



Mohegan Tribe

WIGWAM FESTIVAL

August 16 & 17, 2025
Fort Shantok,
Uncasville, CT



FESTIVAL HOURS: 10AM – 7PM
GRAND ENTRY AT 12PM

\$20 DANCE REGISTRATION FROM
9AM – 1PM ON SATURDAY
(Includes Meal Tickets)

HEAD STAFF

Bruce Curliss (Nipmuc): Master of Ceremonies
Justin Scott (Mohegan): Arena Director
Jonathan Perry (Aquinnah): Head Male Judge
Kiana LeBeau (Taíno, Cheyenne River Sioux): Head Female Judge
Jason Roode (Mohegan): Head Male Dancer
Rita Gilman (Mohegan): Head Female Dancer
Tristan Lambert (Mohegan): Junior Head Male Dancer
Hannah Lambert (Mohegan): Junior Head Female Dancer

DRUM GROUPS

Ottertrail: Southern Host
Southern Eagle: Invited Southern
Rez Dogz: Northern Host
Yootay Singers: Invited Northern
Shantok Nation: Special Invitational Boys Drum

AGE CATEGORIES, DANCES, AND PRIZES

GOLDEN AGE (50+)	SENIOR (18-49)	TEEN (13-17)	JUNIOR (7-12)
1st: \$1,000 2nd: \$800 3rd: \$600 4th: \$400	1st: \$1,000 2nd: \$800 3rd: \$600 4th: \$400	1st: \$200 2nd: \$150 3rd: \$100	1st: \$100 2nd: \$75 3rd: \$50
MEN	MEN	BOYS	BOYS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern War • Northern Traditional • Southern Straight • Fancy • Grass 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern War • Northern Traditional • Southern Straight • Fancy • Grass 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern War • Northern Traditional • Fancy • Grass 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern War • Northern Traditional • Fancy • Grass
WOMEN	WOMEN	GIRLS	GIRLS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern Blanket • Northern/Southern Traditional • Fancy • Jingle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern Blanket • Northern Traditional • Southern Traditional • Fancy • Jingle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastern Blanket • Traditional Combined • Fancy • Jingle 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Traditional Combined • Fancy • Jingle

DANCE SHOWCASE: SMOKE (SATURDAY & SUNDAY)

We would like to call all seasoned smoke dancers to the circle. If you know how to dance smoke, we encourage you to come to the circle and dance during the proper time.

DANCE SPECIALS

SATURDAY:

Head Female: Jingle
(All Ages & Styles) to honor
Emily Pike (MMIP)

1st: \$300
2nd: \$200
3rd: \$100

Jr. Head Female: Switch
(Teens & Juniors)

2 Winners: \$50 Each

SUNDAY:

Head Male: Duck & Dive
(Ages 18+)

1st: \$300
2nd: \$200
3rd: \$100

Jr. Head Male: Sneak Up
(Teens & Juniors)

1st: \$50

Please note: All information is subject to change. For more info, please contact dquidgeon@moheganmail.com.