



Theme: "Laughter is Sacred"
September 8-10, 2017
Sky Ute Fairgrounds * Ignacio, CO

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Damon Toledo/ Southern Ute Drum



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department



Robert Ortiz/ Southern Ute Drum

Southern Ute Tribal Council

Mique,

Welcome to the beautiful Southern Ute Reservation and to the 97th Annual Southern Ute Fair & Powwow! On behalf of the Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council and Tribal Membership, we hope you enjoy your time with us.

There are many family friendly events taking place throughout the weekend. We encourage you to participate in the contests like the jalapeno eating contest to the grease pole climb. All contests and events can be found in the latter pages of this Premium Book.

Thank you to the Tribal Staff and volunteers for their dedication to ensure this weekend is a success. A big thank you to the Veterans and visiting Tribal leadership, Royalties, Singers, Dancers, and Spectators.

For 97 years, our tribal members have enjoyed catching up with relatives and friends, we hope that you all spend this weekend telling stories, sharing laughs, and creating new friendships. We pray that the Creator watches over you on your journeys back home. See you next year!



Clement J. Frost, Chairman
Southern Ute Indian Tribe



Southern Ute Tribal Chairman
Clement J. Frost



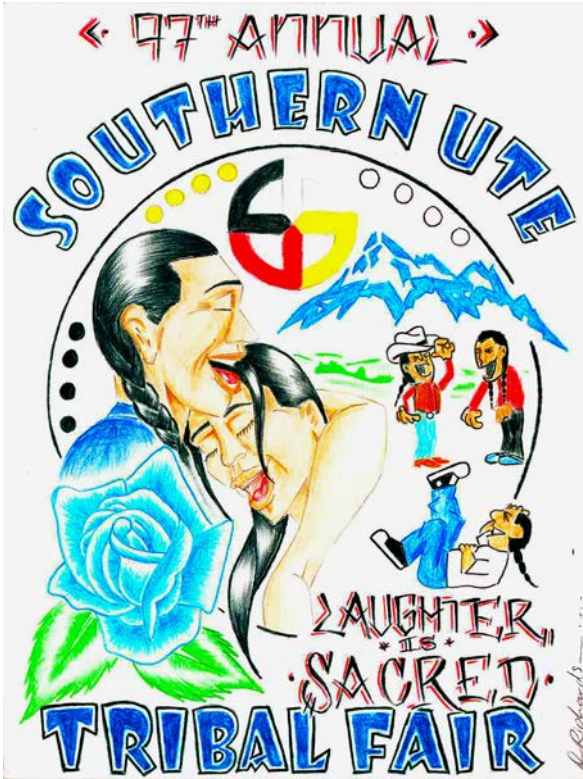
Trennie Collins/Southern Ute Drum

2016-2017 Southern Ute Council (Left-Right)

Kevin Frost, Alex S. Cloud-Vice Chairman, Amy J. Barry, Tribal Chairman-Clement J. Frost, Treasure -Lorelei Cloud, Adam Red and Tyson Thompson

Tribal Fair Logo and Theme

Winning Logo/Theme



Theme: "Laughter is Sacred"

Winning Logo Artist



Maiku Nuuburo'wan (Hello All My Relations)

My name is Dewayne C. Richards. I am an enrolled member of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe from the Capote Band and I'm also Kitkahaki Pawnee. My parents are Howard Richards Sr. and the late Andrea B. Richards. My Grandparents are Barney & Sharon Pinnecoose.

Thank you for the opportunity to design the 97th Annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair Theme and logo "Laughter is Sacred". This piece reflects the belief we have as Indian people that laughter is a powerful medicine used to combat the many hardships of Life. As a gift from the Almighty, Laughter is shared by all to express happiness and bring good things into this world. From Our Ancestors to Our Descendants laughter is unrestricted by time and continues on.

So, with that, I hope you enjoy yourselves, the festivities eat plenty and cherish each other's company. May the Creator watch over you for the celebration and get you home safely.

Respectfully Submitted,
Dewayne Richards

Events Coordinator

Mique' (Hello),
Greetings and welcome to the 97th Annual Southern Ute Fair & Powwow!

I hope you enjoy all the activities that we have lined up for your enjoyment such as the parade, fireworks, arts & crafts, food vendors, beautiful dancing /singing and much, much more! I would like to thank ALL of the Powwow Head Staff, Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Powwow Committee, Southern Ute Royalties, Fair Superintendents and Tribal Council for making this year's event a good one!

Good luck to all Contestants and may the Creator be with you all on your travels back home.

Tog'oiak (Thank you)
Tara Vigil,



Special Events Coordinator
Tara Vigil

Southern Ute Royalty

Miss Southern Ute



Jeremy Shockly/Southern Ute Drum

Maiku,

My name is Lorraine Watts. My Ute name is Dust Maker (gooh-ahh-vee-get) given to me by my Maternal Grandfather, Thomas Wing.

I am from Ignacio, and Towaoc, CO. My Parents are Marshall Watts and Cortia Wing. My Maternal Grandparents are Dorothy and Thomas Wing, and my Paternal Grandparents are Rose and Ed Watts.

My siblings are Ouray Watts, Mouneek Wing, Rena Watts, Megan Watts, April Watts.

My hobbies are horseback riding, archery, fishing, hunting, camping, hiking, and sewing.

On my travels throughout Indian Country, I met many new people like 2016-2017 Miss Indian World,

2016-2017 Miss Denver March, along with many other Royalties. While in Denver, I got to meet our State Senate Representatives and sit in one of their meetings.

Being Ambassador for my people was great learning experience and an honor to represent my Ute people.

I'd like to welcome every one of you to our beautiful Ute land and our 97th Annual Southern Ute Fair, and safe travels home.

Tog'oiak'

Lorraine Watts
Miss Southern Ute
2016-2017

Jr. Miss Southern Ute



Jeremy Shockly/Southern Ute Drum

Mique', Hello,

Welcome dancers, drummers, royalty and visitors to the homeland of the Southern Utes. It is an honor to represent the Southern Ute Tribe at this year's 97th Annual Fair & Pow Wow.

My name is Alexandria Lou-Mari Roubideaux "Autumn Moon", I am the 2016- 2017 Jr. Miss Southern Ute". I am 13 years old and in the 7 th grade at Bayfield Middle School, an enrolled member of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe on my mother's side and Kiowa, Caddo, Oteó, Iowa, and French descent on my father's side.

I am the daughter of Mikki Naranjo and Michael Roubideaux, I have (2) two brothers- Seth and Kai Roubideaux; (2) two sisters – Kenda Roubideaux and Hailey Antonio; (3) three nieces and (2) nephews. I am the granddaughter of Dixie and the late Eugene Naranjo; Julia Yeahquo Roubideaux and the late Murry Roubideaux. Great Grandparents of the late Jack and Annetta Frost; late Vincent and Bertha Grove; late Maurice and Mary Yeahquo; late Joseph and Matilda Veeter-Roubideaux.

I have enjoyed representing my tribe this past year at the annual tribal and community events. I have had the opportunity to travel near and far to annual pow-wow's, and the Southern Ute Cultural Department's events, presentations, and functions. It has been a pleasure to meet various royalties, dignitaries and others throughout my reign this past year.

I would like to give a Special "Thank You" and "I Love You" to my Grandmother, Dixie Naranjo, who is always making "One of a Kind" Dresses for me to wear. I enjoy being with her and taking my mom's place on some of the trips. In addition, to my aunt Brandi Raines and the remainder of my family.

Until our moccasins cross path's may you each enjoy your stay and leave with new friends, and memories!

Togiak,
Alexandria Roubideaux
Jr. Miss Southern Ute
2015-2016

Southern Ute Royalty

Southern Ute Little Brave



Mique & Welcome Everyone.

My name is Dominick Howe GoodTracks. I am very honored to hold the title of Southern Ute Brave 2016-17. I am 9 years old and attend 3rd grade at Bayfield Elementary School. My parents are Kalin GoodTracks, the late Tiffany Box Howe and Jennifer GoodTracks and Gary Alires.

I am the grandson of Robb GoodTracks, Willinda Price and the late Don Howe, Paula Howe and Tilman Box. My great-grandparents are Glenda Price, the late Willard Price, Sr and the late Shirley Williams GoodTracks

I play the violin and perform with the BeFrank Orchestra. I've been with the Rolling Thunder Youth bowling league for the past two years. I participated in the Sun Ute basketball, and Bayfield youth wrestling. I've enjoyed participating

at powwows, gourd dancing, bear dancing and traveling to new places.

It's been an honor to represent my Ute people this year and would like to thank all of you who have given me good words of wisdom and encouragement. A special thank you to my family who have guided me throughout my reign.

I would like to offer a warm welcome to my tribal people and all the visitors attending our annual Southern Ute Fair and Powwow. Let us all enjoy this time of celebration and may the Creator bless you & your families with a safe journey home.

Tog'oiak'

Dominick H. GoodTracks
Southern Ute Brave 2016-17

2016 -2017 Royalty



Sach Smith/Southern Ute Drum

Lorraine Watts, Dominick Howe GoodTracks, and Alexandria Lou-Marini Roubideaux

Southern Ute Committees

Southern Ute Royalty Committee



2017 Southern Ute Royalty Committee (left-right):

Twyla L. Watts, Jennifer Goodtracks, Leonora Burch, Nova Burch

Greetings to all!

The Miss Southern Ute Royalty Committee would like to extend a warm welcome to the 97th Annual Southern Ute Fair and Pow-Wow.

Thank you for traveling to our beautiful reservation nestled in the Four Corners region. There are many activities planned that includes our rich heritage and culture of the Southern Ute people. It is exciting to always see familiar faces, family and friends, and meeting new people.

We appreciate all dancers, singers, committees, and the head staff for all the hard work to make the Fair and Pow-wow what it is today. May you travel back to your homes safely and remember the good memories that were made at this year's festivities. We hope to see you and your families coming back to our beautiful reservation in the years to come.

Gracefully,
The Miss Southern Ute Committee;
Jennifer Goodtracks, Vice-Chairperson
Leonora Burch, Secretary/Treasurer
Edward Box, III, Cultural Dept Ex-Officio
Twyla L. Watts, Member
Nova Burch, Member

Welcome

The Powwow Committee welcomes you to our 97th Annual Southern Ute Fair Powwow here in Ignacio, Colorado. All of us look forward to your participation. We are happy you've chosen to come to our powwow and feel blessed to have you with us. We are especially honored that you have traveled far to be a part of our social event. Now, sit back, relax and enjoy the powwow. We hope your trip will be as memorable for you as it will be for us and that the friends you make here will be treasured. Our Powwow is a time to remember, a time to laugh, to share old stories and make new memories. Our Powwow is a way of coming together to strengthen the Native bond and remind us of the gift of belonging. We can share our history, recall our past and welcome the future.

Southern Ute Powwow Committee



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture

Southern Ute Powwow Committee

Daisy Blue Star
Jennifer Goodtracks
Cindy Winder,
Joe Nevaquaya.
Ramanda Cloud
Mike Santistevan
Joyce Delaware Ford

2017 Southern Ute Powwow Committee (left-right):

Daisy Blue Star, Jennifer Goodtracks, Cindy Winder,
Joe Nevaquaya.

Not Picture: Ramanda Cloud, Mike Santistevan, Joyce Delaware Ford.

Schedule & of Events

Wednesday, Sept.6

8 a.m. – 6 p.m. All exhibits turn-in
(Except Livestock/ Baking)
SUCCM, Large classroom

Thursday, Sept. 7

8 a.m.-7 p.m. Livestock turn-in
Livestock: Sky Ute Fairgrounds
8 a.m.-6 p.m. Baking Turn-in
Baking: SUCCM, Large classroom
8 a.m.-5 p.m. Exhibits displayed
SUCCM, Large classroom

Friday, Sept. 8

8 a.m. -5 p.m. Exhibit displayed
SUCCM, Large classroom
8 a.m-5 p.m. Livestock displayed
Sky Ute Fairgrounds
8 -10 a.m. Annual Softball Challenge
Patrick Silva Softball Field
11:30 a.m- 2 p.m. Fair Kick off Meal
Multi-Purpose Facility, field
4 p.m. Youth Games
Ute Park, Multi-Purpose, field
5 p.m. Gourd Dance
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor arena
7 p.m. Powwow Grand Entry
Sky Ute Fairground, indoor arena

Saturday, Sept. 9

7 a.m.
(registration) The Vigil Family Memorial
Walk/Run
SunUte, Multi-Purpose field
7:30 a.m. The Vigil Family Memorial
Walk/Run
SunUte, Multi-Purpose field
7:30a.m. Parade registration/line-up
(registration) Ignacio High School
7:30 a.m. Kiddie Parade registration/line-up
(registration) Ignacio High School
8 a.m. Men's & Women Softball Tourney
Patrick Silva Field
10 a.m. Parade & kiddie Parade
South on Goddard Ave. (Main Street)
10 a.m. Gourd Dance
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor
arena
1 p.m. Powwow Grand Entry
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor
arena
1 p.m. Sam Burch Memorial Trophy
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield
1 p.m. Horseshoe Tournament
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield

1-3 p.m. Exhibits displayed
SUCCM, Large classroom
1-3 p.m. Livestock displayed
Sky Ute Fairgrounds
1-2:30 p.m. Stickgame Tournament
(registration) Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East lawn
2 p.m. Jalapeno Eating Contest
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield
3 p.m. Stickgame Tournament
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East lawn
4 p.m. Youth Concert
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield arena
5 p.m. Open Co-Ed Tug-O-War
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, outdoor track
5 p.m. Gourd Dance
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor arena
5-7 p.m. Royalty Dinner
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East lawn
7 p.m. Powwow Grand Entry
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor arena
8:30 p.m. Fireworks Display
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield

Sunday, Sept. 10

6 a.m. 3rd Annual Fun 3D Archery Shoot
SunUte Archery Range
(below Sunute)
8-11 a.m. Pancake Breakfast
Sky Ute Fairgrounds
10 a.m.-3 p.m. Exhibit Pick-up/premium payouts
SUCCM, Large classroom
10 a.m. Gourd Dance
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor arena
11 a.m. Red/Green Chili & Salsa
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Exhibit Hall
11 a.m. Grease Pole Climb
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield
11 a.m. Frybread Contest
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, north parking lot
12 p.m. Baby Contest
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, east lawn
12 p.m. Powwow Grand Entry
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor arena
1p.m. All Native Chicken pull
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, track
Afternoon session Powwow Drummer Jalapeno Eating Contest
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, indoor arena
3 p.m. Duck Race
Bear Dance bridge to HWY 151 bridge
3 p.m. All Native Best Painted Horse
Sky Ute Fairgrounds, infield

Events & Contests: Sept. 8 & 9

Friday, Sept. 8

Annual Softball Challenge

Friday, Sept. 8, 8 – 10 a.m.

Location: Patrick Silva Field

Contact: SunUte, 970-563-0214 (www.sunute.com)

Sign up deadline: 5 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 7.

Categories: Open to ALL Permanent Fund, Growth Fund, Sky Ute Casino Resort and BIA employees ONLY!

Games: Sky Ute Casino vs Permanent Fund; Growth Fund vs BIA.

General Softball Rules (enforced):

- Single elimination bracket.
- A minimum of (4) women must play at all times, (2) women in the infield and (2) in the outfield.
- Must have at least nine player to start.
- Official softball ASA bats ONLY!
- Substitutes may enter at any time.

Southern Ute Fair Kick Off Meal

Friday, Sept. 8, 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Location: Multi-Purpose Facility field

Contact: Tara Vigil, 970-563-2985

Youth Games

Friday, Sept. 8, 4 p.m.

Location: Ute Park, Multi-Purpose Field

Contact: McKean Walton, 970-769-7745, Sarah Russell, 970-563-5280

Categories (by age): 2-3years; 4-6 years; 7-9 years; 10-12 years; 13-15 years; 16-18 years. Male and female divisions. Open to tribal members and direct descendants only!

Prizes: 1st - 5th place, cash prizes.

Contests: Snack Run, Cracker eating; Watermelon eating; Softball toss; Egg toss; Foot race; and Three-legged race.

Contest Powwow

Friday, Sept. 8, (times listed below)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Gourd Dance: 5 p.m.

Grand Entry: 7 p.m.

Contacts: ; Cindy Winder, 970-563-0100, ext. 2301

Mike Santistevan, 970-563-0255; Joyce Delaware 775-671-5426

Saturday, Sept. 9

Mens & Women Softball Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 9, 8 a.m.

Location: Patrick Silva Field

Contact: McKean Walton, 970-769-7745

Categories: OPEN Mens/Womens Tournament

Prizes: 1st – 4th places, MVP, All-Tourney



The Vigil Family Memorial Walk/Run

Saturday, Sept. 9, (times listed below)

Location: SunUte Multi-Purpose Field

Contact: SunUte, 970-563-0214 (www.sunute.com)

Registration: 7 a.m. SunUte Park
(behind SunUte Community Center.)

Start: 7:30 a.m. SunUte Park. Finish: Picnic area behind SunUte.

Healthy snack will be served after the walk/run.

Kiddie Parade

Saturday, Sept. 9, (times listed below)

Location: Lineup at Ignacio High School
Parade will proceed South on Goddard Avenue

Contact: Southern Ute Education Dept., 970-563-0235

Kiddie Parade Categories: Open to children 12 years & younger.

Kiddie Parade prizes: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

Youth Group Entry: 1st: \$100, 2nd: \$75, 3rd: \$50
Prize money in following categories: 1st: \$25, 2nd: \$20, 3rd: \$15

Categories:

- Bicycle entry
- Wagon entry
- Native: Male/Female

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Southern Ute Tribal Fair Parade

Saturday, Sept. 9, (times listed below)

Location: Lineup at Ignacio High School, Parade will proceed south on Goddard Avenue.

Contact: Southern Ute Tribal Services, 970-563-2324

Parade lineup and registration: 7:30 a.m. at the Ignacio High School

Parade starts: 10 a.m. from Ignacio High School.

Fair Theme: "Laughter is Sacred"

Parade entries will be judged on adherence to theme.

Categories for Parade Entries:

Float prizes: 1st: \$200, 2nd: \$150, 3rd: \$100

(1st – 3rd place awarded in each category except for Chairman's and Executive Officer's Award)

Floats: All floats will be categorized by either commercial, family or service/organization.

Native Dress (Male/Female): 1st: \$100; 2nd \$75, 3rd: \$50

Best Native Group: \$200

Best Royalty Float: 1st: Trophy (must be current title holder)

Car prizes: 1st: \$100, 2nd: \$75, 3rd: \$50.

Car Categories:

- Rez Car
- Lowrider
- Classic

Chairman's Award: (TBD)

Executive Officer's Award: (TBD)

Horse Prizes: All ages, first place \$100

Horse Categories:

- Best Dressed Horse
- Best Dressed Indian Rider: Male & Female
- Best Dressed Cowboy/Cowgirl Rider

Contest Powwow

Saturday, Sept. 9, (times listed below)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Gourd Dance: 10 a.m.

Grand Entry: 1 p.m.

Contacts: ; Cindy Winder, 970-563-0100, ext. 2301 Mike Santistevan, 970-563-0255; Joyce Delaware 775-671-5426



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department

Sam Burch Memorial Trophy

Saturday, Sept. 9, 1 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield

Contact: Judy Lansing 970-749-7116

**Sponsored by the family descendants of Sam Burch
OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS ENROLLED
OF A FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED INDIAN TRIBE.
Categories:** Class I - Adult (18 years & older)

Class II - Youth (17 years & younger)

Memorial Trophy Payouts: Adult and youth prizes (TBD).

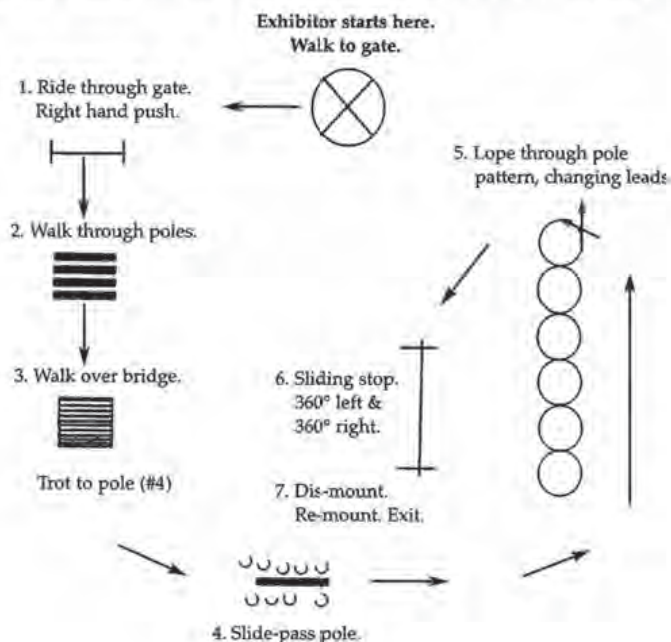
Horsemanship Course (map shown below):

1. Exhibitor will walk to gate, open while mounted, with a right hand push, ride through, close and latch the gate.
2. Proceed to walk through ground poles and continue, walking over bridge
3. Trot to side-pass pole. Side-pass pole from left to right.
4. Lope through pole bending pattern, changing leads between each pole.
5. Sliding stop at #6 obstacle, settle and back-up 10 feet in a straight line.
6. Do (1) 360° spin to the left, then a 360° spin to the right.
7. Dismount. Judge may ask to inspect your equipment at this point.
8. Remount and exit course.

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SAM BURCH MEMORIAL TROPHY HORSEMANSHIP COURSE



Sam Burch Memorial Contest Rules:

- **Competition:** This contest is a competition in the performance and characteristics of a sensible, well-mannered, free and easy-moving ranch horse which can get a person around on the usual ranch chores, in open country rides, and over obstacles.
- **Equipment:** Any western equipment of the exhibitors choices may be used the kind of equipment apparently necessary for the control of the animals, such as tie down, may be considered by the judge in making awards. Extra credit will not be given for expensive, fancy, or parade equipment of the animal or dress of the rider.
- **The Horse:** The horse will judged on riding qualities of gaits (walk, trot and lope), movement, response to the rider, manner, disposition and intelligence. Confirmation will not be judged.
- **The Exhibitor:** The exhibitor will be judged on proper dress (Native or western) and will remain mounted throughout the exhibition except when asked to dismount and remount and ability to control and maneuver the horse.

Horseshoe Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 9, 1 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield

Contact: McKean Walton, 970-769-7745, Sarah Russell, 970-563-5280

Categories: Mens; Womens; Singles & Doubles.

Entry Fees: \$5 Singles, \$10 Doubles.

Prizes: All entry fees go toward jackpot, with \$300 added in each category. Payouts awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place.



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department

Jalapeño Eating Contest

Saturday, Sept. 9, 2 p.m. (Sign-up begins at 1 p.m.)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield (concert stage)

Contact: Robert Ortiz, 970-563-0100, ext. 2253

Categories: Men and Women (18+ years), OPEN TO EVERYONE!

Prizes: Cash prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

- Grand champion payout will be awarded to the fastest overall time between men's and women's categories.
- First to eat five (5) jalapeños wins in his/her category.

Stickgame Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 9, 3 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East Lawn

Contact: Mike Santistevan, 970-563-0255

Categories: Event open to all Native American teams. 2-5 person teams. Double elimination tournament.

Entry Fee: \$125 CASH ONLY.

Registration: Opens 1 p.m.; Closes 2:30 p.m., NO LATE ENTRIES.

Prizes: Guaranteed 1st, 2nd, 3rd place.

Stickgame Rules:

1. Anyone caught cheating will be disqualified from the tournament, including all team members.
2. NO ALCOHOL will be tolerated during ALL tournament games, anyone suspected of being under the influence of alcohol will be disqualified and forfeit their team from all tournament games!
3. NO ARGUING/ATTITUDES – have good sportsmanship during tournament games.
4. NO CELL PHONE USE DURING TOURNAMENT GAMES!
5. Kick stick will be used in ALL TOURNAMENT GAMES.
6. All questions/concerns need to be resolved BEFORE the start of your game.
7. ALL team members MUST BE ON HAND AND READY TO PLAY for all tournament games.

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8. There will be a time limit of 10 minutes in between games
9. Must let the other team know who will be pointing, **WHOEVER HAS THE STICK IS THE POINTER.**
10. **NO ASKING FOR HELP WITH THE POINT OR HIDING** from other team members.
11. When pointing use the **STICK, BONES OR DRUM STICK, NO POINTING WITH YOUR FINGER/HAND.** **WHEN CAUGHT, FORFEIT A STICK.**
12. **NO thumb pointing, fake pointing, or double pointing.**
13. Scarves will be allowed, one hand must be out of the scarf when ready and show both bones when point has been made.
14. If anyone on your team shows the bones **BEFORE** point has been made, bones are forfeited.
15. **NO GOING BACK UNDER**, if caught bones are forfeited.
16. **NO DOUBLE BONES**, if caught bones are forfeited.
17. **NO bone hopping.**
18. IF you hold off a hider and the other hider is ready that person must stay out, **No going back under.**
19. **ALL STICKS MUST BE VISIBLE DURING ALL TOURNAMENT GAMES!**
20. Each game may have a new captain, before you start your game let the other team know who is captain.
21. **PERSON WHO SIGNS UP THEIR TEAM IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL TEAM MEMBERS TO BE AWARE OF THE RULES!**
22. IF THERE IS A PROBLEM – **STOP YOUR GAME IMMEDIATELY AND NOTIFY THE PERSON IN CHARGE ASAP!**
23. Kids playing must have general knowledge of the game. **No coaching**



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department

Southern Ute Tribal Fair Youth Concert

Saturday, Sept. 9, 4 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield (Concert Stage)

Contact: Robert Ortiz, 970-563-0100, ext. 2253

FREE outdoor concert. All ages welcome!

"A concert for the youth promoting a drug & alcohol free way of life, inspiring the youth of our community to follow their dreams and achieve their goals."

THIS IS A DRUG & ALCOHOL FREE EVENT! Anyone suspected of drug/alcohol use, will be asked to leave and reported to the Southern Ute Police Dept.

Bands scheduled to perform: (TBA)

Open Co-Ed Tug-O-War

Saturday, Sept. 9, 5 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, in front of grand stands

Contact: Tara Vigil, 970-563-2985

Categories: 6-member team. 18 and older.(3) men & (3) women

Prizes: Cash award 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

Royalty Dinner

Saturday, Sept. 9, 5 – 7 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East Lawn

Superintendents: 2015-2016, Southern Ute Royalty

Contact: Southern Ute Royalty Committee

Edward Box III, 563-2984

Fireworks Display

Saturday, Sept. 9, 8:30 p.m. (Dusk)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield

Fireworks by Stonebraker Fireworks

Contact: Tara Vigil, 970-563-0100, ext. 2985



Events & Contests, Sun., Sept. 10

Sunday, Sept. 10

5th Annual Fun 3-D Archery Shoot

Saturday, Sept. 10, 6 a.m.

Location: SunUte Archery Range (below SunUte)

Contact: SunUte, 970-563-0214 (www.sunute.com)

Categories: Youth Open, 6-17 years; Youth Traditional/Bow-fingers; Hunter Class (HC) 18 & older; Senior Hunter Class (SHC), 50 years & older.

(meet at the archery Range south end of Sunute)

Prizes: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes (TBD).

No entry fee! Must have own equipment

(limited equipment available for Southern Ute Indian tribal youth).

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, Sept. 10, 8 – 11 a.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Exhibit Hall

Sponsored by: Ring of Champions Boxing Club, LLC

Contact: Maria Archuleta, 970-553-0519 or 970-563-3041

Cost: \$5

Menu: Pancakes, eggs, sausage, coffee and orange juice.

Red/Green Chili & Salsa Contest

Sunday, Sept. 10, 2017

Entries accepted from 10-11:30 a.m.

Judging from 11 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Announcement of winners at 12 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Exhibits Hall

Contact: Robert Ortiz, 970-563-0100, ext. 2253

Categories: Red Chili or Green Chili and Salsa (all varieties).

Prizes: Over-All Grand Champion (chili only). 1st, 2nd, 3rd place (TBD).

The hotter the better, however – taste and freshness will determine winners.

Entries from 10:30 – 11:30 a.m. No late entries, no exceptions!

Chili & Salsa Rules:

- ONLY ONE CHILI OR ONE SALSA ENTRY PER PERSON!
- No cooking on premises. Must bring finished chili and salsa. (Electric burners and electrical cords will be provided).
- Crackers, Tortillas, and Frybread WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- Must provide your own utensils, (please label with name).
- GHOST JUDGING (no one allowed in Exhibit Hall during judging).
- JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL!

Contest Powwow

Sunday, Sept. 10, (times listed below)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Gourd Dance: 10 a.m.

Grand Entry: 12 p.m.

Contacts: ; Cindy Winder, 970-563-0100, ext. 2301 Mike

Santistevan, 970-563-0255; Joyce Delaware 775-671-5426

Greased Pole Climb

Sunday, Sept. 10, 11 a.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield

Superintendent: Southern Ute Growth Fund/TMEAC

Contact: Sarah (970)-563-5280

Categories: Individual: Adult: 13 years & older, Kids: 12 years and younger.

Team: Adults only 13 years & older.

Prizes: Cash prizes.

Greased pole guidelines:

- All participants must sign a waiver !
- 18 years and younger need a parent/guardian signature.
- Team category will consist of 5-person teams, must include one female.
- Individual category must reach the top of pole for envelope.

Sundays events continue on page 12



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department

Events & Contests, Sun., Sept. 10



Frybread Contest

Sunday, Sept. 10, 11 a.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, North of Main Parking Lot

Contact: Lisa Frost, 970-799-2056

Singles category: 15-17 years; 18 and older.

2-team category: 14 years & younger.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place (TBD).

Frybread Contest Rules:

- Open to all Native Americans.
 - Flour, salt, baking powder, shortening, water will be provided.
 - Must bring own utensils, bowls, potholders, etc.
 - **NO PRE-MADE DOUGH WILL BE ALLOWED!**
 - Each contestant will be provided with (3) matches to start fire.
 - No paper to be used to start fire, no outside help.
 - Frybread will be judged on color, texture & taste.
 - **NO OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE WITH JUDGES!**
 - **JUDGES' DECISIONS ARE FINAL!**
- 20-min. time limit:**
- Build fire;
 - Prepare dough;
 - Fry two (2) frybreads to be judged, (swap two (2) of your best within 20 min. if needed).

Baby Contest

Sunday, Sept. 10, 12 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East Lawn

Contact: Angela Herrera, 970-759-0617

Categories: Girls and Boys.

Open to all Native Americans.

Age groups: Infants: 0 to 6 mo.; Crawlers: 7 mo. to 1 year;

Toddlers: 2-3 years

Prizes: 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners.

Judging: Children will be judged on: Best Native Regalia; Best Western Wear; and Best Formal Wear.

Powwow Drummer Jalapeño Eating Contest

Sunday, Sept. 10, Afternoon Session (as schedule allows)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Contact: Robert Ortiz, 970-563-0100, ext. 2253

Prizes: First to eat 5 jalapeños wins \$500, winner-take-all!

• One DRUMMER from each drum group MUST compete!

Duck Race

Sunday, Sept. 10, 3 p.m.

Location: The “ducks” will be released from the Bear Dance Bridge and retrieved at the Highway 151 Bridge.

Contact: Tara Vigil, 970-563-2985

Prizes: Prizes (TBD). The fastest “ducks” will receive payouts.

Category: Open to the general public.

All Native American Chicken Pull

Sunday, Sept. 10, 1:00 p.m.

Location: Sky ute Fairgrounds, Horse Track

Categories: 18 & older

Contact: Tara Vigil (970)-563-2985

OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS!

CASH PRIZE: \$500.00 WINNER TAKES ALL

ALL Native American Chicken Pull Rules

Enter at your own risk!!!

ALL PARTICIPATES MUST SIGN A WAIVER

1. No teams. Individual only.
2. All contestant will line up in a single line to take turns trying to pull the buried bag.
3. Each contestant will get one attempt until the buried bag is successfully pulled out of the ground.
4. After the bag has been successfully pulled out, all contestants may attempt to steal the bag from rider who has retrieved it. The contestants must be on the horse at all times, anything goes.
5. The contestant must then make one lap around the race track with the bag.
6. The individual who has the bag at the finish line is the Winner.

“All Native” Best Painted Horse

Sunday, Sept. 10, 3 P.M.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield

Categories: All Divisions

Contact: Tara Vigil, 970-563-2985

Prizes: 1st: \$300, 2nd: \$200, 3rd: \$100 (All Decisions Are Final!).



Rules, Regulations & Guidelines

Exhibitor's Rules & Regulations

1. **ALL exhibits EXCEPT BAKING AND LIVESTOCK will be taken in on Wednesday, Sept. 6, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the SOUTHERN UTE CULTURE CENTER & MUSEUM (SUCCM).**
2. **ALL BAKING exhibits will be taken in on Thursday, Sept. 7, from 8 a.m. – 6 p.m. at the SUCCM.**
3. **ALL LIVESTOCK exhibits will be taken in from 8 a.m. – 7 p.m. at the SKY UTE FAIRGROUNDS (SUFG) on Thursday, Sept. 7.** Cattle will need to be dropped off at the south end of the indoor arena. All other animals such as chickens, turkeys, ducks, and swine shall be dropped off at the south barn located at the south end of the fair grounds facility. Swine can be placed in a horse stall for exhibit and judging. All other animals must be in cage. Fair superintendents will be there to take entries at the time of drop off. The care, feeding and safety of animals brought to the SUFG shall be the responsibility of the exhibitor. The SUFG and Southern Ute Tribal Fair (SUTF) Committee shall not insure, nor be responsible for the safety or the person tending them. The Southern Ute Agriculture Division will pick up any tribal member elder's animals who do not have a way of getting their animals to the fairgrounds, this only applies to those who do not have trailers. Prior notice must be given to schedule a pick up.
4. **ALL EXHIBITS EXCEPT BAKING AND LIVESTOCK JUDGING will be Wednesday, Sept. 6.**
5. **BAKING AND LIVESTOCK JUDGING will be Thursday, Sept. 7. Judges decisions are final!**
6. All exhibits are limited to Southern Ute tribal members or immediate families (mother, father, sons, daughters, spouses).
7. ALL EXHIBIT ENTRIES will be displayed Friday, Sept. 8, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. and Saturday, Sept. 9, 1 – 3 p.m.
8. **PAYOUT AND PICK: SUNDAY, SEPT. 10, 10 A.M. – 3 P.M. Claim check entry tags will be required to pick up exhibits and payment. Premiums not picked up on Sunday will be available Monday, Sept. 11, at the Southern Ute Finance office, (north entry of the Leonard C. Burch Administration Building).**
9. Exhibits left at the SUCCM will held at Culture Dept. **IT IS MANDATORY TO PICK UP ALL LIVESTOCK!**
10. Every precaution will be taken for the safety of all exhibits, but in no case will the Southern Ute Indian Tribe and Fair be responsible for the LOSS or damage to any entry. The SUFG and Management assumes no responsibility for INJURY, DEATH, FIRE, THEFT or DAMAGE during the Southern Ute Tribal Fair.
11. Loud, unruly, rude or disruptive behavior could result in being prohibited from exhibiting at this/next years Southern Ute Tribal Fair.
Information and Questions please call the Special Events Coordinator, Tara Vigil 970-563-2985.

Vendor & Concession Guidelines

1. **Educational and Non-Profit:** An area is provided at the Sky Ute Fairgrounds for educational and non-profit booths related to the information and/or educational needs of the general viewing public.
 - Booth operations are advised that collection of sale, orders, consignment or any other activity that will provide income shall not be allowed.
 - Booth space shall be assigned on a first-come basis determined by request for space to the Southern Ute Powwow Committee.
 - Booth operators shall be responsible for the materials and equipment required to set-up: chairs, tables, etc.
 - Booth operators shall be responsible for keeping their specific area clean during operations/breakdown.
2. **Concessionaires/Vendors (Outside) contact: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Manager, Kendra Alexander 970-563-5541.**
 - **Concession rates: \$75/per day (10'x10') or \$100/per day (10'x20').** Additional days will be prohibited. Price non-negotiable. All fees due upon execution of the vendor contract. Electricity will be provided. Bring your own setup.
 - Outside vendors must maintain liability insurance and food handling certification.
 - Concessionaire/vendors will be allowed to setup operations Thursday, Sept. 8.
 - The sale of fireworks, play guns, confetti or items considered a nuisance is **STRICTLY PROHIBITED.**
 - Concession space will be marked and reserved by calling the Sky Ute Fairgrounds 970-563-5541. Otherwise vendors will be given space as it is available.
 - All food vendors operating during the Southern Ute Tribal Fair will be required to have a valid Food Training Certificate. Food vendors will also comply to periodical inspection from the United States Indian Health Service during this period for the protection of the general public's health and welfare.
 - All concessionaires will be responsible for keeping their specific area clean and free of hazards during the set-up, operation and disassembly.
 - All concessionaires will be responsible for the removal of their trash. An additional trash container will be made available for your convenience.
 - Vehicles used or designed for the purpose of operating a concession should be in place before the 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. restriction. This applies to vendors in back of pick-ups, trucks, cars, and vans, etc., or self-contained vehicles.
3. **Powwow Vendors (Inside) Contact: Ramada Cloud 505-402-8846.**
4. **Powwow Vendors fees: \$50/day (10'x10').**
 - Arts & Craft and/or general merchandise may set up inside the Sky Ute Fairgrounds Arena on the north side during the scheduled powwow.

Wednesday Turn-in Agriculture

AGRICULTURE INFO

Exhibit Turn-in: Wed., Sept. 6, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., at the SU Culture Center.

Judging: Wed., Sept. 6. Judges decisions are final.

Exhibits Displayed: Thurs., Sept. 7, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 9, 1 - 3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 12 for details.

Superintendent: Southern Ute Agriculture Extension Office, 970-563-0150.

Location: Southern Ute Culture Center & Museum (SUCCM), Large Classroom.

Agriculture Premium Payouts:

Overall Grand Champion: \$30; 1st place: \$24; 2nd place: \$20; 3rd place: \$16

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Agriculture Division Classes:

Class I- Elders (55 years & older)

Class II - Adults (18 years & older)

Class III - Juniors (17 years & younger)

Field Crops

Lot (Field Crops)

1. Hay, Oat
2. Hay, Grass
3. Hay, Alfalfa
4. Hay, Mixed
5. Sheaf of Grass (any species)

Flowers

- Exhibitor must provide vases to keep flower entries watered and attractive.
- Single samples must be typical of the variety represented as to size, shape, color and texture.
- Arrangements must be able to stand upright.

Lot (Flowers)

1. Annuals, Single blossom
2. Annuals, Arrangement
3. Perennials, Single blossom
4. Perennials, Arrangement

Poultry Eggs

- Eggs must be uniform in size, shape and color

Lot (Poultry Eggs)

1. White eggs (half-dozen)
2. Brown eggs (half-dozen)
3. Miscellaneous

Food Preservation

Lots (Food preparation)

1. Canned Fruit
2. Canned Vegetables
3. Canned Meat
4. Dried Fruit
5. Dried Vegetables
6. Dried Meat
7. Pickles
8. Jellies/Jams
9. Frozen Vegetables
10. Frozen Fruit
11. Miscellaneous

Garden & Orchard

- Produce sample must be market size, clean and uniform as to shape, color and maturity.
- Sample should be trimmed, as it would be for market sale.
- Remove tops from root vegetables except for radishes and green onions.
- Do not husk sweet corn.

Special Categories: Open Class

1. Largest Zucchini (1 ea.)
2. Largest Pumpkin (1 ea.)
3. Largest Sunflower Head (1 ea.)

Lot (Garden & Orchard)

1. Beans, Green Snap (1 qt.)
2. Indian Corn (6 ears)
3. Sweet Corn (6 ears)
4. Beets (6/plate)
5. Tomato, Green, any variety (6/plate)
6. Tomato, Ripe, any variety (6/plate)
7. Cherry Tomato (12/plate)
8. Peppers, Bell, any color (6/plate)
9. Peppers, Cherry (12/plate)
10. Peppers, Chile (6/plate)
11. Peppers, Jalapeño (6/plate)
12. Peppers, Miscellaneous (6/plate)
13. Cucumbers (6/plate)
14. Squash, Acorn (2 ea.)
15. Squash, Summer (2 ea.)
16. Squash, Zucchini (2 ea.)
17. Squash, Winter (1 ea.)
18. Potato, White (6 ea.)
19. Potato, Red (6 ea.)
20. Radishes (12 in a bunch)
21. Carrots (6/plate)
22. Turnips (6/plate)
23. Peas, unshelled (12/plate)
24. Peas, Edible Pod (12/plate)
25. Cabbage, any variety (1 head)
26. Onions, any color (6/plate)
27. Onions, green (6/plate)
28. Pumpkin, carving (1 ea.)
29. Pumpkin, Pie (1 ea.)
30. Plumbs, any variety (6/plate)
31. Pears, any variety (6/plate)
32. Apples, any variety (6/plate)
33. Sunflower (2 ea.)
34. Miscellaneous Herbs
35. Melons, any variety
36. Miscellaneous
37. Miscellaneous veggies
38. Miscellaneous fruit
39. Miscellaneous gourds



Wednesday Turn-in Arts & Crafts

ARTS & CRAFTS INFO

Exhibit Turn-in: Wed., Sept. 6, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., at the SU Culture Center.

Judging: Wed., Sept. 6. Judges decisions are final.

Exhibits Displayed: Thurs., Sept. 7, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 9, 1 - 3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 12 for details.

Superintendents: Southern Ute Culture Dept., 970-563-2985.

Location: Southern Ute Culture Center & Museum (SUCCM), Large Classroom.

Arts & Crafts Premium Payouts:

Overall Grand Champion \$30; 1st place: \$24; 2nd place: \$20; 3rd place: \$16

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Arts and Crafts Division Classes:

Class I - Elders (55 years & older)

Class II - Adults (18 years & older)

Class III - Juniors (7 - 12 grades)

Class IV - Elementary (K - 6 grades)

Art

- Exhibits must be complete, on backing material. If not framed or matted, exhibits will be tacked/taped to display wall.
- Written entries must be typed, doublespaced, on 8.5"x11" paper.
- Judges will look for pleasing conformation, use of colors, skill in presentation of theme, innovation in design, overall appearance.
- Arts and Crafts exhibits must have been completed since last Fair.
- Limit ONLY (2) entries per lot.

Lots (Art)

1. Traditional Indian Drawing
2. Contemporary Drawing
3. Traditional Indian Painting
4. Contemporary Painting
5. Composition - Story (letter/original)
6. Poems (original)
7. Miscellaneous

Class V - Art Classroom Competition

Open to Southern Ute Indian Montessori Academy; Ignacio Elementary School; and Southern Ute Head Start students.

Arts & Crafts - Class V Premium Payouts:

1st place: Art basket

Class V Categories: Toddler (0-4 yrs.);

Primary (5-6 yrs.); Elementary (7-9 yrs.)

Lots (Art - Classroom Competition)

1. Traditional Indian Drawing
2. Contemporary Drawing
3. Traditional Indian Painting
4. Contemporary Painting
5. Composition - Story (letter/original)
6. Poems (original)
7. Miscellaneous

Crafts

- Exhibits must be clean and free of visible glue, running paint and other signs of construction.
- Judging on neatness, appropriate use of color and material.
- Arts and crafts exhibits must have been completed since last Fair.
- Limit ONLY (2) entries per lot.

Lots (Crafts)

1. Wood Articles (including carvings)
2. Plastic Articles
3. Leather Articles
4. Models (hand-painted/decal, including cars)
5. Ceramics (pots, vases, etc.)
6. Soft Sculpture
7. Flower Decor (dried, silk, plastic)
8. Mirror Etching
9. Miscellaneous



Robert Ortiz/ Southern Ute Drum

Indian Crafts

Lots (Indian Crafts)

1. Cradle Boards
2. Rawhide Shield
3. Rawhide Drawing
4. Indian Dolls
5. War Bonnet
6. Beaded Moccasin (full/partial)
7. Beaded Neckties, Bolo Ties or Necklace/Chokers
8. Beaded Purse or Coin Purse
9. Beaded Belt/Belt Buckle
10. Beaded Leggings
11. Beaded Earrings
12. Beaded Hair Ties/Barrettes
13. Beaded Pins
14. Beaded Key Chain
15. Beaded Caps/Hats/Sun Visors
16. Beaded Gloves
17. Beaded Hatband
18. Bone Breast Plate
19. Beaded Cell Phone Covers
20. Miscellaneous

Photography

Class I - Elders (55 years & older)

Class II - Adults (18 years & older)

Class III - Juniors (17 years & younger)

Photography - Black & White

Lots (Photography)

1. Portraits (single/Indian Group)
2. Still life (Inanimate)
3. Nature (Wildlife)
4. Nature (Scene)
5. Sports (Action)

Photography - Color

Lots (Photography)

1. Portraits (single/Indian Group)
2. Still life (Inanimate)
3. Nature (Wildlife)
4. Nature (Scene)
5. Sports (Action)

Wednesday Turn-in Homemaking

HOMEMAKING INFO

Homemaking Exhibit Turn-in: Wednesday, Sept. 6, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., at SU Culture Center.

Homemaking Judging: Wed., Sept. 6. Judges decisions are final.

Exhibits Displayed: Thurs., Sept. 7, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 9, 1 - 3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 12 for details.

Superintendents: Southern Ute Culture Dept., 970-563-2985.

Location: Southern Ute Culture Center & Museum (SUCCM), Large Classroom.

Homemaking Premium Payouts:

Overall Grand Champion: \$30; Overall Grand Champion: \$30

1st place: \$24; 2nd place: \$20; 3rd place: \$16

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Homemaking Division Classes:

Class I - Elders (55 years & older)

Class II - Adults (18 years & older)

Class III - Juniors (17 years & younger)



Needlework

- Needlework exhibits must be clean and blocked.
- Judges will look for stitches and rows, no visible knots or yarn ends, stability of the article and innovative use of design and trim.

Lots (Needlework)

1. Embroidered Article
2. Painted Article
3. Crocheted Article
4. Knitted Article
5. Plastic Canvas
6. Doilies
7. Quilts
8. Afghan
9. Pillow Tops (Crocheted, Quilted, etc.)
10. Needlepoint
11. Cross Stitch
12. Weaving
13. Miscellaneous

Clothing

- Exhibits must be clean and pressed.
- Judges will look for smooth seams, hems, and finished, well-turned cuffs and collars, even hand and machine stitching, appropriateness of fabric to pattern and use of trim.

Lots (Clothing)

1. Dress
2. Pant/Top Set (Girls and Ladies)
3. Children's Clothing
4. Blouse
5. Shirts (Western, Sport)
6. Miscellaneous

Indian Clothing

Lots (Indian Clothing)

1. Ribbon Cloth Dress
2. Shell Dress
3. Buckskin Dress
4. Ribbon Shirts
5. Vest (Beaded/Cloth)
6. Shawl (Ribbon/Appliqué/Painted)
7. Miscellaneous



Thursday Turn-in Baking

BAKING INFO

Baking Exhibit Turn-in Thursday ., Sept. 7, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., at SU Culture Center.

Baking Judging: Thurs., Sept. 7. Judges decisions are final.

Exhibits Displayed: Friday., Sept. 8, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 9, 1 - 3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 12 for details.

Superintendents: Southern Ute Culture Dept., 970-563-2985.

Location: Southern Ute Culture Center & Museum (SUCCM), Large Classroom.

Baking Premium Payouts:

Overall Grand Champion: \$30; Overall Grand Champion: \$30

1st place: \$24; 2nd place: \$20; 3rd place: \$16

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 10, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Baking Division Classes:

Class I - Elders (55 years & older)

Class II - Adults (18 years & older)

Class III - Juniors (17 years & younger)

Baking

Exhibits Must Have:

- Required number of product; be attractively presented.
- Even browned/raised (baked/fried).
- A pleasant taste.
- Characteristic and consistency of crumb.
- Very smooth texture (candy).

Exhibits Should Not Be:

- Doughy or undercooked. Too sticky or too hard (candy).
- Extremely oily (fried foods).

Special Category

1. Decorated Cakes

Lots (Baking)

1. Yeast Bread (1 loaf or 6 rolls)
2. Quick Breads – Cornbread (6/plate)
3. Quick Breads – Muffins (6/plate)
4. Quick Breads – Biscuits (6/plate)
5. Indian Bread – Fry bread (2/plate)
6. Indian Bread – Tortillas (2/plate)
7. Miscellaneous Breads – Zucchini
8. Miscellaneous Breads – Banana
9. Miscellaneous Breads – Pumpkin
10. Sweet Rolls (6/plate)
11. Cake (all varieties)
12. Pies (open-faced or covered)
13. Cup Cakes (6/plate)
14. Cookies – Chocolate Chip (6/plate)

15. Cookies – Peanut Butter (6/plate)
16. Cookies – Oatmeal (6/plate)
17. Cookies – Sugar (6/plate)
18. Brownies
19. Jelly Rolls
20. Miscellaneous



Youth Baking

Class IV - Youth (5 – 10 years)

Lots (Baking - Youth)

1. Indian Bread – Fry bread (2/plate)
2. Indian Bread – Tortillas (2/plate)
3. Cake (all varieties)
4. Cup Cakes (6/plate)
5. Cookies – Chocolate Chip (6/plate)
6. Cookies – Peanut Butter (6/plate)
7. Cookies – Oatmeal (6/plate)
8. Cookies – Sugar (6/plate)
9. Brownies
10. Miscellaneous



Thursday Turn-in LiveStock

LIVESTOCK INFO

All Livestock Turn-in: Thurs., Sept. 7, 8 a.m.-7p.m., at the Sky Ute Fairgrounds.

Judging: Thurs., Sept. 7, Judges decisions are final.

Exhibits Displayed: Fri., Sept.8, 8a.m.-5p.m. and Sat., Sept. 10, 1-3p.m.

Exhibits Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 10, 10a.m.-3p.m.

Livestock Division is open to tribal members and their immediate family members. See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 12 for more details.

Superintendent: Southern Ute Agriculture Extension Office, 970-563-0150.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds.

Livestock Premium Payouts:

Grand Champion: \$300; 1st place: \$200; 2nd place: \$100, 3rd place: \$50

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 10, 10a.m.-3p.m.

Rabbits

Lots (rabbits)

1. Buck
2. Doe

Sheep

Lots (Sheep)

1. Mature Ewe
2. Mature Ram
3. Lamb
4. Ewe-lamb pair (or twins)

Swine

Lot (Swine)

1. Sow
2. Boar
3. Barrow or Gilt (altered sex)

Poultry

Lots (chicken)

1. Rooster
2. Hen
3. Pullet
4. Miscellaneous bird

Lot (Turkey)

1. Tom
2. Hen

Lots (Ducks & Geese)

1. Drake
2. Duck
3. Gander
4. Goose

Goats

Lot (Goats)

1. Nanny
2. Weather
3. Billy

Horses

Lot (horses)

1. Mares
 2. Geldings
 3. Yearlings Colts & Fillies
- (under 1 year)

Livestock

Lot (Cattle)

1. Mature
2. Mature Bull
3. Heifer
4. Steer
5. Cow-Calf Pair



Important Number & websites

- Southern Ute Indian Tribe: 970-563-0100 (www.southernute-nsn.gov)
- Special Events Coordinator: 970-563-0100 ext. 2985
- SU Powwow Committee: 970-799-3149, 970-563-0255, 970-563-2301
- Sky Ute Fairgrounds Mgr.: 970-563-5541 (www.skyutefairgrounds.com)
- Sky Ute Casino Resort: 970-563-7777 (www.skyutecasino.com)
- SunUte Community Center: 970-563-0214 (www.sunute.com)
- SU CULTURE CENTER & MUSEUM: 970-563-0100 EXT. 2431
- THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM: 970-563-0118 (www.sudrum.com)
- KSUT Tribal Radio 91.3 FM: 970-563-0255 (www.ksut.org)
- Town of Ignacio: 970-563-9494 (www.colorado.gov/ignacio)
- Southern Ute Police Dept.: 970-563-4401
- Ignacio Police Depart.: 970-563-4206
- Emergency: 911

Special Events Coordinator:

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97th Southern Ute Tribal Fair

CONTEST POWWOW

Sept 8 - 10, 2017

Grand Entry

Friday: 7 p.m.
Saturday: 1 p.m. & 7 p.m.
Sunday: 12 p.m.

Women's Dance Contests

Women's Golden Age (50+)
1st: \$1,000; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$600

Women (18-49)
1st: \$1,000; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$600
• Fancy Shawl
• Jingle
• Southern Cloth & Buckskin
• Northern Cloth & Buckskin

Teen Girls (12-17)
1st: \$500; 2nd: \$400; 3rd: \$300
• Fancy
• Jingle
• Southern Traditional
• Northern Traditional

Junior Girls (7-11)
1st: \$300; 2nd: \$200; 3rd: \$100
• Fancy
• Jingle
• Combined Traditional

Information

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Joyce Delaware: 775-671-5426

W-9 tax form required
for adult dance/drum contests

Free Admission, Parking, & Camping

Powwow registration
Fri. 5 p.m. thru Sat. 2 p.m.

Head Staff

Southern MC - RG Harris
Northern MC - Isaiah Stewart
Host Southern Drum - Cozad
Host Northern Drum - War Paint
Host Gourd Drum - Sovo Drum Group
Arena Director - Juaquin Hamilton
Drum Judge - Jay Dusty Bull
Head Gourd Dancer - Billy Komahcheet
Color Guard - So. Ute Veteran's Association



Artwork: Russell Box, Sr. • Poster: Dana Kopf / SUSS

Drum Contest

Southern	Northern
1st: \$10,000	1st: \$10,000
2nd: \$8,000	2nd: \$8,000
3rd: \$5,000	3rd: \$5,000
4th: \$3,000	4th: \$3,000

Special Contest

Drum Special - sponsored by Powwow Committee

Gourd Dance

Friday: 5 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m. & 5 p.m.
Sunday: 10 a.m.

Men's Dance Contests

Men's Golden Age (50+)
1st: \$1,000; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$600

Men (18-49)
1st: \$1,000; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$600
• Fancy
• Grass
• Chicken
• Southern Straight
• Northern Traditional

Teen Boys (12-17)
1st: \$500; 2nd: \$400; 3rd: \$300
• Fancy
• Grass
• Southern Straight
• Northern Traditional

Junior Boys (7-11)
1st: \$300; 2nd: \$200; 3rd: \$100
• Fancy
• Grass
• Combined Traditional

Tiny Tots

Paid Daily

Vendors

Arts & Crafts (Inside)
Ramada Cloud
505-402-8846
10'x10', \$50/day
Bring your own setup

Food Concession (Outside)
Kendra Alexander
970-563-5541

No walk around vending / raffles!

Sky Ute Fairgrounds - Ignacio, CO

The Powwow Committee is not responsible for accidents, injuries, or theft. Alcohol, drugs, and weapons prohibited.

Powwow Head Staff

Northern Emcee



Isaiah Stewart
(Oglala Lakota)

Isaiah Stewart is an enrolled member of the Oglala Lakota Tribe of the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. His Lakota name is Tasunke Wamniomni Luta, which translates to Red Whirlwind Horse. Isaiah is the son of the late William Stewart and Kayeri Akweks. Isaiah's paternal grandmother is Jesse American Bear-Halsey, and Great Grandmother is Rose White Magpie. He currently resides in Lawrence, Kansas, where he received his AA Degree from Haskell Indian Nations University and received a Bachelor's of Fine Arts from the University of Kansas. Isaiah is married to Melissa Stewart and together, they have a two year old daughter, Phoenix Maste Win Stewart. Isaiah was originally a Grass Dancer like all the men in his family but has been dancing Prairie Chicken for the past five years. He began dancing the Prairie Chicken style under Chad Kills Crow who originally inspired him. Isaiah has had many people help and inspire him along the way; recently he received a song

from Blackfoot Confederacy's Jay Dustybull. While attending Haskell, Isaiah was brought in to emcee basketball games; which lead to speaking at local powwows in the Kansas area. His first big celebration was two years ago at the Prairie Band Potawatomie Pow wow.

Incorporating Isaiah's college education with his traditional values was always his intention on giving back to his people and the Pow wow community. He started the t-shirt company "Wacipi State" that creates a mythical University that celebrates everything pow wow. Using his artwork and ideas, he creates a narrative for Native people to celebrate their love for pow wow outside the arena.

Isaiah is honored to serve as the third Emcee for the 42nd Annual Denver March Pow wow. He hopes you will enjoy yourself and take home a good feeling from the stories, songs, and dancing that are shared at this year's pow wow.

Southern Emcee



RG Harris
(Sac&Fox, Ponca, Sioux)

Hello to all my relatives! I would like to begin by saying welcome to each and everyone! My name is RG Harris, I am Sac-n-Fox/ Ponca/ Rosebud Sioux from Stroud, Oklahoma.

I would like to thank the committee for asking me to serve as the Southern MC at this year's Southern Ute Fair Powwow. I'm very honored along with my wife of 34 years, Joyce Nevaquaya Harris to be here. I hope everyone has a wonderful weekend and thank you again!!

Arena Director



Juaquin Hamilton
(Sac & Fox)

Juaquin Hamilton is an enrolled member of the Sac & Fox Nation, but also represents the Pawnee, Otoe-Missouria, Cheyenne, Kiowa, Apache, & Tonkawa Tribes. He currently resides in Shawnee, Oklahoma with his wife & two children.

With an introduction into the arena at an early age, Juaquin has developed a love for singing at the drum as well as dancing in the southern straight dance category. Over the years, he has also held many different Head Staff positions at pow-wows throughout the United States and Canada.

Juaquin gives thanks to the Creator for all the blessings he has received throughout his life and would like to extend his gratitude to the Committee for asking him to serve as Arena Director at this year's pow-wow. He would also like to wish everyone an enjoyable experience at this year's celebration.

Thank you.

Juaquin Hamilton

Powwow Head Staff

Head Gourd Dancer



Billy Komahcheet
(Comanche)

Billy Komahcheet is from the Comanche Nation. He lives in Indianoma, Oklahoma, with his wife Amber and grandson Chebon. Billy has made a career in Indian Housing working in that field for over 20 years as Executive Director for various tribes. Being a lifelong member of the Comanche Native American Church, Billy is currently serving in his second year as President for the Church. He was one of the attendees and participants of the 1976 Peace Treaty Ceremonial between the Southern Ute Nation and the Comanche Nation. Billy has traveled extensively throughout the United States in the powwow circle, ceremonial, as well as in his professional capacity. He has been honored by many different individuals as well as families by being accepted and taken as a family member. Billy is a

member of the Comanche Gourd Society. It is both an honor and privilege for Billy to be able to serve in the capacity of Head Gourd Dancer and he wishes to express his appreciation to the Committee for selecting him in this capacity.

Head Gourd Drum



Sovo Family (Comanche)

Host Southern Drum



Cozad Singer
(Kiowa)

The Cozad Singers have been a family Drum Group since the early 1940's. Their father the Late Leonard Cozad Sr. formed this group of family singers. Leonard Sr. was the Original Drum Keeper and Hereditary Song composer for the Kiowa Gourd Clan. He helped revive the Dance and songs and the Kiowa Tonkongau songs and dance ceremonials. He also composed numerous Gourd Dance songs and O-Ho-Mah songs for tribal organizations, individuals and families which are still sung today around the powwow circle. The drum group consist of (sons) Leonard Jr., James, Charlie, Lewis,

Daniel Sr., Larry, Joe, Andy, Vernon, Rusty Sr. (Sisters) Naomi, Marie, Ora, Kathy, May, Karen. (*Some of the sons and daughters have since made their heavenly journey.) They're sincerely missed. And now the nephews, nieces, grandsons and granddaughters are now taking their place at the drum as well. The Cozad Singers are members of the Kiowa Chapter Native American Church, Kiowa Tonkongau, Kiowa Gourd Clan, Kiowa O-Ho-Mah lodge. They travel extensively either fulfilling their Host Drum or Head singing duties and at certain times enter singing competition across the U.S. "As we sing we sing to God first and for those mourning, having health issues or need of healing through this drum and songs." We the Cozad Singers are honored to serve as the Southern Host Drum for the Southern Ute Fair and Powwow.

Powwow Head Staff

Host Northern Drum



WarPaint
(Lumbee/Tuscarora)

WarPaint was established in the summer of 2013 at the Lumbee homecoming powwow. WarPaint is based out of Robeson county and mainly has Lumbee/Tuscarora members. All the members had already been singing together for years on various drum groups and we decided to create our own drum group with our own unique style. The drum group was also formed to honor the Lumbee elder, Ray Littleturtle and the teachings he gave us. Since that summer we have traveled all over Indian country singing and making life long friendships and memories. We hope to continue to paint the trail for many more years to come and represent our strong southeast native heritage #GetPainted

Drum Judge



Jay Dusty Bull
(Blackfeet Nation)



Powwow Head Staff

Northern MC: Isaiah Stewart
Southern MC: R.G. Harris
Arena Director: Juaquin Hamilton
Host Northern Drum: WarPaint Singers

Host Southern Drum: Conzad Singers
Drum Judge: Jay Dusty Bull
Head Gourds Dancer: Billy Komahcheet
Gourd Drum: Sovo Family

2016 Powwow Contest Winners

Women Elder Age

- 1.Carmen Clarimont
- 2.Priscilla Schrock
- 3.Linda Standay

Women Golden Age

- 1.Keri Jane Myers
- 2.Ladybird Jack
- 3.Carol McCabe

Women Southern Buckskin

- 1.Dalynn Alley
- 2.Tashena Chitwood McCabe
- 3.Rena Kanip

Women Southern Cloth

- 1.Rosie Motah
- 2.Ponkerwe Victors
- 3.Tara Goodfox

Women Northern Buckskin

- 1.Lautiss Shebala
- 2.Tillie Corersup
- 3.Tamara Toya

Women Northern Cloth

- 1.Cree Medicine Bear
- 2.Tilda Wasley
- 3.Kaylyn LeClair

Women Jingle

- 1.Mallary Oaks
- 2.Paula Shebala
- 3.Danette Chee Chief

Women Fancy

- 1.Keya Clairmont
- 2.Brennah Wahweotton
- 3.Urseloria Walsey

Teen Girl Southern Traditional

- 1.Jayla Iron
- 2.Amaya Quintana
- 3.Kelsey Quintana

Teen Girl Northern Traditional

- 1.Qteskwebeeksaki Shebala
- 2.MaKeena Begay
- 3.Leiyalynn Yazzie

Teen Girls Jingle

- 1.Shashawna Jack
- 2.Lillian Eagle Speaker
- 3.Jaren Wyaco

Teen Girls Fancy

- 1.Cheyenne Chee
- 2.Jamarah Gray
- 3.Kenna Faithful

Jr. Girls Traditional

- 1.Kiahna Slim
- 2.Kalari Yazzie
- 3.Octaviana John

Jr. Girls Jingle

- 1.Leilani Benally
- 2.Jodene Cate
- 3.Omiyosiw Warren

Jr. Girls Fancy

- 1.Neveah Jishie
- 2.Alexandria Windboy
- 3.Kee'ala Walsey

Elder Age Men

- 1.Edd Scott
- 2.Norman Largo
- 3.Earl Sherman

Golden Age Men

- 1.Jonathan Windyboy
- 2.Bruce LeClaire
- 3.Garland Kent

Men's Southern straight

- 1.Anthony Monessy
- 2.Buck Wallahee
- 3.Shude Victors

Men's Northern Traditional

- 1.Reuben Crowfeather
- 2.Merle Eagle Speaker
- 3.Joseph Kanip

Men's Grass

- 1.Lakota Clairmont
- 2.Wesley WindyBoy
- 3.Desmond Madera

Men's Fancy

- 1.Mitchell Baker
- 2.Davey Madera
- 3.Corey Reeder

Men's Chicken

- 1.Nelson Baker
- 2.Algin Scabby Robe
- 3.Sheldon Scaplock

Teen Boy's Southern Traditional

- 1.Darian Adakai
- 2.Lyndrith Yazzie
- 3.Ross Victors

Teen Boy's Northern Traditional

- 1.Leo Eagle Speaker
- 2.Seymore Eagle Speaker
- 3.Kaneysa Z

Teen Boy's Grass

- 1.Danoke Augustine
- 2.Travontae Bencenti
- 3.Fast Eddie Munoz

Teen Boy's Fancy

- 1.Terrell Johnson
- 2.Brent Bob
- 3.Tristan Joe

Jr. Boy's traditional

- 1.Tayan Benson
- 2.Darrian Archuleta
- 3.Aj Gray

Jr. Boy Fancy

- 1.Drekell Johnson
- 2.Zundell Joe
- 3.Adam Topaha

Jr. Boy's Grass

- 1.Payton White Buffalo
- 2.Mylan Achuleta
- 3.Xaiver Bolton

Southern Drum

- 1.Wild Band of Comanches
- 2.Southern Style
- 3.Bad Company

Northern Drum

- 1.Young Bear
- 2.Young Spriit
- 3.Iron Horse
- 4.White Bull

Tribal Fair & Powwow 2016

Youth Concert



Robert Ortiz/ Southern Ute Drum

Horsemanship



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department

Food



Sach Smith/Southern Ute Drum

Youth Games



Powwow



Sacha Smith/ Southern Ute Drum

All Native Tug-O-War



Kree Lopez/Southern Ute Culture Department

All Native American Chicken Pull



Sunday, Sept. 10th at 1:00 p.m.
Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track
Categories: All divisions
OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS!
CASH PRIZE: \$500.00 WINNER TAKES ALL

ALL Native American Chicken Pull Rules

Enter at your own risk!!!

ALL PARTICIPATES MUST SIGN A WAIVER

1. No teams/Individual only
2. All Contestants will line up in a single line to take turns trying to pull the buried bag.
3. Each Contestant will get one attempt until the buried bag is successfully pulled out of the ground.
4. After the bag has been successfully pulled out, all Contestants may attempt to steal the bag from rider who has retrieved it. The Contestants must be on the horse at all times, anything goes.
5. Contestant must then make one lap around the race track with the bag.
6. The individual who has the bag at the finish line is the Winner.

For more information contact: Tara Vigil (970)-563-2985

southern Ute Fair Kick-off Meal



Friday, Sept. 8th, 2017

11:30 a.m. - 2:00p.m.

Location: Multi-Purpose Facility Field
Open to Southern Ute Tribal Members & Family,
and Southern Ute Tribal Staff
(Growth Fund, Casino, and Permanent Fund)

For more information contact : Tara Vigil
(970)-563-2985

97th Southern Ute Fair Open Co-Ed Tug-O-War



When: Saturday, Sept. 9th at 5:00 P.M.
Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds
Categories: Six (6)- member team, 18 and older.
OPEN TO EVERYONE!
PRIZE: CASH AWARD, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place

Tug-O-War Rules:

1. Teams will consist of Six (6) members; 3 men and 3 women.
2. No hard cleats or spikes allowed (softball style turf shoes are acceptable.)
3. First team to pull flag over marker line wins.
4. Rope must be gripped with both hands and not locked in any way by twisting around arm or body (grip aiding compounds such as chalk or resin will be accepted.)
5. The anchor position may wrap the rope around the body but must still maintain grip with hands only.
6. No sitting or leaning as to make contact with the ground with any part of the body except feet.
7. Winner will be decided by winning two pulls per opponent.

For More Information Please contact: Tara Vigil at (970)563-2985

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

When: Sept. 10th

8:00-11:00 A.M.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds

Cost: \$5.00

Sponsored by: Ring of Champions Boxing Club, LLC

Menu:

Pancakes

Eggs

Sausage

Coffee

Orange Juice

For More Information Please Contact: Maria Archuleta
(970)563-0519



9TH ANNUAL SKY UTE CASINO CLASSIC

Car Show

Saturday, September 9th, 2017 • NO ENTRY FEE • Registration @ 8:30AM



Passenger Cars • Street Rods • Trucks • Specialized Categories

The first 150 entries receive a gift bag.
Over 20 categories including People's Choice & Best in Show.

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