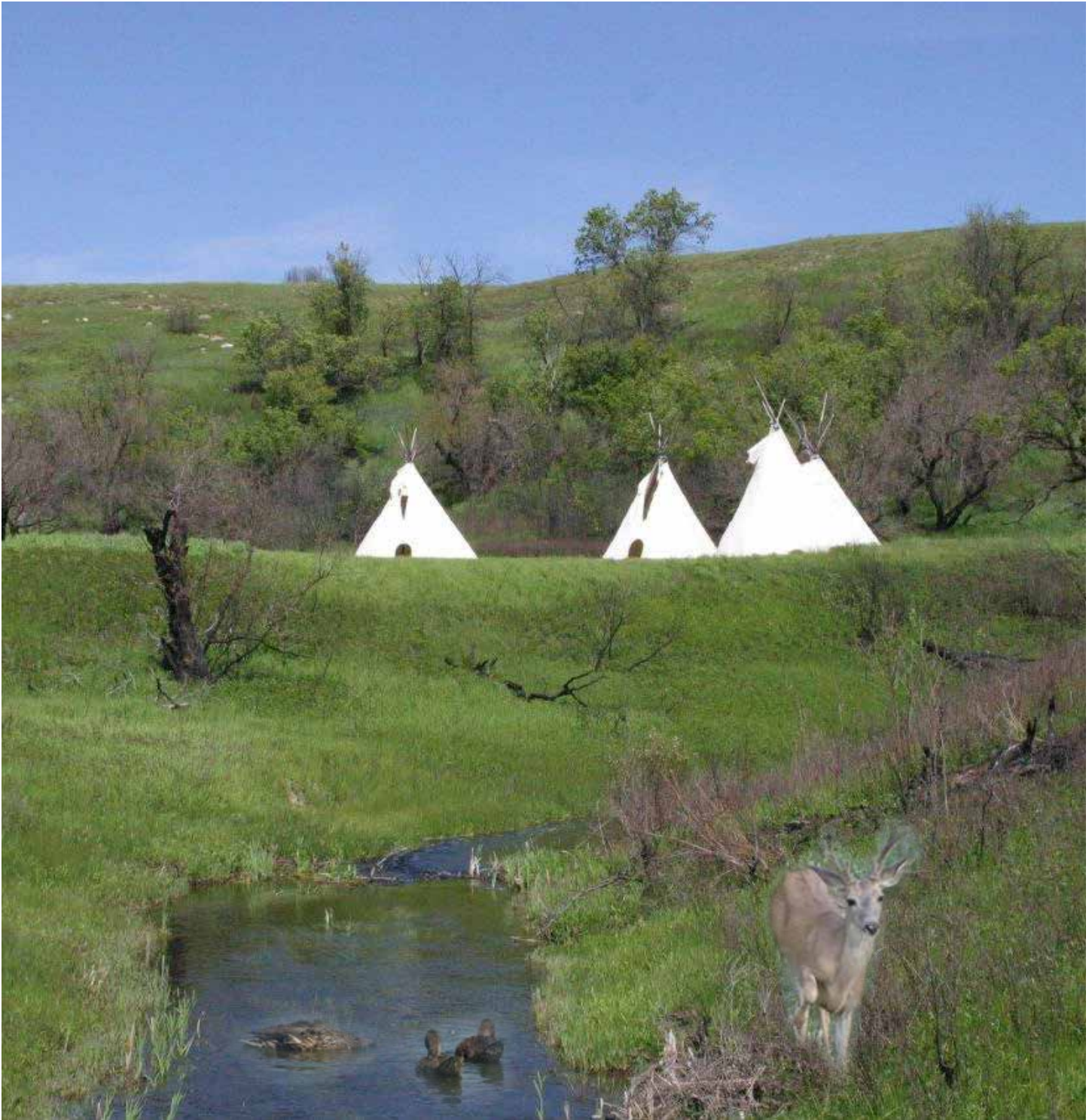


Once long, long ago there was a girl named Nahanni, who lived on the open prairie with her Cree family.





Nahanni's family lived with many other Cree families. These Cree families were some of the very first prairie families. These first families lived happily, as they roamed the prairies, and shared and cared for the land and the waters, and all the prairie animals.



Nahanni's family followed a family tradition of hunting buffalo. This large and lively land animal was very special to the Cree people. Believe it or not, the buffalo provided these first prairie people with pretty much all that they needed like: food, clothing, shelter, and even tools!

