

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF TRIBAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICERS

AGENDA

Unless noted, all meetings will take place at the
Grand Casino Mille Lacs and Hotel Conference Center

SUNDAY, JUNE 22, 2003

2:00 pm to 8:00 pm

TRAVEL DAY– GOLFING AND LAKE VISITS, SIGHTSEEING OPPORTUNITIES

Registration open and tour sign-up in Convention Center Lobby

MONDAY, JUNE 23, 2003

7:30 am to 4:00 pm

Registration and tour sign-up in Convention Center Lobby

8:30 am to 9:30 am

“Welcome and Introductions” (Spring-Summer Room)

- < Mille Lacs Tribal Government Officials:
Curt Kalk, Commissioner of Natural Resources
Brenda Boyd, Director of Tribal Operations
 - < Natalie Weyaus, Mille Lacs THPO
 - < Alan S. Downer, NATHPO Chairman
 - < D. Bambi Kraus, NATHPO President
- Opening Prayer by Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Traditionalist

9:45 am to 11:45 am

“Indian Museums & Cultural Centers” (Spring-Summer Room)

- Speaker: D. Bambi Kraus, Report on AASLH National Survey of Tribal Museums and Cultural Centers. Panelists:
- < Janine Bowe chop, Director, Makah Resource Center
 - < Alyce Sadongei, Assistant Curator for Native American Relations, Arizona State Museum
 - < Terence Vidal, Site Director, Mille Lacs Indian Museum

12:00 noon to 1:00 pm

Lunch break (provided in Autumn Room)
Speaker: Larry Smallwood on “History of Mille Lacs”

1:15 to 5:30 pm

“Ten Years of the THPO Program” (Spring-Summer Room)

Presentations and Question-and-Answer Session.
Followed by: “THPO Program Basics and Networking for THPOs,” by the National Association of Tribal Historic Preservation Officers

6:00 pm

Welcome Dinner (provided in Autumn Room)
Musical Entertainment: Annie Humphrey

TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2004

- 8:30 am to 12 noon Conference registration and tour sign-up in Conference Center Lobby.
- 9:00 to 10:30 am **“Tourism & Historic Preservation”** (Spring-Summer Room)
Keynote Speaker: Chairman John L. Nau, III, Chairman, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, who will also join us for a discussion on heritage tourism in Indian country. Moderated by D. Bambi Kraus with panelists:
< Kelly S. Jackson, THPO, Lac du Flambeau Band of Chippewa
< Gloria St. John, Special Projects Coordinator, Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe
< Denelle High Elk, Lewis & Clark Coordinator, Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe of South Dakota; and also Alliance of Tribal Tourism Advocates
- 10:45 to 11:45 am **“Technical Assistance for Tribal Tourism”** (Spring-Summer Room)
Panelists, moderated by D. Bambi Kraus:
< T. Destry Jarvis, President, Outdoor Recreation & Park Services, LLC
< Ed Hall, BIA, Tourism and Transportation Program Manager
< Andrea Levasseur, U.S. Forest Service, Chippewa National Forest, Heritage Program Manager
- 12 noon to 1:00 pm Lunch break (provided in Autumn Room)
Speaker: Sheldon Boyd, Commissioner of Administration, Mille Lacs Band
- 1:15 pm to 3:00 pm * NAGPRA Training Session (Spring-Summer Room)
Conducted by staff from the National Park Service National Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA) Office
- 3:15 pm to 4:30 pm * Discussion on the National Park Service proposed rule on “Culturally Unidentifiable Human Remains and Grave Goods”
- 3:15 to 6:30 pm **Optional Concurrent Tours** (Sign up required at Registration Desk.)
* **Mille Lacs Indian Museum** – Cost included with registration. Shuttle available.
* **Kathio State Park** – Shuttle and van will leave at 3:15 pm. Can also take own vehicle.
* **Northwest Fur Company** -- Approximately 90 minutes east of Grand Casino Mille Lacs. No shuttle service available.
- 7:00 pm **Traditional Feast** (provided in Autumn Room)
Speaker: Lee Staples, Mille Lacs Band Traditionalist
Wild Rice Video and Commentary by Natalie Weyaus, Mille Lacs THPO

Thursday, June 26, 2002

- 9:00 am to 10:15 am **“Riverscapes”** (Spring-Summer Room)
Panelists: < Klamath River by Yurok Tribe: Thomas M. Gates, THPO,
 Glenn Moore, Tribal Elder, and Walt Lara, Tribal Elder
 < Colorado River by Navajo Nation: Robert Begay, Manager,
 Traditional Culture Program and representative to the Glen
 Canyon Dam Operations Federal Advisory Committee
- 10:30 am to 11:45 am Federal Agency Workshop (Spring-Summer Room)
NPS – National Office
Panelists: < Dr. Richard Waldbauer, Federal Preservation Initiative
 < Joe Wallis, Grants Office
Federal Agency Panel
Panelists: < U.S. Forest Service, Dorothy Firecloud
 < Bureau of Indian Affairs, Bill Kurtz
- 12 noon to 3:00 pm **Box Lunches Available for Camp Ripley Tour**
Sign up required for box lunches and/or tour by Monday, June 23rd.
Shuttle provided. Approximately 50-minute drive one-way.
- Afternoon Alternative **ON YOUR OWN: GOLFING, LAKE, SIGHTSEEING VISITS**

Friday, June 27, 2003 **TRAVEL DAY**