

# THE NUNAVUT WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT BOARD'S COMMUNITY-BASED MONITORING NETWORK

APRIL 2018

## Out of Kugaaruk:

Kugaaruk collected a record amount of data last month! Eight harvesters traveled tracked over 1200 km of travel routes from 54 trips.

They are catching char and white fish with nets, using foot hold traps for foxes, and catching wolf, caribou, and muskoxen on the land.

Great job Kugaarummiut!



## Out of Clyde River:

Harvesters in Clyde River focused on ptarmigan, ringed seals, rabbits and char in March.

Excellent audio files accompanied the data as usual, such as the note that accompanied this image about a pregnant seal.



## Into Baker Lake:

Baker Lake was selected to participate in the Community-based Monitoring Network in February. The Hunters and Trappers Association very clearly demonstrated the importance of monitoring the diverse lands and waters around the community, especially with the shipping, exploration, and development in the area.

The Community-based Monitoring Network Project Team is heading into Baker Lake April 17 to 19. There will be a public meeting to raise awareness about the project in the community, followed by training sessions for interested harvesters. Welcome aboard Qamaniituaq!



## PHOTO OF THE MONTH

This month's photo was submitted by Zachary Oogark of Kugaaruk. These musk-oxen were spotted 58 miles southwest of the community. Congratulations Zachary – your gift card is in the mail!

Join our Facebook page to post and "like" pictures for a chance to win a \$25 gift card. You can also see what's new with the CBMN, receive updates, and stay in touch with other participating harvesters.



For more information about the CBMN or if you are interested in becoming a participant, please contact the Community-based Monitoring Network's Data Clerk in your community:

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