

# 2017 YOUTH CULTURE CAMP

## Application Checklist and General Information

Dear Youth Applicant and Parents/Guardians:

Thank you for your interest in Youth Culture Camp. Please use this checklist to keep track of your application requirements and to insure a completed application is submitted.

- Read Overview
- Youth Culture Camp Application - Answer all the questions
- Youth Camp Essay
- Consent For Medication Administration And Medical Treatment form
- Parents Signature on Photograph Release Agreement
- Read Camp Rules and Sign
- Report Card



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## OVERVIEW

Pōsōh āneq nāp?  
(Hello, how are you today?)

Culture Camp is designed for young adults to provide an opportunity for spiritual growth and strengthening of our cultural identity while exploring careers in artistry, plant and animal science, wildlife management, and agribusiness within and outside the environs of a tribal community.

Youth chosen to participate in Culture Camp will gain experience through hands on learning, discussion groups, and field trips. A number of cultural activities will be offered throughout the camp period. Menominee Culture and Language are beneficial to the growth of our young people, strengthening their knowledge, respect and developing a unique bond with our tribal people and with our land.

This 2-week program focuses on students between the ages of 12 and 17. There is no cost to attend the camp. The first 30 completed applications with youth who are within the age requirements for each camp will be accepted to ensure applicable room and the adequate attention needed for learning and safety.

During camp, if there is severe weather, the culture camp staff will be notified immediately and if warranted, other means of shelter will be provided for the youth and staff. When conditions subside, they will then be returned back to the campsite.

~ CAMP DATES ~

July 9<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Application Deadline June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Aug 13<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Application Deadline August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Applications are available at the Historic Preservation, Menominee Indian High School and Menominee Indian Middle School. Online applications are now available for you to print at

<http://www.menominee-nsn.gov/CulturePages/CulturalMuseum.aspx>.

We hope you have a great summer and we look forward to meeting you!!

If you have any questions please call the  
Historic Preservation Office at 799-5258.

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## APPLICATION

*Omāēqnomēwāk Ahkanom Kes-siqteyah*  
(The Menominee, how we lived in the past)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Menominee Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Clan (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Age : \_\_\_\_\_ ( 12-17) DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Male or Female (Circle one)

Parents/ Guardians Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Which camp are you attending? (Circle One)**

**July 2017**

**August 2017**

**Both if Available**

**\*\*Emergency Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

If for any reason a child must be taken home during the course of the camp, please give a

Location if different from address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Would your child consider themselves a “Leader or a Follower?” \_\_\_\_\_

Has participant attended this camp before? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your child’s temperament:

Shy    Quiet    Aggressive    Sensitive    Outgoing    Nervous    Happy

Moody    Hyperactive

How is he/she disciplined at home: \_\_\_\_\_

Will this be a first time camp experience away from home?            Yes            No

Do you think he or she will become homesick?            Yes            No

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What are your suggestions if this does occur? \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICATION CONTINUED

What cultural skills does he/she know? \_\_\_\_\_

What are his/her hobbies? \_\_\_\_\_

Does he/she know how to swim? Yes No

Shirt size: S M L XL XXL

Please list any known fears we need to know about: \_\_\_\_\_

What do you think he/she will be able to gain by attending the culture camp: \_\_\_\_\_

Will your child need additional assistance during the camp? \_\_\_\_\_

Are there any physical limitations? Explain \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child have their own dish bag? Yes No  
If yes, please have them bring it with them. If not, camp will provide them with one.

If you have any questions regarding this year's camp, please feel free to contact the Historic Preservation Office at 799-5258.

**The screening committee of the culture camp reserves the right to refuse admittance to the camp if the information asked on this form is not fully completed and essay is not attached. We will only be accepting the first 30 completed applications and youth within the age limits.**

I hereby give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to attend the Youth Culture Camp 2017 located at Wayka Falls.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Onēkehekomaw (Parent or Guardian)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Participants Signature \_\_\_\_\_



# 2017 YOUTH CULTURE CAMP

## CONSENT FOR MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION and MEDICAL TREATMENT

To the Parent(s) or Legal Guardian:

If your son, daughter, or ward will be under the age of 18 while at camp, it is camp policy to secure your consent for medication distribution and for the use of medical devices. The medication or medical device can be self-administered or be administered by the Camp Health Supervisor.

All medications must be in a medicine bottle and labeled with the camper's name, doctor's name and phone number, medication name, and dosage. You must also complete the form below:

No medication has been brought to camp.

I want the medication or medical devices self-administered. (age 14 and above only).

I want the medication or medical device administered by the Camp Health Supervisor. However, a limited amount of medication for life threatening conditions may be carried by my son/daughter/ward. (i.e. bee sting kits, inhalers)

Name of Medication (s)	Prescribing Doctor	Doctor's Phone #
Amount to be taken	how is it taken?	When to be administered
Day(s) to be taken	Special Instructions	

- ❖ If your son or daughter will be under the age of 18 years while at our camp, it is our policy to secure your consent for medical treatment.
- ❖ By signing below you are giving your consent in advance for medical treatment at an appropriate medical facility in case of illness or injury.
- ❖ By signing below you are stating that you are aware of and accept the risk inherent in the program activity.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant Name (please print)

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Signature of Onēkehekomaw (Parent or Guardian)

Date

## PHOTOGRAPH RELEASE AGREEMENT

I \_\_\_\_\_, as a participant in the 2017 Omāēqnomēwak Youth Culture Camp at Wayka Falls, I give the Menominee Historic Preservation Office all rights, title and interest of video recording and photographs taken during the 2017 Omāēqnomēwak Youth Culture Camp and that said productions shall be used in the public domain.

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Signature of Adult Representative

# 2017 YOUTH CULTURE CAMP

## CAMP RULES

If accepted we will be responsible for your safety and well-being at all times. The following guidelines, rules and regulations are important and necessary to meet the objectives of the Youth Culture Camp.

1. No Technology Allowed!
2. Be respectful to other campers, counselors, and visitors (i.e. no bullying, swearing, name calling, horse playing, hitting, punching, shoving)
3. Respect each others property and the camp site (i.e. no stealing, vandalizing, littering)
4. No questioning the authority of the camp counselors
5. Gang insignia will be prohibited
6. No leaving designated Camp grounds without permission
7. Girls are not allowed near designated boys sleeping area
8. Boys are not allowed near designated girls sleeping area
9. Bed Time will be at 10:00 p.m. - No Exceptions
10. Must commit to learning about my language, history and culture at one's own pace.

**\*Failure to abide by these rules may result in removal from camp.\***

I have read and understand and agree to comply with the above rules and regulations.

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Participant Signature

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Date

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Onēkehekomaw (Parent) Signature

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Date



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## RECOMMENDED PACKING LIST

**\*Keep this page \***

### CLOTHING

- ❖ Enough clothing to last for a week
- ❖ Long pants to wear during hikes
- ❖ Rain coat - umbrella
- ❖ Light jacket - or sweat shirts
- ❖ Washcloth - towels
- ❖ Swimwear
- ❖ Old shoes - sneakers to wear on hikes

### PERSONAL GEAR:

- ❖ Sleeping Bag / extra blankets and Pillow
- ❖ Air mattress / sleeping mat / Bed roll
- ❖ Toothbrush and Toothpaste
- ❖ Shampoo
- ❖ Deodorant
- ❖ Medications must be in original container with patient's name (if prescription) labeled, and given to the first aid person
- ❖ Sun block ( if applicable)
- ❖ Flash light
- ❖ Hat or Visor
- ❖ Tent (if you have one)
- ❖ Dish bag (if you have one)

### DO NOT BRING TO CAMP:

- ❖ Radios, CD, iPads or iPods
- ❖ Cell phones- one will be available @ camp if needed
- ❖ Alcohol, Tobacco, or other drugs
- ❖ Firearms, knives, or explosives/fireworks
- ❖ Candy, chewing gum, or other snacks
- ❖ Electronic games
- ❖ Flashlights with radios

Please do not let your children store personal money or valuables during camp time, as it may have a way of getting lost or stolen. We thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Please call Jean Cox @ 799-5258 if you have any further questions.