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13th Annual Oklahoma Native American Youth Language Fair
One Voice, Many Voices

Tuesday, April 7th, 2015
6th-12th Grade Performances and Events

Sydney Anderson-Cullum, Choctaw, Grand Prize Poster 2014

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Oklahoma Native American Youth Language Fair
Program
April 7th, 2015

8:00-9:00 AM Check-In

9:00-9:50 AM Opening Ceremonies - Great Hall
Opening:
Sigma Nu Alpha Gamma Drum, OU Indian Fraternity
Blessing by Pat Kopesasah, Letha Peters, Kaye Cooper

Welcome: Dr. Daniel C. Swan, Interim Curator, Native American Languages, Sam Noble Museum

Special Guest: Dr. Amanda Cobb-Greetham, Director, Native American Studies, University of Oklahoma

Announcement of Prejudged Categories Awardees: Christine Armer, Dan Swan, Amanda Cobb-Greetham

Acknowledgements & Housekeeping: Dan Swan

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2nd Floor Landing Displays
Visit the 2nd Floor Landing (up the stairs from the Mammoth) to see pick up, read, and enjoy the materials created by students in these categories, on display from 8:30-12:00:
- Book and Literature
- Written Poetry
- Cartoons and Comic Books
- Advocacy Essays

Poster Art Display
Visit Pleistocene Plaza (with the Mammoth) to see many of the posters created by students this year.

Lunch Areas
Pleistocene Plaza, the Red Bud Café, and Conoco Plaza (front courtyard) are designated for lunches.

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Performances Continued
12:45 PM Continued

GREAT HALL
6th-8th Spoken Poetry (12:45-12:50)
Chuhta-Jessica Meikle, Chuha ahlela Ahaetulla

9th-12th Spoken Poetry (12:50-12:55)
Kiowa Poetry-Tana Toppah, Riverside Indian School Kiowa

9th-12th Master Performance: Spoken Language
The Lord's Prayer-Leonicia Hawkins, Riverside Indian School
The Lord's Prayer-Autumn Karty, Riverside Indian School
Pledge of Allegiance-Miranda Cachini, Riverside Indian School

9th-12th Master Performance: Song with Language
Apache Song-Apache Duo, Riverside Indian School

9th-12th Advocacy Essays
1st Place Essay Recitation, Pre-Judged
I Refuse-Celeste Apkaw, Riverside Indian School

9th-12th Master Performance: Dance
Dance Performances Not Judged
Apache War Dance-Apache Club 1, Riverside Indian School
Apache Rainbow Dance-Apache Club 2, Riverside Indian School
Butterfly Dance-Pueblo Dancers of New Mexico, Riverside Indian School

Performances Continued
12:45 PM Continued

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A Travel Blessing will be given in the Great Hall at approximately 1:00pm. The 13th Annual Oklahoma Native American Youth Language Fair staff and committee wishes you safe travels home and thanks you for supporting the Native language teachers and students as they strive to continue our beautiful languages.
Performances Continued

11:40 AM Continued

KERR AUDITORIUM

6th-8th Large Group Spoken Language (11:35-11:50)
Little Red Hen-Eastern Shawnee Language Class, Eastern Shawnee Tribe
Creation Story-Wichita Language Class, Wichita Language Class

6th-8th & 9th-12th Film & Video Screening (12:00-12:30)
O:segau Bet Ta:um (The Voices are Helping)-Chado Daffron, Cutxogul (Red Stone School)
One Voice Many Voices-Byng, Byng Elementary School
Why We Speak-Sauk 1, Stroud Public Schools
The Boarding School Experience-Sauk 2, Stroud Public Schools
Frybread-River Riddle, Osage Nation Language Department
Cheyenne Class-Cheyenne and Arapaho Language Class, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes

PLAINS CLASSROOM

6th-8th Individual Spoken Language (12:45-1:05)
Chahta-Sydney Anderson-Cullum, Choctaw Tribal Alliance OKC
O'odham Personal Account-Erin Lopez, Riverside Indian School
Navajo Clan Story-Marielle Smiley, Riverside Indian School
Pledge of Allegiance-Allecia Moss, Riverside Indian School
Mississippi Choctaw Story-Kendall Willis, Riverside Indian School

6th-8th Individual Modern Song (1:10-1:20)
Lord's Prayer-Shauntesia Bird In Ground, Riverside Indian School

9th-12th Individual Modern Song (1:25-1:30)
Home-Sean Sikora, SEDI

KERR AUDITORIUM

9th-12th PowerPoint (12:45-12:55)
Nemesho (My Grandfather)-Emily Nanaeto, Stroud Public Schools

6th-8th Large Group Modern Song (1:00-1:10)
Footloose-Chipota Chikashshanompoli, Chipota Chikashshanompoli

9th-12th Large Group Spoken Language (1:15-1:25)
Ke Toli-Broken Bow Chahtas, Choctaw Nation School of Language
Hand Game Creation Story-Comanche Nation Youth Program, Comanche Nation

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A sincere thank you to all of our judges!
Without you, the Fair would not be possible!
Give them a thank you with us!

A Note About Performance Times

Performance times for categories are subject to change if necessary.
The order of performance groups within each category is not necessarily as they are ordered in the program.
## Performances

**9:45 AM**

**GREAT HALL**
- **9th-12th Small Group Spoken Language (9:45-10:00)**
  - Anukaka-Echo and April, Talihina Public School
  - There's a Fly in My Soup-Blake Compton and Anevay Greenwood, Otoe Missouria Language Program
- **9th-12th Group Modern Song (10:05-10:10)**
  - Re Ta - Let it Go-Blake and Anevay, Otoe Missouria Language Program
- **6th-8th Group Modern Song (10:15-10:35)**
  - Shake It Off-Young Yuchis, McN Euchee Language Learning Center
  - Althelisid (Happy)-Cherokee Immersion School Grade 6, Cherokee Immersion Charter School
- **KERR AUDITORIUM**
  - **6th-8th Large Group Traditional Song (9:45-10:00)**
    - Kiowa Hymn-Darko Kids, Anadarko Public Schools
- **9th-12th Medium Group Traditional Song (10:05-10:35)**
  - Cesvs Purke Likan-Konawa High School Trio, Konawa Public School
  - Anevay Greenwood, Otoe Missouria Language Program
  - Navajo Lullaby, Byng Elementary School
  - Kiowa Song-Tana Toppah, Riverside Indian School
  - Church Hymn-Annamarie VonDollen, Otoe Missouria Language Program

## Performances Continued

**10:40 AM**

**GREAT HALL**
- **6th-8th Small Group Traditional Song (10:40-11:30)**
  - God Bless America-Parker and Faith Presley, Byng Elementary School
  - Crazy Horse Song-Lakota and Angel, Riverside Indian School
  - Mississippi Choctaw Song-Kendall and Loraine, Riverside Indian School
  - Omaha Traditional Song-Omaha Sisters, Riverside Indian School
  - Kiowa Hymn-Mandy & Angel, Riverside Indian School
  - Comanche Hymn Songs-Alosaif and Sailele Walters, Service Club Youth Group
  - Think Good-Rumel, Kierra and Tanner, Riverside Indian School
- **KERR AUDITORIUM**
  - **9th-12th Large Group Traditional Song (10:40-11:30)**
    - Choctaw Language Class 1-2-Language Class, Choctaw Nation Language Program
    - Traditional Song-Riverside Ramblers, Riverside Indian School
    - Tribal Song-Lenape Nitis, Riverside Indian School
    - Comanche Hymns-Comanche Nation Youth Program, Comanche Nation
    - Young Yuchis, MCN Euchee Language Learning Center
    - Preston NASA Club, Preston Public Schools
    - Darko Kids, Anadarko Public Schools

**PLAINS CLASSROOM**
- **9th-12th Individual Spoken Language (10:45-11:30)**
  - My Cradleboard-Aneway Greenwood, Otoe Missouria Language Program
  - Pledge of Allegiance-Chasy Billie, Riverside Indian School
  - Pledge of Allegiance-Tayah Duran, Riverside Indian School
  - My Language is Important-Annamarie VonDollen, Otoe Missouria Language Program
  - Mvskoke Legend-Cory Tiger, Glenpool High School
- **9th-12th Individual Spoken Language—Prayer (11:15-11:35)**
  - Navajo Prayer-Ladine Thompson, Douglass High School Indian Nations Organization
  - Osage Prayer-Joseph Lynn, Osage Nation Language Department
  - The Lord's Prayer-Caleb Bruce, Osage Nation Language Department
  - Osage Prayer-Jade Jones, Osage Nation Language Department

**11:40 PM**

**GREAT HALL**
- **6th-8th Small Group Spoken Language (11:35-12:00)**
  - vba isht taloa 21-Madeleine and Jessica, Chahat uola Ahlela
  - Otoe Church Hymn-Blake and Anevay, Otoe Missouria Language Program
  - Choctaw Hymn Song - No. 48-Jasmine and Jessica,Choctaw Nation School of Language
  - Yuchi Song-Caleb and Aubrey, Glenpool High School

## PLAINS CLASSROOM
- **9th-12th Small Group Traditional Song (11:40-12:00)**
  - Pledge of Allegiance-Charla Jackson, Choctaw Nation Language Class, Choctaw Nation Language Program
  - minding-Chokka' Kilimpi', Chokka' Kilimpi' Family Resource Center
  - My Language is Important-Annamarie VonDollen, Otoe Missouria Language Program
  - Mvskoke Legend-Cory Tiger, Glenpool High School
  - Osage Prayer-Joseph Lynn, Osage Nation Language Department
  - The Lord's Prayer-Caleb Bruce, Osage Nation Language Department
  - Osage Prayer-Jade Jones, Osage Nation Language Department