O'odham Wapkial Ha:tas

77th Annual All-Indian

RODEO AND FAIR

Eugene P. Tashquinth Sr. Livestock Complex, Sells, Arizona

JANUARY 29 - FEBRUARY 1, 2015

PARADE

Saturday, January 31, 2015, 9:00 AM

Carnival • Waila • Pow Wow • Traditional Games • Craft Booths
Exhibits • Traditional Performances • Entertainment Daily
Food Booths • Open Men's and Women's Basketball Tournament
Community Night - February 1, 2015 4-7 PM

For more information visit
www.tonation-nsn.gov • Rodeo & Fair Office - (520) 383-2588

Persons attending and participating in the Rodeo & Fair assume all risks including, but not limited to, illness, injury, death or property loss and agree not to hold the Tohono O'odham Nation, its agents, event sponsors and volunteers liable.

77th. Annual Tohono O'odham Nation All Indian Rodeo

Silas Hendricks Memorial Arena- Sells, Arizona (Highway 86 @ milepost 110)

January 29-February 1, 2015

All Indian Masters Rodeo

Thursday January 29, 2015 12 p.m.

(40-49 Years)				(50 Years and Over)			
EVENTS	**FEE**	**EVENTS**	**FEE**	**EVENTS**	**FEE**		**FEE**
Calf Roping	**$50**	Ladies Barrel Racing	**$50**	Co-Ed Ribbon Roping	**$50**	Ladies Barrel Racing	**$50**
Co-Ed Ribbon Roping	**$50**	Chute Dogging	**$50**	Ladies Breakaway	**$50**	Chute Dogging	**$50**
Ladies Breakaway	**$50**	Bull Riding	**$50**	Men's Breakaway	**$50**	Bull Riding	**$50**
Men's Breakaway	**$50**	Team Roping	**$100**/Team (3X)			Team Roping	**$100**/Team (3X)

Buckles to Event Winners/ Buckle to All Around Masters Champion Competing in two or more events, based on highest money won

All Indian Jr. Rodeo, Friday January 30, 2015 9:00 a.m.

Limit 20 per event-Buckles to event winners and All Around in Pee Wee, Jr., and Sr. Division, Cash to Buckaroo Division
Buckle Presentation by Rodeo Royalty Following Jr. Rodeo Performance

Buckaroo Division 5-& under	Pee Wee Division 6-9	Jr. Division 10-13	Sr. Division 14-17
Entry Fee: **$10** Per Event	Entry Fee: **$20** Per Event	Entry Fee: **$25** Per Event	Entry Fee: **$30** Per Event
Stick Horse Race	Ribbon Roping	Breakaway Roping	Breakaway Roping
Stick Horse Barrels	Barrel Racing	Barrel Racing	Barrel Racing
Dummy Roping (3 Loops)	Pole Bending	Pole Bending	Pole Bending
Wooly Riding	Calf Riding	Steer Riding	Bull Riding
	Team Roping	Team Roping	Chute Dogging
	(Partner must be 18yrs. or over)	(Partner must be 18yrs. or over)	(Team Roping (Jr./Jr. $60/Team)

All-Around will be determined on most money won in 2 or more events. Team Ropers may enter 2x-Only highest placing money won in Team Roping will count towards All-Around. Please provide proof of age and CIB from Federally Recognized Tribe upon request. Calf, Steer and Bull Riders safety vests required. All Contestants are required to sign a waiver. Muggers can be used for 6-9, Ribbon roping. Western Dress Code enforced for all participants & Helpers .

Friday January 30, 2015 Following Jr. Rodeo Performance

O'odham Wapkial Team Roping (Must be Ak-Chin, Gila River, Salt River & Tohono O'odham tribal members)
And All Women's Team Roping Entry Fee: $100/ Per Team enter 3X, Buckles to Event Winners

All Indian Rodeo (Open show)

Saturday January 31, 2015 1pm. –Sunday February 1, 2015 Slack 8 a.m. & 12 p.m. performance

100 % Payback Guaranteed-Including **$1,000.00** Added per event-Team Roping **$2,000.00** Buckles to event winners

All- Around Champion Cowboy and Cowgirl-$5,000.00 Cash each and Trophy Saddles

Events	Fee	Events	Fee	Events	Fee
Bareback	**$100**	Steer Wrestling	**$100**	Team Roping	**$200**/Team enter 3X
Saddle Bronc	**$100**	Ladies Barrel Racing	**$100**	Ladies Breakaway	**$100**
Bull Riding	**$100**	Calf Roping	**$100**	Women's Team Roping	**$200**/Team enter 3X

Team Ropers Must Pay for Full Team in One Envelope with Separate Entry Forms *Bull Riders Safety Vests Required*

*Every contestant Must fill out an Entry /Waiver Form. Entry Forms can be found at **www.tonation-nsn.gov***
*Please provide proof of CIB from Federally Recognized Tribe upon request**Must Complete W-9, Provide SSN, and show I.D. to receive payout*

All-Around Champions will be determined by all standard events and Women's Team Roping
Buckle-Awards Presentation Immediately Following Sunday's Rodeo Performance

Wild Horse Race

Entry Fee: **$225**-Team
Saturday January 31, 2015 12:30 p.m. Teams **1-6**, Teams **6-12**, following Rodeo Performance
Top 6 Teams back for Championship Round on Sunday 11:30 a.m.
Limit 12-3 Man Teams, Safety vest required for Rider *Cash and Buckles to event winners*

Mail in Entries Open:
November 10, 2014
Entries Must Be Post Marked by:
January 16, 2015
Entry Forms and Waivers must accompany Fees
Money Orders/Cashier's Checks Only

Mail Entries To:
Tohono O'odham Nation
All Indian Rodeo/Jr. Rodeo
Attn: Treasury
P.O. Box 837
Sells, Arizona 85634

Walk In Entries:
Tohono O'odham Nation
Treasury Department
9 a.m. – 4 p.m. daily

No refunds, Except with an acceptable Doctors/Veterinary note

Call Backs: Monday January 26, 2015 5 p.m.-9 p.m. (520) 383-2588 or more info
Visit www.tonation-nsn.gov or call (520) 383-2588 Rodeo Office

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77th ANNUAL TOHONO O'ODHAM NATION
RODEO & FAIR
January 29 – February 1, 2015
Arts & Crafts Booth Application

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____
Area Code number

ADDRESS: _____
City State zip

TRIBAL AFFILIATION: _____ ENROLLMENT #: _____
Please submit proof of affiliation (copy of enrollment card or CIB)

TYPE OF ARTS & CRAFTS:

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The Tohono O'odham Nation provides an opportunity for artists and craftsmen to display and sell their wares. A 10' X 10' vendor space is available @ the cost of **$250.00** for Native American (proof required and member(s) must be present in booth at all times) and **$300.00** for Non-Native Americans for the four (4) days of the Rodeo & Fair. Payment will be accepted by money orders only and made payable to: Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair Attn. Treasury Dept. P.O. Box 837 Sells, AZ 85634. Spaces will be assigned on a first come first serve basis. **In addition to the stated fee all vendors are required to obtain a Transaction Privilege Tax License issued by the Office of the Treasury; pursuant to Title 22-Taxation, Chapter 2-Transaction Privilege Tax, Section 3. Definitions (12)'Retailer', Section 4. Privilege License, B. Retail License. The fee for the Transaction Privilege License is five dollars ($5.00).** Upon receipt of your completed application and payment in full you will be assigned a space. Times for set-up will be as follows: Thursday January 29, 2015, must be set up by 10:00 a.m. gates open @ 11:00 a.m., Friday, January 30th, Saturday, January 31st and Sunday, February 1st; must be set-up by 7:00 a.m. **No exceptions on set up times.** You will be allowed one vehicle per vendor during setup times ALL VEHICLES MUST VACATE THE GROUNDS PRIOR TO THE GATES OPENING. On site sharing of spaces will not be allowed and will be subject to removal or additional fee charged. Vendors are to keep space respectably clean and clear of trash. Vendors must supply own 10x10 canopy, tables, chairs, electricity (generator), space structure and other equipment as needed. Items sold by Vendors that are determined by appropriate local authorities to be hazardous, harmful or damaging to the public or property as well as items of endangered species, sacred ceremonial status or prehistoric artifacts will immediately cease to be sold when directed by appropriate local authorities. Failure to abide with set-up times described above and these regulations may result in immediate removal, including all vehicles affiliated with the vendor space, from the Rodeo & Fair Grounds. _____ Vendor Initials

The Tohono O'odham Nation its affiliates and/or any sponsors and volunteers will not be held liable for any loss, accident, injury or theft to person or property arising directly or indirectly from participation in the Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair.

I have read and agree to and will abide by the rules and regulations and responsibility as stated above.

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Authorized Vendor signature ***Date***

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Parade Participant,

The Tohono O'odham Nation proudly presents the 77th Annual Tohono O'odham Nation's Rodeo & Fair "O'odham Wapkial Ha Tas" Parade "Celebrating Disney on O'odham Land".

Please complete the attached parade entry form to register your parade entry. Indicate who the contact person is along with his/her phone number so we may contact your group with any questions or changes.

On the day of the parade, please have one person from your group report to the registration table to pick up your group's number. This number must be carried in the parade or affixed to a parade vehicle for identification purposes.

For safety reasons, please DO NOT throw objects, such as, candies and/or incentives from the parade floats.

All parade participates are asked to:

- Be **CREATIVE** in your entry! This year's parade will include **AWARDS.**
- Be **FESTIVE** & make **NOISE**! This is a **CELEBRATION!**
- **DO NOT** throw items from moving vehicles, only walkers should distribute items.
- Pace your **GIVEAWAYS,** since there are more spectators near the end of the route; please plan accordingly.
- **BRING WATER** and drink plenty of fluids; however, please note that restroom facilities are limited to the onsite port-a-jons throughout the parade route.
- **WEAR** comfortable shoes.

At the designated parade end, all participants must proceed to the directed location. Please review this information and follow the instructions of parade volunteers and law enforcement officials, so we can keep the parade moving.

Please Join us at the Eugene P. Tashquinth Livestock Complex immediately following the parade for an awards presentation at 1:00 p.m. on the main stage (we hope each group will have a representative present). Enjoy the rest of the weekend; entertainment, games, rodeo, pow wow and a carnival!

Thank you for your interest and we appreciate your participation. Visit the Nation's website at www.tonation-nsn.gov for additional information or contact me with questions at (520)383-6165 or email Juanita.Homer@tonation-nsn.gov or Lucius.Lopez@tonation-nsn.gov. We look forward to seeing you on January 31, 2015.

Sincerely,
Parade Committee

PARADE INFORMATION

- **Registration check in will start at 5:30 am** at the entrance to **Big Field Rd. (Southwest corner of Sells Hospital)**

- Parade line up will begin at **5:30 a.m.**

- Port-a-jons will be positioned at several locations throughout the set up and starting point area.

- The Parade will begin on **January 31, 2015 PROMPTLY AT 9:00 A.M.** **(NOTE: PARADE LINE UP ROAD CLOSURE WILL BE @ 8:30 A.M.)**

Deadline for entries for judging eligibility will be **Friday, January 23, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.
**Fax-in entries will be accepted with complete narrative scripts before the deadline date.
**Entries turned in after the cutoff date will not be eligible for judge's points, but may still participate in the parade

- **If you are late, you will not be judged and will be placed at the end of the parade line.**

- Entries will be given approximately 40 feet of set-up space to prepare for the parade. This includes space to park & decorate your entry and one more assisting vehicle.

In addition to applicable laws of the Tohono O'odham Nation, the following safety rules are added to keep the parade enjoyable for all participants and spectators. **Failure to abide by the rules listed below may result in disqualification of points awarded by the judges and/or immediate removal from the parade lines.**

1. *All participants under 10 years of age must be supervised by a responsible adult designated by the child's Parent/guardian.*

2. *No one under 12 years of age will be allowed to ride alone on horseback*

3. *All entries must begin at the starting point at **Big Field Road. "Federal Route 24"***

4. *All-Terrain Vehicles (ATV) will not be allowed to participate in the Parade*

5. *All performances are to be limited to fifteen (15) seconds at each announcement table during the parade route and thirty (30) seconds at the Judges location only.*

6. *All Entries MUST stay in their assigned 'set-up' space until notified by the 'Line up' crew.*

7. *Tossing of candies or incentives from vehicles is prohibited. Walking along & passing out such items is allowed.*

8. *Candies must be bagged in clear plastic bags.*

9. *Float Entries MUST proceed to your assigned 'take down' space at the end of the parade as instructed.*

10. *All entries must end inside the **St. Mary's Catholic Church grounds, floats with trailers will continue to designated area along East Sells Main.***

11. *Parade awards presentation will be announced at **1:00 p.m. @ Eugene P. Tashquinth Livestock Complex** Main Stage.*

HAVE FUN!!!

To submit applications or ask questions, write, e-mail, call or fax to:
Attention: Daniella Parley or Marilyn Frances Johnson
Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair PARADE Committee, P.O. Box 810 Sells, Arizona 85634
E-mail address: Daniella.Parley@tonation-nsn.gov or Frances. Johnson @tonation-nsn.gov
Phone number: (520) 383-6000 or (520) 383-6124 Fax number: (520) 383-3930 or (520) 383-1082

77th Annual Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair Parade Application
"O'odham Wapkial Ha-Tas"
"Celebrating Disney on O'odham Land"
Saturday, January 31, 2015

ENTRY NAME: _____

CONTACT PERSON (or Group Leader): _____

PHONE NUMBER: Day: _____ Evening: _____ Cellular: _____

E-mail Address: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

NARRATIVE ANNOUNCER'S SCRIPT **(PLEASE WRITE LEGIBLY) in** *no more than* ***60 words****, please give a description of your Parade entry. (This narrative will be used to announce your entry and for the judges to award points.)*

Please indicate form of transportation you are entering: □ Horse □ Truck □ Wagon □ Car

□ Truck w/Trailer □ Walking □ Other: _____
Circle: "18 Wheeler"

Other □ Loud Music □ Shouting/Cheering □ Amp □ Blow horns

Please check one entry category:

□ Royalties □ Music Group/Band □ Schools (Head Start/Elem/High/Colleges, etc.)

□ Elder Center □ Tribal Programs (All Affiliations) □ District (Tohono O'odham Nation)

□ Traditional/Modern Groups □ Spiritual/Church □ Business

Liability Release

I, the undersigned, on behalf of my entry, represent that I am authorized to sign on behalf of all individuals participating with my entry and hereby release the Tohono O'odham Nation and all its affiliates including individuals, groups, committees, and agencies, from all legal actions whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death which may be sustained by me or by any property in my possession or control, while participating in this event.

_____ _____
(Group Representative's) Signature Date

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Exhibit Registration Form

The 77th Annual Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair will be held January 29-31, 2015. The exhibits are a popular part of the annual event. The purpose of the exhibits is to serve as an outlet for the talents of the individuals living on the Tohono O'odham Nation. Also, it presents an opportunity for organizations operating within the Nation to showcase their resources.

We are asking the Nation's Districts, Schools, Tribal departments and non-profit organizations to make every effort to participate. Let us unite our efforts to make this year's exhibits the best.

Fill out the entry form and send or bring it in to us as soon as possible. We are looking forward to hearing from you.

GENERAL EXHIBIT RULES

1. Space is limited and will be assigned on a first come, first served basis until filled. There are 21 spaces available in the main exhibit hall. And 8 in the auction hall.
2. Exhibits may be set up between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. beginning on Monday, January 26, 2015. Last minute adjustments can be made on Thursday Morning, January 29, 2015 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. All vehicles will need to vacate the fair grounds at 10:00 a.m.
3. Display will be the sole responsibility of the exhibitor. The Tohono O'odham Rodeo & Fair Office will not be responsible for loss or theft of any item.
4. Exhibitors will retrieve all exhibit items by the 'removal deadline' (12:00 noon on Monday, February 2, 2015)
5. Display area must be kept clean at all times.
6. Display must stay intact and operate during exhibit hours as follows:
   - Thursday, January 29, 2015 from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
   - Friday, January 30, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
   - Saturday, January 31, 2015 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
   - EXHIBITS WILL BE CLOSED ON SUNDAY FEBRUARY 1, 2015

EXHIBIT SPACE SPECIFICATIONS AND GUIDELINES

- Display booths are allotted free of charge.
- District, organizational & promotional divisions will be given booth space.
- Exhibit space shall be a minimum of 6' x 7' and a maximum of 8' x 10'. Exhibitors may utilize the wall located directly behind them, not exceeding the allotted space.
- If additional wall dividers are needed, the exhibitor will supply them, not exceeding allotted space. Dividers should not block the flow of traffic in front of the exhibit space.
- Exhibitors will insure display does not interfere with foot traffic.
- First come, first served statement here--Due to the limited number of electrical outlets and depending on availability, one will be furnished upon request by the exhibitor.
- Pre-school and school divisions will receive wall space in a separate room. (Table space is limited, so if a school requires table space, please note it on the registration form.)

TABLES AND CHAIRS ARE NOT PROVIDED BY THE RODEO AND FAIR OFFICE

PRE-SCHOOL & SCHOOL EXHIBITS

The purpose of this exhibit space is to display the talents and creativity of the youth of the Tohono O'odham Nation. It is a great opportunity for children to develop pride in their own accomplishments and for parents to actively participate. It is also a much anticipated exhibit where we all can see what our children are doing in school.

Tohono O'odham 77th Annual Rodeo & Fair
Exhibit Registration Form

Name/Organization/School: _____

Phone: _____

Email/Mailing Address:

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Brief description of exhibit:

I understand that although the Tohono O'odham Nation Rodeo & Fair, its volunteers, and sponsors will take every reasonable precaution for safeguarding the exhibits. The exhibitor assumes sole responsibility for any accident, loss, or damage that may occur. All items not claimed by the removal deadline will be discarded unless prior arrangements have been made. I further understand that we may not sell any item during the exhibit.

Person(s) Responsible for exhibit: *up to 4 passes will be issued:*

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Main Contact Name, phone# and email address:

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Date:_____

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