

THE PAVILION AT
COUSHATTA CASINO RESORT

HEAD WOMAN DANCER
SOPHIE TIGER
OKLAHOMA

HEAD MAN DANCER
BUCKY OLD ELK
MONTANA

29th Annual **COUSHATTA** June 12-13, 2026

POWOW



K I N D E R ★ 2026 ★ L O U I S I A N A

NORTHERN HOST: SOUTHERN CREE (MONTANA) | SOUTHERN HOST: MOTOWN (MINNESOTA)

ANNOUNCER: Bart Powaukee
ANNOUNCER: Howie Thomson
GOURD ANNOUNCER: Anthony Monoessy

HEAD MAN DANCER: Bucky Old Elk
HEAD LADY DANCER: Sophie Tiger
HEAD GOURD DANCER: Jason Williams

ARENA DIRECTOR: Donovan Abbey
ARENA DIRECTOR: Rusty Gillette
HEAD JUDGE: Leland Thompson

- "Men's Powwow All-Stars" Groups of 4 Dancing & Singing Special** sponsored by Bucky Old Elk, Head Man Dancer
- 18+ Women's Northern Traditional Special** sponsored by Sophie Tiger, Head Woman Dancer
- All Ages Cowgirl Special** sponsored by Sovereign Youth Council
- All Ages Cowboy Special** sponsored by Sovereign Youth Council
- All Women's (all ages) "Pretty in Pink"** sponsored by Coushatta Princess
- 18+ Mens Veterans Special** in honor of US Army SGT Michael Howard Sylestine
- Father (Figure) - Daughter Special** in honor of outgoing Junior Princess Aubrey Fontenot
- 18+ Womens Cloth Special - All Mothers who lost a mother or child** in memory of Wanda Sylestine

REGISTRATION: Fri. 3-7pm • Sat. 10am-12pm
GOURD DANCE: Fri. 5pm • Sat. 10am & 5pm
GRAND ENTRIES: Fri. 7pm • Sat. 12pm & 7pm

Accommodations

Reservations: 1-800-584-7263

Coushatta Inn & Chalets - \$159 + tax + resort fees
Group Code: POW26 • Arrive: 06/12/26 • Depart: 06/14/26

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Admission \$10 EACH DAY • 6 & UNDER FREE

Powwow Info / Vendors
CONTACT KATIE ARVIE: (337) 584-1545

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EVERYONE WELCOME!

Singing Contest (SOUTHERN/NORTHERN COMBINED)
1ST \$20,000 • 2ND \$17,000 • 3RD \$14,000 • 4TH \$11,000
• 5TH \$8,000 + 3 CONSOLATIONS OF \$3,000

Golden Age Northern, Southern (55-69) • Elders (70+)
1ST \$1,000 • 2ND \$800 • 3RD \$599 • 4TH \$400

Jr Adult (18-34) & Sr Adult (35-54)
MEN'S - NO. TRAD./SO. STRAIGHT/GRASS/FANCY/CHICKEN
WOMEN'S NO. TRAD./SO. CLOTH/SO. BUCK/JINGLE/FANCY
1ST \$1,000 • 2ND \$800 • 3RD \$599 • 4TH \$400

Teen Girls & Teen Boys (13-17)
TRADITIONAL/ FANCY/JINGLE/GRASS
1ST \$400 • 2ND \$350 • 3RD \$300 • 4TH \$250

Junior Girls & Junior Boys (7-12)
TRADITIONAL/ FANCY/JINGLE/GRASS
1ST \$200 • 2ND \$150 • 3RD \$125 • 4TH \$100

***NOTE: Social Security & valid picture ID required on winnings over \$600. Non-US citizens will be issued a 1042-S form & taxed 30% on any powwow winnings*

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