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35TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL WORLD CELEBRATION

GATHERING OF NATIONS POW WOW

APRIL 26-28, 2018
On the Powwow Grounds at
Tingley Coliseum/Expo NM
Albuquerque, New Mexico



SPECIAL CONTESTS

LATE NIGHT SPECIAL
"ELECTRIC (NEON) WARRIOR"
SPOTLIGHT MEN & WOMEN FANCY
Winner in Men's & Women's \$500
Champions Dance-off for a Trip to Las Vegas
Electric Daisy Carnival (June 2018)
Must be 21 and Over Sponsored By GON RECORDS

MEN'S TRADITIONAL
Cash Prize, Blankets & Jackets to Winners
Sponsored by Head Man Dancer - Brando Jack

WOMEN'S FANCY "FOR THE LOVE OF FANCY"
Split Ages (18-34) & (35+)
Open to all Women's Categories
Sponsored by Head Lady Dancer - Jocely Bird

TEEN VS. ADULT MEN'S TRADITIONAL
Sponsored by Head Young Man Dancer - Jaden Parker

TEEN GIRLS VS TEEN BOYS FANCY SPECIAL
5 Places (1st, 2nd, 3rd & 2 consolations)
Sponsored by Head Young Lady Dancer - Thomasina Rose Good Eagle

"HORSE REGALIA PARADE AND COMPETITION"
Parade and Competition Held Daily
On Main Street on the Powwow Grounds
\$1,000 1st Place - 3 places
Horse Regalia and Rider's Outfit Judged Together
Stable and Horse Trailer Parking Provided
Registration online beginning September 1, 2017
Honoring the Spirit of the Native American Horse Culture
www.gatheringofnations.com/horseparade

TRAVEL Ask for GON RATE
Double Tree Hotel (Downtown) 800-584-5058
Marriott (Uptown) Hotel (800) 228-9290
MCM Elegante Hotel (505) 884-2511
Townplace Suites (505) 232-5800
Large Group Assistance Call ABQ
Hispano Chamber (505) 842-9003

****CAMPING ON the Pow Wow Grounds at Expo NM**
(Limited) full hook ups and dry spaces Showers
available Reserve space online Starting Dec. 31, 2017
www.gatheringofnations.com - 3 Night Minimum Stay

Southwest Official Airline of the GON & MIW
www.southwest.com • (800) 435-9792

HEADLINING CAST

HEAD MAN DANCER: Brando Jack - White Cone, AZ
HEAD LADY DANCER: Jocely Bird - Sioux Falls, SD
HEAD YOUNG MAN DANCER: Jaden Parker - Salamanca, NY
HEAD YOUNG LADY DANCER: Thomasina Good Eagle - Anadarko, OK
HEAD NORTHERN DANCE JUDGE: Donovan Abby - Mandaree, ND
HEAD SOUTHERN DANCE JUDGE: Graham Primeaux, Sr. - Shawnee, OK
HEAD NORTHERN DRUM JUDGE: Harvey Dreaver - Dearborn Hts, MI
HEAD SOUTHERN DRUM JUDGE: Erwin Morris - Walt Hill, NE
ARENA DIRECTORS: Randy Medicine Bear - Loveland, CO
George "Cricket" Shields - Shawnee, OK
ANNOUNCERS: Dennis Bowen, Sr. - Salamanca, NY
Vince Beyl - Bemidji, MN
Ruben Little Head - Happy Flats, MT
(Roving) Jason Whitehouse - Madison Hts, MI
(Roving) Larry Yazzie - Tama, IA
INVITED DRUMS: Poundmaker - Poundmaker, Saskatchewan
Buc Wild - Chinle, AZ
Mo'Town - Macy, NE
Wild Rose - Yakama, WA
Crazy Spirit - Mt. Pleasant, MI

MISS INDIAN WORLD '17-'18: Raven Swamp - Kahnawake, Quebec

CASH AWARDS

Over \$200,000 in Cash & Prizes to be Awarded
34 Categories - Elder's 70+, Golden Age 55-69, Adults 19-54
\$2,000 First Place All Adult Categories (19-54)
\$5,000 1st - "WORLD CLASS" Northern Singing (Limit 10)
\$5,000 1st - "WORLD CLASS" Southern Singing (Limit 10)
Women's Back-up - No. & So. Styles: \$1000 Winner-Take-All
Maximum of 6 Registered with Drum
Hand Drum Singing Contest (Saturday Afternoon)
Men & Women Combined (No/So) No age limit - Co-sponsored by
GON & Nathan "Rikishi" Pelly, "Honoring the Teachers"
Prize Matched to 1st \$1000 (2nd & 3rd Breakdowns)
DANCER REGISTRATION: Thurs. 9am - 3pm & Fri. 9am
Gate 8 Parking Lot (No Charge for Parking on Thursday)

GRAND ENTRIES: Friday: Noon & 7pm • Saturday: Noon & 6pm
A FAIR CONTEST FOR ALL DANCERS & SINGERS!



Miss Indian World Traditional Talent Presentations

Thursday, April 26, 2018

ALBUQUERQUE CONVENTION CENTER
401 2nd Street NW (Downtown)
Showtime at 7 pm Sharp!! Doors Open at 6 pm

HOSTS: Lisa Meeches (Canadian TV Personality) Winnipeg, Manitoba
Jason Whitehouse (Powwow Personality) Madison Hts, MI

TICKETS: Tickets Sold at Door: \$15 • Doors Open at 6 pm
Advance tickets at www.gatheringofnations.com

Miss Indian World Contestant Applications, Call (505) 836-2810
or Go Online at www.gatheringofnations.com

AN ENCHANTING EVENING FOR ALL WHO ATTEND!

CROWNING OF MISS INDIAN WORLD: Saturday, 7:30 pm at the Powwow

TICKETS

Tickets available at www.gatheringofnations.com December 31, 2017
and also sold at door: One-Day Admission \$19 • Two-Day Pass \$38
Reserved VIP Seating \$65 - Limited (2-Day Pass plus Access to VIP Lounge)

DISCOUNT COUPONS: Dancers on GON mailing list will receive a coupon
in the mail to present at dancer registration for 2-day discount

GENERAL PARKING: Managed & provided by Expo NM. Fees charged by
Expo NM not GON. Directions: Enter Gate 7 off Lomas Blvd or Gate 8
off Louisiana Blvd, just south of Lomas.

STAGE 49

Featuring the best Native American traditional & contemporary music!
www.gatheringofnations.com for Tickets & updated schedules & performers.
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North America's Biggest Powwow!

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