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JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2005

## Chief Message



Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday. It's now 2005 and we are ready to start off the New Year with some great events. Our first event is the Late Nighter which is this Saturday, January 15th. Please remember to bring a can of food to this event. There will also

be a few tables setup at the late nighter for everyone to get their rain gutter boats, pine car derby cars, parent's night out tickets, winter campout registration and CVNSND gear. So bring your checkbook and get these items now for those upcoming events.

Also this month we have our winter campout at camp Y-Noah. Please send in your campout registration as soon as possible as our medicine man needs to get the cabin assignments ready. Don't forget to about our chili cook off at the campout on Friday night. Bring your best chili for everyone to taste.

Next month we have three events scheduled. The Parent's night out, tobogganing and the rain gutter regatta. Check out the articles in the Smokes for more details and to mark you calendars for these upcoming events. The Parent's night out event is our annual fundraiser. Help support our group by attending this annual event which includes dinner, entertainment and a reverse raffle. You may also want to ask your friends and family to join us on February 19th as this event is open to them as well.

The remainder of the year is filled with a variety of activities from the pine car derby to Norwalk raceway's night under fire! Check the calendar of events for what we have planned this year.

Finally, we are still looking for a T-shirt chief and an assistant medicine man. Please consider volunteering so that we can continue making the Native Sons and Native Daughters a great organization that offers lasting memories!

Dan "Chief Scratching Hawk" Ogorek  
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## January Birthdays

Trailblazers	Nick Martin
Trailblazers	Katrusia Fritzky
Tomahawk	Kevin Hatala
Kiowa	Shannon Welsh
Pocohantas	Ellen Prendergast
Yeibichai	Taylor LeHoty
Tomahawk	Steven Steffas
Trailblazers	Alex Ogorek
Trailblazers	Scott Martin
Mohawk	Nicole Best
Mohawk	Hannah Anderson
Cowichan	Acadia Palocko
Apache	Shane Bender
Cheyenne	Madelyn Fritz
Cowichan	Alexis Mack
Navajo	Mitchell Smith
Cowichan	Madison Smith
Trailblazers	Matthew Pallone
Cherokee	J.T. Alberty
Seminole	David Wisniewski
Shoshone	Emily Magas
Seminole	Devon Sowa
Shoshone	Maddy McBride
Shawnee	Paige Zelis
Shoshone	Marisa Jurczyk
Choula	Ryan Mazzocco
Crow	Dan Auble

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Next Officer's Meeting:

Officers Meeting: Wednesday January 26th, 9:00 at the Pickle Works

Next Longhouse Meeting: Wednesday, February 2nd, 7 p.m. at the Brecksville Library



....Let the fun continue in 2005

## Scheduled Events

Month	Event	Date	Location	Sponsoring Tribe/Assist
January	Late Nighter	1/15/2005	Independence Rec Ctr 8-11 PM	Crow & Lakota
January	Winter Campout	1/28/2005	Camp Y-Noah 1/28 thru 1/30	Medicine Man & Mohawk
February	Tobogganing	2/13/2005	Strongsville Chalet	Choula
February	Valentines Day Parent's Night Out	2/19/2005	Murder mystery Cafe	Comanche & Nations Chief's
February	Rain Gutter Regatta	2/27/2005	Old Indep. Rec Center 12:00 noon	Yeibichai
March	Pine Car Derby	3/13/200	Brecksville Middle School	Seminole & Mohawk
April	Night With The Cavaliers!	4/3/2005	CAVS Game 1:00 PM	Cherokee
April	Bumper Bowling	4/24/2005	Cloverleaf Lanes 1:00 - 4:00 pm	Cowichan
May	Fishing Derby and Kite Flying Family Picnic	5/1/2005	Independence Park (Old Rec Center & Lake)	Kickapoo
May	Buffalo Naval Park Campout	5/14/2005	Buffalo Naval Park	Seminole

\*Times and Dates are subject to change. You can verify the above information by visiting our web site at [www.cvnsnd.org](http://www.cvnsnd.org)

### Late Nighter

**Saturday, January 15, 2005 - 8:00 to 11:30pm**

Start the new year off with a big splash at the annual Late Nighter bash which takes place on Saturday, January 15, 2005 from 8:00pm to 11:30pm at the Independence Civic Center. Sign-in starts at 7:30pm. The cost is \$7.00 per family and we are requesting that you bring a canned food item to be donated to the local Food Bank . This is a Native Son/Native Daughter with Dad only event which is sponsored by the Crow and Lakota Tribes.

For more information contact David Boldt at (216) 524-3055 or email at [daveboldt@aol.com](mailto:daveboldt@aol.com).



### Rain Gutter Regatta

**Sunday, February 27, 2005**

Registration at Noon, racing at 1:00 pm.

It's the event where your Native Son/Daughter's wind power pays off. Those sloshing sections of gutter are back at the Independence "Old Recreation Center" (from Brecksville Road, turn on Selig Drive, turn right at the Fire Station and continue to the north end of Elmwood Park). The Yeibichia and Shawnee tribes will be staging the watery race tracks and your child will be blowing their spiffy spinnakers down the soggy sluices in a triple elimination showdown. It's the Pine Car Derby with hot air! Registration the day of the event is \$2.00 per boat which also includes food and crafts.



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Boats will be available to purchase at \$3.00 at all upcoming events, starting with the Late Nighter. Help your child build it, decorate it however they like, and set sail! Prizes will be awarded for creativity and, of course, lung power.

### Tobogganing

**Sunday, February 13, 2005 8:00 - 11:00 am**

Enjoy the excitement of tobogganing on ice in the Cleveland Metro parks at the Strongsville Chalet! Test the theory of gravity! Find out if four sons/daughters are faster than four parents! Watch dad carry the toboggan up the steps! Twelve times!

\$4.00 per person for unlimited toboggan runs, CVNSND provided donuts, hot chocolate, coffee and a new memory of time well spent with with your child... This is a FAMILY event sponsored by the Choula Tribe.



### Bumper Bowling

**Sunday, April 24/2005 Cloverleaf Lanes, 5619 Breckville Road, Independence (216) 524-4833.**

This event will be held at Cloverleaf Lanes and includes two hours of bowling, shoe rental, food/soda, and assorted prizes. Advance registration is required, this popular event fills up quickly!

Plan on arriving early for lane assignments, food coupons, shoe rental, and best ball selection! Bowling is scheduled to start promptly at 2:00pm.

This is a father/child only event. Please stay tuned for additional event information on registration and cost. Contact: [John\\_J\\_Falko@KeyBank.com](mailto:John_J_Falko@KeyBank.com)



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# Winter Campout

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January 28 - 30, 2005

The Winter Campout will be at Camp Y-Noah again this year. Activities will include sled riding (weather permitting), winter hiking, BB guns, horseback riding, a skit competition, and a torch march. Be sure to bring extra warm clothing.



The cost will be \$110 for father and (1) child with a charge of \$35 for each additional child. Horseback riding will be available to ALL children (ages 8 and over - trail ride \$10/rider and ages 7 and under - ring ride \$5/rider). Plan on arriving on Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. to get your cabin assignment.

Each child should bring their own sled (please, NO METAL RUNNER SLEDS, for safety reasons). Please have the owner's NAME clearly marked on each sled.

Directions: Take I-77 South about 30 miles to Exit 120, Arlington Road. Drive 6 miles South and turn Right on Mt. Pleasant Road. Drive about 1/2 mile and turn right, into the Camp Y-Noah entrance.

Tribe Chili Cookoff (at the Winter Campout) Friday, January 28th.



Our Annual Chili Cookoff will again take place during the Winter Campout. Last year's offerings were excellent, ranging from mild, to sweet, to hot, with an impressive variety of styles. The Cookoff will occur on Friday evening at 8:00 p.m. All tribes are encouraged to bring an entry and have them at the dining hall by 7:30 p.m. to allow the judges enough time to taste each entry.

The 1st, 2nd and 3rd place recipes will all receive a prizes.

Note: If your Chili is hot, please be sure to mark it "HOT!" so that no one loses their taste buds!

Christmas at Camp Y-Noah

Dads, don't put away those Christmas lights yet! Bring them to the Winter Campout in order to decorate the exterior for your cabin. A specially designed patch will be issued to each resident of the winning cabin for display on your NS/ND vest. Don't forget to bring extension cords.

Good Luck and Happy Holidays.

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Winter Campout at Camp Y-Noah  
Registration Form (deadline January 13, 2005)  
Campout January 28 - 30, 2005

Dad's name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe \_\_\_\_\_

(Note to Dad with children in 2 tribes. Please indicate with an X in ( ) by child's name where you would prefer to sleep.)

Cost: \$110.00 (1 dad and 1 Child)

\$35.00 each additional Child: # of children \_\_\_\_\_ x \$35.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Horseback Riding: # (age 8 and over) \_\_\_\_\_ x \$10.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

# (age 7 and below) \_\_\_\_\_ x \$5.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make Check payable to: Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons / Daughters

Mail to: Jason Koeth, 6812 East Pleasant Valley Road, Independence, OH 44131 jkoeth@wowway.com



## CVNSND Parent's Night Out & Fundraiser

Sat. February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2005 - 7:00 PM

**Murder Mystery Cafe'- in the Elm Ridge Party Center  
469 Elm Ridge Ave, Canal Fulton, Ohio**

**Killer Entertainment!**

Ever been to a Murder Mystery? Well it won't Kill you to try if you haven't! The mischief never stops at the Murder Mystery Cafe'!

This parents' night out promises to provide great food, fun atmosphere, awesome service and wonderful entertainment at the **Murder Mystery Cafe'...**



Welcome to the 25 year class reunion of the **Norman Bates Memorial High School** class of 1979! This gala event is hosted by rich boy Reggie Van Money and the queen of household tips, Martha Stewart. Despite their shortcomings, Reggie and Martha help you reminisce about those high school days (As if you want to remember!), along with fellow classmates - country/western singer Wynnona Wynette, television talk show host Montel Springer, dancer/actor John Ravolta, creepy Cruella LeViper and wannabe Clovis Presley. Murder unexpectedly becomes part of the activities so detective Mickey Finn and his overbearing mama, Mother Finn, are called on the scene to solve this dastardly deed. Come join us as Mickey and Mother Finn try to find out **"Who's Killing the Class of '79"**

Each ticket entitles the holder to **dinner PLUS entertainment PLUS** two drink tickets for the bar! Every pair of tickets (\$90.00) also receives an entry into the main board Reverse Raffle for \$500.00. Tickets for the raffle and sideboards will be distributed, first-come-first serve, at the event.

Each three course meal includes:

- Large Dinner Salad
- Dinner Rolls
- Authentic Greek Baklava
- Hot Coffee or Tea and ice water

PLUS...your choice of one of the following entrees:

- Beef Tips Burgundy
- Boneless Barbecue Chicken Breast
- Scrod Almondine
- Vegetable Lasagna

- **Doors open at 6:45 PM and seating and show begins promptly at 7:30**

- **For directions and additional information see <http://www.murdermysterycafe.com>**

### RESERVATION FORM

CVNSND Parent's Night Out & Fundraiser Sat. February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2005 - 7:00 PM

**Cost:** \$45.00 per person OR \$90.00 per couple

# people attending: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$45.00

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed

Please indicate number of meal choices:

- \_\_\_ Beef Tips Burgundy
- \_\_\_ Boneless Barbecue Chicken Breast
- \_\_\_ Scrod Almondine
- \_\_\_ Vegetable Lasagna

Please send your payment (check made out to "CVNSND") with this reservation form to Gary Pitzer at 8120 Creekside Trace, Broadview Heights, OH 44147

# Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons & Native Daughters day with the Cavaliers!

Join the Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons & Native Daughters to see NBA Rookie of the Year LeBron James and the Cavaliers at Gund Arena. After the game, play basketball at Gund Arena on the Cavaliers Practice Court!

Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons & Native Daughters  
Cavaliers vs. Dallas Mavericks  
Sunday, April 3 at 1 p.m.  
Post-Game Hoop Skills event on practice court!

**PRICE**

**PRICE INCLUDES:**

**\$18**

- Admission to hoop skills session on Practice Court
- ticket for Cavaliers vs. Mavericks

Cleveland Cavaliers vs. Dallas Mavericks  
Sunday, April 3, 2005  
1:00 PM Tip Off

**Orders due by March 3, 2005!**

Mail orders to: Mike Zubic,  
6855 Acres Drive, Independence, OH 44131

Cuyahoga Valley NS & ND	# OF \$18 TICKETS	TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED
Cavaliers vs. Mavericks		\$
NAME		TRIBE
ADDRESS		
CITY	STATE	ZIP
DAY PHONE ( )		
*** MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO CVNSND ***		



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## Pine Car Derby

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**3/13/2005 Brecksville-Broadview Hts. Middle School at 6736 Mill Road (Gymnasium), Beginning at 12:00 P.M.**

Sponsoring Tribe: Seminole



Son's and Daughter's, it's time to get your racecars ready for the annual Pine Car Derby. This will be a family event. Car kits (\$5.00) and weights (\$2.00) will be sold at the Late Nighter and Winter Campout. You can also contact Jim Senick (440-546-7832 or james.senick@sbcglobal.net) or Jeff Krejci (440-526-4092 or jeff.krejci@us.interfaceinc.com) to obtain a kit.

The doors will open at 12:00 noon. Cars will be weighed and registered from 12:00 to 12:45 PM. There will be a \$3 registration fee for each car (new or used). Racing is scheduled to begin at 1:00 PM. Please arrive early if your car needs fine-tuning.

Prizes will be awarded for the 1) fastest cars in each nation, 2) best looking design and 3) most creative design. Frank Madonia has offered to bring in his racecar and challenge the children in the Reaction Time test prior to race time. Reaction time trophies will also be awarded. Food and refreshments will be available for purchase.

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## Buffalo Naval Park Trip

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**Saturday, May 14, 2005 !!Get your registration forms in. The ship needs to be reserved by the end of February!!**

Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons & Daughters are "shuffling off to Buffalo" to see the historic Naval Park.

Trip includes:

An overnight stay on the USS Little Rock Missile Cruiser., dinner and breakfast in the ship's galley where NS&D will assist in the food serve line, 1 ride on the British torpedo jet motion simulator (3 min. ride) and a tour of all 3 ships docked in port at the Naval Port. They are USS Sullivans, a destroyer, USS Little Rock, a guided missile cruiser, and USS Crocker, a submarine. There will be a movie on Sat. night, a scavenger hunt, and much more.



Lights out Sat. night at 10:30 PM, dads are responsible for taking shifts for fire and safety watches throughout the night. Breakfast Sun. morning is at 6:30 AM sharp (remember, it's the military).

Check-in time is between 4-5 PM Sat. 5/14/04. The cost per person is \$42.

Nearby activities include: Niagra Falls & Buffalo Bisons Baseball Team

Registration Form  
Overnight at Buffalo Naval Park  
Campout May 14, 2005

Dad's name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Tribe \_\_\_\_\_

(Note to Dad with children in 2 tribes. Please indicate with an X in ( ) by child's name where you would prefer to sleep.)

Cost: \$42.00 per person \_\_\_\_\_ x \$42.00 = \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make Check payable to: Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons / Daughters  
Mail to: Jim Senick 6903 E. Sprague Rd. Independence, OH 44131

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Choula	Dave Scotton	216-642-8721	discotton@junio.com
Comanche	Gary Pitzer	440-526-0675	gpitzer@tarilli.com
Cowichan	John Falco	440-746-1145	jalco@msn.com
Crow	Dave Boldt	216-524-3055	davebolt@aol.com
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Shoshone	Jim Fallon	216-526-5128	fallon5@sbcglobal.net
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The Longhouse needs to fill Officer vacancies.  
Please consider volunteering!

## Longhouse Officers

## Cuyahoga Valley Native Sons & Native Daughters

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