



Pine Point Moccasin Telegraph

June 3, 2010

Pine Point Music Festival

Pine Point Community Council will be hosting a Music Festival which will be held on July 24th, 2010 at the Pine Point Pow Wow Grounds, in Ponsford, Minnesota.

This event will be the first of its kind. The profits and funds raised at this event will go to Charity and local 501(c)3 organizations, such as; Boys N Girls Club, Pine Point Pow Wow, People escaping poverty, Campus Ministry, and many more . People from these groups will be volunteering and donating their time and help to make this event possible. Admission will be a free will donation so even low income people and the whole family can attend.

This community event will be alcohol and drug free and is family oriented. This event will feature local musicians so they can demonstrate their talent. We are asking many artists with different music, either country, pop, bluegrass, christian, rock, and rap, to play during that day. The main object is to expose people to different types of music, and to where the whole family of all ages can enjoy. This event is open to the public.

The lineup is:

11:00-11:45 Pat Moran and the Jackson Family
12:15-1:00 Stewert Vill Band
1:30-2:15 The Hanks Family Band
2:45-3:30 Hatfield Bay Band
4:00-4:45 Eddie Kidd
5:15-6:00 Raven Darkcloud
6:30-7:15 County 20
7:45-8:30 Wahwahtay Benais
9:00-9:45 Sky Blues Band

Pine Point Traditional Pow wow Aug 13th, 14th, and 15th

Friday: Rez Dog Show at Old School– 12:00 Noon
Demolition Derby at Old Ball field at 5:00 PM

Saturday: Joe Bush Memorial 5K Walk/Run starting at Pow wow Grounds – 8:30 AM

Flag Raising – 10 AM
Grand Entry - 1 PM & 7 PM
Feast - 5:30 PM
Sunday: Flag Raising – 10 AM
Rez Car Parade starting at Old School- 11 AM
Grand Entry - 1 PM
Meal Provided at Payout

SPIRITUAL ADVISOR Mike Swan
EMCEE Mickey Hodges
ARENA DIRECTOR Butch Roberts
CO-HOST DRUMS Smoky Hills Boys
Native craft stands only, stand must pay ½ down to reserve a spot

T-shirt design contest

WANTED 2010 POW WOW T-SHIRT DESIGN. The Pow Wow Committee is looking for a design for this year's T-shirt. The design does not need to be picture perfect. Please submit your design to Sandi Smith, Mike Swan, Jeep Roberts, or Pat Miller before July 11. If we use your design, your initials will be added to the design, you will be compensated \$50 and receive a free shirt.

Pine Point Community Council Bingo

The Bingo games started with \$25 warm-up games at 6:30 p.m. and regular session starting at 7:00 p.m. Cost is \$20 for regular packet. Payouts are \$30 or depends on the number of paid attendance for regular games. 70% of the take on specials. Progressive coverall of \$1,000 starting at 50 numbers, with a consolation of \$300.

For June 2, 2010 the progressive number for coverall is 57 for \$1,000.

Joe Bush Memorial Dinner

The family of George "Joe Bush" Fairbanks invited the Pine Point community to a memorial pot luck fest. Bring what you what. It will take place on June 5th at 12:00 o'clock at the old Pine Point School. There will be a family giveaway during this year pow wow in August.

REZ RAGS THIRFT STORE and Pine Point Food Shelf

Both the Rez Rags and Food shelf maybe closing their doors this summer for good. The Pine Point Community Council has not found anyone interested to manage either store. If you are interested, please talk to Mike Swan.

Meeting Notices

Next regular scheduled Pine Point Community Council meeting is scheduled for June 17th, at 6:30 p.m. at the Old Pine Point School.

Pine Point Elders meet every second Wednesday of the month in Community Center.

Schedule for use of the Old School and Elder Center

Old School

- Every Wednesday Evening – Pine Point Community Council Bingo
- Every Day – Boys and Girls Club

Elder Center

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Walking on to the Spirit World

April 13, 1937-May 25, 2010

Patricia A. Warren, 73, of Pine Point, died Tuesday, May 25, 2010 at her residence in Pine Point. Visitation will be held from 4 p.m. Friday, May 28 until the time of the funeral Saturday, at teh Old Pine Point School in Ponsford.

Funeral services for Patricia are set for 11 a.m. Saturday, May 29 at the Old Pine Point School, with interment at St. Theodore's Catholic Cemetery, Ponsford.

Patricia Ann Bellanger was born to Simon and Ruth (Bordman) Bellanger on April 13, 1937 in Round Lake Township. She grew up and attended St. Benedict's Catholic Mission School in White Earth.

In 1959, Patricia was united in marriage to George Warren Sr. in Detroit Lake. They made their home in Minneapolis, and started their family.

In 1985, George and Patricia moved to Ponsford. George passed away in 1986.

Patricia enjoyed going on casino trips, playing bingo, traveling and spending time with her family, especially all of her grandchildren.

Patricia will be remembered and missed by her children, Louise (Cliff) Hanks of White Earth, Debra Warren of Waubun, George Jr. (Joycelyn) Warren of Ponsford and Lorraine (Zup Butcher) Warren, also of Ponsford. She is also survived by 34 grandchildren and many great grandchildren.

Preceding Patricia in death were her parents; husband George Sr.; sons Danny and Robert; siblings Henry Bellanger, Douglas Bellanger, Francis Minor, Jimmy Bigbear and Ronald Butcher; along with special friend, Richard French.

The David-Donohewer Funeral Home is serving the family. Memories can be shared online at www.daviddonehower.com.

HUMOR

YOU KNOW IT'S TIME TO LOSE WEIGHT WHEN.....

- You can't see your moccasin strings anymore
- You find yourself bringing zip lock bags and a sack to the powwow feast
- You get in line twice at the pw feast & lie "this plate is for my grandma who's sitting in the car," and you don't realize she just went through the line 10 people ahead of you.
- You can't fit your choker, because you no longer have a neck
- Your family has to stop half way to the powwow to replace the springs on your car
- The car naturally tilts downward on the side you always ride on
- The youngest kid with the shortest legs has to sit behind your seat, because you have to have the seat pulled all the way back to fit your beefy legs into the car
- You eat Indian Tacos like potato chips
- You don't even feel your mosquito bites
- You have to "rock" a few times to get up out of your chair
- You have to "lift" your stomach to show off your new beaded belt buckle
- You order a coke and the waitress asks, "Diet?"
- You almost pass out in the sweathouse using only one rock
- You get scared your belly button might come untied
- In a powwow crowd of 1,000 people, everyone stops you to ask your advice about the best food stands AND where's the best fry bread stand
- Other dancers use you for shade in grand entry line
- You lose a \$1,000 dance contest because your excess didn't stop in time with the drum
- Your buckskin dress looks like you're still sitting down even if you're up walking around
- You have to have your parade horse backed up next the car so you can climb up on the hood of the car and get on.

Want something in the Pine Point Moccasin Telegraph? Want to pass on information in the community about meetings, rummage sales, activities, stories, gossip, jokes (clean ones), hello to someone or to your new (or old) snag, someone birthday or anniversary, thanks you, etc....? Who won or loss at Bingo or the casino? Write it down and send information to Mike Swan, 27920 485th Ave. Ponsford, MN 56575, or just drop it off at his house. Or call 573-2154 or 573-3007. Or if you are into the 21st Century and have a computer, email to swanmike@arvig.net or mikes@whiteearth.com

Sorry, no personal attacks or politics. The Moccasin Telegraph will be use to inform people on happenings around the community.