

The American Indian Studies Program, American Indian Student Council, Division of Student Affairs, Student Life and Development, and Associated Students, Inc. are proud to present:

California State University, Puvungna (Long Beach)

# 50th ANNUAL POW WOW

## March 11 and 12, 2023

Saturday 11 am - 10 pm & Sunday 11 am - 6 pm

Gourd Dance 11 am and Grand Entry 1 pm

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### CALIFORNIA INDIAN PRESENTATIONS (SATURDAY)

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#### HEAD STAFF

Master of Ceremony: **Arlie Neskahi** (Seattle, WA)

Arena Director: **Victor Chavez** (Whittier, CA)

Head Man Dancer: **Craig Stone** (Long Beach, CA)

Head Woman Dancer: **Pamela James** (Moreno Valley, CA)

Host Northern Drum: **Bad Soul** (Grand Ronde, OR)

Head Southern Singer: **Howard Cozad** (Anadarko, OK)

Host Gourd Society: **Golden State Gourd Society**

Spoon Keeper: **Rebecca Sanchez** (Long Beach, CA)

Sound: MenoMan Sound-Emiliano Martinez

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**SINGERS:** Visiting Drums will receive Day Pay per session. One Visiting Drum will be selected per session as "Honored Visiting Drum" and will receive additional \$300

**DANCERS:** Registration closes at 2 PM on Saturday, March 11

**HOST HOTEL:** A limited number of rooms are available for \$135.00 plus 12% tax if reserved by February 24 at Hotel Current.

Please e-mail Wayne Nagel [wayne@hotelcurrent.com](mailto:wayne@hotelcurrent.com) or call 562-597-1341 Ext, 117 to reserve your room.

[www.hotelcurrent.com](http://www.hotelcurrent.com) 5325 E. Pacific Coast Highway, Long Beach, CA 90804

#### **PARKING: FREE POW WOW PARKING**

Spectators follow directional signs to park in General Lots. Dancers, Singers, and Head Staff park in Lots E8, E9, E10 or E11. vendor registration and parking in Lot E7

[www.csulb.edu/maps](http://www.csulb.edu/maps)

Public is welcome and admission is free! Dancers and Drums welcome! Not responsible for theft, loss, accident, injury or personal expenses. Absolutely no alcohol or drugs allowed. California state law forbids overnight camping. No pets allowed except for assistance animals.

For more information and vendor applications: [www.csulb.edu/student-affairs/student-life-development/pow-wow](http://www.csulb.edu/student-affairs/student-life-development/pow-wow)

CSU, Long Beach, 1250 Bellflower Boulevard Long Beach, CA 90840-1004



#### **SPECIALS**

**Head Man "Old School Fancy Dance Special"** 50 years or older, no acrobatics or plastic streamers. Prizes: \$1000 first Place & Eagle Star Quilt or Pendleton blanket. 2nd and 3rd place will receive blanket/cash prizes. All contestants will receive a gift.

#### **Head Man "Hand Drum Contest"**

First 10 singers to sign up on March 11 between noon and 1 pm. Singing will take place throughout the weekend. Prize: Hand Drums and cash prizes for top three winners. All contestants will receive a gift.