



Pawnee Nation Princess Committee
Quarterly Report to the Pawnee Business Council
2nd Quarter
April-June 2023

I. COMMITTEE SUMMARY:

The Pawnee Nation Princess Committee serves to help a selected young woman to represent not only the Pawnee Nation, but also her community and family with as much support as possible.

The Pawnee Nation Princess Committee consisted of the following women: Cynthia Butler - Chairwoman; Tiffany Frieze-Nichols - Vice-Chair; Lisa Gooday - Secretary; Reva Howell - Treasurer; Beverly Harjo - Member; and Vicky Leading Fox - Member, and Jamie Nelson - Member.

Miss Karen Rice was selected as the 2023-2024 Pawnee Nation Princess.

II. QUARTERLY GOALS AND OBJECTIVE:

a. Description on Activities Conducted

- i. The Committee met on May 17, June 7, and June 19.
- ii. Pawnee Nation Princess Committee Dance & Coronation - April 23
- iii. Reviewed and approved the PN Expo Director SOP.
- iv. PN Princess, Karen Rice participated in the following events this quarter:
 - a) Graduated from Edmond High School
 - b) Celebration of Life Powwow for K.D. Edwards in New Mexico
 - c) SAIGE Fashion Show
 - d) Miami Powwow

b. New Objective for Next Quarter

- i. Pawnee Indian Veterans Homecoming Powwow & related activities
- ii. Arikara Celebration-Whiteshield, ND
- iii. Planning for American Indian Exposition (AIE)
- iv. Princess Empowerment Scholarship announcement

c. Future Meeting and Establish New Relationships

- i. Pawnee Nation Expo Director continue to attend the AIE Meetings.



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III. TRAVEL AND TRAINING:

- a. Travel-N/A
- b. Training-N/A

IV. FINANCIAL REPORTING:

Our financial status is reflected in special reports prepared by Pawnee Nation

Finance Department. A carryover budget modification was approved.
Fundraisers:

- 1) Expo Director set up a concession stand at the Princess Dance & Coronation.
- 2) Princess Committee did a T-shirt sale.