



WESTERN RESERVE Y-INDIAN PRINCESSES

Cuyahoga Valley LONGHOUSE

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November
2009

UPCOMING EVENTS & DEADLINES

Date	Event
12/7/2009	Longhouse Meeting
12/12/2009	Ice Skating
1/4/2010	Longhouse Meeting
1/15/2010	Winter Camp
2/2/2010	Longhouse Meeting

This Month's Highlights :

- ♦ Ice Skating at the Kent State Ice Rink on Saturday, 12/12/09 from 4:45 to 6:15 PM. Family event. No Pre-registration. Pay at door. See attached flier for more information.
- ♦ It's not too early to make room reservations for Kalahari Friday, 02/05/09 to 02/06/09. Call Kalahari at 419-433-3455.
- ♦ Contact friends & associates now for sponsorships & prize donations for the 2nd Annual IP Golf Outing at Roses Run on 06/11/09. See Golf Outing 2010 Registration Form.
- ♦ If you have a story or picture about your tribe that you would like to share, please e-mail me at kenmonsman@yahoo.com



Y- Indian Princess Emblem

The national emblem uses red, gold, and blue to represent the warm, friendly, loyal parent-child relationship of the "Y-Indian Princess" program. The crossed arrows of friendship and the two red hearts of love and understanding are symbols emphasizing the "Friends Always" slogan along the border. The central figures, hand in hand, depict meaningfully the focus of the program - to foster the companionship of fathers and daughters. The YMCA emblem identifies basic orientation and membership in the YMCA.

The Longtalk



Calendar of Events

September	Camp Fitch	September 18th to 20th
October	Hayride/ Induction	October 18th
November	Laser Quest (Delaware)	November 15th
December	Ice Skating (Miami)	December 12th
January	Winter Camp (Apache)	January 15th
February	Kalahari (Shasta)	February 5th to 6th
February	Y Sleep In (Cherokee)	February 27th
March	Banquet (Seneca)	March 12th
April	Spring Camp (Apache)	April 16th to 18th
May	Fun-N-Stuff (Hopewell)	To be determined
May	Memorial Day Parade	May 31st
June	Golf Outing	June 11th
July	4th of July Parade	July 4th

Ice Skating Event



Kent State University Ice Arena

Loop road, Kent Ohio
(330) 672-2415
www.kent.edu/icearena/

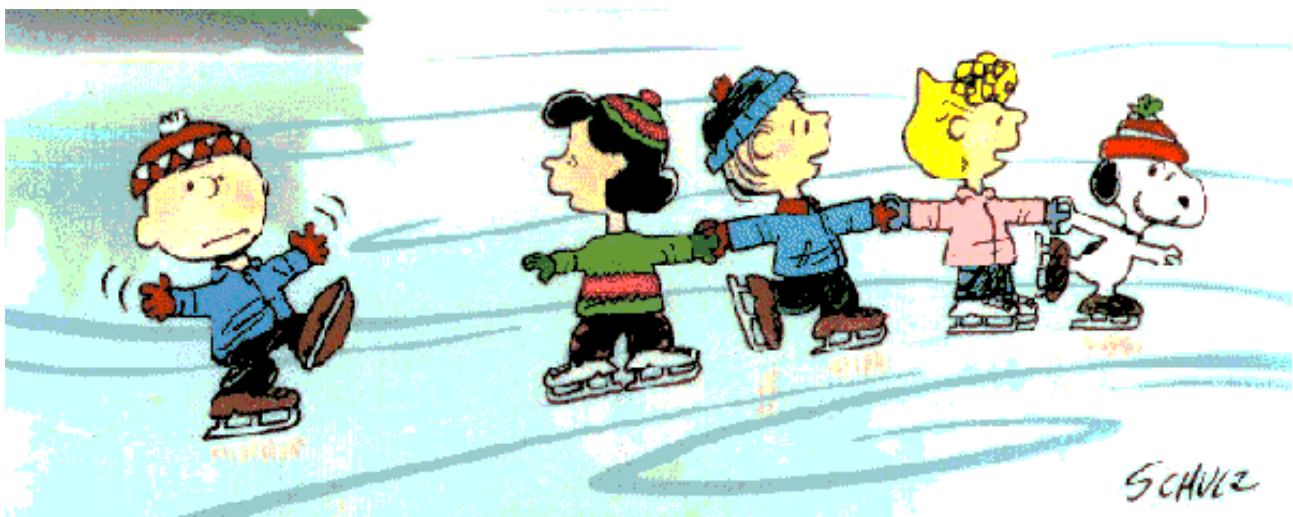
Please call or check the website for directions

Cost: \$5.00 each
Skate Rental: \$2.50 (bring extra socks in case they run out of your size)

When: Saturday December 12th, 4:45 pm to 6:15 pm

Patch will be provided

**This event is open to all friends and family members.
Please pay at the door with check or exact change.**



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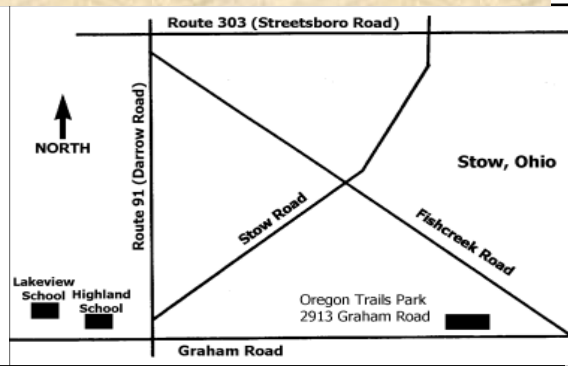
The headband features red and yellow embroidery on blue wool felt. It displays significant symbols of Y-Indian Princess principles and purpose. The central theme is the sign of the Great Spirit with the crossed arrows of friendship and the circled heart of love on either side. Father and daughter are symbolized next to the grouped tepees which indicate happy work in the community, and the single tepee which denotes happy work in the home. The trees, water, and grass exhort the wearer to seek and preserve the Great Spirit's beauty in forest, field and stream.

The total meaning may be summed up this: "Father and daughter, through friendly service to each other, to the family, to the tribe and the community, seek a world pleasing to the eye of the Great Spirit".

**Next Longhouse Meeting Set for Monday,
 December 7th, 7:30 p.m., at Oregon Trails Park.**

Send a representative from your tribe.

Officer Meeting is at 7:00 p.m.



November 2009 Longhouse Meeting Attendance

X Apache	X Hopewell	Penacook
X Blackfoot	Kickapoo	Seneca
Cherokee	X Lakota	X Shasta
X Chickasaw	X Miami	X Shawnee
X Dakota	Mohican	
X Delaware	X Ojibwa	X YMCA Rep

YMCA Indian Princess Leadership 2009 - 2010 Season

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