



2011 Timucuan Federation Fall Longhouse Spirit of the Suwannee

Day	Time	Event	Location
Friday , October 14 	3:00 - 7:00pm	Campsite Set-up/Dinner	Campsites
	8:00 - 8:15pm -After sunset-	Going Batty (bat watching)	Bat House
	8:00pm - 10:00pm	Movie Night (Chief Sunfire)	TBD
Saturday, October 15   	9:00am - 9:30am	Chiefs Meeting (Mandatory)	Lake Pavillion
	10:00am -10:30am	Opening Ceremony/ Longhouse Registration	Lake Pavillion
	10:30am -12:00 pm	Open Camp Archery, BB Guns, Canoe Frisbee Golf, Mini-Golf	Various locations
	11:00am -12:00pm	Aim Trading: Fed Chief & Medicine Man	Finders Keepers
	11:00pm - 2:00pm	Lunch/Pumpkin Carving	Campsites/Craft Hall
	1:00pm - 5:00pm	Open Camp/Trick or Treat Archery, BB Guns, Canoe Frisbee Golf, Mini-Golf	Various Locations
	1:30pm – 4:30pm	Petting Zoo	Bat Field
	2:30-3:30	Chief Blue Fox Adventures Nature Hike (Arrowhead Hunt)	TBD (meet @ bat house?)
	4:45pm - 5:00pm	Pumpkin Carving Judging (Tribes to set their own table)	Lake Pavillion/Nation-Tribe Tables
	5:15pm	Pumpkin Carving Awards	Craft Hall
	5:00pm – 7:00pm	Tribal Dinner/Tribal Property Review	Craft Hall (bring carved pumpkins for Fire Walk)
	7:30pm	Face Painting	Lake Pavillion
	8:00pm	Fire Walk (please wear your vests and new NSD headbands)	Starts at Open Field before the Bat house
	8:15pm - 9:15pm	Sacred Fire / Acorn Ceremony (bring your Acorns!) 	Sacred Circle
	11:00pm	Lights Out (no loud music)	
Sunday, October 16	8:00 -8:30	Chapel Service	Chapel (Steve Donalson, Hopi)
	9:30-10:00	Closing Ceremony	
	10:15-10:30	Awards Ceremony by Nation	
	10:30-12:00	Limited Open Camp	

Reminder: New members, please bring your Acorns. During the Fire Walk all Big Braves and Princesses are to observe silence and reflect on their time as father and daughter. Please, no flashlights, only torches. Please walk into and sit quietly in the Sacred Circle, respecting each other and the Great Spirit.



Shoshone Nation Chief Sunfire (Cell: 806-1727)
Iroquois Nation Chief Rolling Rock (Cell: 838-5612)

Seminole Nation Chief Blue Fox (Cell: 333-3004)
Sioux Nation Chief Snoring Eagle (Cell:716-4470)

REMEMBER TO BRING A PUMPKIN FOR YOU AND YOUR NATIVE DAUGHTER!

Cost: \$15 sign up and pay through our website www.timucuan.org

A few items to remember:

- Cost is \$15 per person for the entire weekend and that **HAS TO BE PAID ONLINE VIA OUR REGISTRATION SOFTWARE**. If you want a cabin or an RV site, you will need to call and arrange those on your own (10% group discount for RV's). Please make that check payable to "Spirit of the Suwannee".
- Bring your new Native Sons & Daughters headbands.
- Trick or Treat...Please have a Tribal candy selection available for visiting tribes.
- Saturday Afternoon Hike – Chief Blue Fox (Sean Bowman) will be leading a hike through the woods, maybe a mile or two at a slow pace so that the kids can enjoy it. I encourage fathers to walk with their princess amazing them with your forest lore, bring your favorite walking stick, possibly a camera. There will be an area of the hike we litter with arrowheads for the kids to find. One per child is what we hope will happen.
- Bring **PUMPKINS**. Again, let me stress that again, ***bring*** at least one pumpkin each for you and your child. On Saturday we will be having a big Pumpkin Carving Contest, medals as awards for best in 3 categories (Spookiest, Best Tribe, Best Indian theme). There should be pumpkin guts flying everywhere (might want to bring a few wipes). We will use these pumpkins to light the trail on the Fire Walk. Bring carving tools, you can get cheap little carving kits at Walmart. Try to remember that a giant butcher knife in the hands of a 5-year old is a poor idea (so come prepared)!
- Frisbee Golf- Bring a frisbee and the course is free.
- Petting Zoo- Please **DO NOT** just send your child up to the petting zoo for other dad's or the animal handlers to watch over. This is a Dad/Daughter event.
- Bounce House- Chances are VERY good with 4 nations of girls attending, these will be very busy. Chances are also VERY good there will be some heads knocking around. Please be there when your children are in the bounce house.
- **PLEASE LEAVE YOUR CAMPSITES BETTER THAN YOU FOUND THEM.**
- **FIRES COLD TO THE TOUCH**

Please bring firewood for the Sacred Fire (a duty of each tribe, at least two nice logs). Also, at opening & closing ceremony and the Sacred Fire, everyone should remember to wear their vests and headbands when possible and be respectful when someone has the Talking Stick. Dress accordingly and check the weather, because it can be up & down out there. We shouldn't need to say this, but don't make Firewater an issue and it won't be one.