

**Destination
Indigenous Nations
Building
Understanding and
Healing**

**SCHEDULE OF
EVENTS
OCTOBER, 2023
All Events are Free**

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**Native Arts
& Artifacts Exhibit**
Opens Sat, 10/14 3-7 pm
Prairie Ronde Gallery
101 E Prairie, Vicksburg

Collection of paintings and Native American Handicrafts by American Native Dr Pamela Lyles
Runs thru 10/28
Tue-Fri, 7am - 6 pm
Sat, 8 am - 2pm

**Anishinaabe
Sharpshooters**
Sun, 10/15 2 - 3:00 pm
Community Center
101 S Main, Vicksburg

Discover the lost history of Company K and the Civil War story of Michigan's Anishinaabe Sharpshooters with author and historian, Chris Czopek.

**First Nations
Market**
Sat, 10/21 11 am - 3 pm
Community Pavilion
300 N Richardson, Vicksburg

Tribal member artists & artisans from Tribes around the region will offer goods for sale. A Native food vendor will also be available.

**Grandmother's Stories
& Native Crafts**
Sat, 10/21 11:45 - 1:45 pm
Prairie Ronde Gallery
101 E Prairie, Vicksburg

Dr. Lyles shares stories her great-great grandmother told her about the Trail of Tears. Make and take home a traditional pouch and a talking stick.

----> Family Friendly <----

THE FOLLOWING FOUR EVENTS ARE OFFERED BY THE NOTTAWASEPPI HURON BAND OF THE POTAWATOMI AND THE POTAWATOMI NATION



**NOTTAWASEPPI HURON
BAND OF THE POTAWATOMI**
A FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED TRIBAL GOVERNMENT

Panel Discussion
Sat, 10/21 10 - 11 am
Vicksburg District Library
215 S Michigan, Vicksburg

Meet a panel of Tribal leaders as they discuss past and present challenges for their communities and share their creative approaches to bridging tradition and modernity.

Food Sovereignty
Sat, 10/21 11:30 - 12:30
Community Center
101 S Main St, Vicksburg

Learn about Native American natural food sources and how food sovereignty was taken away by colonialism and genocide. What are tribal members doing today to fight for their rights to forage and sustain themselves on the land?

Youth Painting Project
Sat, 10/21 2 - 3:30 pm
Community Center
101 S Main St, Vicksburg

Youth ages 6-18 learn about values of the NHPB culture, especially the sacred value of family. Learn how to paint trees and roots and a family values tree to take home.

Reserve at
<https://tinyurl.com/39fxx7jf>

Pow Wow Exhibition
Sat, 10/21 4:15 - 5:45 pm
Community Pavilion
300 N Richardson, Vicksburg

Viewers will learn about the Potawatomi culture through traditional dances, drumming and songs. Attendees can join a reception for casual questions and answers with Tribal members afterwards.



Teen Book Clubs
Wed, Oct 11 2:45 - 3:45 pm
Fri, Oct 13 1 - 2 pm
Wed, Oct 25 2:45 - 3:45 pm

Adult Book Clubs
Thu, Oct 5 9:30 - 10:30 am
Mon, Oct 9 5:30 - 6 pm

Vicksburg District Library
215 S Michigan, Vicksburg



Angeline Boulley Live
Mon, 10/23 6 pm
Performing Arts Center
501 E Highway, Vicksburg

Best-selling author of *Firekeeper's Daughter* and *Warrior Girl Unearthed*.
Reserve at
<https://tinyurl.com/ABauthorvisit>

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