

The Native American Cultural Arts Ensemble of South Carolina
Would like to invite the general public to its
First Annual Native American Heritage Festival
(o'yha'asi ontitokaha loko'olihchi imila'hallaka)
This March 2nd, 3rd and 4th, 2012
Held at the Old Santee Canal Park
900 Stony Landing Road, Moncks Corner, SC 29461

Friday – March 2nd – School Days 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. The Tri-County School district, pre-school, home schooled and open public are welcome to bring their students to Old Santee Canal Park, to experience the Lifeways and Culture of the Native American Indian. This is a wonderful time for students to get a native eye view of Historic Indigenous living in the Low country and the Southeastern United States. Dr. Will Goins of the Eastern Cherokee southern Iroquois untied tribes of South Carolina will be on hand to answer questions about life prior to and after the Trail of Tears. There will be artifacts, tools and weapons on hand for the children to view and ask questions about. The Native American Exhibit will close at 4 p.m. Please contact the education department at Old Santee Canal to arrange your visit. 843-899-5200

Saturday – March 3rd – Powwow 10 a.m. – 9 p.m. – On this day the general public is openly invited to experience the Native American Indian Culture, Cuisine, Crafts, Games and Philosophies.

- Dancer registrations begin at 10 a.m.
- Opening remarks 11 a.m.
- 1st grand entry at 12 noon
- Storytelling/dinner break – 4:30 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.
- 2nd grand entry – 6 p.m.
- Dancing ends – 8:00 p.m.
- Southern Trade Ceremony at 8:45 p.m.
- Event closes – 9:00 p.m.

Sunday – March 4th - Native American Sunday 11 a.m. – 4:45 p.m. – The general public is openly invited to experience Traditional Songs, Dancing, Storytelling and the Unity of all races.

- Native American welcoming – 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
- Grand Entry – 2 p.m.
- Closing Remarks and give away – 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
- Native event closes – 4:45 p.m.

Headman	Mr. Leonard James Brown (Mohawk, Tyendinaga Territory, Ontario Canada)
Headwoman	Ms. Kimberly Fowler (Cherokee/Choctaw)
NACAESC 2012 Princess	Miss Tailor Mayberry (Cherokee/Choctaw)
Honored Female Elder	Ms. Winnie Mraz (Cherokee)
Honored Male Elder	Rev. Arthur Clark (Wassamasaw Tribe of VTI)
Emcee	Mr. Tony Walkingstick (Eastern Band of Cherokee, Cherokee, NC)
Arena Director	Rev. Dr. Craig Talbot (Santee Sioux)

