
Miss Navajo Council, Incorporated

Meeting Agenda

June 16, 2007

Type of Meeting: Quarterly Meeting
Meeting Facilitator: Sunny Dooley
Invitees: All Former Miss Navajo Nations
Location: Navajo Arts and Crafts
Time: 9 AM
Location: Quality Inn Restaurant
Time: 10 AM

- I. Call to order**
- II. Opening Prayer**
- III. Roll call**
- IV. Approval of minutes from last meeting**
- V. Open issues**
 - i. Navajo Arts and Crafts – MNCI jewelry pendant** MNCI will meet with Sue Foster of Navajo Arts and Crafts and artist to design and draft MNCI pendant and logo. Meeting will be held at Navajo Arts and Crafts Conference Room.

-----Short Break. MNCI moves to Quality Inn Restaurant-----
 - ii. Miss Navajo Nation Standards.** The Miss Navajo Nation standards that were presented to the Office of Miss Navajo Nation will not be considered until Miss Navajo Nation Pageant 2008. The current standards were already presented before the Department of Justice.
 - iii. Miss Navajo Nation Pageant 2007.** The Miss Navajo Nation Pageant is September 4-9, 2007. The Application deadline is June 30, 2007 and the application fee is \$250. The Late Application deadline is July 7, 2007 and the late application fee is \$300. Office of Miss Navajo Nation is hosting a Family/Contestant Orientation at the Navajo Nation Museum on July 7, 2007. Miss Navajo Nation Jocelyn Billy is requesting former Miss Navajo Nations to be presenters at this orientation. The Office of Miss Navajo Nation is also requesting a Miss Navajo Council Workshop for the contestants on Friday, September 7, 2007 at the Gallup Chamber of Commerce.
 - iv. Miss Navajo Pageant Queen's Panel.** The Queen's Panel is on September 4, 2007 in the morning at the Navajo Nation Museum (not at Kerrigan Estates). The following Former Miss Navajos have been selected but MNCI needs to confirm with them. Three more alternates needs to be identified.

Miss Navajo Nation Pageant 2007 Queen's Panel:

1. Miss Navajo Nation 1971-72 Genevieve Salt
 2. Miss Navajo Nation 1981-82 Dolly Manson
 3. Miss Navajo Nation 1991-92 Sharon Murray
 4. Miss Navajo Nation 2001-02 Jolyana Begay-Bitsuie.
- v. **Navajo Nation 2007 Fair Parade.** Office of Miss Navajo Nation is requesting MNCI to participate in the NN Fair Parade with Miss Navajo Nation contestants either to walk with contestants or to ride in a float.
- vi. **Miss Navajo Nation Youth Conference.** Miss Navajo Nation Jocelyn Billy is hosting a Youth Conference at Dine College on July 28, 2007. She is requesting former Miss Navajos to volunteer to provide presentations regarding "Traditional Women Leadership" for the P.M. session.
- vii. **Want to be Miss Navajo Workshop? July 28, 2007.** MNCI plans to hold a free workshop for ladies interested in running for Miss Navajo Nation one day. The workshop will be held in Window Rock, AZ on July 28, 2007 from 9-3. The identified workshops are:
- i. Etiquette – Sarah Luther
 - ii. Navajo Crafts – Geraldine Gamble
 - iii. Drug and Alcohol Prevention – Sandra Erachio
 - iv. Differences between talent and skill – Sunny Dooley
 - v. Goal Setting – Karletta Chief
 - vi. Navajo Entertainment – Jannalee Atcitty
 - vii. Navajo Language & Writing – Jennifer Jackson Wheeler and/or Jolyana Bitsuie
 - viii. Navajo History & Government – PERSON TO BE IDENTIFIED

VI. New business

- i. **Office of Miss Navajo Nation, Director Job Opening.** The Director of OMNN is open and requires a bachelors degree. Miss Navajo Nation Jocelyn Billy would like to have a former Miss Navajo Nation apply to the position.
- ii. **Nominations of MNCI Board Members**
- iii. **MNCI Second Quarterly Meeting.** The next regularly scheduled meeting of MNCI will be held September 15, 2007 at 9 A.M. in Window Rock, AZ.

VII. Closing Prayer

VIII. Adjournment