# NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH





## CELEBRATE NATIVE AMERICAN HISTORY MONTH WITH US



MONDAY 11.04.24

### Native American Heritage Month Kick-off Celebration

11 a.m. to 1 p.m. St. Cajetan's

Meet the Native American Women Warriors, a nonprofit organization that assists our active and retired Native American servicewomen. The virtual organization includes members who are stationed or located all over the world who bring in the Tribal flags of the Arapaho, Cheyenne, and Ute Tribes. Come watch the Indigenous Corporation 5280 Dancers and enjoy learning about the Indigenous communities of Colorado. This event also recognizes Veteran's Day on Nov. 11. Panelists from NAWW will discuss the importance of servicewomen. Lunch will be catered by Diné owned Little Sizzle Food Truck.

11.11.24 to 11.15.24

#### **Rezilience Week**

Rezilience Week is aimed at celebrating and honoring Native and Indigenous cultures. We encourage students to participate by dressing in accordance to the theme of each day.

#### **Monday**

Wear red for Veterans Day.

Tuesday: Indigenous Scholar Day Wear ribbon skirt or shirt.

Wednesday: Bougie Bling Day Wear native jewelry.

Thursday: Braids on Blast Wear your braids.

Friday: Roc your Mocs Wear your moccasins.

TUESDAY **11.19.24** 

## The Story of Real Thanksgiving with Donna Chrisjohn

11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Student Commons, Room 2018 and Zoom



Donna Chrisjohn was born in Denver and is Sicangu and Diné/Indigenous.

She will share historical information about the first Thanksgiving.

She serves as co-chair of the Denver American Indian Commission and is a legal professional.

Lunch will be provided. Co-Sponsored by Native American Student Organization.

THURSDAY 11.21.24

## Sand Creek Massacre and Amache Histories with Greg Spotted Bird

12:30 to 1:45 p.m.

Student Commons, Room 1401 and Zoom



Greg Spotted Bird Lamebull of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma will share the painful story of the Sand Creek Massacre. The U.S. Army led an attack on non-combatants in 1864 who were camped along the Big Sandy Creek in southeastern Colorado. The attack left more than 100 women, children, and elderly members of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Indians dead along the creek and has been a bitter reminder of the history between Native Americans and the U.S. government. Lunch will be provided. Co-Sponsored by Asian American Student Services and Native American Student Organization.