

Schedule of Pueblo Feast Days and Tribal Celebrations

Please contact the respective Tribe, Nation, or Pueblo directly (see below) to inquire about times and dates before you make your visit. Sometimes dates shift so it is always a good idea to confirm. Remember to observe the etiquette and protocols of each tribe, and please remember, more often than not, photography is not allowed, unless a permit is available. *Enjoy your visit!*

January

1st

New Year's Day. Appointed and Elected Pueblo Officials announced -- transfer of Lincoln Canes to New Pueblo Tribal Officials.

Turtle Dance, Taos Pueblo.

6th

King's Day Celebration Honoring New Pueblo Tribal Officials: Most Pueblos open to public with various dances, including Buffalo, Deer, Eagle and Elk to honor incoming tribal officials.

22nd

San Ildefonso Pueblo: Vespers with Firelight Dances and Procession, 6pm.

23rd

St. Ildefonso Feast Day: San Ildefonso Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Buffalo, Comanche, and Deer Dances.

25th

St. Paul Feast Day: Picuris Pueblo, Ohkay Owingeh, Picuris Pueblo. Various Dances.

February

2nd

Candelaria Day Celebration: Dances at Picuris Pueblo and San Felipe Pueblo.

1st or 2nd Weekend

Governor's Feast: Old Acoma Pueblo, Various Dances.

Mid-February (Sunday)

Ohkay Owingeh: Deer Dances.

March

Quiet time for many Pueblos. Taos Pueblo's annual closure is in March.

19th

St. Joseph's Feast Day: Laguna Pueblo (Old Laguna), Harvest Dance and Various Dances.

April

Easter Weekend

Various Dances at most Pueblos. Call to inquire (see below).

Last weekend in April

Gathering of Nations Intertribal Pow-Wow: Albuquerque. (April 26 – 28, 2018)

May

1st

St. Phillip Feast Day: San Felipe Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Corn Dance.

Santa Maria Feast Day: Acoma Pueblo, Feast Day.

3rd

Santa Cruz Feast Day: Taos Pueblo and Cochiti Pueblo, Blessing of the Fields & Corn Dance.

Memorial Day Weekend

Jemez Pueblo, Annual Jemez Red Rocks Arts and Crafts Show and Memorial Day Veterans Dance.

June

1st Saturday of the month.

Tesuque Pueblo Blessing of the Fields, Corn Dance.

13th

St. Anthony Feast Day: Sandia Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Dances at various Pueblos.

Father's Day Weekend: Picuris Pueblo High Country Arts & Crafts Fair

24th

St. John the Baptist Feast Day: Ohkay Owingeh Annual Feast Day. Dances at various Pueblos.

29th

San Pedro/St. Paul Feast Day: Santa Ana and Santo Domingo Pueblos, Corn Dance.

July

1st _ 4th

Navajo Nation Annual Fourth of July Celebration: Window Rock, AZ

1st - 3rd

Mescalero Apache Maidens Puberty Rites and Mountain Spirits Dance.

4th

Celebration at the Waterfall: Nambe Pueblo dances.

2nd Weekend

Annual Taos Pueblo Intertribal Pow-Wow: www.taospueblopowwow.com

2nd or 3rd Weekend

Jicarilla Apache Little Beaver Round-up and Rodeo: with dances in Dulce.

14th

St. Bonaventure Feast Day: Cochiti Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Corn Dance.

25th

Santiago Feast Day: Taos and San Ildefonso Pueblos, Corn Dance.

26th

St. Anne Feast Day: Santa Ana Pueblo Anual Feast Day. Dances various Pueblos.

August

2nd

Nuestra Senora de Los Angelas Feast Day de Los Persingula Feast Day: Jemez Pueblo.

4th

St. Dominic Feast Day: Santo Domingo Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Corn Dances.

9th

Picuris Pueblo: San Lorenzo Mass & Sunset Vespers and Dances.

10th

Anniversary of Pueblo Revolt of 1680 -- Pueblo Revolt Day

San Lorenzo Feast Day at Acomomita Village

Picuris Pueblo Annual Feast Day: Ceremonial Foot Race, Pole Climb & Traditional Dances.

12th

Santa Clara Feast Day: Santa Clara Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Buffalo, Harvest or Corn Dance.

15th

The Assumption of Our Blessed Mother Feast Day

Zia Pueblo: San Antonio Annual Feast Day, Corn Dances Laguna Pueblo: Harvest & Other Dances, Mesita Village

2nd Week of August

Annual Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial: Red Rock State Park, Gallup. www.interbribalindianceremonial.com

3rd Week of August

SWAIA Santa Fe Indian Market (August 18-19, 2018): Santa Fe. www.swaia.org

The Zuni Show: Santa Fe. www.thekeshifoundation.org

3rd or Last Week of August

Zuni Pueblo Tribal Fair: Zuni Pueblo. www.ashiwi.org

28th

St. Augustine Feast Day: Isleta Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Morning Mass, Procession, Various Dances.

September

Labor Day Weekend

Santo Domingo Pueblo Annual Arts & Crafts Market.

2nd

San Estevan Feast Day: Acoma Pueblo Sky City Annual Feast Day. Harvest Dance.

4th

St. Augustine Feast Day: Isleta Pueblo, Harvest Dance.

1st Weekend in September

Navajo Nation Fair and Indian Rodeo: Window Rock, AZ. www.discovernavajo.com

8th

Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Feast Day

Laguna Pueblo: Village of Encinal, Harvest and Social Dances.

San Ildefonso Pueblo: Corn Dance.

15th

The Jicarilla Apache Go-Jii-Ya Feast: Celebrated on September 14 & 15 every year at Stone Lake, 18 miles south of Dulce.

6th - 16th

New Mexico State Fair Indian Village: Wide variety of dances, activities, food, arts & crafts, entertainment, and more. Albuquerque, NM

19th

St. Joseph's Feast Day: Laguna Pueblo, Annual Feast Day. Buffalo, Eagle & Social Dances at Old Laguna.

25th

St. Elizabeth Feast Day: Laguna Pueblo, Village of Paguate. Harvest & Social Dances.

29th

San Geronimo Eve: Taos Pueblo, Vespers & Sundown Dance.

30th

San Geronimo Feast Day: Taos Pueblo, Annual Feast Day. Art Fair, Ceremonial Foot Races and Pole Climb.

October

4th

St. Francis of Assisi Feast Day: Nambe Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Buffalo, Elk, and Deer Dances.

1st Weekend in October

Northern Navajo Nation Fair and Rodeo: Shiprock, NM. www.discovernavajo.com

17th

St. Margaret Mary's Feast Day: Laguna Pueblo, Village of Paraje. Harvest & Social Dances.

November

12th

San Diego Feast Day: Tesuque Pueblo and Jemez Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Various Dances.

Thanksgiving

Zuni Pueblo, Christmas Light Parade.

Thanksgiving Weekend

Sky City Annual Indian Arts & Crafts Show & Auction at Acoma Pueblo.

December

1st Weekend

Walatowa Winter Arts & Craft Show, Jemez Pueblo

11th

Pojoaque Pueblo: Vespers, Procession & Dances, 6 pm. Call ahead to confirm.

12th

Our Lady of Guadalupe Feast Day: Pojoaque Pueblo Annual Feast Day. Mass at 10 am, Dances.

Jemez Pueblo: Matachines Dances.

24th

Christmas Eve Celebrations: A variety of dances at most Pueblos, as well as midnight mass and bonfires.

Bonfire Celebration: Taos Pueblo.

24th - 25th

Matachines Dance: Native Spanish honoring Dance, Ohkay Owingeh.

25th - 29th

Christmas Day through New Year's: Dances at many Pueblos. Call individual Pueblos for more information

25th - 27th

Laguna Pueblo: Old Laguna Village, Harvest Dance.

26th

Ohkay Owingeh: Turtle Dance.

Santo Domingo Pueblo: Corn Dance.

28th

Holy Innocents Day: Picuris Pueblo, Children's Dances.

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