



National Native American Heritage Month

By Library of Congress et al

November is National Native American Heritage Month. The Library of Congress, National Archives and Records Administration, National Endowment for the Humanities, National Gallery of Art, National Park Service, Smithsonian Institution, and United States Holocaust Memorial Museum join in paying tribute to the rich ancestry and traditions of Native Americans.

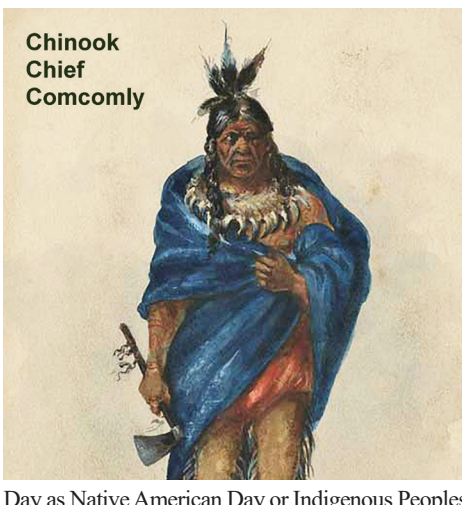
What started at the turn of the last century as an effort to gain a day of recognition for the significant contributions the first Americans made to the establishment and growth of the United States, has resulted in a whole month being designated for that purpose.

One of the first proponents of an American Indian Day was Dr. Arthur C. Parker, a Seneca Indian, who was the director of the Museum of Arts and Science in Rochester, New York. He persuaded the Boy Scouts of America to set aside a day for the "First Americans" and for three years they adopted such a day.

In 1915, the annual Congress of the American Indian Association meeting in Lawrence, Kansas, formally approved a plan concerning American Indian Day. It directed its president, Reverend Sherman Coolidge, an Arapahoe, to call upon the country to observe such a day. Reverend Coolidge issued a proclamation on September 28, 1915, which declared the second Saturday of each May as an American Indian Day and contained the first formal appeal for recognition of Indians as United States citizens.

The year before this proclamation was issued, Red Fox James, a Blackfoot Indian, rode horseback from state to state seeking approval for a day to honor Indians. On December 14, 1915, he presented the endorsements of twenty-four state governments at the White House. There is no record, however, of such a national day being proclaimed.

The first American Indian Day in a state was declared on the second Saturday in May 1916 by the governor of New York. Several states celebrate the fourth Friday in September. In Illinois, for example, legislators enacted such a day in 1919. Presently, several states have designated Columbus



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Day as Native American Day or Indigenous Peoples Day, but it continues to be a day we observe without any recognition as a national legal holiday.

In 1990, President George H. W. Bush approved a joint resolution designating November

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Bid Date: November 14, 2018

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MTA NYCT Contract No. E-34029/234318 (NYS DBE)
Bid Date: November 9, 2018

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Description of Project: Replacement of two (2) escalators (E-255 and E-256), elevator E-204, and stairs (M6 A/B and M7 A/B), at 42nd Street—Grand Central Station, Lexington Avenue Line (IRT), in the Borough of Manhattan.

E-34029/234318, Replace Six Traction Elevators at 181st and 190th Streets (NYS DBE: 20%):
Description of Project: Replacement of six (6) traction elevators at 181st and 190th Streets, 8th Avenue Line (IND), in the Borough of Manhattan.

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Bid Date: November 8, 2018

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in Queens County, New York
PANYNJ Contract No: JFK-164.020
Bid Date: November 9, 2018

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NYC Department of Sanitation District 3 Garage Project
in the Borough of Brooklyn, New York
DSNY Contract No: S186/224
Bid Date: November 16, 2018

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Construction of a New Brooklyn Community District 3 Garage
DSNY Contract No. S186/224 (M/WBE)
Bid Date: November 16, 2018

S186/224, Construction of a New Brooklyn Community District 3 Garage (NYC M/WBE: 40.8%)
Description of project: The scope of work consists of the construction of a new LEED® Silver Certified garage facility, comprising one (1) level of vehicle storage and repair facilities, with three (3) levels of personnel support facilities serving Brooklyn Sanitation District Brooklyn 3. Below grade parking is provided for personnel. This facility shall be constructed on a pile foundation and have a steel frame structure. Exterior walls are of cast-in-place concrete, precast concrete panels, curtain wall, and aluminum solar shading devices. The project site is located at Nostrand Avenue and Park Avenue in Brooklyn and includes related site work and interior building finishes.

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NORTHEAST EVENTS FOR YOUR BUSINESS

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Resilience as a Survival Tool
Thursday, November 15, 2018, 6:00 pm–8:00 pm
Connecticut Center for Advanced Technology,
222 Pitkin Street, East Hartford, CT
Main Sponsor(s): University of Hartford Entrepreneurial Center and Women's Business Center
Contact: 860-768-5681, www.hartford.edu/ec
Fee: Free; registration required

Resilience is vital to survive in today's workplace. In large and small businesses, individuals and leaders need to be able to manage emotion, make sound decisions, and function at the highest level of productivity. Being insightful of one's total wellbeing and ability to recognize triggers to potential pitfalls in the workplace is key. The interactive workshop, presented by Lisa Flucker and Tina Kadish, will explore techniques for managing multiple priorities and effectively evaluating situations. This program in the TD Bank Business Leadership Series is provided by the University of Hartford Entrepreneurial Center and Women's Business Center.

Your Business—Your Money: Financial Literacy
Thursday, November 29, 2018, 6:00 pm–9:00 pm
Portland SCORE, 100 Middle Street, Portland, ME
Main Sponsor(s): SCORE Maine
Contact: Nancy Strojny, 207-536-1143, scoremaine@gmail.com
Fee: Free; registration required

Understanding financial statements is essential to understanding how well your business is doing.

If you are not monitoring, and understanding, your financial statements on a regular basis, you are not managing your business. This free workshop explains why and how financial literacy is essential to your success. Your business plan will need a set of detailed financial projections; potential lenders or investors will insist upon it. This workshop provides the financial grounding you need to better develop the financial projections required in your business plan. In this workshop, you will learn more about the three key financial statements: the balance sheet, the income statement, and the statement of cash flows. SCORE is a resource partner of the US Small Business Administration (SBA). SCORE Maine's mentors provide free services and workshops at various locations across the state.

How SBA Can Help You Start or Grow Your Small Business and How to Register Your Business Online
Thursday, December 6, 2018, 9:00 am–10:30 am
New Hampshire Secretary of State's Office, 25 Capital Street, Third Floor, Concord, NH
Main Sponsor(s): US Small Business Administration, New Hampshire Secretary of State Corporation Division
Contact: Miguel Moralez, 603-225-1601, miguel.moralez@sba.gov
Fee: Free; registration required

Join us in the capital city and hear from a Small Business Administration representative about the technical and financial resources available to help you start and grow your small business. The New Hampshire Secretary of State Corporation Division will walk you through registering a business online. This FREE workshop is held on the first Thursday of every month from 9:00 am to 10:30 am.

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