Powwow Etiquette



01

Listen to the MC

Throughout the Powwow the MC will tell you everything you need to know- whether you should be standing, sitting or when you can join in dancing. They will also announce the dance category and what drum group will lead. The MC will also let you know when you can take pictures or videos.

02

Grand Entry

The Grand Entry opens the powwow. The arena director will place everyone in their place with the eagle staff and flags at the lead. The audience are invited to stand (if they are able) as a sign of respect for the dancers as they dance into the circle

03

Dance & Have Fun

Intertribals are a time for everyone to get up and dance. You'll hear an announcement from the MC so don't miss out on the fun! Visit the vendors and support their businesses!

Show your appreciation to the dancers, singers & drummers- let them know how much you enjoyed seeing them.

