

HONORING INDIGENOUS NARRATIVES, EMPOWERING EDUCATORS



MASHANTUCKET
PEQUOT
MUSEUM
& RESEARCH CENTER



TWO EVENTS - ONE GREAT CAUSE

Tuesday, October 14, 2025





**HELP US REACH OUR GOAL OF
\$80,000**



Support the Pequot Neepun Teacher Institute:
A transformative professional development initiative presented by the
Mashantucket Pequot Museum and the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal
Education Department in Mashantucket, Connecticut.



Your support will provide educators across the nation with culturally responsive teaching tools, expert-guided learning experiences, and classroom-ready resources to enhance their practice.





The Pequot Neepun Teacher Institute provides a groundbreaking solution: a one-week immersive workshop where educators explore rarely told histories—taught from Indigenous perspectives.





Many schools lack accurate and inclusive curriculum about Native American histories and cultures.



The Pequot Neepun Teacher Institute reflects the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation's dedication to empowering educators and inspiring future generations to engage with Indigenous history in meaningful and transformative ways.



By funding the institute with sponsorship support,
the Mashantucket Pequot Museum and the Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation affirms
their long-standing commitment to education and cultural preservation.



YOUR SPONSORSHIP SUPPORTS:

- Immersive, expert-guided instruction by Mashantucket Pequot citizens
- Primary sources and hands-on materials aligned with national standards
- Field visits connecting history with contemporary Indigenous life
- Culturally accurate, classroom-ready lessons for educators

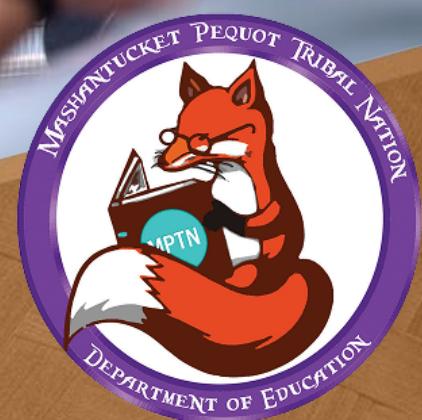


By equipping teachers with authentic resources and Indigenous-led insights, this initiative is a critical step toward reversing historic injustices and fostering representation in American classrooms.





Educators will engage with primary and secondary sources housed at the Mashantucket Pequot Museum, interact with Pequot educators, and participate in field experiences throughout Southeastern Connecticut, broadening their understanding of Pequot history and culture.



“We have an opportunity to positively impact American schools with this program. The more access our nation’s teachers have to high-quality resources from the Indigenous perspective, the better they’ll be able to guide their students through content that has historically been very poorly taught, if taught at all. The goal is to cultivate more culturally intelligent, compassionate and informed teachers, as they are the ones inspiring the next generation of American philosopher citizens.”

- Rebecca Gomez, MPTN Director of Education



"Ensuring that educators and students have the necessary information about Pequot and northeastern woodland tribal history, traditions, and culture has always been a priority for the Pequot Museum.

Knowing the false narratives that have been perpetuated, we are grateful to be able to provide an accurate understanding about who we are and where we come from."

– Joshua Carter, Pequot Museum Executive Director



Moving Forward Together:



Celebrating
Achievements



Building the Future





SPONSORSHIPS



GIFT BAG SPONSOR • \$10,000 (2 available)

- Two (2) golf foursomes
- Exclusive company logo displayed with gifts
- Company name on banner
- Gift bag for each player
- Free admission to Pequot Museum for each golfer
- Company logo on website sponsorship
- Company name display on golf balls
- Gift bag for each player
- Free admission to Pequot Museum for each golfer
- Company logo on website sponsorship page
- Discounted hotel rooms at Foxwoods



PLATINUM SPONSOR • \$7,500 (1 available)

- Two (2) golf foursomes, company name on banner
- Gift bag for each player
- Free admission to Pequot Museum for each golfer
- Company logo on website sponsorship page
- Discounted hotel rooms at Foxwoods



CART SPONSOR • \$2,500 (20 available)

- Full participation for one (1) golf foursome
- Tee package gift bag
- Company logo on golf carts
- Company logo on website sponsorship page
- Company name in program
- Discounted hotel rooms at Foxwoods
- Free admission to Pequot Museum for each golfer

PHOTO SPONSOR • \$2,500 (2 available)

- Full participation for one (1) golf foursome
- Tee package gift bag
- Company name on banner posted at dinner ceremony
- Company logo on website sponsorship page
- Company logo on photos
- Discounted hotel rooms at Foxwoods
- Free admission to Pequot Museum for each golfer





TEE SPONSOR • \$2,000 (18 available)

Full participation for one (1) golf foursome

- ▶ Company name on banner posted at dinner ceremony
- ▶ Company logo at one tee
- ▶ Company logo on website sponsorship page
- ▶ Discounted hotel rooms at Foxwoods
- ▶ Tee package gift bag
- ▶ Free admission to Pequot Museum for each golfer

INDIVIDUAL SPONSOR • \$350

- ▶ One (1) player, including one (1) gift bag
- ▶ One free admission to Pequot Museum
- ▶ Company logo on website sponsorship page
- ▶ Discounted hotel room at Foxwoods





AWARDS DINNER SPONSORSHIPS



\$25,000 PREMIER SPONSORSHIP



\$10,000 NUPEE “WATER” SPONSORSHIP



\$7,500 KEE SUK “SKY” SPONSORSHIP



\$5,000 YOOHT “FIRE” SPONSORSHIP



\$3,500 AHKEE “LAND” SPONSORSHIP





PREMIER SPONSORSHIP BENEFITS

- Name recognition in program
- Logo and name recognition on formal invitations to the fundraiser and awards dinner
- Logo and name recognition on internal Museum entryway signage
- Logo and name recognition on the Museum website
- Logo and name recognition on our e-newsletter
- Logo and name recognition on all program announcements
- Logo and name recognition on Signature Museum events
- Logo and name recognition on all Visiting Lecturer announcements
- Two (2) reserved tables of ten (10) with premium seating



\$25,000



\$10,000 NUPEE “WATER” SPONSORSHIP



- ▶ Highest priority recognition in all marketing, including advertisements and event website
- ▶ Two (2) reserved tables of ten (10) with premium seating
- ▶ Company banner displayed at the event
- ▶ Premium full-page program ad (4.75" W x 7.75" H)



\$7,500 KESUK “SKY” SPONSORSHIP

- ▶ Priority recognition in marketing, including logo with link on event website
- ▶ One (1) reserved table of ten (10) with premium seating
- ▶ Company logo displayed at the event
- ▶ Full-page program ad (4.75" W x 7.75" H)



\$5,000 YOOHT “FIRE” SPONSORSHIP



- ▶ Recognition in marketing materials
- ▶ One (1) reserved table of ten (10)
- ▶ Company logo displayed at the event
- ▶ Half-page program ad (4.75" W x 3.875"H)

\$3,500 AHKEE “LAND” SPONSORSHIP



- ▶ Recognition at the event
- ▶ One (1) reserved table of ten (10)
- ▶ Company logo displayed at event
- ▶ Quarter-page program ad (2.375" W x 3.875"H)



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“OUR MOONS”

TABLE SPONSORSHIPS

\$1,000

Maple Moon
Fishing Moon
Corn Planting Moon
Strawberry Moon
Blueberry Moon
Green Corn Moon
Harvest Moon
Cranberry Moon
Falling Leaves Moon
Hunting Moon
Gift Giving Moon
Wolf Moon
Bear/Snow Moon





AWARDS DINNER

Mashantucket Pequot Museum

Date: October 14, 2025

Time: 6pm-9pm



6:00PM

Registration & Cocktail Hour

6:45PM

Opening remarks by Executive Director

7PM-8PM

Dinner

8PM-9PM

Neepun Teacher's Institute Highlights
Three Sister's Community Awards

9PM

Closing remarks

AWARDS



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ABOUT THE THREE SISTER'S COMMUNITY AWARD

Inspired by our Three Sisters Community, where corn, beans and squash flourish through interdependence, we honor the teachings of supporting one another in growth.

The Three Sisters Community Awards is intended to recognize and highlight individuals from the Pequot community and Museum partners for their selfless commitment for the betterment of not just our community but for Eastern Woodland peoples and sister nations across Turtle Island.



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