**“National Geographic Society Explorer Grant**”

Dr. Barfield will be working with three Mapuche elders/educators in rural Patagonia, Chile, to create a tri-lingual (English, Spanish, Mapundungun) book based on a Mapuche folktale and illustrated by Mapuche students.  A teachers’ manual will be developed to assist teachers in how to use the book in the classroom and the grant will offer teacher workshops and in-services.  The book will also be available as an eBook.”

Pictures and updates will follow…