

Native Sons and Daughters Programs™



*Smoke Signals
Two Feathers Longhouse*

July 2008



Chief's Talk from Doug "Big Black Hawk" Isham

Visit our local organization website:
www.2feathers.org

Visit our national organization website:
www.nationallonghouse.org

Greetings 2 Feathers Native Sons and Daughters™

As we finish out our Two Feathers Longhouse 2007-2008 program year I'd like to thank all of you for being involved. You, your sons, your daughters, your family is what the Native Sons & Daughter program is all about. "Building relationships that last two life times", is what we always say. Hopefully all of you were able to take advantage of the variety of activities we offered this year to spend some **QUALITY TIME** together. It really can be taken for granted with all the things happening in our lives today. The old cliché, "not enough time" has become the norm all too often for many of us. I'd like to personally thank each of you for making the efforts to be involved in our Two Feathers family. Your commitment as parents to be teachers, counselors, and friends forever is what makes this program work.

Some of you will be moving on to other things next year. If so, happy trails to you, and may our paths cross again!

For the rest of us, think of what we did and what we still have the opportunity to do!

I want to also take this opportunity to welcome in our new Longhouse Chief, Dan Drellishak, for next program year which will start in September. Dan will be taking over the Longhouse Big Chief position the start of August.

Several of you have stepped forward and volunteered to help us continue to grow and be successful in the future as next year's Longhouse Officers and Tribe Chiefs. Developing leadership skills is an essential goal we attempt to accomplish. We still need a few positions filled for 2008-2009! Several Tribes are still without a new Tribe Chief and there are a couple of Officers positions needing to be filled. Believe me, the time goes by fast and you will receive a lot of help from past experience. Don't let us become a Longhouse with "too many Indians and not enough Chiefs". Call Dan, Karl Satorious our 1st Assistant Longhouse Chief or myself if you are interested in volunteering for one of the remaining open positions. We still need a 2nd Assistant Longhouse Chief, a Pathfinders Chief, and a Media Chief, which is a newly created position. None of these positions require a lot of your time.

We have many exciting events already planned for next year so you can expect this new up coming program year to be full of fun!

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Note: Print out this newsletter and let you family read it.

Native Sons & Daughters Gathering of Nations

was held from July 11-13, 2008 at East Harbor State Park in Marblehead Ohio. I estimate about 100 – 1500 people attend from several longhouses. Great weather and numerous activities highlighted the weekend. The activities included a Friday night corn roast, fishing derby, picnic games with great prizes including PSPs, Great Wolf Lodge, and many others. Campers received a special patch and memories that will last forever. Consider attending next year.

Aug 7

Chiefs Meeting

Date: Thursday, Aug 7

Time: 7:00pm

Location: Avon Lake Library – Friends conference room right inside the door (Library is located on Electric Blvd between Rt. 83 and Jaycox).

SAVE the DATE

The following events are being planned. Mark you calendar today. Details on the events will be coming soon.

Saturday Aug 9 Evening – Trumpet in the Land Outdoor Drama (more info in this newsletter)

Sunday Aug 10 Afternoon - Corn Festival Grande Parade

Thursday Sept 11 Evening Membership Event Northgate Park, Avon

Wednesday Sept 17th Membership Event North Ridgeville Senior Center

Friday – Sunday Oct 3-5 Camp YNOAH

Outdoor Drama



Enjoy an evening at an outdoor drama in New Philadelphia Ohio. The show includes a huge cast, horses, gunfights and pyrotechnics.



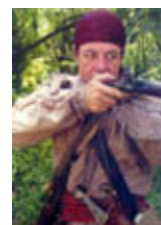
This unforgettable production sweeps you back in history to a time when Ohio was the western frontier of America, to witness the founding of Ohio's first settlement, Schoenbrunn, in 1772. Historical characters include David Zeisberger, a Moravian missionary who hoped to establish a peaceful Indian settlement along the fiery frontier; When the Revolutionary War broke out, Zeisberger and his followers found themselves caught between the British army at Fort Detroit and the American forces at Fort Pitt.

Written by Pulitzer prize-winning playwright Paul Green, "TRUMPET" uses a cast and crew numbering over 70 people to bring this epic production to life. Professional actors, singers and dancers, brilliant lighting, authentic looking costumes, horses, battle pyrotechnics and a state-of-the-art sound system combine for an outstanding evening of family entertainment. Ohio's First and Finest Outdoor Drama

Schoenbrunn Amphitheatre
New Philadelphia, Ohio 44663

Website:
www.trumpetintheland.com

Date: Saturday Aug 9th
Time: 8:30 PM until about 10:30 PM.



Cost: Adults: \$13.00, Children 12 and under: \$6.50.

Trumpet in the Land RESERVATION FORM (Open Event: Open to family and friends)

NAMES _____

TRIBE(S) _____

Please include your phone number if we need to contact you: _____

Number of Adults (\$13.00 each) # _____ \$ _____

Number of Childer 12 or under (\$6.50 Each) # _____ \$ _____

Total: \$ _____

Drop Off / Mail:
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We will have a drop box by the front door or place in the mail slot blow our mailbox!

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS – Saturday, Aug 1, 2008

If you would like to stay the night, local hotels are available in New Philadelphia. Including those listed below. Camping is also available near-by. You will need to make your own overnight arrangements.

Hampton Inn

330-339-7000 / 1-800-HAMPTON
I-77, Exit 81, 1299 W. High Avenue
New Philadelphia, OH 44663
www.hamptoninn.com/hi/newphiladelphia

Super 8 of New Philadelphia

330-339-6500
I-77, Exit 81, 131-1/2 Bluebell Dr. SW
New Philadelphia, OH 44663
LucyDowning@hotmail.com

Knights Inn New Philadelphia

330-339-4116 - 1-800-843-5644
I-77, Exit 81, 1256 West High Avenue
New Philadelphia, OH 44663
www.newphila-knightsinn.com

CAMPING: www.woodstalltimberlake.com

Wood's Tall Timber Lake Resort
1921 Tall Timber Road NE
New Philadelphia, OH 44663
Phone: 330-602-4000
Fax: 330-602-4011

Directions:

- Follow Interstate 77 to New Philadelphia exit #81
- Travel 4 miles east of exit #81 and turn left at University Drive intersection
- Follow University Drive approximately 1/2 mile to Trumpet Drive
- Turn left at Buckeye Career Center (Trumpet Drive) and follow to top of hill
- Directional signs on interstate read "Amphitheatre"



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