



# Mendota Mdewakanton's 27th Traditional Wacipi (Pow Wow) September 13th, 14th, 15th, 2024

**St. Peter's Church Grounds: Mendota, MN, 1405 Sibley Memorial Hwy 55120**

<b>MC:</b> Jerry Dearly	<b>Men's Head Dancer:</b> George Green
<b>Arena Director:</b> Allen Hardy	<b>Women's Head Dancer:</b> Lisa Bellanger
<b>Host Drum:</b> Scotty Brown Eyes & Drum Group	<b>Spiritual Advisor:</b> TBA
<b>Co-Host Drum:</b> TBA	<b>Mendota Princess:</b> Ameyalli Anderson

**Free admission! \$10.00 donation for buttons. Please bring lawn chairs or blankets, seating is limited**

## Friday, Sept 13th

5:05pm Lighting Sacred Fire. (Bob Brown passed at 5:05pm)  
6:00pm Potluck (bring dish to share)

9:30pm Closing Ceremony  
9:45pm Registered Dancers Payout

## Saturday, Sept 14th

11:00am Dancer Registration (registration ends: 12:45pm)  
1:00pm Grand Entry / Honored Guards / Honoring Veterans  
Honoring Mike Harley from Lumen Christi Catholic Community and Patricia Thalhuber, B.V.M The Sisters of Charity of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
2:00pm Dancing  
4:30pm Rememberence and Honoring of Mary Beth Faimon  
5:00pm Closing Ceremony  
5:30pm Kalpulli Huitzllin Aztec Dancers  
6:00pm Dancer Registration  
6:30pm Dancing  
7:00pm Grand Entry / Honored Guards  
8:30pm TBA

## Sunday, Sept 15th

11:00am Dancer Registration  
1:00pm Grand Entry  
1:00pm Dancing (Dancing from 1pm to 3pm)  
1:30pm Dancing  
3:00pm Dancing  
4:30pm Honoring Scotty Brown Eyes & Drum Group  
5:00pm Closing Ceremony  
5:15pm Registered Dancers Payout  
5:30pm Feast

**Before the Powwow, from 10 to 11 am, Chris Mato Nunpa and Mike Klein will be hosting a special "educational hour" where they will discuss important Native topics and answer your questions.**



**Thank you for coming to our 26th Wacipi!**

**NO DRUGS, ALCOHOL, FIREARMS, OR PETS ALLOWED**

This is *not* a Competition Wacipi. Small payout for all Dancers.

**Donations are needed & appreciated.**

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[www.MendotaDakota.com](http://www.MendotaDakota.com)

