

Monica Honeyestewa Recipient of Leadership Award Through AIBA

Monika Honeyestewa (Ms. Indian UNM) was recently nominated and awarded the Katchee E. Mitchel Student Leadership award 2012 through the American Indian Business Association at the University of New Mexico's Anderson School of Management.

The Katchee E. Mitchel Student Leadership Award is given by AIBA to recognize and honor the academic achievements of an American Indian student and their community service activities.

Jaye Francis, Coordinator, AIBA stated, "Your service and representation of the University of New Mexico through your reign as Ms. Indian UNM 2011-2012 has shown your "above and beyond" commitment and dedication to the community and the students of all ages who look to you as a roll model. In my 18 years at UNM, I can say that I have not seen the caliber of service that you have demonstrated all the while maintaining an impressive GPA. This is definitely rare,

I would be honored to present this award to you in person at the 16th Annual AIBA Honor Banquet."

The banquet was held Friday, May 4, 2012 at the Route 66 Casino Hotel in Albuquerque, New Mexico.



Monica Honeyestewa

12TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE FOR INDIAN FAMILIES

Conducted by The National Indian Justice Center

~ Essay Contest ~

Guidelines

Who Can Participate:

Native American students enrolled in grades 5th - 12th.

Length and Language:

1200 - 2500 words. Essays must be a minimum of 1200 words but not exceed 2500 words.

For Winning Authors:

First place receives \$300, second place receives \$150, and third place receives \$75.

Deadline: June 30, 2012

Theme: Living Proof

Native nations continue to make great strides in governance, economy, education and social welfare. We work daily to triumph over generations of destructive federal and state policies that sought to end our political, cultural and social existence. We are the living proof that our people did not just "survive," we continue to "thrive." The theme of this year's For All My Relations Conference is "Living Proof". We can all look to historical examples, heroic figures and personal anecdotes that speak

to our resiliency and determination. Each one of us is "living proof" that the strength, pride, courage and cultural values of our communities continue to thrive.

Write an essay illustrating how you or a member of your family or community demonstrates the "Living Proof" theme in overcoming historic or contemporary challenges.

Rules:

Entries will be judged anonymously. Each essay must be original work of the contestant. All essays may be published in whole or part by NIJC. Winning essays will be published.

Submission:

Essays must be submitted to NIJC by June 30, 2012. Essays may be emailed to nija@aol.com or faxed to 707-579-9019 or mailed to 5250 Aero Drive, Santa Rosa, CA 95403.

Each essay must be submitted with a page that includes the applicants name, age, grade, tribal affiliation, address, phone number and email.

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Standards for participation are the same regardless of age, race, sex, color, national origin or handicap.



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Mother's Day Dance

Saturday
May 5, 2012

Sac and Fox Community Building
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Head Staff:

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Head Gourd Dancer
Head Man Dancer
Head Lady Dancer
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Ida Parish
Joe Estes & Cody Tyner

2:00pm to 5pm Gourd Dance
5:00pm to 6:00pm Supper
6:00pm to 7pm Gourd Dance
7:00pm to ? Inter-tribal



CONCESSION STAND

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For questions or information contact: Gloria Ellis, EAC Chairperson at 405-878-8534; Georgia Blanchard M-F/8a-4:30p at 918-968-3526 or 1-800-259-3970, ext 1014; or Anita Stevens, SFN Elders Coordinator at 918-968-3526 or 1-800-259-3970, ext. 1054.

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May 10, 11 & 12 2012

Time: 7p.m. - until



Speakers:

Thursday: Joyce Wolf,
Paulett Cozad
& Essie Fish

Friday: Johnny Harjo,
Redmond Wolf Sr. &
Gene Harjo

Sat: Redmond Wolf Jr.,
Alvin Deer & Paul Wolf

Music assisted
by Ken Johnson
Editor Sac and Fox News

1 Timothy 1:14
and the grace of our Lord
was exceedingly abundant,
with faith and love
which are in Christ Jesus.

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Refreshments will be provided each night
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