45th Annual

Northwest Indian Youth Conference

April 3-6, 2020
Toppenish, Washington

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Northwest Indian Youth Conference 2020
“ANSWERING THE CALL OF MY ANCESTORS”

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION PACKET

The 2020 Northwest Indian Youth Conference is sponsored by the Yakama Nation in Toppenish Washington, April 3rd-6th, 2020. The Conference Committee wants to extend their wishes for you to have a memorable conference experience. This sheet is to explain the Registration process for this year’s conference.

**How To Register**, please complete the Registration Form, Medical Consent Form, Hold Harmless Agreement, Participant Agreement, and Workshop Guide and mail forms and payment (Purchase Order, check or money order) to: YAKAMA NATION YOUTH ACTIVITIES, 20 Gunnyon Road, Toppenish WA 98948. Registration and other forms can also be emailed to Diane Pebeahsy email Diane_Sekaquaptewa@yakama.com phone: 509-865-5121 ext. 4450.

**Registration @ $200.00/participant** – If you are registering on-site, you will need to check in at the On-site Registration Desk.

**Registration Packet Information**

Due to logistics, and the number of participants we anticipate for the event, some events will take place on the campus of Heritage University and Wapato High School. To register, each participant must complete the forms listed below. All of the forms are attached to this cover with specific information and instruction. The first four (4) forms are for general registration to the conference.

- Registration Form
- Medical Consent Form
- Hold Harmless Agreement
- Participant Agreement
If you have any questions about registration for the 2020 NWIYC, please contact Diane Pebeahsy or by email at Diane_Sekaquaptewa@yakama.com. We look forward to seeing you on the Yakama Nation Reservation. Safe Travels!!
Registration for 45th Annual Northwest Indian Youth Conference 2020
Hosted by Yakama Nation –April 3rd-6th, 2020
“ANSWERING THE CALL OF MY ANCESTOR”

Registration Fee: $200.00

Student Name______________________________________________DOB__________SEX:      M     F
T-Shirt Size: Small_____Med_____Large_____XL_____2XL_____3XL_____

Parent’s/Guardians’ Name___________________________________Email Address_________________
Parents Home/cell #______________________ Parents Work #_________________________________

Parent Address________________________________________________________________________

Emergency Contact Name_______________________________________________________________

Emergency Contact Phone #_____________________________________________________________

Tribal/Group/School Name______________________________________________________________
City & State__________________________________________________________________________

Chaperone(s)_________________________________________________________________________
Chaperone cell #______________________________________________________________________
Any Allergies/Special Health Considerations:________________________________________________
Parent/Guardian’s Signature ____________________________________________ Date __________

Registration by mail or at the door (money order/check/purchase order) make to Yakama Nation Youth Activities, PO Box 151, Toppenish WA 98948

Office Use only

Paid: ___________________ Receipt No/Date paid: ___________________
Participant Medical Consent Form

Participant Name______________________________

I, __________________________________________, the undersigned parent/guardian of the above-name participant (the “Participant”), hereby give permission for the Participant’s attendance and participation at the 2020 Northwest Indian Youth Conference hosted by the Yakama Nation Tribe in Toppenish, Wapato on April 3rd-6th, 2020.

I hereby consent and agree that in the event of an emergency or serious illness or injury, the Participant may be treated and/or transferred by emergency medical technicians to a local medical health facility. I further consent for medical treatment at the medical facility.

I understand that in the event of medical emergency, the conference site committee shall contact the Participant’s chaperone and/or advisor. The chaperone and/or advisor is responsible for contacting the parent or legal guardian. The conference site committee shall assist with contacting the parent or legal guardian if the chaperone or advisor is not available. The Participant’s information is listed below.

**Participant Information:**

Date of Birth_________________________ Current Age_________________________

Mailing Address:________________________ City, State, Zip:________________________

Medical Insurance ________________________________

Your Doctor or Health Facility____________________________

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City, State, Phone Number____________________________

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Allergies________________________

Surgeries/Other________________________

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Parent or Legal Guardian

Signature:_________________________ Date________________________

Contact Numbers: (____)_____________ (____)_____________
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PARTICIPANT’S HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

THIS RELEASE CONTAINS IMPORTANT LIMITATIONS OF LEGAL LIABILITY, THE UNDERSIGNED STATES AS FOLLOWS:

I/We, ____________________________, parent and/or legal guardian of, ____________________________, (hereinafter referred to as the “Participant”), hereby give permission for the Participant to participate in activities while attending the 2020 Northwest Indian Youth Conference (a.k.a. 2020 NWIYC or 45th Annual Northwest Indian Youth Conference) (hereinafter referred to as the “Activity”) in Toppenish, Washington on April 3rd-6th, 2020. I/We, acknowledge by authorizing the Participant to participate in the Activity there may be risks of injury or damage to me/us or the Participant, including but not limited to automobile accidents or injury accidents at Activity facilities. Knowing these facts, I/We nevertheless, agree to execute this agreement in consideration for receipt of my/our willingness to authorize the Participant to participate in this Activity.

In entering into this Agreement on behalf of myself/ourselves, my/our heirs, executors, and administrators, I/we hereby waive, release and discharge and hold harmless the Yakama Nation Tribe, including any officers, employees, agents, and all individual members thereof and all other persons in any way connected with the Activity, their representatives, heirs, executors, administrators, and assignees from any and all right, claim, or liability for damages for any all claims of any kind or nature that might occur as a result of, or arising out of the Participant’s participation in the Activity.

Further, I/we do hereby acknowledge that this release will extend to any accidents, damages, or claims arising out of the Participant’s participation in the Activity caused by the Participant’s own acts, and/or the acts of any other person or party.

I/We further agree that I/we will defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Yakama Nation Tribe, including any officers, or directors, staff/members, employees, and agents of any of them against all claims, demands, and causes of action including court costs, and attorney fees, directly or indirectly arising from any action or other proceeding brought by or prosecuted for the Participant’s or my/our benefit contrary to this release extended to all claims of every kind and nature whatsoever whether it be known or unknown.

I/We further consent for the Participant to be photographed while attending the Activity. The term ‘photograph’ includes video, still photography, and digital or any other format, or means of recording or reproducing images related to the Activity. I/We hereby waive any right to compensation for such uses by reason of this authorization. I/We hereby authorize the use of photograph(s) or by disclosure of the photograph(s) to the Yakama Nation Tribe and its authorized departments.

I/We do acknowledge that I/we have read the foregoing Agreement and understand the content thereof and agree to be bound by its terms.

I/We, the undersigned parent/guardian of, ____________________________, on behalf of and in consideration for the Participant’s participation in the Activity hereby certify that I/we have read this agreement and expressly agree to be bound by the terms of the Agreement on behalf of the Participant. I/We, by signing this Agreement, also hereby certify that I/we are the legal parent(s)/guardian(s) of the Participant and agree to indemnify and hold harmless any party protected by this Agreement from any claims made by any other party legally entitled to sign this Agreement on behalf of the Participant.

Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) Signature(s): ____________________________ Date__________________

Printed Name: ____________________________ Telephone No. ____________________________
Participant Printed Name:__________________________________________________________

Participant’s Signature:_________________________________________ Date____________________

Emergency Contact:________________________________________________ Telephone No.______________
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Participation Agreement

Youth Name: ____________________________________________________________

Tribe/Group: __________________________________________________________

The purpose of the Northwest Indian Youth Conference is to provide youth with information and to meet new people. Networking in Indian Country is important! As young people we hope you enjoy your time with us in Central Washington Yakama Reservation and we hope to provide a safe learning environment for you and your group. With that we ask you to acknowledge what is expected of you as our guest.

I, ______________________________________, Conference Participant, understand that my participation is voluntary. I agree to represent my group, my Tribe, myself and my family with honor and respect by:

- Being kind and cordial to my peers, the chaperone(s), hotel staff, presenters, and the NWIYC committee.
- Attending workshops and events.
- Listening to chaperones and conference speakers.
- Dressing in appropriate school attire without negative pictures or messages and without vulgar, drug, or gang related accessories (necklaces, medallions, hats, other).
- Refraining from foul language or negative gestures;
- Not using my cell phone, iPod, mp3 player or other devices during conference sessions;
- Not using tobacco (vaping), alcohol, drugs or other harmful substances. (*)
- Helping to maintain a violent free event! Firearms or weapons of any kind are not allowed. (*)
- Not taking property that is not mine. (*)
- Being in my room by the conference curfew hour.
- Not entering the hotel room of the opposite sex, unless my chaperone is chaperoning!!
- Taking healthy risks;
- Having good, safe fun at the 2020 Northwest Indian Youth Conference!

(*)I, understand, these things do not bring honor to our Indian Youth: the use of, giving or selling of tobacco, alcohol, drugs, and other harmful substances. Violence or bullying as it is harmful mentally, physically, emotionally, and spiritually. Theft or otherwise taking anything that does not belong to me. I understand if these negative behaviors arise, the hotel and/or conference staff will report incidences to the local authorities and these matters will be dealt with outside of the conference.
Youth Participant Signature_________________________________________ Date______________

Parent/Guardian – As the parent or guardian, I am signing this agreement on behalf of my son/daughter and understand the terms of this agreement.

Parent or Guardian Signature_________________________________________ Date______________