<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event Description</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| Feb 6 | American Indian Pow wow  
North Carolina School of Science & Math  
Charles Elber Physical Education Center  
12:00 noon – 5:00 pm  
Contact: Letita Mason  
(919) 416-2849  
Email: masonl@ncssm.edu |
| Feb 22 – 25 | National Congress of American Indians Executive Council  
Washington, DC  
Visit: [www.ncai.org](http://www.ncai.org) for additional information |
| Jan 14 | Occaneechi Band of the Saponi Nation  
Tribal Council Meeting  
217 East Davis Street  
Burlington, NC  
(336) 421-1317  
Email: osbntribe@gmail.com |
| Jan 16 | Occaneechi Band of the Saponi Nation  
Wisdom Circle (Neiiwa Walikas) Meeting  
Pleasant Gove Community Center  
3958 NC Highway 49 North  
Burlington, NC  
(336) 421-1317  
Email: osbntribe@gmail.com |
| Feb 16 | University of North Carolina at Pembroke  
2016 Speaker Series: Sarah Deer  
7:00 pm  
UNC Pembroke University Center Annex  
Contact: Dr. Rose Stremlau  
rose.stremlau@uncp.edu |
| March 5 | The Carolina Indian Circle  
29th Annual Pow wow  
Grand Entry begins promptly at 12:00 pm  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill - Hooker Fields  
Contact: Harley Locklear |
| March 10 | NC Commission of Indian Affairs Quarterly Meeting  
Will be held in conjunction with the NC Indian Unity Conference in Raleigh  
(919) 807-4442  
Email: daphne.pinto@doa.nc.gov |
| March 10-12 | NC Indian Unity Conference  
Hilton North Raleigh  
Wake Forest Road  
Raleigh, North Carolina |
| March 19 | 24th Annual ECU Pow-wow  
12:00 noon until 6:00 pm  
East Carolina University  
Minges Coliseum  
Greenville, NC  
Contact: Aleisha Hunt  
(252) 864-7162  
hunta@ecu.edu |
| March 31 | University of North Carolina at Pembroke  
Native Artists panel  
Addressing the topic of contemporary Southeastern Native art will be:  
America Meredith (Cherokee Nation), a painter, Printmaker, educator, and editor of *First American Art Magazine*.  
Jessica Clark (Lumbee), a Robeson County painter and educator.  
Ashley Minner (Lumbee), a community based visual artist and scholar from Baltimore, Md.  
Terry White, a Lumbee artist from Robeson County  
Lawrence Locklear (Lumbee)  
University of NC at Pemborke  
Pembroke, NC 28372  
Email: ais@ unc p.edu, or call (910) 521-6266 |
**April 2**
26th Annual NCSU Pow-wow
Noon – 7 pm
North Carolina State University
Carmichael Gymnasium
Raleigh, NC
Contact: Brittany Hunt
(919) 513-3480
Email: bdhunt@ncsu.edu

**April 7 – 8**
12th Annual Southeast Indian Studies Conference
UNC Pembroke
University Center Annex
Pembroke, NC
Contact: Dr. Mary Ann Jacobs
(910) 521-6266

**April 15 – 17**
51st Annual Haliwa-Saponi Pow-wow
Mecouremechen Kihoe “You are welcome to come here.”
130 Haliwa Saponi Trail
Hollister, NC
Contact: (252) 586-4017
Email: alynch@haliwa-saponi.com

**April 19**
University of North Carolina at Pembroke
2016 Speaker Series: Tanaya Winder
7:00pm
Museum of the Southeast
Old Main Building
Contact: ais@uncp.edu or call 910-521-6266

**April 25**
NC General Assembly Convenes
Raleigh, NC

**May 6-8**
Lumbee Tribe Pow-Wow
“Dance of the Spring Moon”
Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina
Lumbee Tribe Cultural Center
638 Terry Sanford Road
Maxton, NC 28364
Contact: Karen Bird
(910) 522-5162
www.lumbeetribe.com

**June 5 – 8**
26th National Native Health Research Conference
Harrah’s Cherokee Casino Resort
777 Casino Drive
Cherokee, NC
Contact: (828) 497-7777
Email: email@nativeresearchnetwork.org
www.nativeresearchnetwork.org

**June 14 - 17**
NC Indian Youth Unity Conference
North Carolina State University
Contact: Mickey Locklear
(919) 807-4449 or Cindi Harris (919) 807-4451
Email: mickey.locklear@doa.nc.gov
www.lumbeetribe.com

**June 18**
Sappony Tribe 5K Run
Mayo Park
Roxboro, NC
(424) 585-3352
www.sapponytrailrun.org

**June 25-July 2**
Lumbee Regional Development Association
Lumbee Homecoming
Pembroke, NC
Contact: (910) 521-8602
www.lumbeehomecoming.com

**June 30**
Lumbee Book Talk
2:00pm
University of North Carolina at Pembroke Book Store
Feature Authors: TBA
Contact: ais@uncp.edu or call 910-521-6266

**July 4 – 6**
39th Annual July Pow-wow
Acquoni Expo Center
Acquoni & Big Cove Road
Cherokee, NC
Contact: 1-828-554-6471

**Aug 5 – 6**
American Indian Women of Proud Nations Conference
Hosted by the Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe
Contact: Dr. Ogltree Richardson, Chief of the Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe
252-586-4017
Email: alynch@haliwa-saponi.com

TBD  5th Annual Native American Indian Quilt Show and Demonstration
Waccamaw Siouan Tribal Administration Building
7239 Old Lake Road
Bolton, NC
Contact: Brenda Moore
(910) 655-8778

Sept 2  NC Commission of Indian Affairs Annual Meeting
Location to be announced
(919) 807-4442
Email: daphne.pinto@doa.nc.gov

Sept 3  Sappony Labor Day Celebration
Tribal Center
4218 Virgilina Road
Virgilina, VA
Contact: Charlene Martin
(434) 585-3352
Email: sappony@msn.com

Sept 4  Sappony Homecoming
Calvary Baptist Church
2663 High Plains Road
Roxboro, NC
Contact: Charlene Martin
(434) 585-3352
Email: sappony@msn.com

Sept 9 – 10  47th Annual Coharie Indian Cultural Pow-wow
Coharie Tribal Grounds
7531 North US Hwy 421
Clinton, NC
Contact: (910) 564-6909 or (910) 564-4906
Vendor contact: Magic Gomez
(910) 260-2367

Sept 16 – 18  39th Annual Pow-wow and Cultural Festival
Guilford Native American Association
Location: Greensboro County Park
Contact: Rick Oxendine
(336) 273-8686

Email: roxbuddy58@gmail.com

Sept 24 – 25  31st Annual Indian Trail Pow-wow
Metrolina Native American Association
Chestnut Park Indian Trail, NC
Contact: Jessie Jacobs
(704) 458-9209
Visit:
www.metrolinanatives@yahoo.com
for additional information

Sept 30 – Oct 2  Meherrin Indian Pow-wow
Meherrin Tribal Grounds
852 Hwy 11 N
Ahoskie, NC
Contact: Patrick Suarez
(336) 416-4913
Vendor Contact: Linwood Hall
(202) 281-7097
meherrinpowwow@gmail.com
Tomahawk Motel: (252) 332-3194
tomahawkmotel@gmail.com

Oct 4 - 8  Cherokee Indian Fair
Cherokee Welcome Center
498 Tsali Blvd
Cherokee, NC
Contact: 1-800-438-1601

Oct 14 - 15  Waccamaw-Siouan 45th Annual Pow-wow
7239 Old Lake Road
Bolton, NC
Contact: (910) 655-8778
Email: siouan@aol.com

Nov 3  Indian Child Welfare Gathering
Western Carolina University
Cullowhee, NC 28723
Event Location: College of Human and Health Services, Room 204
Contact: Lori McClain
919-807-4448
Email: lori.mcclain@doa.nc.gov
Nov 4  North Carolina Indian Senior Citizens Coalition Conference
Ramada Plaza
1707 Owen Drive
Fayetteville, NC
Contact (910) 564-6152
Email: steve.maynor@doa.nc.gov

Nov 12  19th St. James Waccamaw Siouan Festival
St. James Community
3245 Old Northeast Road
Lake Waccamaw, NC 28450
Contact: Hattie Campbell
(910) 646-1817 or (910) 641-1476
Email: hcampbell1948@centurylink.net

Nov 19  21st Annual North Carolina Indian Heritage Celebration
North Carolina Museum of History
Raleigh, NC
Contact: (919) 807-7900

Dec 2  NC Commission of Indian Affairs Quarterly Meeting
Location to be announced
(919) 807-4442
Email: daphne.pinto@doa.nc.gov