



## Prepare for the 2013 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual THRIVE Conference

\*If participant forms & registration are not completed and turned in to the NPAIHB by June 17, workshop placement will be determined by THRIVE staff.



**Conference Dates & Location: 8:00AM on June 24<sup>th</sup>-June 28<sup>th</sup>**

Portland State University (PSU) Native American Student and Community Center  
710 SW Jackson Street  
Portland, OR 97201

**NPAIHB is not able to provide travel scholarships or lodging for youth. It is the responsibility of the teens, parents, and chaperones to make advance reservations for lodging. Below are a couple of options that are close to PSU.**

**Portland State University, [shc@pdx.edu](mailto:shc@pdx.edu) or 503.725.4336, ask for MARK**

Dbl occupancy dorm rooms: \$54/night at Broadway & \$46/night at Ondine  
1912 SW 6<sup>th</sup> Ave., Portland, OR 97201

**University Place Hotel**

310 SW Lincoln, Portland, OR 97207 Phone: (866) 845-4647

Group name: "THRIVE Conference". To secure a group rate of \$89+tax/night dbl occupancy, reservations **must be made by May 23, 2013**

If flying into Portland, the local transit system, MAX, can take you directly to PSU. From the airport, take the Red Line Train to Pioneer Courthouse Square in downtown Portland, and then connect to a Yellow or Green Line train that will take you to the final stop at PSU / SW 5<sup>th</sup> & Mill St. From there, walk south on SW 5th Ave, turn right on SW College St., walk west on SW College St., turn left on SW Broadway, walk a south on SW Broadway, turn right on SW Jackson St., and walk a short distance west on SW Jackson St and you will be at PSU's Native American Student and Community Center. The costs for riding the MAX trains must be paid at the stop not on the train. The costs are approximately:

Youth (aged 7-17, ID required): \$1.50

Adults (over 18): \$2.40

### **What to Bring (you are responsible for your own belongings):**

- Medical Insurance Card and any prescribed medications (in original containers)
- Cultural games, regalia, music, and activities to share during Cultural Night
- **\*\*Musical instruments** if part of the **song writing and producing** workshop with the Music Mentor Academy
- **\*\*Film Production or Digital Storytelling** workshops: **Please bring digital or hard copies of Pictures, Music, Art, Songs, Videos, or anything else that represents who you are and where you're from.** Typically, film production involves multiple people and takes a few months to complete. Because you'll be assisting with production, editing and even starring in your own movie over the course of 4 days, we want you to come prepared to jump in. Your **films or digital stories** will be highlighting things about your community, what it means to be Native, memories from different points in your life, things that have gotten you through tough times, interests and hobbies, family traditions, and what defines you.
- Appropriate clothes (shirts, pants/shorts, sweatshirt or light jacket, outdoor rain/cold weather clothes, socks, outdoor/sport shoes, nice outfit, underclothes, pajama, swim suit). Please try to bring clothes without prominent logos (i.e. Nike, NBA, etc.). The hotel has a pool and the residence halls allow access to an indoor pool and recreation center until 7PM each night. Copyrighted music or logos may have to be edited out of student films.
- Hygiene items (toothbrush, toothpaste, hair dryer, comb/brush, soap, shampoo, sunscreen, feminine items, deodorant, etc.)
- Optional items (camera, laptop, MP3 player/iPod, money for souvenirs or snacks)

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