



NCGLNAC Newsletter

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Native American Culture, Inc.*

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It's Pow Wow Time!!!! POW WOW VOLUNTEERS

Would you like to volunteer to help with the event setup, event activities or event teardown? It takes many hands and helpers to organize and run our event. If you would like to help, contact one of the following people:

Event Chair-Rachel Sadowski
269-591-0494

Event Co-Chair-Shirley Kennedy
765-650-1028

Event Co-Chair-Steve Beamer
765-617-5986



2022 NCGLNAC • June 11 & 12 Gathering of Great Lakes Nations Portland, IN

The 18th Annual NCGLNAC Pow Wow is almost here!! A detailed full color flyer is included inside this newsletter. This pow wow is one of the first native social dance events of 2022 to attend. There will be vendors, a storyteller, raffles and silent auctions with plenty of dancing! Be sure and invite your friends to come with you to this family friendly event!



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NCGLNAC 2022 Events Calendar*

All Events are held in Portland
Unless Otherwise Noted

- June 11 - 12 18th Annual Gathering
of Great Lakes Pow Wow,
Portland, IN
- July 28, 29, 30, 31 19th Summer Cultural
Arts Classes
Portland, IN
- November 5 Native American Workshops,
(Adults 12 and up)
(Youth 6-9)
(Youth 10-14)
Tippecanoe Arts Federation
Lafayette IN (9 - 4 pm)

*One day additional classes TBA throughout the year.

Attention Newsletter Subscribers

Whether you receive your NCGLNAC newsletter by email or snail mail, if you change your mailing address or email address please notify us. All changes can be sent to Diana Baltz: 2snoopy56@gmail.com.

If your snail mail or email is returned, we will need to remove you from our contact list.

Please update us when necessary!

Scholarships

Scholarships are available for all age level classes. A scholarship form can be found on the NCGLNAC website at www.ncglnac.org.

Applications are processed confidentially on an individual basis throughout the year.

Donations to the NCGLNAC Scholarship Fund can be made by individuals, businesses or corporations as a memorial, or celebration of life achievements. Your donation can help a child, adult or elder attend class. Donations can be sent to NCGLNAC, P O Box 1063, Portland, IN 47371. Thank you for your consideration.

Silent Auctions, Raffles and a Special Silent Auction for Scholarships

There will be many exciting items in this year's Silent Auctions and Raffles. So be sure to check out the NCGLNAC tent to find out all about the great opportunities. Both Saturday and Sunday will have different items in the displays..

However, a special donation was made for our Silent Auction to help generate Scholarship monies. Scholarships help pay fees for Native American art or cultural classes or help students or adults to attend Native American conferences.

Four special tie-dye NCGLNAC LOGO t-shirts will be a part of the Silent Auction on Saturday, June 11 and Sunday June 12 (two for each day). Money raised from these four items will be reserved for Scholarships to help adults or youth attend future events. The Silent Auctions and Raffles will ***all*** be assembled under the NCGLNAC tent.



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18th Annual NCGLNAC Gathering of Great Lakes Nations

June 11 & 12, 2022

Saturday 10 to 9 pm; Sunday 10 to 4 pm EDST
Tri-State Gas Engine Association Grounds
1010 Morton Street • Portland, IN

Open to the Public

Admission \$3 Children under 12 Free
Maximum \$12/car

Free Parking • On-site Camping \$10/15 per Night
Bring Lawn Chairs

Activities include:

Native Talent Contest for Adults and Children
(12 noon Saturday and 11 am Sunday)

Native American Foods • Artisan Demonstrations
Pre-1840 Re-Enactment Camp • Silent Auction
Raffle • Free Children's Activities

Contact:

Rachel Sadowski, Chair, 269-591-0494
Shirley Kennedy, Co-Chair, 765-650-1028
Steve Beamer, Co-Chair, 765-617-5986

Lodging:

Schug House Inn 260-589-2303; Hoosier Inn 260-726-7113
Holiday Inn Express 260-726-6688; Portland Inn 260-591-4502

Grand Entries:

Saturday 1 pm and 6 pm
Sunday 12 noon

Host Drum • Spirit Eagle

Co-Host • Blue Heron

Invited Drum

Strong Heart Singers

Emcee: Aaron L. Stevens

Arena Director: Tim Samaniego

Head Veteran: Charles Keith

Head Dancers:

Andrew Norman • Kayla Becker

Junior Head Dancers:

Adriaan Marks • Izabella Cotterman

All Dancers Welcome

Walk-in Drums Welcome



No politics, drugs, alcohol, firearms or public visitor dogs on the grounds at any time.
Not responsible in the event of accident or loss. We reserve the right to refuse admittance.



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Make checks payable to: NCGLNAC, Inc.

**Inquiries and questions:
call Connie Loyd at 765-744-3672.**

Name

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

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NCGLNAC newsletter sent to you for free by
email, please list your email
address below:**

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**Thank you for helping to keep our printing
and postage expenses under control.**

NCGLNAC Membership Registration

*I wish to become a member of the National Center for
Great Lakes Native American Culture, Inc.
(NCGLNAC) to support the preservation and sharing
of Great Lakes Native American culture through my
gifts and membership activities.*

Name (s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

*Please send the NCGLNAC newsletter by |
email.*

**NCGLNAC Membership Year is the
Membership Anniversary**

Annual Membership Categories

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| Student (Full time to age 25) | \$15 |
| Individual (1 adult) | \$25 |
| Family (2 adults & children to 18 yrs.) | \$40 |
| Grandparents (2 adults & grandchildren to 18 yrs.) | \$50 |

Please list all names

| | |
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| Otter Circle | \$100 - \$249 |
| Beaver Circle | \$250 - \$499 |
| Crane Circle | \$500 - \$999 |
| Wolf Circle | \$1,000 - \$2,499 |

Those interested in becoming patron members of
NCGLNAC at other levels by making special
donations are invited to contact Connie Loyd at

765-744-3672 for more information.

Please send completed form and dues to:

**Connie Loyd, NCGLNAC Treasurer
5306 North State Line Road
Union City, IN 47390**

Membership Benefits Include:

NCGLNAC newsletters, timely NCGLNAC
information, and members discounts to NCGLNAC
cultural arts classes. Dues can be paid by cash,
check, Square or PayPal.



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About NCGLNAC

The National Center for Great Lakes Native American Culture, Inc., was formed as a not-for-profit 501(c)3 educational organization. The Center is comprised of Native and Non-Native members whose mission is to continue and preserve traditional Great Lakes Native American art, history and culture by helping pass those traditions on to Native People and by educating the general public about the importance of Great Lakes Native peoples, their art, history and culture.

The Center has no political agenda. Our focus is on education. We have seen too many of our treasured elders and tradition bearers begin their Spirit Journey without knowing who would carry on in their place. Additionally, we know too many Native people who are displaced from their tribal land-base and separated from their traditional tribal cultures.

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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED

Over the past 21 years, the Center's tribal elders, tradition bearers and members have been presenting at workshops, symposia, university classrooms, conferences, pow wows, elementary schools, libraries, and other cultural and educational events. We look forward to helping Native peoples, urban cultural centers, universities, public and private elementary and secondary schools, and the general public raise their awareness and understanding of the cultural heritage and history of the Great Lakes Native peoples in an inviting, comfortable place with a friendly learning environment.

NCGLNAC now owns nearly 30 acres (generously donated by the Jay County Fair Board) of beautiful, wooded land, complete with grassland, pond and wetlands, located just north of the Jay County Fairgrounds in Portland. The first ethno-botanical hiking trail was opened to the public in 2008.

If you would like to know more about NCGLNAC or receive membership information, please log on to our website at <http://www.ncglnac.org> or contact us at P. O. Box 1063, Portland, IN 47371.