**EVENTS AT NDSU**

**Nov. 6**
Noon-1 p.m. Memorial Union Mandan room  
**INTRODUCTORY LAKOTA LANGUAGE**  
Petra One Hawk, Dakota and Lakota, Master of Public Health student  
A brief introduction to the Lakota (Sioux) language for beginners, which includes learning the Lakota alphabet (orthography) and the sounds that accompany each letter. See the most updated and comprehensive Lakota dictionary and learn about tools and resources available for learning the Lakota language.

**Nov. 10**
Noon-1 p.m. Memorial Union Mandan room  
**EVERYTHING YOU WEREN’T TAUGHT ABOUT NATIVE AMERICAN HISTORY**  
Don Warne, Lakota, Master of Public Health director  
American Indians suffer from among the worst health disparities in the nation. Many of these disparities can be traced back to significant historical events. In this discussion, Warne will describe how the context of history has an impact on current health disparities.

**Nov. 12**
Noon-1 p.m. Memorial Union Mandan room  
**BUFFALO RIVER NATIVE AMERICAN SINGERS AND DANCERS**  
Dancers representing tribes of the Lakota/Dakota (Sioux), Ojibwe, Hidatsa, Delaware, Sac and Fox, Creek, Shawnee and Choctaw will perform colorful dances of the Prairie Chicken, Women’s Traditional, Grass Dance, Fancy Shawl, Men’s Traditional, Jingle Dress and Fancy Feather.

**Nov. 13**
Noon-1 p.m. Memorial Union Peace Garden room  
**THE STRUGGLE: UNDERSTANDING A NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENT’S STRUGGLE**  
Derek Stonefish, Oneida, American Indian Public Health Resource Center research manager  
Understanding Native American students can be difficult at times. Many suffer from afflictions such as historical trauma, current poverty or culture shock. This presentation will provide suggestions to modify current support systems to assist Native American students, as well as offer insights from a teacher who survived not only life, but also the education system.

**Nov. 17**
7 p.m. Harry D McGovern Alumni Center Diederich Atrium  
**CONQUERING IT ALL**  
John B. Herrington, Navy commander and astronaut  
Sponsored by the NDSU Division of Equity, Diversity and Global Outreach  
Herrington is the first tribally enrolled Native American astronaut. Selected by NASA in 1996, he proudly carried a Chickasaw Nation flag on his shuttle mission to the International Space Station. This American hero challenges people to re-think obstacles and see dreams as reality.

**ALL EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.**

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