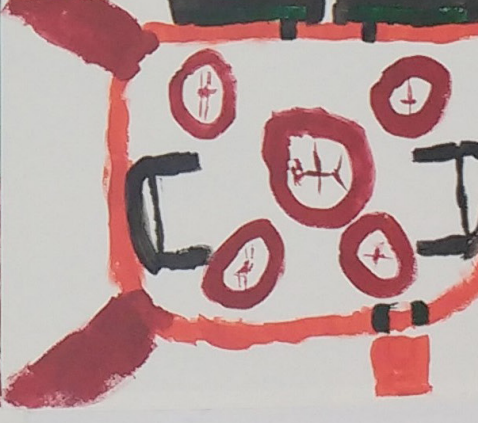
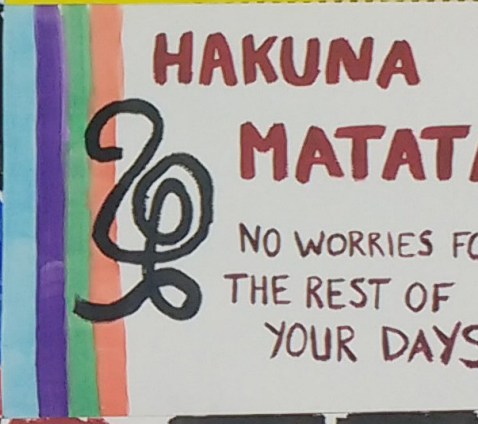
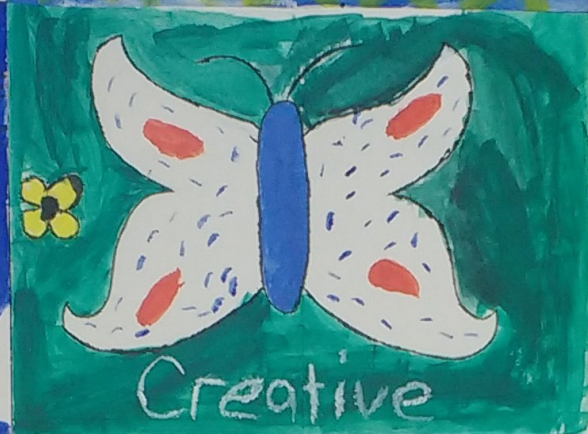
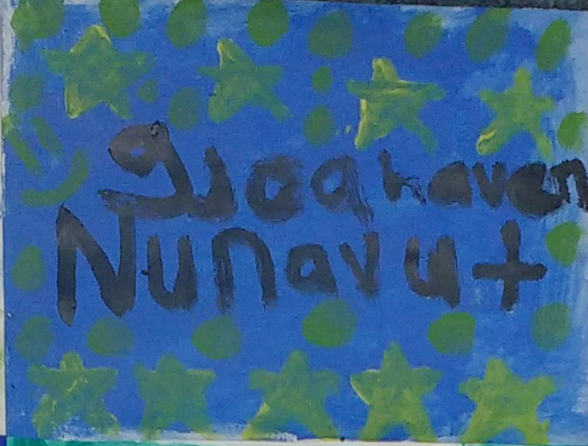
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but we are still going to get through it
and survive like our ancestors did.”

Jennifer Ullulaq
Gjoa Haven



The Nanivara (I found it) Project - 2016

This paper blanket was created from the participants of the Nanivara Project over the summer 2016. The youth painted what their dreams are for their future great grandchildren in Gjoa Haven and then taped their pieces together to make this quilt. The youth wanted to share this message with other youth:

- To always use your inner creativity and follow your dreams.
- Stay in school and finish your diploma.
- Keep our culture alive and visit with elders.
- Go out on the land as much as possible and eat country foods.
- Inuit Youth are Resilient.

"Pretend we are in a blizzard but we are still going to get through it and survive like our ancestors did." - Jennifer Ullulaaq

The artists of this mural are:

Elisha Kuallaaq, Kyras Kuallaaq, Kaydi Okpik, Marnie Ekeik, Martha Okpik, Jennifer Ullulaaq, Damian Ikkutisluq, Karen Aluk, Barb Okpik, Lonna Ikkutisluq and Jeremy Okpik.

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“My experience in Norway was unforgettable. I had a lot of fun and learned quite a few things. My favourite memory was when we went to go visit some of the students in the Sami High School... Meeting with the youth from Norway was pretty interesting cause I found out that they weren't that different from us, they were also struggling with keeping their culture alive.”

Renee Angotialuk
Youth Researcher



