

Dakota 38+2 Wokiksuye Memorial Ride and Annual Mankato Run 2010

December 10 – 26, 2010

To: Dakota Oyate, friends and supporters.

Date: November 29, 2010.

Re: Ride Itinerary and Donation Needs – on behalf of Peter Lengkeep, Crow Creek SD - Eagle Staff Carrier.

The 6th Year of the Dakota 38 Wokiksuye Memorial Horse Ride is taking place, and the dream of prayer, healing and forgiveness for riders, communities and Nations continues. Friends and volunteers are invited to help in whatever way they can, such as: Hay and feed for horses , lodging, fuel, cooks to provide meals along the route.

Schedule and Route

Dec. 10-19 – Riders will support Crow Creek Dakota Oyate. Leave Crow Creek, S.D. on Dec. 18th. (Flandreau to Pipestone, MN, Russell and Milroy, MN).

Dec. 20 (Mon.)– Arrive Birch Coulee Battlefield/Morton, MN (Horses will be corralled at Strong Family Ranch/Birch Coulee Park). Meal provided by Cansayapi families. Morton City Hall.

Dec. 21 (Tues.) – Rest Day. Horses corralled at Strong Family Ranch/Birch Coulee Park. Meals provided by Cansayapi families. Morton City Hall.

Dec. 22 (Wed.) 5:30 p.m. –Riders Feast– (Morton City Hall.*) sponsored by Cansayapi families.

Dec. 23 (Thurs.) 9 a.m. – Ceremony at Birch Coulee Battlefield. Riders leave Birch Coulee/Morton to Fort Ridgley. 5:30 p.m. - Return for evening meal at Morton City Hall sponsored by Upper Sioux Community, Granite Falls. Horses corralled at Strong Family Ranch/Birch Coulee.

Dec. 24 (Friday). 9 a.m. Fort Ridgley to Courtland. Horse corralled at New Ulm Battery, New Ulm. 6p.m. Meal at Courtland Community Center.

Dec. 25 (Sat.) 9 a.m. Courtland to Mankato, Land of Memories Park. Horses corralled at New Ulm Battery, New Ulm. 5:30 p.m. Evening Meal sponsored by Strong-Leith Family at Church of St. Peter.

Dec. 26, 9 :30 a.m. Riders leave Land of Memories Park to downtown Mankato, 10 a.m. Ceremony. Return to Land of Memories Park to greet Mankato Runners.

Noon, approx. Final Honoring Feast for Riders and Runners, St. Peter Church, No. Mankato.

If you can **Volunteer/Donate**: Contact Info: Cooks/meal volunteers – Angie O’Keefe(507) 430-0680 or Yvonne Leith (320) 226-6994.

For **Rider/Horse needs**: Darwin Strong, 507-430-5246. Lead Riders: Peter Lengkeep 605-730-3128 and Julian Boucher 605-268-6983.

Mankato Run Info: Dallas Goldtooth, Minneapolis, 507-210-4679.

WOPIDA TANKA (THANK YOU).