

WELCOME TO INDIAN OUNTRY! *In this document we have chose to use "Indian," even though we know it is a misnomer, rather than "Native American." There is a body of law, known officially as "Indian Law," and the phrase "Indian Country" has specific meaning in Indian Law. Most treaties refer to us by our tribal names or as "Indians."

INDIAN COUNTRY WELCOMES YOU TO OUR HOMELANDS - JUST AS WE WELCOMED THE LEWIS & CLARK EXPEDITION TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

ENJOY THE WEALTH OF EDUCATIONAL ANDRECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES WE HAVE TO OFFER. DO YOU KNOW HOW IMPORTANT SALMON IS TO NORTHWEST TRIBES? HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT TRIBAL EFFORTS TO RESTORE THE BUFFALO TO THE PLAINS? HAVE YOU EVER TAKEN A TOUR OF A RESERVATION OR A TRIBAL COLLEGE? VISIT OUR MUSEUMS, HISTORIC SITES, RANCHES, COLLEGES AND CASINOS. ATTEND A POWWOW, BUY BEAUTIFUL WORKS OF ART, HIKE, CAMP, FISH, DINE, SHOP AND MUCH, MUCH MORE.

WE HAVE A LOTTO SHOWYOU. WELCOMETO OUR HOMELANDS.

WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO KNOW ABOUT AMERICAN INDIAN PEOPLE TODAY?

We Are Still Here

We are the physical manifestation of the dreams and prayers of our ancestors. This connection is alive and strong, and it is the foundation of our existence today and for the future.

But not every tribe is the same, and there is no such thing as a "typical" tribe. We have different languages, songs and traditions. We even have different governments and histories. In fact, the Circle of Tribal Advisors consists of 40 contemporary tribes that represent most of the 100+ Indian nations whose homelands Lewis & Clark journeyed through.

Today, after all that has happened in American history, we are still here.

Unsettling the West

By the time the Corps of Discovery came into contact with indigenous peoples, many tribes had experienced the consequences of contact. Smallpox, typhoid, influenza and measles wiped out hundreds of thousands of Native people. Later, conflicts with Euro-Americans grew more intense and more frequent as encroachment upon tribal lands and our resources increased or promises made were not kept.

In the face of enormous challenge and hardship we have survived. We are remarkable nations and we have remarkable stories to tell.

Cradle of Our Existence

There are thousands of tribal cultural resource areas, burial grounds and sacred sites along the Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail. They are connections to our history, messages from our ancestors, treasures for our future and the cradle of our existence.

The destruction, desecration, excavation, looting, vandalism and theft of these cultural resource areas, archaeological sites, burial grounds and sacred sites are a national disgrace. To us, these are irreparable losses of irreplaceable resources. Our sacred places are monuments. And like the monuments of all great nations, they deserve respect.

Language of the Earth

Our Native languages directly reflect the intimate knowledge of the ecosystems that have sustained us for millennia. But throughout the 19th and early 20th centuries, the United States Government implemented aggressive policies to eradicate our languages and cultural practices in efforts to "civilize" and assimilate tribal people. In the few generations since, tribes nationwide have struggled to keep ancient languages alive.

Language preservation and revitalization efforts are urgent races against time. Many tribes have language instruction and preservation programs. Today, tribal languages – and the indigenous ecosystems from which they came – are severely endangered, and we are working to save them.

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TAKING CARE OF THE GIFTS

Land and Water

Native lives and cultures are inextricably connected to the land, water and sky, and our ancestral union with them. The Creator bestowed these gifts upon us and we have the responsibility to ensure that they are protected. We come from these lands. Our children and seven generations to come will inherit healthy ecosystems and abundant natural resources if we make intelligent decisions today.

Bison and Salmon

The bison of the Plains and the salmon of the Northwest are sacred. They are the Creator's great gifts – the wellspring of many tribes' spiritual, economic and social lives. At the time of Lewis & Clark, and before the Columbia River was dammed, the salmon runs were a wonder of nature. Now, just 200 years later, some species of salmon recorded by Lewis & Clark are extinct; others are severely endangered. ;Salmon remains a dietary staple and the center of ceremonial life for Northwest tribes, who are working hard to bring back and protect the salmon.

The bison was nearly exterminated through indiscriminate slaughter during America's westward expansion. Tribes are taking responsibility to bring back the bison and to reaffirm our relationship with this magnificent creature.

We Will Always Be Here

We are proud peoples. We are proud of our traditions, languages, arts and histories. We are proud of our achievements and contributions to American society, including those to the Lewis & Clark Expedition. We are part of this great American landscape. We come from these lands, and we will always be here.



CELEBRATION OR COMMEMORATION?

While the 28-month long, 7,000 mile journey of the Lewis & Clark Expedition increased America's knowledge of the West and set the stage for expansion and migration that would soon follow, it was the beginning of irrevocable and devastating changes for Native people. Thus, the Lewis & Clark Bicentennial is not a celebration for American Indians. To us, the bicentennial is a time to commemorate the expedition's achievements. but more importantly, it is a time to honor and remember our ancestors and their contributions to the expedition's success. It is an opportunity to examine events of the past 200 years and to plan for the well being of future generations.

AREYOU WELCOME TO VISIT TRIBAL COMMUNITIES AND RESERVATIONS?

Absolutely! We have been welcoming visitors – Indian and non-Indian – to our communities since the beginning of time. When visiting, please treat our home as you would anyone else's – with respect for property, privacy and traditions. Here are a few suggestions to help you navigate.

- Not all ceremonies and performances are open to the general public. Public events will be announced.
- Observe ceremonies and performances respectfully.
- Ask permission before taking photographs or making recordings or sketches.
- Supervise your children at all times.
- Observe signs and stay in designated areas.
- Homes are private. Enter only when invited
- Leave undisturbed any objects or artifacts, including fossils, that you may find on the ground.
- Alcohol, weapons and drugs are prohibited at tribal events.
- Obey all posted rules and laws.
- •When uncertain, simply ask!

It's common sense, really. So enjoy your visit, and come back again and again.



IS IT INDIAN-MADE?

As you visit tribal communities you'll see an amazing array of traditional and contemporary art – from painting and sculpture to beautiful textiles, beadwork, jewelry, quillwork, quilts and more. Our arts are distinct, and our artists are respected and valued.

If you would like to purchase a work of art, please observe the following suggestions to ensure that what you're about to purchase is authentically produced by American Indian artists.

- Buy only from reputable sources and places.
- Know what you are buying.
- Ask for documentation such as a receipt that describes what you've purchased and identifies the artist.
- Whenever possible, buy directly from the artist.
- Know the artist's name and tribal affiliation, and be sure each piece is signed or hallmarked

(a logo or symbol that represents that specific artist). This is recommended for insurance purposes and will help-document your trip and/or collection.

• Not all artists will bargain over price. This is a case-by-case situation.

If artworks are marketed as "American Indian", they must be made by an enrolled member of a federally or state recognized tribe. If not, it is a violation of the federal Indian Arts and Crafts Act of 1990, which was enacted to curtail exploitation of tribal artists and art forms.

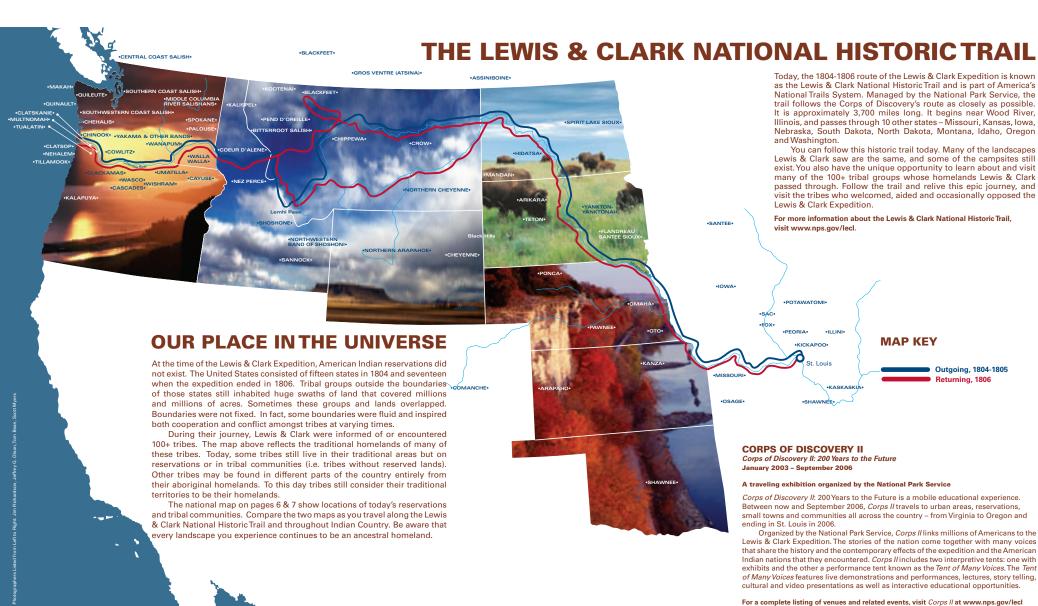
For more information, please contact the Indian Arts and Crafts Board (IACB), Department of the Interior, Washington, DC, at (202) 208-3773 or visit www.doi.gov/iacb/

DO ALLTRIBES OPERATE CASINOS?

There are 562 federally recognized tribes in the United States today. Of these, two in five tribes have gaming operations. To learn more about tribal casinos, visit the National Indian Gaming Association's website at www.indiangaming.org. You'll discover that tribal casinos are just as diverse and different from one another as the tribes themselves.

In most cases, casinos help tribes rise above the economic poverty many of our communities have known for generations. They provide jobs and services that oftentimes are rare in tribal communities. Revenues generated by casinos are dedicated to improving tribal education, health care, housing, natural and cultural resources, language, culture, infrastructure and government.

Local, non-tribal communities benefit, too, in the form of jobs, financial support for essential governmental services and charitable contributions to schools, libraries and other non-profit organizations.



There are many powwows, community celebrations and events throughout the year.

The following listing provides a sampling from tribes on or near the trail. For a

complete list, contact the individual tribe(s). Except where indicated, all events

are annual. American Indian vendors can be found at nearly all public events.



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Sites of the three National Signature Events hosted by tribes. See page 29.

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Annual Powwow, mid-May

Annual Homecoming Festival, 1st Saturday in October



ALONG THE LOWER MISSOURI Oklahoma, Kansas & Nebraska

ΟΚΙ ΔΗΟΜΑ

Nearly all of the following present-day Oklahoma tribes lived around the Missouri River region at the time the Corns of Discovery passed through. However, the tribes were removed to Indian Territory not long after their encounter with Lewis & Clark. These tribes are part of the Lewis & Clark story.

Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma P.O. Box 350

Seneca, Missouri 64865 Tel: (918) 666-2435 Web: www.easternshawnee.org

Location: Next to the Missouri/Kansas border, southeast of Joplin

Traditional name: "Shawun" an Algonquin name meaning "Southerners"

Attractions

Shawnee Indian Mission, a site of the Kansas State Historical Society, a National Historic Landmark, Tel: (913) 262-0867

Eastern Shawnee Powwow, 2nd weekend in September

Amenities

Best Western Inn/Fort Scott, Fort Scott, KS, Tel: (620) 223-0100

Gamino

Bordertown Bingo, Tel: (918) 666-1108 or www.bordertownbingo.com

Shawnee Tribe PO Box 189

Miami, Oklahoma 74355 Tel: (918) 542-2441

Web: www.shawnee-tribe.org

Location: Uppermost northeastern corner of Oklahoma

Historically, the Shawnee people were seminomadic hunters and farmers who lived and traded in every state east of the Mississippi, several states west of the Mississippi, Mexico and Canada. In 1869, the Shawnee Tribe was

removed from Kansas to Oklahoma and forced to sign an agreement with the Cherokee Nation, which made the Shawnees citizens of the Cherokee Nation. The Shawnee people, however, always maintained their own distinct cultural identity and their own In 2000, the Shawnee Tribe was restored

to its status as a separate sovereign Indian nation by an act of Congress. The Shawnee Tribe is now in the process of restoring its land base in Kansas and strengthening its

Attractions

Buffalo ranch, Afton, Tel: (918) 257-4368

Tribal Events

Annual Powwow, 3rd weekend in September

Osage Nation of Oklahoma P.O. Box 779

Pawhuska, Oklahoma 74056 Tel: (918) 287-5432

Visitor Information: Osage Tourism, 128 East 6th Street, Pawhuska, Tel: (877) 287-5398 Web: www.osagetribe.com Location: Northcentral Oklahoma, northwest

Traditional name: WAH-SHA-SHE

Attractions

Cathedral of the Osage, Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Pawhuska

Osage Agency Campus and Tribal Council Chambers, Pawhuska Osage Hills State Park, 5 miles north of

Pawhuska, Tel: (918) 336-4141

Osage Tribal Giftshop, Pawhuska, Tel: (918) 287-5442. Adjacent to the Museum. Osage Tribal Museum & Library, Pawhuska,

Tel: (918) 287-5441 Tallgrass Prairie Preserve, 15 miles north of

White Hair Memorial, Ralston,

Tel: (918) 538-2417

Woolaroc Museum, Bartlesville, Tel: (918) 336-0307

Tribal Events

I'N-Lon-Shka Dances, June

Veterans Day Dance, November

Gaming

Osage Park Gaming Center, Hominy, Tel: (918) 885-2990

Pawhuska Casino, Pawhuska, Tel: (918) 287-9009

Kaw Nation of Oklahoma P.O. Box 50

Kaw City, Oklahoma 74641 Tel: (580) 269-2552 Web: www.kawnation.com Location: Northeast of Ponca City on Highway 11 at Kaw Lake

Traditional name: Kanza or The South Wind People

The Kaw Nation's traditional homeland includes areas in Kansas where they are re-establishing their presence.

Allegawaho Memorial Heritage Park, 31/2 miles south of Council Grove KS Tel: (620) 767-5410 or (580) 762-5297

Guardian of the Grove Bronze Statue, Council Grove KS

Kanza Museum, Kaw City, OK, Tel: (580) 269-2552 Includes a gift shop

Kaw Mission State Historic Site, Council Grove KS Tel: (620) 767-5410

Tribal Events

Wah-Shun-Gah Days & Powwow, Council Grove KS 3rd weekend in June

Kaw Nation Annual Powwow, Washunga Bay OK 1st weekend in August

Kanza Travel Plaza – gas, motel, snack bar, in Braman OK Tel: (580) 385-2181

Kaw Nation Casino Newkirk OK Tel: (580) 362-2578

Ponca Tribe of Oklahoma

20 White Fagle Drive Ponca City, Oklahoma 74601 Tel: (580) 762-8104 Location: Northcentral Oklahoma, 5 miles south of Ponca City and 92 miles northwest of Tulsa

Attractions

Standing Bear Park, Ponca City

Tribal Events

Ponca Powwow, White Eagle Park, last weekend in August

Standing Bear Powwow, 3rd weekend

Holiday Celebration, between Christmas and January 1 annually

Bluestar Gaming, Tel: (580) 765-0040

Otoe-Missouria Tribe

8151 Highway 177 Route 1 Box 62 Red Rock, Oklahoma 74651 Tel: (580) 723-4466 Location: Northcentral Oklahoma 16 miles south of Ponca City and 27 miles north of

Traditional Name: Jiwere-Nutache

Tribal Events

Otoe-Missouria Encampment Powwow, 3rd weekend in July

Gaming

Seven Clans Paradise Casino, Tel: (580) 723-4005

Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

P.O. Box 470 Pawnee, Oklahoma 74058 Tel: (918) 762-3624 Web: www.pawneenation.org

Location: Northcentral Oklahoma, 50 miles northwest of Tulsa

Attractions

Pawnee Indian Boarding School. Several buildings constructed of native stone block prior to 1900 are listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

Pawnee Indian Village Museum, Republic, KS, near the border of central Kansas and Nebraska Tel: (785) 361-2255

Pawnee Bill Museum, Pawnee, Tel: (918) 762-2513

Tribal Events

Pawnee Indian Veterans Homecoming & Powwow, 1st weekend in July annually

Pawnee Nation Heritage Days, held in the

The Pawnee NationTravel Plaza - convenience store truck ston & restaurant Located on the northwest corner at the intersection of State Hwy 18 and 412 Cimarron Turnpike.

Gaming

Pawnee Nation Casino & Trading Post, 291 Agency Road, 1/4 mile east of Highway 18 & 64 Junction, Tel: (918) 762-3621

Absentee Shawnee Tribe 2025 South Gordon Cooper Drive Shawnee, Oklahoma 74801 Tel: (405) 275-4030 Location: 35 miles southeast of

The name "Absentee Shawnee", a term derived from the ILS Government is a division of traditional Shawnee that absented itself from a reservation in Kansas around the mid-1800's when a treaty was to be signed that would remove the Shawnee to "Indian Territory" in Oklahoma.

Tribal Events

Oklahoma City

July 4th Powwow annually

Gaming

Thunderbird Wild Wild West Casino, 20 miles east of Norman, Tel: (405) 360-9270

Citizen Potawatomi Nation 1601 South Gordon Cooper Drive Shawnee, Oklahoma 74801

Tel: (405) 275-3121 Visitor Information: (405) 275-3121 Web: www.potawatomi.org Location: 40 miles southeast of Oklahoma City

Traditional name: nlshnahe/k This is one of the eight bands of Potawatomi: Citizen Band, Forest County, Gun Lake, Hannahville, Huron Band, Pokagon Band, Prairie Band and Walpole Island First Nation.

Attractions

Citizen Potawatomi Gift Shop, Tel: (405) 275-3119

FireLake Golf Course, Tel: (405) 275-4471

FireLake Mini-Putt Putt, Tel: (405) 214-7888

Tribal Events

Annual Citizen Potawatomi Reunion Festival. last weekend in July

Annual Citizen Potawatomi Nation Intertribal. 2nd Saturday in October

Raymond Peltier Park - powwow grounds; camping & RV parking available.

FireLake Entertainment, Tel: (405) 878-4862

Chevenne-Arapaho Tribes 100 Redmond Circle

PO Box 38 Concho, Oklahoma 73022 Tel: (405) 262-0345

Web: www.chevenne-arapaho.nsn.us Location: 30 miles northwest of Oklahoma City on Highway 81

Tribes: Southern Chevenne and Southern

Farming Ranch Program and tours of the Tribe's buffalo herd, Tel: (405) 262-1770

These sites are listed on the National Register

Cantonment, a historic sub-agency of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes. Located one mile west and 3 miles north of

Fort Reno, established in 1875 as a military fort to protect the Cheyenne and Arapaho people. Located 3 miles west and 2 miles north of El Reno

Darlington Agency Site, 6 miles northwest of FI Reno

Seger Indian Training School (Colony) established in 1878 as a military post and as a school to teach the Cheyenne and Arapaho farming.

Washita Battlefield National Historic Site, National Park Service, Cheyenne, Tel: (580) 497-2742

Tribal Events

Annual Labor Day Homecoming Celebration & Powwow, Labor Day weekend

Oklahoma Indian Nations Powwow, Concho. 1st weekend in August

Amenities

RV parking available at Lucky Star Casino

Lucky Star Casino, Concho, Tel: (405) 262-7612 Additional location in Clinton Tel: (580) 323-6599.

Canton Lucky Star Casino, Canton, Opening in Fall/Winter 2004. Site includes a motel, RV parking & marina.

Delaware Nation of Western

Oklahoma P.O. Box 825 Anadarko, Oklahoma 73005 Tel: (405) 247-2448 Location: 65 miles southwest of Oklahoma City

Traditional name: Lenane

Attractions DelawareTribal Museum, Anadarko, Tel: (405) 247-2448

Indian City USA, Anadarko. Tel: (800) 433-5661 or www.indiancityusa.com. Indian village, gift shop, museum & lodge, exotic game trail & campground (seasonal).

Oklahoma Indian Exposition, early August, Tel: (405) 247-2448

Gold River Casino, Anadarko. Tel: (405) 247-6979

Comanche Nation P.O. Box 908

Lawton, Oklahoma 73502 Tel: (580) 492-3751 Web: www.comanche.com Location: 9 miles north of Lawton in southcentral Oklahoma

Traditional name: Nu-Mu-Nuu or "The People"

Attractions

Comanche Museum & Visitor Center, located at I-44 & Gore Street in Lawton, Tel: (580) 595-4941

Comanche Nation Water Park, Tel: (580) 353-6110

Comanche Nation College, Tel: (580) 591-0203

Tribal Events

Comanche Homecoming Powwow, 3rd weekend in July

Comanche Nation Fair, last weekend in Sentember

Gaming Comanche Nation Games, Lawton,

Tel: (866) 354-2500

Comanche Red River, Devol. Tel: (877) 280-3261

Comanche Spur - convenience store, smoke shop & casino, in Elgin, Tel: (580) 492-5502 Comanche Star Casino, Walters.

KANSAS

Tel: (580) 875-2092

Iowa Tribe of Kansas & Nebraska 3345 R Thrasher Road White Cloud Kansas 66094 Tel: (785) 595-3258 Location: Uppermost corner of eastern Kansas, one mile from the Nebraska

state line Attractions

The Native American Heritage Museum, a facility of the Kansas State Historical Society, Highland Tel: (785) 442-3304

Tribal Events

Chief White Cloud Rodeo, July 4th annually Baxoje Fall Encampment & Powwow, 3rd

weekend in September

Casino White Cloud, 5 miles west of White Cloud, Tel: (785) 595-3430 or (877) 695-3430

Sac & Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas & Nebraska

305 North Main Reserve, Kansas 66434 Tel: (785) 742-7471

Location: Uppermost eastern corner of Kansas, on the Nebraska-Kansas border

Traditional names: Sauk - "People of the Yellow Earth"; Fox - "People of the Red Earth"

Attractions

Sac & Fox Museum, Reserve. Tel: (785) 742-7471

Tribal buffalo herd, east of Reserve

Tribal Events

Annual Powwow, 3rd weekend in August. Held at the Powwow Grounds next to the Casino on U.S. Highway 75.

Annual 4th of July Fireworks Celebration Held at the Powwow Grounds

Amenities

Sac & Fox Truck Ston 1346 U.S. Highway 75, Powhattan

Sac & Fox Tradn Post.

309 North Main, Reserve RV parking at the Sac & Fox Casino, U.S.

Highway 75, Powhattan

Gaming Sac & Fox Casino, Powhattan, Tel: (785) 467-8000 or (800) 990-2946 or www.sacandfoxcasino.com

Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas P.O. Box 271

Horton, Kansas 66439 Tel: (785) 486-2131

Visitor Information: (877) 864-2746

Location: 5 miles west of Horton. The reservation is six miles long and five miles wide. Kansas Highway 20 runs east and west across the southern portion of the reservation. The tribal office is located six miles west of Horton on Highway 20.

Traditional Name: Kiikaapoa

Kickapoo Trading Post, Tel: (785) 486-2111. Arts & crafts available.

The Kickapoo Veterans Memorial and Kickapoo Veterans Highway

Pony Express Route through the Kickapoo Reservation

Tribal Events

Kickapoo Powwow Days, 2nd weekend in September

Amenities

Kickanon Truck Plaza Arts & crafts available as well as RV parking. Located on Highway 75

Camping at Powwow Park

Gaming

(785) 486-6601 or www.goldeneaglecasino.com

Golden Eagle Casino, Tel: (888) 464-5825 or

Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation 16281 Q Road Mayetta, Kansas 66509

Tel: (785) 966-4000

Web: www.pbpindiantribe.com Location: 15 miles north of Topeka in Northeast Kansas

Traditional name: nlshnahe'k This is one of the eight bands of Potawatomi: Citizen Band, Forest County, Gun Lake, Hannahville, Huron Band, Pokagon Band, Prairie Band and Walpole Island First Nation.

Attractions

Buffalo ranch tours, Tel: (785) 966-2375. Reservations required.

Prairie People's Park, Tel: (785) 966-0145

Tribal Events

Annual Powwow, mid-June

Veterans Day Powwow, November annually

Harrah's Prairie Band Hotel, adjacent to the Casino Tel: (800) 427-7247

Potawatomi Camparound. located on Highway 75

Prairie People's Park, campground & picnic area, Tel: (785) 966-0145

Harrah's Prairie Band Casino Tel: (785) 966-7777

Potawatomi Bingo, Tel: (785) 966-4077

NEBRASKA

Omaha Tribe of Nebraska & Iowa

P.O. Box 368 Macy, Nebraska 68039

Tel: (402) 837-5391

Location: Northeast corner of Nebraska, 26 miles south of Sioux City, Iowa

Attractions

Nebraska Indian Community College, Macy, Tel: (402) 837-5078 or www.thenicc.edu

Tribal Events

Harvest Celebration & Powwow, held during the full moon phase in August annually

Big Elk Park, 2 miles east of Macy. Call Omaha Wildlife & Parks Dept., Tel: (402) 834-5301. Hunting lodges, campground & RV parking.

Casino Omaha, Tel: (800) 858-8238

Ponca Tribe of Nebraska P.O. Box 288 Niobrara, Nebraska 68760

Tel: (402) 857-3391

Visitor Information: (402) 857-3519 Location: Northeastern Nebraska, near the South Dakota border

Traditional name: "Those who go against the

Attractions

Northern Ponca Arts & Crafts Shop. Tel: (402) 857-3519

Ponca buffalo herd. Two locations: 1) the Ponca Community Building complex, and 2) seven miles southeast of Niobrara, Tel: (402) 857-3519

Ponca Community Building, listed on the National Register of Historic Places

Ponca Earthlodge, 5 miles southwest of Niobrara at the Ponca Community Grounds, Tel: (402) 857-3519

Ponca Tribal Museum, Tel: (402) 857-3519

Tribal Events

Northern Ponca Powwow, 3rd weekend in August. In 2004, the powwow will be held September 3-5 as part of a larger Lewis & Clark observance.

Bridge Days, last weekend in August. Observes the dedication of the Chief Standing Bear Memorial Bridge, which connects Nebraska and South Dakota, Located 2 miles

Camping available during powwows. Inquire at (402) 857-3519.

Other Attractions In Oklahoma, Kansas & Nebraska

OKLAHOMA

Ataloa Lodge Museum, on the campus of Bacone College, Muskogee, OK

Gilcrease Museum, Tulsa, OK

Philbrook Museum of Art. Tulsa, OK

Southern Plains Indian Museum, Anadarko, OK. This is an Indian Arts & Crafts Board (IACR) Dent of the Interior facility Contact the IACB at (202) 208-3773 or visit www.doi.

Haskell Indian Nations University, Lawrence, KS Tel: (785) 749-8404 or www.baskell edu. See also the Haskell Cultural Center & Museum, Tel: (785) 832-6686

NERRASKA

Jocelyn Art Museum, Omaha, NE. Home of the entire collection of Karl Bodmer's extraordinary paintings and watercolors of Plains Indians

SACAGAWEA WOMAN OF LEGEND & MYTH

Sacagawea, a teenaged Indian woman and only female member of the Corps of Discovery, has for generations captured the imagination of a nation. Her role in the expedition has been debated, fictionalized and romanticized. Although popular culture has portrayed her as a guide to the Lewis & Clark Expedition, she pointed out only a few landmarks she recognized as the expedition journeyed through her childhood home in western Montana and eastern Idaho.

Sacagawea contributed to the success of the expedition on numerous occasions. Her most crucial role was played out when she assisted the expedition in acquiring much needed horses from her people, the Lemhi Shoshone and their leader Cameahwait, brother to Sacagawea. As the Corps traveled westward, she continued to serve as 'interpretess' where Shoshone captives were living

Sacagawea's role as symbol of peace or ambassador emerged as the expedition moved west. The captains noted on several occasions that the presence of Sacagawea and her infant son Jean Baptiste was an indication to all

The Charbonneau family traveled with William Clark and a bond of friendship and admiration was established between them. Both Lewis and Clark made note of the teenage woman's courage, fortitude and resourcefulness. After a sudden squall nearly capsized the white piroque in 1805 Sacagawea saved its valuable

Sacagawea was never officially hired by the captains as a paid member of the Lewis & Clark Expedition and therefore did not receive monetary or land payments for her services. However, in August 1806, after bidding farewell to the Charbonneaus at the Hidatsa villages in North Dakota, William Clark sent contributions, "your woman who accompanied you that long dangerous and fatigueing rout to the Pacific Ocian and back diserved a greater reward than we had in our power to give her..."

Today, there are more rivers, parks, statues, women's and girl's organizations and other memorials named for Sacagawea than for any other woman in



Spirit Lake

Reservation

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ort Berthold

Reservation

| SOUTH DAKOTA | Camping/RV | Casino | Gift Shop | Historic Site/Ranch | Hotel/Motel | Museum |
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| Yankton Sioux Tribe | • | • | | • | • | |
| Crow Creek Sioux Tribe | • | • | • | • | • | |
| Lower Brule Sioux Tribe | • | • | | • | • | |
| Rosebud Sioux Tribe of the Rosebud Reservation | • | • | • | | • | • |
| Oglala Sioux Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation | • | • | • | • | | • |
| Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe | • | | • | • | • | • |
| NORTH DAKOTA | | | | | | |
| Standing Rock Sioux Tribe | • | • | | • | • | |
| Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation | • | • | • | • | • | • |
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OCETI SAKOWIN

When people hear the words Lakota, Dakota and Nakota, they think these are the names of the Sioux Nation. But they're not. Lakota, Dakota and Nakota are actually the dialectic distinctions between the three major divisions of the Great Sioux Nation. From these three divisions emerge the Seven Council Fires, or the Oceti Sakowin.

I. Eastern-Santee-Dakota:

- 1. Mdewakantons Spirit Lake People
- 2. Wahpekutes Shooters Among the Leaves People
- 3. Wahpetons People Dwelling Among the Leaves
- 4. Sissetowans Campers Among the Marshes

II. Middle-Yankton-Nakota:

- 5. Yankton (Ihanktownwan) Campers at the End of the Circle
- 6. Yanktonai (Ihanktonwanna) Little Yanktons

III. Western-Teton-Lakota:

7. Tetonwan - People of the Prairie

There are seven subdivisions of the Teton Sioux:

- A. Oglala (ScatterTheir Own) Pine Ridge Reservation
- B. Sicangu (BurntThighs) Rosebud & Lower Brule Reservation
- C. Hunkpapa (Campers at the Entrance of the Circle) Standing Rock Reservation
- D. Mnicoujou (Plants by the Water) Cheyenne River Reservation
- E. Sihasapa (Blackfoot) Cheyenne River Reservation
- F. Oohenonpa (Two Kettles/Two Boilings) Cheyenne River Reservation
- G. Itazipco (Sans Arc or No Bows) Cheyenne River Reservation

South Dakota & North Dakota SOUTH DAKOTA Yankton Sioux Tribe

ON THE UPPER MISSOURI

PO. Box 248 Marty, South Dakota 57631 Tel: (605) 384-3804

Web: www.yanktonsiouxtourism.com Location: Southeast South Dakota, on the Nebraska horder

Traditional name: Ihanktonwan Dakota or "The Friendly People"

Attractions

Guided tours of significant tribal landmarks. including the buffalo range. Tel: (605) 487-7871

The Native American Scenic Byway, a 360+ mile driving route that follows the Missouri River from Chamberlain-Oacoma on I-90 to Fort Thompson, through Lower Brule and ending in Fort Pierre.

Treaty of 1858 Monument, north of Greenwood, next to Struck By The Ree

Gravesite of Struck By The Ree (1804-1888) - Legend has it that on the day the Corns of Discovery arrived, Struck By The Ree was born and was wrapped in an American flag by Meriwether Lewis As a chief Struck By The Ree befriended Euro-Americans and was dedicated and loyal to his people.

Lake Francis Case - camping, fishing, hunting, boating, sailing & swimming, Tel: (605) 487-7845

Fort Randall Recreation Area hunting, fishing & more

Fort Randall Casino Contest Powwow, 3rd weekend in June annually

Fort Randall Casino Traditional Powwow, 1st weekend in August annually

Our Story:

An Ihanktonwan Dakota Cultural Adventure Includes a cultural camp and teepee encampment, plus a play produced by the Morning Star Community Theatre.

The cultural camp opens July 21, 2004 and runs through late August 2004, and each

Visit www.yanktonsiouxtourism.com or morningstar@vanktonsioux.com

The Yankton Sioux Tribe has a unique piece of history in their past: the birth of a baby on the day the Lewis & Clark Expedition arrived. The child became known as Chief Struck By the Ree. The focus of this theatrical drama. Our Story: An Ihanktonwan Dakota Cultural Adventure, brings to life the perspective of the children and youth who stood to watch history unfold and ultimately change their lives forever.

Our Story is performed in an actual teepee encampment, which serves as a theater-in-the-round and where tribal culture is alive in the camp. In addition to the play, visitors can watch history revisited as the

Ihanktonwan Dakota (Yankton Sioux) reenact historical events and local artisans display their artistic works for sale in the encampment. The Treaty of 1858 and the Struck By The Ree historical monuments stand nearby.

Amenities

Fort Randall Hotel, adjacent to the Casino, Pickstown, Tel: (800) 362-6333

Tipi camping at Historic Greenwood, near a Lewis & Clark landing site, Tel: (605) 384-3491

Fort Randall Casino & Hotel, Pickstown, Tel: (800) 362-6333 or www.fortrandallcasino.com

Crow Creek Sioux Tribe P.O. Box 50

Fort Thompson, South Dakota 57339 Tel: (605) 245-2221 Location: 15 miles northwest of Chamberlain. 25 miles southeast of Pierre

Traditional name: Hunkpatidan or "Dwellers at the Entrance"

Attractions

Big Bend Dam, Lake Francis Case & Lake Sharpe - nature & wildlife refuge areas, fishing & swimming

Dakota Country Tour & Guide Company history, heritage, nature & wildlife tours, plus hunting, fishing, trapping & Native quide services, Tel: (605) 730-2238

Fallen Warrior Recreation Area - swimming. sports & nicnic areas

Historic sites such as the Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail, the Civilian Corps Dam Site, Stephan Indian Mission & Old Fort Thompson site

Medicine Hat Trading Post & Gift Shop, Tel: (605) 245-2100

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Old Fort Thompson Park - camping, boating & picnic areas

Sioux Crossing of the Three Rivers, as noted in the Lewis & Clark journals

Spirit of the Circle Monument, a memorial dedicated to the Santee Dakota whose lives were taken at Fort Thompson between 1863

Tribal hunting & fishing licenses, buffalo tours, guide services, parks & campgrounds. Call CCST Natural Resources & Wildlife Dept. Tel: (605) 245-2187

Tribal Events

Kahmi Tanka-Big Bend Annual Wacini & Fair. Big Bend District, 3rd weekend in July

Crow Creek Annual Wacipi & Fair, Fort Thompson District, 3rd weekend in August

Rendezvous on the Reservation

Lewis & Clark Bicentennial Events Crow Creek is the host tribe for the Tribal

Art & Trade Markets, August 24-26, 2004 at Crow Creek and the Tribal Treaty Summit & Missouri River Conference, September 20-24, 2004, featuring A Taste of the Great Plains: 1804, an event that emphasizes traditional tribal foods and food stories of the Lewis & Clark Expedition Additional local tribal events, entertainment, exhibits, presentations & performances will be held on the same dates.

Amenities

Lode Star Casino Motel, Tel: (605) 245-2176

Camping & parks. Call CCST Natural Resources & Wildlife Dept., Tel: (605) 245-2187

Big Bend Dam - camping, RV parking, fishing, boating, picnic areas, swimming & tours Tel: (605) 245-2255

Lode Star Casino, Tel: (605) 245-6000 or www.lodecasino.com

Lower Brule Sioux Tribe 187 Oyate Circle Lower Brule, South Dakota 57548 Tel: (605) 473-5561 Visitor Info/Public Relations: (605) 473-5399 Web: www.lbst.org Location: Southcentral South Dakota, 15 miles southeast of Pierre

Traditional name: Kul Wacasa Oyate or Sicangu (BurntThigh)

Attractions

Heart of the Sioux Nation Tours, Tel: (605) 473-0561 or (605) 473-5399. Cultural tours are available in the summer

Hunting & fishing guided tours, Call Lower Brule Wildlife, Fish & Recreation. Tel: (605) 473-5666 or lbwfr1@wcenet.com

The Native American Scenic Byway, a 360+ mile driving route that follows the Missouri River from Chamberlain-Oacoma on I-90 to Fort Thompson, through Lower Brule and ending in Fort Pierre.

The Narrows Tour, the largest naturally occurring total bend in any river system in the U.S.. Lewis & Clark witnessed this site. Located 31/2 miles north of the town of Lower

Tel: (605) 473-5666 or (605) 473-5399.

Tribal Events

Lower Brule Sioux Tribe Annual Fair & Powwow, 2nd week in August

Amenities

Golden Buffalo Hotel, adjacent to the Casino, Tel: (605) 473-5577

Lower Brule RV Park, Tel: (605) 473-5666

Golden Buffalo Casino & Resort, Tel: (605) 473-5577

Rosebud Sioux Tribe of the Rosebud Indian Reservation P.O. Box 430

Rosebud, South Dakota 57570 Tel: (605) 747-2381 Visitor Information: Tourism Dept (605) 856

2538 Web: www.rosebudsiouxtribe-nsn.gov Location: Southcentral South Dakota on

Traditional name: Sicangu Lakota Oyate Radio station: KINI 96.1 FM

Attractions

the Nebraska border

Buechel Memorial Lakota Museum, St. Francis Mission,

Tel: (605) 747-2745 or www.sfmission.org

Sicangu Heritage Center at Sinte Gleska University, Antelope, Tel: (605) 856-4901. Home of the Rosebud Sioux Tribal Museum. Archives & Historical Research Center.

Soldier Woman Art & Gift Gallery, Tel: (605) 856-4774 or www.soldierwoman.com

Tribal Events

Annual Tribal Elder Day, 3rd weekend in May Ring Thunder Community Traditional Celebration, 3rd weekend in June

St. Francis Indian Day Celebration, June 25th Antelope Community Celebration, 2nd weekend in July

Corn Creek Traditional Celebration, 2ⁿ weekend in July

Milk's Camp Community Traditional Celebration, 3rd weekend in July Wososo Wakpala Community Traditional

Celebration, 4th weekend in July

Parmelee Community Traditional Celebration, 1st weekend in August

White River Frontier Days & Traditional Community Celebration, 3rd weekend in August

Rosebud Fair & All Indian Rodeo, 4th weekend in August

Amenities

Antelope Motel, Tel: (605) 856-2371

Elk Valley Bed & Breakfast. Tel: (605) 685-2075

Heinert's RV Park & Camping, Tel: (605) 856-4572

Mayerick Motel Tel: (605) 856-4560

Rosebud Quality Inn Hotel, adjacent to the Casino, Tel: (800) 786-ROSE. RV parking & camping available.

Salt Camp Cabins, Tel: (605) 747-2206

Gaming

Rosebud Casino & Quality Inn Hotel, Mission, Tel: (800) 786-ROSE or (605) 378-3800 or www.rosebudcasino.com

Oglala Sioux Tribe of the Pine Ridge Reservation

Pine Ridge, South Dakota 57770 Tel: (605) 867-5821

Visitor Information: Oglala Sioux Tribe Parks & Recreation Dept., Tel: (605) 455-2584 or the Pine Ridge Area Chamber of Commerce, Tel: (605) 455-2685 or www.pineridgechamber com or www.lakotamall.com

Location: Southwest South Dakota on Nebraska state line, 50 miles east of Wyoming

This is the second largest reservation in the country.

Radio station: KILI 90.1 FM

Attractions

Box H

Fishing, hiking, camping, sightseeing & horseback riding, Tel: (605) 455-2685

Guided tours & camping are available. Contact the Pine Ridge Area Chamber of Commerce for most current listing, Tel: (605) 455-2685 or www.pineridgechamber.com

The Heritage Center at Red Cloud Indian School, Pine Ridge, Tel: (605) 867-5491 or www.redcloudschool.org. Museum and gift shop, Burial site of the great Oglala warrior Red Cloud is on school grounds

Oglala Lakota College, The Piva Wiconi Administration Center is located on Route 2 between Sharps Corner and Kyle, Tel: (605) 455-6000 or www.olc.edu

Red Owl Gallery, located 31/2 miles east of Kyle and six miles north of BIA 2. Tel: (605) 455-2814

The Spirit Horse Gallery & Gift Shop, Lakota Trading Center, Kyle, Tel: (605) 455-2555 or www.lakotafund.org Wounded Knee Visitor Center, Wounded

Knee Tel: (605) 867-2228

Wounded Knee Cemetery Wounded Knee Badlands National Park, a National Park

Tel: (605) 433-5361 or www.nps.gov/badl/

Tribal Evente

Service site Interior

Oglala Nation Powwow & Bodeo 4th weekend in August

Call (605) 455-2685 for complete powwow schedule

Amenities

Numerous bed & breakfasts can be found on the reservation. For current listing, contact the Pine Ridge Area Chamber of Commerce at (605) 455-2685 or www.pineridgechamber.

Cedar Pass Lodge, Tel: (605) 433-5460. The Ben Reifel Visitor Center is next door, in the **Badlands National Park**

Prairie Wind Casino, Oelrichs, Tel: (800) 605-WIND or www.prairiewindcasino.net. Highway 18 off of Highway 79/385

Chevenne River Sioux Tribe P.O. Box 590 Eagle Butte, South Dakota 57625

Tel: (605) 964-4155 Visitor Information: Tourism Division, (605) 964-7812 or 7813

Web: www.sioux.org or www.crstgrp.com Location: Northcentral South Dakota

Traditional Teton Sioux Bands of Chevenne

- Mnicoujou (Plants by the Water)
- Itazipco (Sans Arc or No Bows)
- Sihasana (Blackfoot)
- Oohenumpa (Two Kettles/Two Boilings)

Radio station; KLND 89.5 FM, Little Eagle, SD

Attractions

Harry V. Johnston Lakota Cultural Center, Tel: (605) 964-2542

For hunting & fishing licenses and permits. contact the Chevenne River Sioux Tribe Fish & Parks Department, Tel: (605) 964-7812

The Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail, Tel: (605) 964-7812

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The Native American Scenic Byway a 360+ mile driving route that follows the Missouri River from Chamberlain-Oacoma on I-90 to Fort Thompson, through Lower Brule and ending in Fort Pierre. Contact CRST Tourism Division, Tel: (605) 964-7812, for more information

Pte Hca Ka, Inc., USDA Certified Buffalo Processing Unit. Tel: (605) 733-2547

Si Tanka University, Tel: (605) 964-6044 or www.sitanka.net

Spirit of a Nation Tours provides buffalo & wild harea tours and alk tours on the Lakota Tribal Park and the HeHaKa (elk) Reserve. May through September, Tel: (605) 964-7812

Timber Lake and Area Museum, Timber Lake, Tel: (605) 864-3541

Tribal Events

May-September, visit www.sioux.org for latest information on local tribal events

Annual Cheyenne River Labor Day Fair & Rodeo, August/September

CultureFest 2004

September 2004, during the Annual Labor Day Fair & Rodeo Tel: (605) 964-7812 or 7813

In 2004, the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe (CRST) will host their Lewis & Clark observance during their annual Labor Day Fair & Rodeo. CultureFest 2004 will showcase Lakota culture, featuring an art show, arts & crafts, songs, dances, native cuisine, storytelling and games of each tribal group that resides on the Chevenne River Reservation, From September 4-11, the Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future and the Tent of Many Voices will be on the reservation. Corps II and the Tent of Many Voices give tribes the opportunity to educate visitors about Native peoples along the trail and discuss the impact the trail has on indigenous groups, past, present and future.

Chevenne River Sioux Tribe cont'd

Super 8 Motel, Eagle Butte, Tel: (605) 964-8888

Forest City Camparounds (renamed Old Agency Park), Tel: (605) 964-7812

Eagle Stop, Inc., open 24 hours.

Gaming

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Bingo, Tel: (605) 964-8910

National Signature Events

See inside back cover for a description of the National Signature Event hosted by the Oceti Sakowin (Seven Council Fires - Great Sioux

NORTH DAKOTA

Standing Rock Sioux Tribe P.O. Box D

Fort Yates, North Dakota 58538 Tel: (701) 854-7202

Web: www.standingrock.org Location: The reservation straddles two states - southcentral North Dakota and northcentral South Dakota

Attractions

Fort Manuel Lisa, open April-September annually, 24 miles north of Mobridge, SD, in

Lake Oahe, a 371-acre lake for outdoor recreation, including picnic areas, swimming, boating, hunting, fishing & camping.

Prairie Knights Marina, next to the Prairie Knights Casino. Picnic areas, fishing, swimming, RV parking, hiking, boating, camping & biking.

Sitting Bull College, Tel: (701) 854-3861 or www.sittingbull.edu

Sitting Bull's Gravesite, Fort Yates, ND

Sitting Bull and Sacagawea Monuments, Mobridge, SD

Standing Rock Historical Scenic Byway, www state.nd.us/dot or call Sitting Bull College at (701) 854-3861 ext. 233

Standing Rock Monument, Fort Yates, ND

Tribal Events

Memorial Day Wacipi, Kenel, SD, last weekend in May

Bear Soldier Powwow, McLaughlin, SD, 1st weekend in June

The Flag Day Celebration, Cannonball, ND, 3rd weekend in June

Porcupine Powwow, Porcupine, ND, 4th weekend in June

Home of Hunkpapa/Monument Celebration, Little Eagle, SD, 4th weekend in July

Long Soldier Powwow, Fort Yates, ND, 1st weekend in August

Wakpala Powwow, Wakpala, SD, 2nd weekend

Rock Creek Powwow, Bullhead, SD, 3rd weekend in August

The Lodge at Prairie Knights Casino, Fort Yates, ND, Tel: (800) 425-8277 or www.prairieknights.com

Grand River Casino Lodging, west of Mobridge, SD, Tel: (605) 845-7106 or

Grand River Resort, "The Bay", Mobridge, SD, Tel: (605) 845-7106. Camping & RV parking available.

Prairie Knights Casino & Lodge, Fort Yates, ND. Tel: (800) 425-8277 or www.prairieknights.com

Grand River Casino, located west of Mobridge, SD, Tel: (800) 475-3321 or www.grandrivercasing.com

Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation Fort Berthold Reservation 404 Frontage Road New Town ND 58763 Tel: (701) 627-4781

Web: www.mhanation.com Location: West central North Dakota

Radio station: KMHA 91.3 FM

Attractions

Beaver Creek Tanning & Productions, Twin Buttes, Tel: (701) 948-2229

Elbowoodsworks, 325 Main Street, New Town, Tel: (701) 627-4483

Figure 4 Buffalo & Elk Ranch, Mandaree, Tel: (701) 759-3176

Fort Berthold Community College, New Town, Tel: (701) 627-4738

Historic sites with interpretive signs: Crow Flies High Monument, New Town ND Reunion Bay Historic Site, Sanish, ND Old Scouts Cemetery, White Shield, ND

Three Tribes Museum, New Town, Tel: (701) 627-4477

Whirlwind Gift Shop, 438 Main Street, New Town, Tel: (701) 627-2721

Wolf's Trading Post, Hwy 1804, New Town, Tel: (701) 627-3393

Twin Buttes Celebration, 2nd weekend in June White Shield Arikara Celebration. 2nd weekend in July

Mandaree Celebration, 3rd weekend in July

Little Shell Celebration, 2nd weekend in August Parshall Nux Baaga Celebration, 3rd weekend

See the inside back cover for a description of the National Signature Event hosted by the Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation.

Four Bears Lodge, Tel: (800) 294-5454 or (701) 627-4018 or www4bearscasing.com

Four Bears RV Park and Camparound

Four Bears 24-Hour Convenience Store, Hwy 23 West New Town Four Bears Marina Lake Sakakawea

Pouch Bay Recreation Area, Lake Sakakawea,

New Town

Skunk Bay Recreation Area, Lake Sakakawea, Mandaree Tel: (701) 759-3288

Charging Eagle Bay Recreation Area, Lake Sakakawea Twin Buttes

Indian Hills Resort, Lake Sakakawea, Garrison Tel: (701) 743-4122

Twin Buttes Convenience Store, Twin Buttes; White Shield Convenience Store White Shield: Mandaree Convenience Store, Mandaree

Four Bears Casino & Lodge, New Town, Tel: (800) 294-5454 or (701) 627-4018 or

Other Attractions in South Dakota & North Dakota

SOUTH DAKOTA

The Sioux Indian Museum, which is housed in The Journey Museum in Rapid City, SD. This is an Indian Arts & Crafts Board (IACB), Dept. of the Interior, facility. Contact the IACB, Tel: (202) 208-3773 or visit www.doi. gov/iacb/ for more information.

NORTH DAKOTA

Fort Union National Historic Site Williston. ND Tel: (701) 572-9083

Knife River Indian Villages National Historic Site, Stanton, ND, Tel: (701) 745-3309 Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center & Fort

Mandan, Washburn, ND, Tel; (701) 862-8535 North Dakota Heritage Center, Bismarck, ND,

Tel: (701) 328-2666

On A Slant Mandan Village, Fort Lincoln State Park, Mandan, ND, Tel: (701) 663-9571

United Tribes Technical College (UTTC), Rismarck ND www.unitedtribestech.com The United Tribes International Powwow is the first weekend in September, at the Lone Star Arena on the UTTC campus.



| MONTANA | Camping/RV | Casino | Gift Shop | Historic Site/Ranch | Hotel/Motel | Museum |
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| Fort Peck Assiniboine | | | | | | |
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| Crow Nation | • | • | | • | | • |
| Gros Ventre & Assiniboine Tribes | • | | • | • | | |
| Little Shell Tribe of Chippewa | | | | | | |
| Blackfeet Nation | • | • | • | • | | • |
| Confederated Salish, Kootenai & Pend d'Oreille Tribes of the Flathead Reservation | | • | • | • | • | • |
| WYOMING | | | | | | |
| Shoshone Tribe of the Wind River Reservation | • | | • | • | | • |
| IDAHO | | | | | | |
| Northwestern Band of Shoshoni | | | | • | | |
| Shoshone-Bannock Tribes | | • | • | • | | • |
| Nez Perce Tribe | | • | | • | | • |
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ACROSS THE MOUNTAINS Montana, Wyoming & Idaho

MONTANA

Fort Peck Assiniboine & Sioux Tribes PO Rox 1027 Poplar, Montana 59255

Tel: (406) 768-5155 Visitor Information: (406) 768-5155 x373 Web: www.fortpecktribes-nsn.gov Location: Northeastern Montana, 40 miles from the North Dakota border

Fort Peck Assiniboine & Sioux Cultural Center & Museum, Tel: (406) 768-5155

Fort Peck Community College Tel: (406) 768-6300 or www.fncc.edu

Tribal Events

Red Bottom Celebration, Fraser, 3rd weekend in June

Badlands Celebration, Brockton, 4th weekend in June

Wadopana Celebration, 1st week in August, Tel: (406) 768-7463

Poplar Indian Days, Labor Day weekend annually

Gamina

Silver Wolf Casino, Tel: (406) 653-3476

Crow Nation

Crow Agency, Montana 59022 Visitor Information: Apsaalooka Tours, Little Big Horn College Box 370 Crow Agency Montana 59022 Tel: (406) 638-3139 or 7272 See also the Crow Chamber of Commerce Information Center, Tel: (406) 638-2637 Location: Southcentral Montana, 10 miles

east of Billings Attractions

Big Horn Canyon National Recreation Area, Tel: (406) 666-2412

Chief Plenty Coups State Park & Museum, Montana State Parks, Fish & Wildlife, Tel: (406) 252-1289 or plentycoups@plentycoups.org

Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument. National Park Service, Tel: (406) 638-2631 or www.nps.gov/libi/

Little Big Horn College Cultural Center, Tel: (406) 638-3126 or 638-3117 or www.lbhc.

Tribal Events

Annual Crow Native Days, 3rd week in June, Ultimate Warrior Challenge Triathalon and games for children.

Custer's Last Stand Re-Enactment, Real Bird Camp on the Crow Reservation, 3rd week in June. Tel: (406) 638-2808

Valley of the Chiefs Powwow & Rodeo, 4th of July weekend annually, Tel: (406) 639-2640

Crow Fair & Rodeo, Teepee Capital of the World, 3rd week in August annually, Tel: (406) 638-3793

Camping available during big community events. Inquire at Crow Chamber of Commerce/Information Center,

Little Big Horn Casino, Crow Agency, Tel: (406) 638-4000 or 4010

Gros Ventre & Assiniboine Tribes Fort Belknap Reservation R R 1 Box 66

Fort Belknap, Montana 59526 Visitor Information: Tourism Office & Visitor Information Center, Tel: (406) 353-8473 Location: Northcentral Montana

Radio station: KGVA 88.1 FM

Attractions

Buffalo ranch tours, Tel: (406) 353-8473. Also Little Rocky's Meatpacking Company, USDA Approved, will ship beef and buffalo meat anywhere in the country.

Fort Belknap College, Tel: (406) 353-2607 or www.fbcc.edu

Fort Belknap Ventures for cultural tours and arts & crafts. Located in the Visitor Information Center, Tel: (406) 353-8473.

Mission Canyon and Natural Bridge,

Tribal Events

Milk River Powwow, 1st week of July

Little Rocky's Powwow, 2nd week in August

Amenities

RV parking available, Tel: (406) 353-8471

Little Shell Tribe of Chippewa Indians of Montana 1807 Third Street, NW, Suite 35A Great Falls, Montana 59404 Tel: (406) 452-2892 Web: www.littleshelltribe.com or www.littleshelltribe.us Location: Headquartered in Great Falls

This is a state recognized tribe that is seeking Federal recognition.

Tribal Events

Metis Celebration, Fergus County Fairgrounds, Lewistown, MT, Labor Day weekend in September

Joe Dusomme Day Celebration, in honor of Joe Dusomme, elders and tribal leaders. 2nd weekend in November

Blackfeet Nation P.O. Box 850

Browning, Montana 59417 Tel: (406) 338-7521 Tourism Information: (406) 338-7406 Web: www.blackfeetnation.com Location: Bordered by Alberta Canada to the north and Glacier National Park to the west in northwestern Montana

Traditional tribes: Piegan, Pikuni, Siksika and Kainai

Attractions

Blackfeet Community College Tel: (406) 338-5441or www.bfcc.org

Blackfeet Heritage Center, next to the Museum of the Plains Indian, Tel: (406) 338-2230

Blackfeet Visitor Center, Tel: (406)-338-7181

Camp Disappointment, Tel: (406) 338-7737 Piegan Institute, Tel: (406) 338-3518 or

www.pieganinstitute.org Two Medicine Fight Site, Tel: (406) 338-7737

Tribal Events

North American Indian Days & Powwow 2nd week in July. Wonderful opportunity to interact with tribes from all over North America.

Chewing Blackbones Campground, Tel: (406) 732-4512

Lodge Pole Gallery & Tipi Village, Tel: (406) 338-2787

Sleeping Wolf Campground, Tel: (406) 338-7406. RV parking available.

Glacier Park Lodge, Tel: (406) 226-9311

Glacier Peaks Casino, Tel: (406) 338-7320

Discovery Lodge Casino, Tel; (406) 873-8311

Confederated Salish, Kootenai and Pend d'Oreille Tribes of the Flathead Reservation

PO Box 278 Pablo, Montana 59855 Tel: (406) 675-2700 Tourism Information: (406) 675-0160

Web: www.cskt.org Location: Between Missoula and Kalispell in northwestern Montana

The People's Center Tel: (406) 883-5344 or www.peoplescenter.org

Flathead Indian Museum & Trading Post, Tel: (406) 745-2951

Flathead Lake State Parks (Boettcher, Sacagawea, Riverside, Finley Point, Elmo, Big Arm, Yellow Bay and Wild Horse Island), Chamber of Commerce, Tel: (406) 837-5888

Mission Mountains Tribal Wilderness Area Tel: (406) 675-2700, ext. 356 or www.cskt.org

National Bison Range, Tel: (406) 644-2211 or www.bisonrange.fws.gov

Native Ed-Ventures, Tel: (800) 883-5344 or www.peoplescenter.org/edventure/ or tours@peoplescenter.org. Choose from 6 educational tours led by Native guides.

Ninepipe National Wildlife Refuge, Tel: (406) 644-2211 or

www.bisonrange.fws.gov/ninepipe/ Salish Kootenai College, Tel: (406) 675-4800

or www.skc.edu

St. Ignatius Mission (established in 1854).

Annual Arlee 4th of July Celebration, hosted by the Flathead Nation, Arlee, 1st weekend in July

Standing-Arrow Powwow, hosted by the Kootenai Nation, 3rd weekend in July

Amenities

Best Western KwaTaqNuk Resort Hotel, adjacent to the Casino Tel: (406) 883-3636 or (800) 882-6363 or www.kwatagnuk.com

KwaTagNuk Casino, Tel: (800) 822-6363 or www.kwatagnuk.com

WYOMING

Shoshone Tribe of the Wind River Reservation Box 1008

Fort Washakie Wyoming 82514 Tel: (307) 332-3532 Visitor Information: (307) 332-3595 Location: Western Wyomi

Eastern Shoshone Tribal Cultural Center, at the Fort Washakie School Tel: (307) 332-9106 or 3595

Roberts Mission. Trout Creek Road. Fort Washakie

Sacaiawea Monument and Cemetery

Warm Valley Arts & Crafts Gift Shop. Tel: (301) 332-3595

Wind River Canyon - fishing & tours, Tel: (307) 332-3532

Tribal Events 1868 Treaty Days Re-Enactment.

last weekend in June

Bocky Acres Camparound 15 miles south of

Fort Washakie in Lander Tel: (307) 332-6953 IDAHO

Northwestern Band of

Shoshoni Nation 427 North Main Street Pocatello, Idaho 83204 Tel: (208) 478-5712 Location: Headquartered in Pocatello, in southeast Idaho

Traditional homelands cover northern and western Utah and the southeast corner of Idaho.

The Northwestern Band of Shoshoni received its federal recognition in 1980 and is in the process of rebuilding its community.

Rear River Massacre Site, near Preston, ID, a National Historic Landmark

Location: Southeast Idaho, between

Shoshone-Bannock Tribes P.O. Box 306 Fort Hall, Idaho 83203 Tel: (208) 478-3700 or (800) 297-1378 Web: www.shoshonebannocktribes.com

Traditional tribes: Northern Shoshone &

Pocatello and Blackfoot

Attractions

Shoshone-Bannock Tribal Museum, I-15 at Exit 80, Tel: (208) 237-9791

Old Fort Hall & the Oregon Trail Tours, Tel: (208) 238-0097

2 hours from Western Yellowstone National

2 hours from Craters of the Moon National Park (seasonal)

2 hours from Jackson Hole, Wyoming

Tribal Events

Shoshone-Bannock Festival, 2nd week of August. Includes a rodeo, adult and children parades, handgame, royalty contests & softball tournaments.

Amenities

Shoshone-BannockTribal Enterprises: The Clothes Horse, Tel: (208) 237-8433 (You can purchase excellent beadwork here.)

Trading Post Grocery, Tel: (208) 237-3630

Teepee Gas, Tel: (208) 237-9074

Jo's Oregon Trail Restaurant, Tel: (208) 238-8851

Fort Hall Casino, Fort Hall, Tel: (208) 237-8778

or (800) 497-4231

Nez Perce Tribe

P.O. Box 365 Lapwai, Idaho 83540 Tel: (208) 843-2253

Web: www.nezperce.org Location: Northern Idaho

Traditional name: Niimiipuu

The tribal government headquarters are located in Lapwai, thirteen miles east of Lewiston on Highway 95. Historically, the Nez Perce Tribe populated the area now known as Idaho, northeastern Oregon and southeastern Washington.

Attractions

Chief Joseph Foundation, Tel: (208) 843-7175 orwww.chiefjosephfoundation.idesignoffice. net/. Provides trail rides along the Nee-Me-Poo National Historic Trail

Nez Perce Annaloosa Horse Club, PO, Box 387 Lanwai ID 83540

Nez Perce Horse Registry, Lapwai, Tel: (208) 843-7333 Tours are available Nez Perce National Historical Park Snalding Tel-(208) 843-2261or www.nps.gov/nene. Located

on Highway 95, 10 miles east of Lewiston. Nez Perce/Nee-Me-Poo National Historic Trail, Tel: (208) 476-8334 or

www.fs.fed.us/npnht/ Nez Perce Trail Foundation, Tel: (208) 467-8227 or www.nezpercetrail.net. Conducts annual educational programs and tours along various portions of the Nee-Me-PooTrail.

Wolf Education & Research Center. Winchester, Tel: (208) 924-6960 or www.wolfcenter.org

Tribal Events

New Year's Eve Powwow, Lapwai

E-Peh-Tes, Lapwai, 2nd weekend in March Mata'lyma, Kamiah, 3rd weekend in May

Chief Joseph and Warriors Memorial Powwow Lanwai 3rd weekend in June

Chief Lookingglass, Kamiah, 3rd weekend in August

Young Nation, Lapwai, 3rd weekend in

See inside back cover for a description of the National Signature Event hosted by the Nez Perce Tribe.

Amenities

Nez Perce Express, 17372 Nez Perce Road. Lewiston, Tel: (208) 746-6225

Pi-Nee-Waus Café, Main Street & Bever Road, Lapwai

Gaming

Thunderbird Smoke Shop, 305 Main St., Lapwai Clearwater River Casino, Lewiston, Tel: (208) 746-0723 or www.crcasino.com

It' Se Ye Ye Casino, Kamiah, Tel: (208) 935-7860

Also see the Wallowa Band Nez Perce in Wallowa, Oregon. Wallowa is located in northeastern Oregon, 2 hours from Lewiston, Idaho, or 2 hours from Pendleton, Oregon, or 2 hours from Baker City, Oregon

Chief Joseph Days, Joseph, Oregon, last full weekend in July. Nez Perce Indian encampment & PRCA rodeo. Visit www. chiefiosephdays.com

Nez Perce Art in the Wallowa, Joseph, Oregon, in September.

Visit www.wallowanezperce.com Tamkaliks Celebration & Friendship Feast, Wallowa Oregon July 16-18, 2004, and July 22-24, 2005, Visit www.wallowanezperce.com.

The Wallowa Band Nez PerceTrail Interpretive Center, a Nez Perce National Historical Park Site, Tel: (541) 886-3101 or www. wallowanezperce.com

Other Attractions in Montana Wyoming & Idaho

WYOMING

The Buffalo Bill Historical Center, Cody, WY MONTANA The Native American Traditional Games To be held during Explore! The Big Sky National Signature Event, Montana ExpoPark,

June 28 – July 3, 2005. Visit www.explorethebigsky.org.

Museum of the Plains Indian, Browning, MT. This is an Indian Arts & Crafts Board (IACB). Dept. of the Interior, facility, Contact IACB at (202) 208-3773 or www.doi.gov/iacb/ for more information

IDVHU

Sacaiawea Interpretive, Educational & Cultural Center, Salmon, ID

| WASHINGTON | Camping/RV | Casino | Gift Shop | Historic Site/Ranch | Hotel/Motel | Museum |
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| Wanapum Band | • | | | | | • |
| Confederated Tribes & Bands of the Yakama Nation | • | • | • | | | • |
| Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation | • | • | | | | |
| Cowlitz Indian Tribe | | | | • | | |
| Chinook Indian Nation | | | | • | | • |
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| Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation | • | • | • | • | • | • |
| Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation | • | • | • | | • | • |
| Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Reservation of Oregon | • | • | • | • | • | |
| Clatsop/Nehalem Confederated Tribes | • | | • | • | | • |
| Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians | | • | | • | | • |
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ATREATY IS A FORMAL CONTRACT BETWEEN SOVEREIGN NATIONS...

Between 1778 and 1868, the United States Government executed nearly 800 treaties with American Indian nations. Treaties were the vehicle by which the United States took our lands and resources and established formal government-to-government relations and trust responsibilities with tribal nations. In some treaties, tribes retained rights to hunt, fish, pick berries, dig roots, gather cultural materials and medicines, access sacred sites and traditional campgrounds in the ceded lands to carry on our way of life.

The first treaty was signed with the Delaware Tribe in 1778. A total of 43 treaties were signed with Eastern tribes between 1778 and 1806. But the vast majority of treaties were negotiated after 1806, particularly during the 1820's leading up to the Removal Era, during which many tribal groups where forcibly relocated. The last treaty was signed in 1868 with the Nez Perce. In 1871, Congress passed Title 25, U.S. Code, Section 71 ceasing any further treaty making with tribes.

Of these nearly 800 treaties, fewer than 370 were ratified by the Congress, leaving many tribes landless and without formal recognition or acknowledgement, although their existence had long been known.

Since 1778, over 2.2 billion acres of Indian lands have been ceded to the United States. Today, 2.5% of our original lands, or 56 million acres, remain in tribal jurisdiction.

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Wanapum Band
15655 Wanapum Village Lane SW
Beverly, Washington 99321
Tel: (509) 754-5088
Visitor Information: (509) 754-5088 x2571
Location: 18 miles south of Wanapum Dam, which is northeast of the City of Vakima

Attraction

Wanapum Dam Heritage Center, 8 miles south of Vantage at Wanapum Dam, Highway 243, Tel. (509) 754-5088 x257 www.tcfn.org/tctour/museums/Wanapum.html

Amenities

Gingko/Wanapum State Park Campground, 30 miles east of Ellensburg, Tel: (888) 226-7688

Confederated Tribes & Bands of the Yakama Nation

Toppenish, Washington 98948
Tel: (509) 865-5121 or 2200
Location: South central Washing

Fourteen bands make up the Yakama Nation: Kah-milt-pah, Klickitat, Klinquit, Kow-wassay-ee, Li-ay-was, Oche-chotes, Palouse, Piquose, Se-ap-cat, Shyiks, Skinpah, Wenatshanam Wishram & Yakama

Radio station: KNYR 1490 AM, www.kynr.com

Attractions

Yakama Nation Cultural Heritage Center:

Yakama Nation Museum – Yakama history, dioramas, exhibits, Plateau artwork, bookstore, Tel: (509) 865-2800 x1. Guided tours by appointment.

Yakama Nation Library – Public Library & Computer Technical Center, the Strongheart Collection, Native American books.

Tel: (509) 865-2800 x6. Research by appointment.

Gift Shop – Yakama beadwork, baskets & other Native American artwork, Tel: (509) 865-2800 x3

Heritage Inn Restaurant – Fine dining and Native American cuisine, Tel: (509) 865-2551. Dance performances by appointment.

Heritage Theater - Commercial & performing arts, Tel: (509) 865-7499 or (509) 865-2800 x5. Theater seats 360. Theater rental available.

Tribal Events

Yakama NationTreaty Days Commemoration, White Swan, 1st weekend in June. The Treaty was signed on June 9, 1855. The year 2004 marks the 149th anniversary.

Toppenish Powwow & Rodeo, July 4th annually National Indian Day Celebration, White Swan. 3th weekend in September

Amenities

Yakama Nation Resort RV Park, 22 miles south of the City of Yakima on Highway 97, Tel: (509) 865-2000 or (800) 874-3087

YAKAMART Convenience Store – gas station & smoke shop.

Gaming

Yakama Nation Legends Casino, Toppenish, Tel: (509) 865-8800 or (877) 7COME11 or www.yakamalegends.com

Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation

Oakville, Washington 98568
Tel: (360) 273-5911
Web: www.chehalistribe.org
Location: 26 miles southwest of Olympia and
6 miles northwest of Centralia in western
Workinsteen

Traditional bands: Upper Chehalis and Lower Chehalis

Amenities

420 Howanut Road

Lucky Eagle Casino RV parking, Rochester, Tel: (800) 720-1788 or (360) 273-2000

Gaming

Lucky Eagle Casino, Rochester, Tel: (800) 720-1788 or (360) 273-2000 or www.luckyeagle.

Cowlitz Indian Tribe 1055 9th Avenue, Suite B Longview, Washington 98632 Tel: (360) 577-8140 Web: www.cowlitz.org

Location: Southwest corner of Washington, north of Portland, Oregon

The Tribe consists of the Upper and Lower

Cowlitz.

The Cowlitz Tribe received its federal

recognition in 2001 and is the process of rebuilding its community.

Attractions

Fort Vancouver, Vancouver, WA. Fort Vancouver is on the north-south route of the regional trade confluence; the Columbia River is the east-west route.

Lazer Cave, occupied for 4,000 years and then abandoned 2,000 years ago. Near Randall.

Mount St. Helens scenic area

The scenic beauty of the Cowlitz River and Lewis River (formerly known as Cathlapotle River)

Tribal Events

Annual powwow, mid-October

Chinook Indian Nation P.O. Box 228 Chinook, Washington 98614 Tel: (360) 777-8303

Web: www.chinooknation.org Location: Southwest tip of western Washington There are five tribes of the Chinook: the Wahkiakum, Kathlamet, Clatsop, Lower Chinook & Willapa, all of which occupied the Lower Columbia River of northwest Oregon, southwest Washington and Willapa Bay.

The Chinook Nation is in the process of seeking federal re-recognition.

Attraction

Ilwaco Heritage Museum, Ilwaco, Tel: (360) 642-3446

Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center, Fort Canby, 2 miles southwest of Ilwaco, Tel: (360) 642-3078

Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge, Ridgefield, Tel: (360) 887-4106

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Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation

PO. Box 638 Pendleton, Oregon 97801 Tel: (541) 276-3165 Visitor Information: (800) 654-9453 (WILD)

Web: www.umatilla.nsn.us Location: Northeastern Oregon, 5 miles east of Pendleton

Traditional tribes: Walla Walla, Cayuse and Umatilla

Traditional names: Waluulapam, Waiiletpu and Imatalam

Attractions

Cayuse, Umatilla & Walla Walla Homeland Heritage Corridor in northeast Oregon & southeast Washington, Tel: (541) 966-9748 for free map

Crow's Shadow Institute of the Arts, Tel: (541) 276-3954 or www.crowsshadow.org

Indian Lake Recreational Area, 34 miles southeast of Pendleton, Tel: (541) 276-3873

Tamástslikt Cultural Institute, Tel: (541) 966-9748 or www.tamastslikt.com. Museum with permanent & rotating exhibits, library, café and gift store.

Veterans Memorial and Wallula Stone

Wildhorse Resort & Casino, Tel: (800) 654-WILD (9453) or www.wildhorseresort.com. Golf, swimming & entertainment.

Tribal Events

Activities and special observances on Memorial Day, Independence Day & Veterans Day Root Feast and Celebration, Huckleberry Feast, Christmas Celebration, Father's Day Fishing Derby, Salmon Walk (August), basketball tournaments (Nov-April), annual Elders Dinner

Wildhorse 4th of July Powwow, Balloon Bash (October), Wildhorse Anniversary Fireworks (March), House of Native Blues, Tamástslikt Twilight Parade & Annual Tribal Art Show (August), Celebrity Golf Tournament (August)

Dogs, Drums, & Directions: The Corps in Our Camp, the Tribes' Lewis and Clark festivities, end of April 2004-2006.

Walla Walla Council Treaty of 1855 Sesquicentennial Observances, May 28-June 12, 2005

Amenities Wildhorse Hotel, Tel: (800) 654-9453 (WILD)

Wildhorse RV Park, Tel: (800) 654-9453

Wildhorse Golf & Clubhouse Grill, Tel: (541) 276-5588

Wildhorse Restaurant & Hot Rock Cafe Tel: (800) 654-9453

Camping, picnic area, fishing & boating available at Indian Lake Recreational Area, 34 miles southeast of Pendleton, Tel: (541) 276-3873

Arrowhead Travel Plaza & Mission Market, I-84 at Exit 216

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Wildhorse Resort & Casino, Tel: (800) 654-

Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation 1233 Veterans Street Warm Springs, Oregon 97761 Tel: (541) 553-3333

Web: www.warmsprings.com Location: North central Oregon

Traditional tribes and bands: Warm Springs (Tygh, Wyam, Tenino, Dock-spus), Wasco (Ki-galtwal-la and Dog River Band), & Northern Paiute Radio station: KWSO 91.9 FM

Attractions

High Lakes – hiking, fishing & camping, Tel: (541) 553-3333

Lake Simtustus, accessible by Indian Park on the reservation side of the lake

Kah-Nee-Ta High Desert Resort, Tel: (800) 554-4SUN for reservations or www.kah-nee-taresort.com. Kah-Nee-Ta is a full-service resort with hotel, RV park, camping (in tipis), spa, golf course, 2 swimming pools, kayaking, horseback riding, niking & more.

The Museum at Warm Springs, Tel: (541) 553-3331 or www.warmsprings.biz/museum/. Museum with permanent & rotating exhibits, qift shop & picnic area.

Warm Springs National Fish Hatchery, Tel: (541) 553-1692

Tribal Events

Presidents Day Powwow, 3rd Monday in February

Pi-Ume-Sha, 3rd weekend in June

Veterans Day Powwow, November 11th

Amenities

See Attractions above for Kah-Nee-Ta High Desert Resort

Dry Creek Campground, Tel: (541) 553-2000 High Lakes camping, Tel: (541) 553-3333 for information

Indian Park, Tel: (541) 553-3333 for information

The Plaza at Warm Springs, located on Highway 26, across the street from The Museum at Warm Springs White water rafting trips & fly fishing guided tours, Inquire at www.warmsprings.com

Camina

Indian Head Casino, located at Kah-Nee-Ta Resort, Tel: (800) BET-N-WIN or www.kahnee-taresort.com

Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon 9615 Grand Ronde Road

Grand Ronde, Oregon 97347 Tel: (503) 879-5211 or (800) 422-0232 Web: www.grandronde.org Location: 60 miles southwest of Portland

and 25 miles east of the Oregon Coast

The five primary tribes of the Confederacy are the Kalapuya, Molalla, Umpqua, Rogue

are the Kalapuya, Molalla, Umpqua, Rogue River and Chasta Tribes, although there are 26 original tribes with ancestral homelands that extend from the south bank of the Columbia River to what is now northern California between the Coastal and Cascade Mountain Ranges.

Attractions

Corps of Discovery II, Tent of Many Voices, March 25 – April 2, 2006

Grand Ronde Day Use Park

Grand Ronde Hall, Tribal Exhibit, Spirit Mountain Casino, Grand Ronde

West Valley Veterans Memorial, Grand Ronde

Tribal Events

Native American Week, Spirit Mountain Casino, May

Spirit Mountain NPRA Rodeo, June
Veterans Powwow. 2nd weekend in July

All Indian Rodeo, 2nd weekend in July

Annual Powwow, 3rd weekend in August

Restoration Celebration, November

Amenities

Spirit Mountain Lodge, Tel: (888) 668-7366. RV parking available.

Campground, opening Fall 2004, Tel: (800) 422-0232

The Grand Ronde Station – convenience store & gas station, Tel: (503) 879-1600

Gaming

Spirit Mountain Casino, Tel: (800) 760-7977 or www.spirit-mountain.com

Clatsop/Nehalem Confederated Tribes 900 Marine Drive Astoria, Oregon 97103 Tel: (503) 325-3660 Web: www.clatsop.nehalem.com

The traditional homelands of the Clatsop Tribe extend from the Pacific Ocean to the Coast Mountain Range and from the north corner of Clatsop County (Oregon) south to Cannon Beach.

The traditional homelands of the Nehalem Tribe extend from Cannon Beach to the Nehalem River and from the Pacific Ocean to the Coast Mountain Range.

The Clatsop/Nehalem Confederated Tribes is in the process of seeking federal recognition.

Attractions

Bus and walking tours to tribally significant historical sites such as Fort Clatsop, Fort Stevens, Tansy Point Monument and other sites around Oregon's North Coast area, including Astoria, Seaside, Cannon Beach, Warrenton, Hammond and Saddle Mountain, Et. (503) 325-3660.

Cannon Beach Historical Society, Cannon Beach, Tel: (503) 436-9301

Clatsop County Historical Society, Astoria, (503) 325-2203

Amenities

Fort Stevens State Park, Warrenton, Tel: (800) 452-5687 for camping reservations

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians P.O. Box 549 Siletz, Oregon 97380 Tel: (541) 444-8211 or (800) 922-1399 Web: www.ctsi.nsn.us

the central Oregon Coast

The Confederated Tribes of Siletz consists of many western Oregon tribes, including Chinook, Clatsop, Tillamook and others who met Lewis & Clark. The Tribes signed three treaties: the Treaties of 1853, 1854 and 1855. The original reservation consisted of 1.1 million agres. The Confederated Tribes of Siletz

was terminated in 1954 and restored in 1977.

Location: Northeast of Newport, which is on

Attractions

Fort Hoskins Historic Park, listed on the National Register for Historic Places. Located in Kings Valley, Oregon, the park was developed in cooperation with the Siletz Tribes. Visit www.co.benton.or.us.

Lhuuke Illahee Fish Hatchery, rearing ponds and spawning channel near Siletz

Lincoln County Historical Society Museum, Newport, Tel: (541) 265-7509

Pauline Ricks Memorial Powwow Grounds, Siletz Scenic Siletz River, Pacific Ocean beaches, Yaquina Bay and more

Siletz Tribal Cultural Center, Tel: (541) 444-8244 or (800) 922-1399. Please call ahead if planning to visit.

Siletz Tribal Smoked Fish Products, Depoe Bay, www.oregonsmokedfoods.com

Tribal Events

Nesika Illahee Powwow, 2nd weekend in August, Siletz

Restoration Celebration, usually the Saturday closest to November 18th (call ahead for date). Held at Chinook Winds Casino and Convention Center.

Camina

Gaming Chinook Winds Casino and Convention Center, Lincoln City, Tel: (888) CHINOOK or (541) 996-5825 cian

Other Attractions in Washington & Oregon WASHINGTON

Columbia Hills State Park (formerly known as the Horsethief Lake State Park), WA, Tel: (509) 767-1159. Guided tours of pictographs and petroglyphs, including Tsagaglalal or She Who Watches, Reservations are required.

Lewis & Clark Trail Highway (12) in WA

Maryhill Museum, Goldendale, WA

Northwest Museum of Art & Culture, Spokane, WA OREGON

Blue Mountain Scenic Byway, western

Celilo Falls - the legendary fishing and trade site of the Columbia River Tribes. Now inundated by floodwaters, the site consists of a small park, boat launch, picnic area & interpretive signs

Children's Museum of Eastern Oregon. Pendleton

Columbia Gorge Discovery Center, The Dalles Emigrant Springs State Heritage Area, 26 miles southeast of Pendleton

Hat Rock State Park, 9 miles east of Umatilla

High Desert Museum, Bend, Oregon

Jean Baptiste Charbonneau Gravesite, located in Danner west of Jordan Valley in the far southeastern corner of Oregon near

Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail

Nez Perce National Historic Trail

Old Chief Joseph National Monument, located 1 mile south of Joseph, Wallowa Lake, on Highway 82

Oregon Historical Society, Portland, Oregon

Oregon National Historic Trail

Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail

Pendleton Arts Center, Pendleton

Pendleton Round-Up & Rodeo, Pendleton, 2nd full week in September

Pendleton Round-Up Hall of Fame, Pendleton

Pendleton Underground Tours, Pendleton Pendleton Woolen Mills, Pendleton, Tel: (541) 276-6911

Portland Art Museum, Portland, Oregon

See also the Wallowa Band Nez Perce in Wallowa, Oregon, under the entry for the Nez Perce Tribe in Idaho since sites and events for the Wallowa Band are found in Oregon.

Umatilla County Heritage Station, Pendleton



Among the Niimiipuu

The Lewis & Clark Expedition first entered

the homelands of the Niimiipuu (the Nez Perce) in September 1805, heading west.

In this first encounter, the expedition was

met with caution and suspicion. Lewis & Clark described the Niimiipuu as friendly,

renewed their relationship with the

Niimiipuu on their return journey nine

months later, in June 1806. Now, from

June 14th to 17th, 2006, the Niimiipuu

will commemorate that relationship by hosting this National Signature Event.

the Niimiipuu remain so today.

itable and gracious hosts then, and

The Lewis & Clark Expedition

(The Nez Perce)

June 14 – 17, 2006 Lewiston, Idaho

www.nezperce.org

Clark National Historic Trail from 2003 through 2006 to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the Lewis & Clark Expedition. Fifteen communities from Charlottesville, Virginia, to Astoria, Oregon, have been chosen to host an amazing array of activities for all ages. These communities were selected based on their place in the expedition's chronology, historical relevance, cultural diversity, tribal involvement and geographic location.

Tribes are represented in all fifteen National

Signature Events. In fact, three tribal groups - the Great Sioux Nation, the Nez Perce Tribe and the Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation - will be the hosts of the following National Signature Events.

For a complete description of all fifteen Lewis & Clark National Signature Events, please visit www.lewisandclark200.org

Sakakawea August 17 – 20, 2006 New Town, North Dakota

On August 12, 1806, Lewis & Clark reunited on the Missouri River near the present-day headquarters of the Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation. The expedition traveled on to the Knife River Hidatsa and Mandan villages and days later bid farewell to Sakakawea and

North Dakota.

In August 2006, the Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation will observe the return of the Corps of Discovery to their homelands. The major themes of this Signature Event will center on Sakakawea and her life before, during and after the expedition; the Missouri River and its impact on the lives of the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara and other tribes that hold this river sacred; and tribes 200 years ago and today.

wide range of events, from scholarly symposia, an art exhibition and trade fair to indigenous games and singing and traditional dance competitions.

Reunion at the Home of www.mhanation.com

Toussaint Charbonneau. On August 20, 1806, the expedition left what is now

This four-day event will feature a

TRIBES ALONG THE LEWIS & CLARK TRAIL

VIRGINIA

Monacan Indian Nation OHIO

Shawnee United Remnant Band of Ohio

OKLAHOMA

Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma

Shawnee Tribe

Osage Nation of Oklahoma

Kaw Nation of Oklahoma

Ponca Tribe of Oklahoma

Otoe-Missouria Tribe

Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma

Absentee Shawnee Tribe

Citizen Potawatomi Nation

Cheyenne-Arapaho Tribes

Delaware Nation of Western Oklahoma

Comanche Nation

KANSAS

lowa Tribe of Kansas & Nebraska Sac & Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas & Nebraska

Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation

NEBRASKA

Omaha Tribe of Nebraska & Iowa Ponca Tribe of Nebraska

SOUTH DAKOTA

Crow Creek Sioux Tribe

Lower Brule Sioux Tribe

Rosebud Sioux Tribe of the Rosebud Indian Reservation

Oglala Sioux Tribe of the

Pine Ridge Reservation

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe

NORTH DAKOTA

Standing Rock Sioux Tribe

Mandan-Hidatsa-Arikara Nation

MONTANA

Fort Peck Assiniboine & Sioux Tribes Crow Nation

Gros Ventre & Assiniboine Tribes Little Shell Tribe of Chippewa Indians of Montana

Blackfeet Nation

Confederated Salish, Kootenai & Pend d'Oreille

WYOMING Shoshone Tribe of the Wind River Reservation

IDAHO

Northwestern Band of Shoshoni Nation Shoshone-BannockTribes Nez PerceTribe

WASHINGTON

wanapum Band Confederated Tribes & Bands of the Yakama Nation Confederated Tribes of the Chehalis Reservation Cowlitz Indian Tribe

OREGON

Oceti Sakowin Experience:

Remembering & Educating

August 27 – September 26, 2004 Oacoma/Chamberlain.

On August 27 & 28, 2004, of this month-

long Signature Event, visitors will learn

about the experiences prior to, during

and after Lewis & Clark visited the Great

Sioux Nation which is known as the Oceti

26, 2004, guided tours will be available

that showcase the various tribes in South

Dakota. These tours are educational

excursions along the Lewis & Clark

Trail and will enable visitors to "get off

the beaten path" to visit other tribes

that are located off the trail. Don't miss

this opportunity to visit up to 10 tribal

From August 27 through September

Sakowin (the Seven Council Fires).

For tour information, contact

visit www.attatribal.com

South Dakota

communities

(605) 473-0561 or