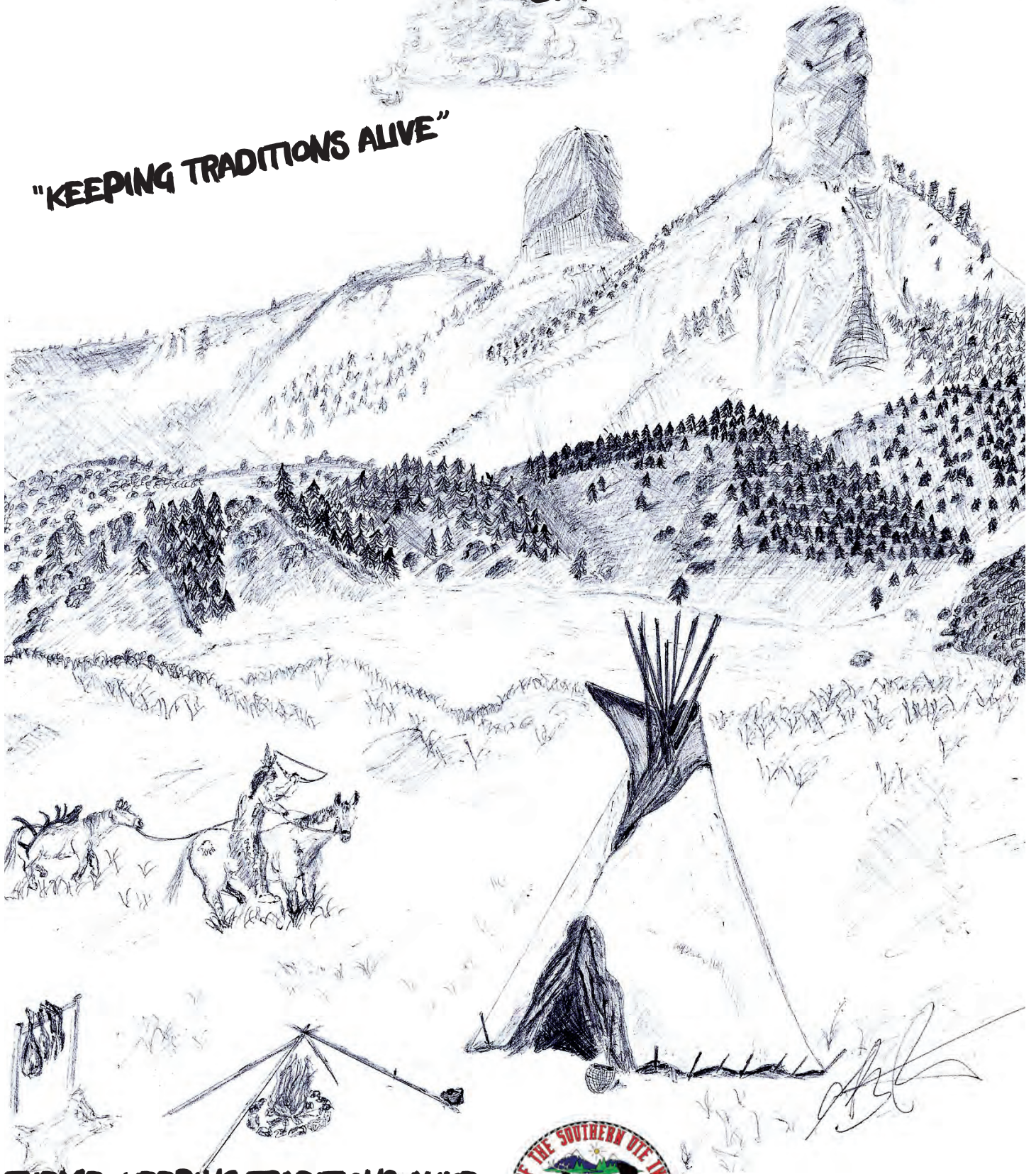


98TH ANNUAL SOUTHERN UTE TRIBAL FAIR & POWWOW

"KEEPING TRADITIONS ALIVE"



THEME: KEEPING TRADITIONS ALIVE
SEPTEMBER 7-9, 2018
SKY UTE FAIRGROUNDS-IGNACIO, CO



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SOUTHERN UTE TRIBAL COUNCIL



Maria Rivera/ SU DRUM

Southern Ute Tribal Chairman
Christine Sage

Greetings!

It is an honor and pleasure to welcome you to the Southern Ute Indian Reservation and the 98th Annual Southern Ute Fair and Powwow! On behalf of the Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council and the Tribal Membership, I encourage you to experience all that this breathtaking region has to offer.

We hope you are able to take part in the many family-oriented activities throughout the weekend, such as the kids games on Friday, September 7, 2018 and our one-of-a-kind Parade held on Saturday, September 8, 2018. After the conclusion of the Parade, you can join Tribal Council and the Sunshine Cloud Smith Youth Advisory Council for free watermelon! You can find all the weekend's events in this Premium Book.

I would like to thank the Tribal staff and volunteers who have dedicated countless hours towards this celebratory event.

Thank you to the Veterans and all the visiting Tribal Leadership, Royalties, Singers, Dancers, and Spectators.

Please enjoy your time on our beautiful reservation. I pray for your family's safe return home.

Christine Sage, Chairman
Southern Ute Indian Tribe



2017-2018 Southern Ute Council (left-right)

Cedric Chavez, Treasurer-Lorelei Cloud, Tribal Chairman-Christine Sage, Vice-Chairman-Cheryl Frost, Adam Red, and Melvin J. Baker.

McKayla Lee/SU DRUM

TRIBAL FAIR LOGO AND THEME

Winning Logo Artist



Alex Pena
Southern Ute Indian Tribe

"KEEPING TRADITIONS ALIVE"

In order to capture what I was feeling and wanting to express I used a pen to represent the forever presence that our ancestors will have on the land around us. I chose to draw a very symbolic landmark where, in the past, was used for communication, ceremonies, and living. Overlooking prime hunting grounds as well as hundreds of miles in either direction, Chimney Rock, to me, displays a bold, very powerful energy that not only did the people of our past utilize but still hundreds of people gravitate to this place every single year. I tried to put myself into the viewpoint of a hunting party that has put camp in one of the great meadows where all of the game gravitate towards. Being a hunter myself I know the amount of work it takes to not only harvest an animal but also the rewarding part after the hard work of packing an animal out of some difficult terrain. Before processing the kill, saying a prayer and giving thanks to the animal and our creator for allowing us to feed our families. Taking a life to continue living ours, gives me great pride for the privilege I have. Piece by piece carefully keeping the meat clean and trying to avoid the insects who also want to take advantage of the success. The smell of a nice fire and fresh meal as the last hunter rides in from the rewarding adventure. A look back into the past and thinking about standing where one of our people had probably once stood before, makes me appreciate the land and try to do my part to help preserve as much as we can from the past. Keeping traditions alive and passing them down to younger generations is very important in order for our people's stories to be kept alive and strong. Rather than trying to start new and different ways to do things, I think it is important to do most of what we do as our people of the past has done for hundreds of years prior. Remember where everything originated from and bring it back to life! Make it just as strong as it was when the tribes ran free, surviving, thriving, and establishing great roots!

Alex Pena

Special Events Coordinator

Mique (Hello),
Greetings and welcome to the 98th Annual Southern
Ute Fair & Powwow!

I hope you enjoy all the activities that we have lined up for you enjoyment such as the Parade, Fireworks, Arts & Crafts, Food Vendors, beautiful dancing/ singing and much more! I would like to thank all the Powwow Head Staff, Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Powwow Committees, 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,



Tara Vigil
Special Events Coordinator

SOUTHERN UTE COMMITTEES

Mique,

The Southern Ute Royalty Committee would like to extend a sincere welcome to our 98th Annual Southern Ute Fair and Pow-Wow.

Welcome to our beautiful reservation located in southwestern Colorado. The Southern Ute Indian Tribe and reservation are an important part of our history in this area. The present day Southern Utes make up two of the seven bands of Utes, which are the Mouache and Capote bands.

There are many events planned for this year's So. Ute Tribal Fair that you may participate. We appreciate and thank those involved for all their hard work to make the fair and pow-wow a success.

May you have a memorable time here with us, please travel safely home to your loved ones and we hope to see you again next year.

Respectfully,

The Southern Ute Royalty Committee;

Jennifer Goodtracks, Vice-Chairperson

Leonora Burch, Secretary/Treasurer

Nova Burch, Elder Committee Member

Corliss Taylor, Committee Member

Edward Box, III, Cultural Department Ex-Officio

Southern Ute Royalty Committee



McKayla Lee /SU DRUM

2018 Southern Ute Royalty Committee (left-Right)

Corliss Taylor, Nova Burch, Leonora Burch, Jennifer Goodtracks. Not pictured: Edward Box III

Southern Ute Powwow Committee



Kree Lopez/ SU Culture

2018 Southern Ute Powwow Committee (left-Right)

Hilda Burch, Daisy Bluestar, Ramada Cloud, Joseph Nevaquaya, Jennifer Goodtracks, Shirley Bancroft Price
Not pictured: Violet Leslie

Maykh! (Hello)

On behalf of the Southern Ute Pow Wow Committee, we welcome you to the 98th Annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair Pow Wow the homeland of the Mouache/Capote Bands, Ignacio CO! We are truly blessed and honored to have you as our guests during this time of dancing and singing! We thank our travelers, our hosts, committees, drummers, dancers, Royalties, and most of all the Southern Ute Tribe for creating unity to make a memorable event for each and every one of us! We send blessings to each and every one who traveled near and far, that each and every one of you that make it to our event and travels home safely. We look forward to sharing all that we have worked towards. Enjoy the beauty of Colorful Colorado, our beautiful mountains to the North, the sunrises over the eastern hills and the Colorful sunset into the west of our little home town Ignacio CO. Please enjoy your time here; laugh, dance and make memorable memories! With much respect to everyone, the Southern Ute Pow Wow Committee thanks you!

Toghoyah! (Thank You)
Southern Ute Pow Wow Committee
Hilda Burch
Daisy Bluestar
Ramada Cloud
Joseph Nevaquaya
Jennifer Goodtracks
Shirley Bancroft Price
Violet Leslie

SOUTHERN UTE ROYALTY

MISS SOUTHERN UTE



Miss Southern Ute 2017- 18
Lorraine Watts

Mique, welcome to beautiful Colorado home of the Utes
My name is Lorraine Wing Watts. I am Southern Ute of Ignacio, CO and Ute mountain of Towaoc, CO. My Ute name is (goo-ahh-vee-get) meaning dust maker, which was given to me by my maternal grandfather, Thomas Wing. My parents are Marshall Watts and Corita Wing. My maternal grandparents are Dorothy and Thomas Wing and my paternal grandparents are Ed and Rose Watts. I enjoy learning my Ute tradition from my grandmother, Dorothy wing and Uncle Davis wing. My favorite season of the year is spring when the three Ute tribes celebrate the Bear Dance during that time my Ute name was given to me. I enjoy participating in the bear dance.
During my reign, I traveled to Canada for the North American Indigenous Games held in Toronto Canada. I also got to visit Niagara Falls and attended a powwow called Grand River Powwow "Champion of Champions". During my archery competition for N.A.I.G., I got 6th place for the traditional category and got to see Taboo from the Black Eyed Peas perform. I enjoyed representing my family and my people throughout Indian country. I would like to say thank you for coming to our powwow and may the Creator bless you on your travels home.

Tog'oiak
Lorraine Wing Watts
Miss Southern Ute 2017-2018

JR. MISS SOUTHERN UTE



Jeremy Wade Shockley/SU DRUM

Jr. Miss Southern Ute 2017-18
Autumn Sage

Mique,
My name is Autumn Rain Sage. I am the current Jr. Miss Southern Ute. I attend Ignacio Middle School and I am in the 8th grade. It's been an honor representing the Southern Ute Indian Tribe and I have enjoyed attending all the cultural events this far in my reign. I would like to thank my Southern Ute family and the surrounding community for their continued support of my efforts as Jr. Miss Southern Ute. Would like to welcome all elders, family, friends, relatives, and visitors to our 98th annual Southern Ute tribal fair and powwow. There will be many events for you all to enjoy, from the homemade goods, powwow, grease pole, frybread contest and so much more, also don't forget about our Southern Ute royalty dinner on Saturday evening for everyone to have a wonderful meal. So I wish you all a great time while you're here and safe travels home.

Tog'oiak
Autumn Rain Sage
Jr. Miss Southern Ute 2017-18

SOUTHERN UTE ROYALTY

JR. MISS SOUTHERN UTE ALTERNATE



Jr. Miss Southern Ute Alternate 2017-18
Tauri Raines

Mique Nuchu and Visitors

My name is Tauri Janice Annetta Lou Raines, I am the outgoing Jr. Miss Southern Ute Alternate 2017-2018. I am eleven years old, in the sixth grade and attend Bayfield Middle School. I am an enrolled member of the Southern Ute Tribe, but also am Ute Mountain Ute and Northern Ute.

My parents are Manford and Brandi Raines, I have one brother his name is Zachary. My Indian name is "Summer Rain" and was given to me by my aunt Darlene Frost. My paternal grandparents are Zachary Rock and Debra Brown. My paternal great grandparents are Donald and the late Priscilla Rock and the late Herman Brown and Mary Ruth Washington. My maternal grandparents are Dixie Naranjo and the late Eugene Naranjo. My maternal great grandparents are the late Jack and Annetta Frost and the late Vincent and Bertha Grove.

I would like to thank all my relatives that have supported me during my reign, the Southern Ute tribe for allowing me the opportunity to be an ambassador at various functions and pow-wows.

To all the incoming royalty congratulations and may your reign be a fun-filled adventure as mine was for me! To all the contestants may you do your best and good luck to you! For our visitors may you enjoy all that our beautiful homeland has to offer, and safe travels back to your home. God Bless you all and also a huge thank you to the Veterans!

Thank You,
Tauri Raines

LITTLE MISS SOUTHERN UTE



Little Miss Southern Ute 2017-18
Myla GoodTracks

Mique,

My name is Myla GoodTracks, my Ute name is Little Bird. I am Little Miss Southern Ute 2017-2018. I am 8 years old and attend 3rd grade at Ignacio Elementary School. My parents are Olin & Stephanie GoodTracks. I have 3 brothers, Damarion & Osias GoodTracks and Tavian Box, and I have one sister Sakarii GoodTracks. My grandparents are Wilinda Price & Robb GoodTracks and Jody Tahlo & Steven Rivera. This past year being Little Miss Southern Ute has been an honor to represent my family, my Ute people, and the tribe. I enjoyed dancing at the different powwow's, meeting new people and other tribal royalties, and attending various community functions. Thank you to my family near and far who have supported me and helped on this journey.

I would like to welcome everyone who has traveled to our Annual Southern Ute Fair & Powwow. I hope you all enjoy the various events of the Fair and may you all have safe travels home.

Tog'oiak'
Myla GoodTracks
Little Miss Southern Ute 2017-18

SOUTHERN UTE ROYALTY

SOUTHERN UTE BRAVE



Gary Alires

Southern Ute Brave 2017-18
Dominick GoodTracks

Mique & Welcome Everyone.

My name is Dominick Howe GoodTracks. I am very honored to hold the title of Southern Ute Brave 2017-18. I am 10 years old and attend 4th grade at Bayfield Elementary School. My parents are Kalin Good-Tracks, 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 cello and perform with the BeFrank Orchestra. I've been with the Rolling Thunder Youth bowling league for the past three years. I participated in Sun Ute basketball, learning hand game, Bear Dances and the Tri-Ute Games.

I've enjoyed participating at powwows, gourd 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 and relatives 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 and your families with a safe journey home.

Tog'oiak'
Dominick H. GoodTracks
Southern Ute Brave 2017-18



2017-2018 Southern Ute Royalty (Left -Right)

Maria Rivera/ SU DRUM

Dominick GoodTracks, Lorraine Watts, Chairman Clement Frost, Myla GoodTracks, Executive Officer Andrew Frost, Autumn Sage, Tauri Raines.

SCHEDULE & EVENTS

Wednesday, Sept. 5

8 a.m. – 6 p.m. **All Exhibits Turn-In**
(Except Livestock/ Baking)
SUCCM Large Classroom

Thursday, Sept. 6

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. 7

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
12 - 2 p.m. **Fair Kick-off Meal**
Multi-Purpose Facility Field
Noon **Corn Hole Tournament**
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. 8

7 a.m. **The Vigil Family Memorial Walk/Run**
(Registration) 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 Softball Field
10 a.m. **Parade & Kiddie Parade**
Goddard Ave. (Main Street)
10 a.m. **Gourd Dance**
Sky Ute Fairgrounds Indoor Arena
Noon **3 on 3 Volleyball Tournament**
Sky Ute Fairgrounds Infield
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. **Jalapeño 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
6 p.m. **Kids 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. 9

8 a.m. **7th 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 Contest**
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 Horse Track
Afternoon **Powwow Drummers**
Jalapeño 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 Horse Track
4 p.m. **All Native American Bare Back**
Horse Watermelon Race
Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track

EVENTS & CONTESTS: SATURDAY, SEPT. 7 & 8

Friday, Sept. 7

Softball Challenge

Friday September 7th

First game begins at 8:30 a.m.

Location: Patrick Silva Softball Field

Co-ed teams consist of employees from the following Entities:

- Pfund, Casino, Growth Fund, BIA
- 12 awards will be given out
- 8 members of your team MUST be an employee from representing entity.

Get your teams together now!

Contact: Sho Roan at (970)563-2664

Prizes: Hoodies, trophy and bragging rights!

Southern Ute Fair Kick Off Meal

Friday, Sept. 7th, 11:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Location: Multi-Purpose Facility Field

Contact: Tara Vigil, (970)563-2985

Corn Hole Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 7th, 12 p.m.

Location: Multi-Purpose Facility Field

Contact: Sunute at (970)563-0214

Categories: OPEN Mens/Womens Tournament

Prizes: TBA

Youth Games

Friday, Sept. 7th, 4 p.m.

Location: Ute Park, Multi-Purpose Field

Contact: 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: Sack Run, Cracker eating, Watermelon eating, Softball toss, Egg toss, Foot race and Three-legged race.

Contest Powwow

Friday, Sept. 7th, (times listed below)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Gourd Dance: 5 p.m.

Grand Entry: 7 p.m.

Contacts: Hilda Burch, (970)946-5175 or Ramada Cloud, (505)402-8846

Saturday, Sept. 8

The Vigil Family Memorial Walk/Run

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 7 a.m.

Location: SunUte Park

Contact: Robin Duffy-Wirth at (970)563-0214

Registration: 7am SunUte Park

Start: 7:30am SunUte

Finish: SunUte Park

Southern Ute Tribal Fair Parade

Saturday, Sept. 8th, (times listed below)

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

Contact: Southern Ute Tribal Housing (970)563-4710

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

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

Fair Theme: "Keeping Traditions Alive"

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: (only enter one category)

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

Kiddie Parade

Saturday, Sept. 8th, (times listed below)

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

Contact: Southern Ute Tribal Housing (970)563-4710

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: \$50, 2nd: \$35, 3rd: \$25

Categories:

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

Mens & Women Softball Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 8 a.m.

Location: Patrick Silva Softball Field

Contact: McKean Walton (970)769-7745

Categories: OPEN Mens/Womens Tournament

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

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EVENTS & CONTESTS: SATURDAY, SEPT. 8

Contest Powwow

Saturday, Sept. 8th, (times listed below)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Gourd Dance: 10 a.m.

Grand Entry: 1 p.m.

Contacts: Hilda Burch, (970)946-5175 or Ramada Cloud, (505)402-8846

Volleyball Co-ed 3 on 3

Saturday September 8th, 12 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Downs

Contact: Sage Frane at (970)563-2656

Prizes for the winning team: Hoodies

Sam Burch Memorial Trophy

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 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)

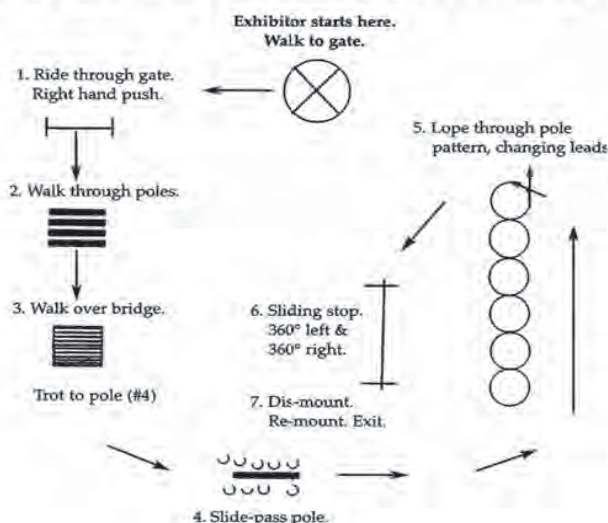
Class II - Youth (17 years & younger)

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.

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 be judged on riding qualities of gaits (walk, trot and lopes), 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. 8th, 1 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Infield

Contact: McKean Walton, (970)769-7745

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.

Jalapeno Eating Contest

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 1p.m. (Sign-up begins after parade.)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Infield (concert stage)

Contact: Robert Ortiz, (970)563-2253

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

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

• Grand champion payout \$500 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.



Kree Lopez/ SU Culture

EVENTS & CONTESTS: SATURDAY, SEPT. 8

Stickgame Tournament

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 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.
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/ SU Culture

Southern Ute Tribal Fair Youth Concert

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 1:30 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield (Concert Stage)

Contact: Robert Ortiz, (970)563-2253

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. 8th, 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.

Kids Open Co-Ed Tug-O-War

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 6 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds (in front of Grand Stands)

Contact: Tara Vigil, (970)563-2985

Categories: 6-member team. 17 and under. (3) Boys & (3) Girls

Prizes: Winner-Take-All Cash Award

Royalty Dinner

Saturday, Sept. 8th, 5 – 7 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds East Lawn

Superintendents: 2017-2018, Southern Ute Royalty

Contact: Southern Ute Royalty Committee
Leonora Burch, (970)563-2233

Fireworks Display

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

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Infield

Fireworks by J & M Displays

Contact: Tara Vigil, (970)563-2985

EVENTS & CONTESTS: SUNDAY, SEPT. 9

Sunday, Sept. 9

Archery 3-D Shoot

Sunday Sept 9th 8 a.m.

Location: Start at Archery Range south of SunUte

Ages Groups:

Youth Open 6-17

Youth Traditional 6-17

Hunter Class 18 and up

Senior Class 50 and up

Contact: Kelsey Frost to sign up: (970)563-2660

Prizes for winner of each group:

- 3-D Target

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 8 – 11 a.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Exhibit Hall

Sponsored by: Ignacio Chiefs Basketball Team

Contact: Trae Seibel, (970)764-8098

Cost: \$5

Menu: Pancakes, Eggs, Sausage, Coffee and Orange juice.

Red/Green Chili & Salsa Contest

Sunday, Sept. 9th

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)563-2253

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 & 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. 9th, (times listed below)

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Gourd Dance: 10 a.m.

Grand Entry: 12 p.m.

Contacts: Hilda Burch, (970)946-5175 or Ramada Cloud, (505)402-8846

Greased Pole Climb

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 11 a.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Infield

Superintendent: Southern Ute Growth Fund/TMEAC

Contact: Tony Rohde (970)764-6485

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 the envelope.

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EVENTS & CONTESTS: SUNDAY, SEPT. 9



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Frybread Contest

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 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-minute 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. 9th, 12 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, East Lawn

Contact: Edward Box III (970)563-2984

Categories: Girls and Boys.

Open to all Native Americans.

CONTESTANTS CAN ONLY ENTER IN ONE CATEGORY.

Age groups: Infants: 0 to 6 months

Crawlers: 7 month 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. 9th, Afternoon Powwow Special

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Indoor Arena

Contact: Robert Ortiz, (970)563-2253

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

- One DRUMMER from each drum group MUST compete!

Duck Race

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 3 p.m.

Contact: Sunshine Cloud Smith Youth Advisory Council (970)426-9772, Natelle Thompson-Ruybal

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

Category: Open to the general public.

All Native American Chicken Pull

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 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: \$1000.00 WINNER TAKES ALL

All Native American Chicken Pull Rules

Enter at your own risk!!!

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER

1. No teams/Individual only.
2. All contestants will go at once.
3. After the bag has been successfully pulled all contestants may attempt to steal the bag from the rider, anything goes.
4. The contestants must be on the horse at all times. If you fall off you're disqualified.
5. No hand offs.
6. Contestant must then make one lap around the race track with the bag.
7. The individual who has the bag at the finish line is the Winner.

All Native Best Hand Painted Horse

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 3 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track

Categories: All Divisions

Contact: Tara Vigil, (970)563-2985

Prizes: 1st: \$300, 2nd: \$200, 3rd: \$100 (All Decisions Are Final!). **Must provide your own paint.**

Youth Stick Horse Event

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 3 :30 p.m.

Location: Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track

Categories: 10 & Under.

Contact: Tara Vigil, (970)563-2985

Prizes: All participants will receive a prize.

Must provide your own stick horse.

All Native American Bare Back Watermelon Horse Race

Sunday, Sept. 9th, 4:00 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

Enter at your own risk!!!

ALL PARTICIPATES MUST SIGN A WAIVER

Race Rules

1. No teams/Individual only. No hand off.
2. All contestants will line up at start line, pick up the watermelon, mount horse, and GO!
3. Contestant must make one lap around the race track with their watermelon.
4. If the contestant drops the watermelon or falls off their horse they are disqualified.
5. The individual who has the watermelon at the finish line is the Winner.

RULES, REGULATIONS & GUIDELINES

Exhibitor's Rules & Regulations

1. All exhibits are limited to Southern Ute tribal members or immediate families (mother, father, sons, daughters, spouses).
 2. ALL Exhibits EXCEPT BAKING AND LIVESTOCK will be taken in on Wednesday, Sept. 5, 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. 6th, 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. 6th, 2018 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 Elders 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. 5th.
 5. BAKING AND LIVESTOCK JUDGING will be Thursday, Sept. 6th. Judges decisions are final!
 7. ALL EXHIBIT ENTRIES will be displayed Friday, Sept. 7th, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. and Saturday, Sept. 8th, 1 – 3 p.m.
 8. PAYOUT AND PICK: SUNDAY, SEPT. 9th, 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. 10, 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 sign a liability waiver.
 - Concessionaire/vendors will be allowed to setup operations Thursday, Sept. 6th.
 - 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 Handlers 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. 5th, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Judging: Wed., Sept. 5th. **Judges decisions are final!**

Exhibits Displayed: Thurs., Sept. 6th, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 8th, 1-3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 9th, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 13 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: \$75; 1st place: \$50; 2nd place: \$30; 3rd place: \$20

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 9th, 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)

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.

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

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

Special Categories Open Class

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



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WEDNESDAY TURN-IN ARTS & CRAFTS

ARTS & CRAFTS INFO

Exhibit Turn-In: Wed., Sept. 5th, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Judging: Wed., Sept. 5th. **Judges decisions are final!**

Exhibits Displayed: Thurs., Sept. 6th, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 8th, 1 - 3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 9th, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 13 for details.

Superintendent: Southern Ute Culture Department (970)563-2985.

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

Arts & Crafts Premium Payouts:

Overall Grand Champion: \$75; 1st place: \$50; 2nd place: \$30; 3rd place: \$20

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 9th, 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)

Class IV - Elementary (K- 6 grades)

**All Items Must Be
Home Made**

Indian 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 (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 Hat band
18. Bone Breast Plate
19. Beaded Cell Phone Covers
20. Miscellaneous



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, double spaced, 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

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. 5th, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Homemaking Judging: Wed., Sept. 5th. Judges decisions are final!

Exhibits Displayed: Thurs., Sept. 6th, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. through Sat., Sept. 8th, 1 - 3 p.m.

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 9th, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 13 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: \$75; 1st place: \$50; 2nd place: \$30; 3rd place: \$20

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 9th, 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)



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

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



THURSDAY TURN-IN BAKING

BAKING INFO

Baking Exhibit Turn-In: Thursday., Sept. 6th, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Baking Judging: Thursday, Sept. 6th. **Judges decisions are final!**

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

Exhibits/Payout Pick-up: Sun., Sept. 9th, 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 13 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: \$75; 1st place: \$50; 2nd place: \$30; 3rd place: \$20

Payouts: Sun., Sept. 9th, 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



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THURSDAY TURN-IN LIVESTOCK

LIVESTOCK INFO

All Livestock Turn-In: Thursday, Sept. 6th, 8a.m. - 7p.m.

Judging: Thursday, Sept. 6th, Judges decisions are final!

Exhibits Displayed: Friday, Sept. 7th, 8a.m. - 3p.m. and Saturday, Sept. 10th, 1-3p.m.

Exhibits Pick-Up: Sunday, Sept. 10th, 10a.m. - 3p.m.

Livestock Division is open to tribal members and their immediate family members.

See Exhibitor Rules & Regulations on page 13 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: Sunday, Sept. 9th, 10a.m. - 3p.m.

Livestock Division Classes:

Class I - Elders (55 years & older)

Class II - Adults (18 years & older)

Class III - Juniors (17 years & younger)

Poultry

Lot (Chicken)

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

Lot (Turkey)

1. Tom
2. Hen

Lot (Ducks & Geese)

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

Livestock

Lot (Cattle)

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

Goats

Lot (Goats)

1. Nanny
2. Weather
3. Billy

Sheep

Lot (Sheep)

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

Horse

Lot (Horse)

1. Mares
2. Geldings
3. Yearling, Colts, & Fillies
(Under 1 Year)

Rabbits

Lots (Rabbits)

1. Buck
2. Doe

Swine

Lot (Swine)

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

Important Numbers & Website

- Southern Ute Indian Tribe: 970-563-0100 (www.southernute-nsn.gov)
- Special Event Coordinator: 970-563-2985
- SU Powwow Committee: 970-946-5175, 505-402-8846
- 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 Museum: 970-563-2980
- 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 Dept. 970-563-4206
- Emergency: 911

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98th Southern Ute Tribal fair

CONTEST

POWWOW

SEP 7-9

2018

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FAIRGROUNDS
IGNACIO, CO

Artist • Bennett Thompson

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Tiny Tots(0-6)

Jr. Boys (7-11)

Dance/Drum Contests
Fancy, Grass, Traditional (combined)

Jr. Girls (7-11)

Dance/Drum Contests
Fancy Shawl, Jingle, Traditional (combined)

Teen Boys (12-17)

Fancy, Grass, No. Traditional, So. Traditional

Teen Girls (12-17)

Fancy Shawl, Jingle, No. Traditional, So. Traditional

Men (18-49)

Fancy, Grass, No. Traditional, So. Straight, Chicken

Women (18-49)

Fancy Shawl, Jingle, No. Cloth, So. Cloth,
No. Buckskin, So. Buckskin

Golden Age (50+)

Men & Women

Head Staff

Arena Director • Randy Wood
No. MC • Eldon Weaselchild
So. MC • Wallace Coffey
Drum Judge • Jay Dusty Bull
Host So. Drum • Wild Band of Comanches
Host No. Drum • Tha Boyz
Host Gourd Drum • Wild Band of Comanches
Head Gourd Man • Mike Burgess
Headman • picked daily
Head lady • SU Royalty
Color Guard • So. Ute Veterans

Arts & Craft Vendors

Ramada Cloud • 505.402.8846

Grand Entry

Friday • 7pm
Saturday • 1pm and 7pm
Sunday • 1pm

Gourd Dance

Friday • 5pm
Saturday • 11am and 5pm
Sunday • 11am

Drum Contest

No. Drum (1st - 4th)
So. Drum (1st - 4th)

Registration

Friday • 5pm thru Saturday • 1:30pm
W9 Tax form required for adult contests

Contact

Hilda Burch • 970.946.5175
Joe Nevaquaya • 970.442.1831
Shirley Bancroft-Price • 970.317.1772
Violet Leslie • 970.903.9312
Daisy Bluestar • 970.799.7036

NO WALK AROUND VENDING OR RAFFLES

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

POWOW HEAD STAFF

ARENA DIRECTOR



Randy Woods
Saddle Creek Tribe

NORTHERN HOST DRUM



THA BOYZ
Comanche

HEAD GOURD DANCER



Michael Burgess, MPA, BS
Comanche

Mr. Burgess is honored to be the Head Gourd Dancer for the 98th Annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair.

Mr. Burgess graduated from Oklahoma State University, with a dual major of Business Management and Organizational Administration. He also minored in Political Science and Economic Development. Mr. Burgess earned his Master of Public Administration from Grand Canyon University, Phoenix, AZ. He is currently the President of Pawnee Nation College, Pawnee, Oklahoma.

In 2009, Mr. Burgess returned to the Comanche Nation as the Chairman of the Nation. While Chairman, Mike was able to increase income to programs by over fifteen percent, which increased service dollars to the citizens.

Comanche Lineage; Mike is a Descendant of Chief's Moh-way and Horseback; Grandfather is Allen 'Kut-sonnee' Burgess and Ada Kate 'Saat-wah-kah' Yellowfish-Burgess, he was adopted by his grandparents. His mother is LaVonia Ada Burgess, his father is Anthony Perosi, Sr. He attended public school in Anadarko, OK, Lodge Grass, Montana, and graduated high school at Lawrence, KS. After high school Mike attended and graduated from, Haskell Indian Junior College; Printing, now called Graphic Arts, AA, 1971

POWWOW HEAD STAFF

SOUTHERN MC



Wallace Coffey
Comanche

I am grateful to be the Southern MC for the 98th Annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair Powwow;
Wallace Coffey has served as Master of Ceremony for powwows and Native American cultural events for 51 years. He is well versed in tribal celebrations of the Northern and Southern Plains. Wallace is a full blood member of the Comanche Nation. He has a Master of Education degree from Harvard University. Wallace has also served as Dean of Students at the Nebraska Indian Community College in Macy, Nebraska.

SOUTHERN HOST DRUM/GOURD DRUM



WILD BAND OF COMANCHES
Comanche

DRUM JUDGE



Jay Dusty Bull
Blackfeet Nation

Southern MC: Wallace Coffey
Arena Director: Randy Woods
Host Northern Drum: Tha Boyz
Host Southern Drum/ Gourd Drum: Wild Band of Comanche
Head Gourd Dancer: Michael Burgess,

2017 POWWOW CONTEST WINNERS

Women Golden Age

- 1.Ladybird Jack
- 2.Delaine Alley
- 3.Amber Komahcheet

Women Southern Cloth

- 1.Ashley Harris
- 2.Ponkawé Victors
- 3.Victoria Archuleta

Women Northern Cloth

- 1.Marissa Woody
- 2.Kaylyn LeClaire
- 3.Earlvand Alin

Women Southern Buckskin

- 1.Jacqueline Tsonetokay
- 2.Tashena McCabe Chitwood
- 3.Amanda Harris

Women Northern Buckskin

- 1.Tamara Begay
- 2.Tennille Coversup

Women Fancy

- 1.Toni Dee
- 2.Jessica Yazzie
- 3.Shanray Little Child

Women Jingle

- 1.Teri John
- 2.La Tanya Robinson
- 3.Candace McCabe

Teen Girl Southern Traditional

- 1.Jayla Iron
- 2.Wheylana Becenti
- 3.Erin Anthony

Teen Girl Northern Traditional

- 1.Anna Dale
- 2.Tona Amyotte
- 3.Leiyalynn Yazzie

Teen Girls Jingle

- 1.Shanus Becenti
- 2.Keira Sandoval
- 3.Monika Lucero

Teen Girls Fancy

- 1.Jowanna Toya
- 2.Cheyenne Manheimer
- 3.Jurnee Sherlock

Jr. Girls Traditional

- 1.Kalani Yazzie
- 2.Naliya Little Bird
- 3.Octaviana John

Jr. Girls Jingle

- 1.Konalea Dee
- 2.Lalaina Becenti
- 3.Aliyanna Dee

Jr. Girls Fancy

- 1.Kerri Martin
- 2.Kee Ala Walsey
- 3.Kelly Dee

Golden Age Men

- 1.Bruce LeClaire
- 2.Ed Scott
- 3.Rick Yazzie

Men's Southern straight

- 1.Kiowa Cozad
- 2.Everett Moore
- 3.Lyndall Yazzie

Men's Northern Traditional

- 1.Brandó Jack
- 2.Kenny Donahey
- 3.Wendall Powless

Men's Grass

- 1.Lee Jack Jr.
- 2.Jamal Isaac Jones
- 3.Neal Thunder Hawk

Men's Fancy

- 1.Shaundo Poncho
- 2.Cory LeClaire
- 3.Dominic Largo

Men's Chicken

- 1.Sheldom Scalplock
- 2.Troy Becenti
- 3.Shauntay Begay

Teen Boy's Southern Traditional

- 1.Andrew Lowe
- 2.Matthew Duncan
- 3.Lyndrith Yazzie

Teen Boy's Northern Traditional

- 1.Colby Donayhey

Teen Boy's Grass

- 1.Travontae Becenti
- 2.Xavier Martin
- 3.Leiland Yazzie

Teen Boy's Fancy

- 1.Darian Brown
- 2.Jaron Yazzie
- 3.Kaidon Draper

Jr. Boy's traditional

- 1.Draian Archuleta
- 2.LaShane Becenti
- 3.Noel Lowe

Jr. Boy Fancy

- 1.Joe Little Bird
- 2.Gourdin Dee
- 3.Darius Ettsity

Jr. Boy's Grass

- 1.Mylan Archuleta
- 2.Leighton Yazzie
- 3.Maurice Begay

Southern Drum

- 1.Buc Wild
- 2.Yellow Jacket
- 3.Southern Slam
- 4.Bad Company

Northern Drum

- 1.Sun Eagle
- 2.Indian Horse
3. 550
4. Battle Shield

TRIBAL FAIR & POWWOW 2017



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Trennie Collins/SU DRUM



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Kree Lopez/ SU Culture



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ALL NATIVE AMERICAN CHICKEN PULL



September 9th at 1:00 p.m.
Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track
18 & older

OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS!
CASH PRIZE: \$1000.00 WINNER TAKES ALL

ALL Native American Chicken Pull Rules

ENTER AT YOUR OWN RISK!!!

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER

1. No teams/Individual only
2. All contestants will go at once.
3. After the bag has been successfully pulled all Contestants may attempt to steal the bag from the rider, anything goes.
4. The Contestants must be on the horse at all times. If you fall off you're disqualified.
5. No hand offs.
6. Contestant must then make one lap around the race track with the bag.
7. The individual who has the bag at the finish line is the Winner.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT TARA VIGIL
(970)-563-2985

All Native Best Hand Painted Horse

September 9, 2018
Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track
At 3:00 P.M.

Open To All Native Americans.

Categories: All Divisions.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place.

"All Decisions Are Final."



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



All Native American Bare Back Watermelon Horse Race



September 9th at 4:00 p.m.
Sky Ute Fairgrounds Horse Track
18 & older

OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS!
CASH PRIZE: \$500 WINNER TAKES ALL

ENTER AT YOUR OWN RISK!!!

ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER

Race Rules

1. No teams/Individual only. No hand off.
2. All Contestants will line up at start line, pick up the watermelon, mount horse, and GO!
3. Contestant must make one lap around the race track with their watermelon.
4. If the Contestant drops the watermelon or falls off their horse they are disqualified.
5. The individual who has the watermelon at the finish line is the Winner.

WATERMELON WILL BE PROVIDED

For more information, contact: Tara Vigil, Event Coordinator at
(970)-563-2985

YOUTH STICK HORSE EVENT



3:30 P.M.

SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

SKY UTE FAIRGROUNDS HORSE TRACK

AGES: 10 & UNDER

ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE A PRIZE

MUST PROVIDE OWN STICK HORSE

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
EVENT COORDINATOR TARA VIGIL AT
(970)-563-2985



Pancake Breakfast

September 9th, 2018

8:00 - 11:00 A.M.

Sky Ute Fairgrounds

Sponsored by: Ignacio Chiefs Basketball Team

\$5.00



Menu

Pancake, Eggs, Sausage, Coffee, Orange Juice.



For more information contact: Trae Seibel at
970-764-8098

98th Southern Ute Fair Open Co-ed Tug-o-War



ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER

September 8, 2018

at 5:00 P.M.

Sky Ute Fairgrounds

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

Cash Prize 1st, 2nd, & 3rd

For more information contact: Event Coordinator
Tara Vigit at (970)-563-2985

BABY CONTEST

OPEN TO ALL NATIVE AMERICANS

September 9, 2018

12:00 P.M.

Sky Ute Fairgrounds

Categories: Girls & Boys

Age Groups: Infants: 0 to 6 Months;

Crawlers: 7 months to 1 Year; Toddlers: 2-5 years.

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

**CHILDREN WILL BE JUDGE BASED ON CATEGORY
ENTERED.**

CONTESTANTS CAN ONLY ENTER IN ONE CATEGORY

**JUDGES DECISIONS ARE
FINAL**

For more information contact:
Culture Director Edward Box III at (970)-563-2984



10TH ANNUAL SKY UTE CASINO CLASSIC

CAR SHOW

Saturday, September 8th • 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.**

Contact Tracy Leppert at 970.563.1752, email at Tracy.Leppert@skyutecasino.com
or check our website at skyutecasino.com for updates and information.

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