

FIRST CLASS:

September 7, 2021
5pm-6pm

(Virtual classes
via
LIFESIZE
video
teleconference)

Classes every
Tuesday
except
Thanksgiving
Week

ANISHINABE PERFORMANCE CIRCLE

ADULTS & YOUTH



Sign-up/more info
contact:
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Congratulations 2021 Spring APC Graduates!
Their Graduation Performance took
place at Ziibiwing's 2021 NativeFest!

\$30 fee:

- 12-week Certification Program
- Professional Dance Instruction
- Cultural Teaching
- Anishinabe Language
- Graduation Awards

Ceremony & Performance



ZIIBIWING CENTER
of Anishinabe Culture & Lifeways

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Dear Community Members:

Welcome to the virtual Anishinabe Performance Circle via Lifesize hosted by Ziibiwing staff.

The registration packet must be filled out completely and the registration fee paid to hold a spot in the Anishinabe Performance Circle Class. The registration form will enable us to better meet your needs. The \$30.00 registration fee will help cover costs and expenses.

The mission of the Anishinabe Performance Circle is aimed at promoting and enhancing positive self images through the use of traditional Anishinabe arts (storytelling, dance, music, and language), and enhancing our traditions in today's multicultural community.

We are hosting the Anishinabe Performance Circle to promote the arts and culture of the Anishinabek. The Anishinabe Performance Circle will foster a greater understanding of our rich cultural heritage through educational cultural presentations. This increased exposure and access to the rich heritage of the Anishinabe people will help bridge ethnic and cultural relationships plus build strong community partnerships.

Attendance Requirements:

Participants are required at every session to assure the transference of cultural knowledge and the acquisition of cultural skills. All participants must attend the Awards/Graduation Ceremony Performance if it is determined we will have one.

Awards/Graduation Ceremony Performance:

Determination of how/whether an Awards/Graduation Ceremony Performance will take place will be determined at a later date.

Dress/Uniform:

It is a participant's/parent's responsibility to be prepared for class with all proper equipment and materials as soon as class begins. We are on a schedule and we would like to stick to it as best we can. We will be up and moving to the drum beat. Please wear comfortable shoes to dance in (tennis shoes or moccasins) and jogging suit or clothing that will allow free movement during dance class. Long hair should be tied back to keep it off the face.

Certificate of Completion:

Active participation is necessary in order to earn the Certificate of Completion and acquire the skills needed to become a cultural representative for the Ziibiwing Center. Those who earn their Certificate of Completion will be put on the Ziibiwing phone roster to call when performers are needed for paid bookings. Those who receive this certificate must have attended twelve sessions.

Sewing/Beading Class: Determination of whether or not a virtual sewing/beading class will be held will be made at a later date.

For questions please contact Raymond Cadotte
at Ziibiwing by phone at 989.775.4757 or 989.775.4750
or by email at rcadotte@sagchip.org

Session Dates: Combined Youth, Teen and Adult Performance Circle Class

>Youth Ages 3-12 years of age, experienced and inexperienced dancers are welcome!

>>Ages 6 & under must be accompanied by the parent for the entire 14-week session.

>Teens ages 13 & up and Adults - with or without dance experience are welcome!

Classes are held virtually via Lifesize Video Teleconference, every Tuesday from 5pm to 6 pm unless stated below in the schedule.

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Sept. 7, 2021	Sign-up/Overview (assess students' needs/wants for instruction and regalia)
Sept. 14, 2021	Dances, Music, Pow Wow Etiquette
Sept. 21, 2021	Dances, Music, Pow Wow Etiquette (cont'd)
Sept. 28, 2021	Choosing a Dance Style/Song Recognition
Oct. 5, 2021	Choosing a Dance Style/Song Recognition (cont'd)
Oct. 12, 2021	Regalia Care & Respect (children), Braiding Hair
Oct. 19, 2021	Specialty Dances
Oct. 26, 2021	Specialty Dances
Nov. 2, 2021	Specialty Dances
Nov. 9, 2021	Dances, Music, Pow Wow Etiquette
Nov. 16, 2021	Dances, Music, Pow Wow Etiquette
Nov. 23, 2021	THANKSGIVING BREAK – NO CLASS
Nov. 30, 2021	Performance Practice for final performance
Dec. 7, 2021	Performance Practice for final graduation performance/Dress Rehearsal
TBD	Graduation Ceremony – DATE AND TIME TO BE DETERMINED LATER



Anishinabe Performance Circle Registration Form (please print)

Student: _____

IF Youth/Teenager: Age: _____ Grade in School: _____

Parent, or Guardian's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone:(____) _____ Cell:(____) _____

In case of emergency call:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Cell: _____

Do not write in this space.

Fee \$30.00

Payments can be mailed or

Paid via phone/credit card

6650 E. Broadway

Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

Reg. pd _____

Check # _____

Make checks payable to

Ziibiwing Center

Credit card approval

Total paid: _____

List Dance Training:

Studied: (circle) ballet, Pointe, jazz, tap, hip hop, other: _____

Where: _____ Number of years: _____

List any physical limitations _____

Injuries: _____

How did you hear about us? (please check)

Website __ Friend __ Email __ Flyer/Handout __ Newspaper __ Other: _____

Cultural Experience:

Dance: _____ Style: _____ How many Years: _____ Has Regalia: _____ Yes or No

Would like to learn to make regalia? (Be specific) _____

I would like to learn more about:

Storytelling: _____ Drumming: _____ Singing: _____

I understand that I am responsible for transporting my child(ren) plus picking them up by 6:30pm if the class changes from virtual to on-site. I understand to achieve the highest level of learning, I must commit to attending ALL dance classes. I understand that I am responsible to attend ALL sessions with my child(ren) that is/are under 6 years of age.

Parent/ Guardian or Adult's Signature _____ Date _____

Class space is limited. Therefore no refunds or credits can be given for missed or dropped classes. Registration fee, deposits, or tuition will not be refunded. Person signing this form is responsible for payment. Please enclose with registration form.

Tuition enclosed: \$ _____ Check # _____

May pay by credit card by calling the Ziibiwing Gift Shop at 989.775.4747.

Visa/MasterCard # _____ Exp. Date: _____

Registration Fee is \$30.00 per student for the 12-week session.

Notice & Waiver: The undersigned hereby waives any claim for injury or damages as a result of any personal injury, bodily injury, or property damage at the Ziibiwing Center or approved sites while participating in the Anishinabe Performance Circle classes, auditions, and/or presentations. The Ziibiwing Center, its staff members, and volunteers assume no responsibility for personal property that is lost, stolen, or missing while participating in any Anishinabe Performance Circle classes, auditions, or presentations.

X _____ X _____
Date Today Signature

Photo/Video Release (If any of class/event takes place onsite) ADULT'S FORM

I, _____, do hereby give the Ziibiwing Center, its employees and all persons acting under their permission or authority the irrevocable right to use my name, picture, portrait, or photograph in all form and in all media and in all manners, without any restriction as to changes or alterations) including but not limited to composite or distorted representations or derivative works made in any medium) for advertising, publications, promotion, or other lawful purposes. I waive any rights to inspect or approve the photograph(s) or video(s) or finished version(s) incorporating the photograph(s) or video(s), including written copy that may be created and appear in connection therewith.

I hereby release and agree to hold harmless the Ziibiwing Center, its employees and all persons acting under their permission or authority from any liability by virtue of blurring, distortion, optical illusion, alteration, or use in composite form, whether intentional or otherwise, that may occur or be produced in taking of photographs, and videos, or in the processing.

I agree that the photographer own the copyright in these photographs and hereby waive any claims I may have based on usage of the photographs, videos, or work derived there from, including but not limited to claims of either invasion of privacy or libel. I am of full age and competent to sign this release. I agree that this release shall be binding on legal representatives, my heirs, assigns, and me. I have read this release and am familiar with its contents.

I further agree that I will not receive payment for my participation in said photograph(s) and/or videotape(s) produced by the Ziibiwing Center and its agents. I understand that any and all revenue that may be generated by the distribution and subsequent sale of said photographs(s) and/or videotape(s) will specifically be used for the sole support of outreach, educational program, and performance expenses of the Ziibiwing Center, a non-profit tax-exempt organization.

Parent/Guardian

Date

Photo/Video Release (If any of class/event takes place onsite) YOUTH'S FORM

I, _____, (legal parent or guardian of _____), do hereby give the Ziibiwing Center, its employees and all persons acting under their permission or authority the irrevocable right to use my child's name, picture, portrait, or photograph in all form and in all media and in all manners, without any restriction as to changes or alterations) including but not limited to composite or distorted representations or derivative works made in any medium) for advertising, publications, promotion, or other lawful purposes. I waive any rights to inspect or approve the photograph(s) or video(s) or finished version(s) incorporating the photograph(s) or video(s), including written copy that may be created and appear in connection therewith.

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Parent/Guardian

Date