

The Gathering December 2025

Sovereign Nation of the Chiricahua Apache ~ SNOCA

Chiricahua Apache National Order, Mission & Alliance ~ CANOMA 501 (c3) Public Charity 170b

New Year Ceremony

Spiritual Leader

Bobby Cruz

SNOCA ~ CAN Tribal Council

Tribal Chair:

Robert Chokonen Van Fleet

Tribal Vice Chair:

Darrell Chavez (interim)

Tribal Council:

Susie Durham

Diane Summer Rain Naranjo

Al Rivera

Sharen Atkins

Darrell Chavez

Cruz Bustillos, Sr.

An open ceremony for the new year will be held for those requesting to participate in the traditional Nde' (Apache) sweat lodge ceremony on **January 3rd, 2026**.

For more information or to participate, email canomanonprofit@aol.com or chiricahuainfo@gmail.com by **December 27th**.

Lodging is available Friday or Saturday night and feast provided.

Naa' na'a t'ash

DONATIONS

Thank you to all who have graciously donated to CANOMA and SNOCA.

CANOMA (Chiricahua Apache National Order, Mission & Alliance) is affiliated with SNOCA (Sovereign Nation of the Chiricahua Apache).

Donations made to CANOMA are tax-exempt, however, donations made to SNOCA will not be processed as tax-exempt.

Support Native American traditional practices by donating split firewood and/or canvas military tarp through our Religious Nonprofit CANOMA, to be used solely for traditional Nde cultural purposes in Monticello, New Mexico. Please email canomanonprofit@aol.com or message us. Tax deduction donation letter provided.

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Next Open Council Meeting
January 21, 2026 ~ 6:30pm MST

Meeting link posted on

www.sovereignnationofthechiricahuaapache.com

Citizen participation welcome: questions, comments, concerns

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