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1. Thursday, July 23
   NAECC Craft Circle
   4:00 – 5:30 | NAECC

   Need a little time to relax? Please join us as we paint on canvas with acrylic paints. Supplies will be provided.
2. Graduate Assistant Position in AGEP
   Deadline: July 14

   AGEP has an opening for a quarter-time Graduate Assistant beginning the Fall 2015 semester. The duties of this position will include, but are not limited to, the following:

   - Event Planning
   - Proofreading
   - Creating flyers and memos
   - Communicating with university contacts to coordinate workshops and banquets
   - Serving as Liaison for LSAMP, SROP and Science Bound programs to ensure mentoring/tutoring needs are met
   - Some data entry
   - Other tasks as assigned

   Interview begins this week. If interested contact Martha Delaney 494-7899

3. Now through October
   Mesa Seeking Donations for Outreach to Migrant Farm Workers
   Donation Drop-off: MESA Office, AGAD Room 219

   MESA is seeking donations to assist in our violence prevention outreach efforts with Migrant Farm Worker families. Migrant farm workers are among the poorest families in the United States. These workers and their families travel each year to Indiana to help plant and harvest crops to bring food to our tables. Many of these families arrive with no money and only one change of clothes.

   While we are always excited to receive items that are new, we also accept gently used items that are in clean, working condition. Due to space limitations with our move to AGAD, we are not able to accept drop-off donations of furniture. However if you contact us directly, we can make arrangements to pick up larger items needed by families. We cannot accept donations that are in need of repair.

   - Clothing: All sizes: men, women and children
   - Household items: small appliances, dishes, sheets, bedding
   - Hygiene products: shampoo, soap, laundry detergent, lotion, toothpaste
   - Babies: clothes, diapers, equipment, toys
   - School supplies
   - First aid
   - Canned Food
   - Toys, books and stuffed animals
   - Conference bags
   - FANS

   If you have a question about a donation, please feel free to contact us. Also if you are located off campus, please contact us to make arrangements for donation pick-up.

   We appreciate your support on behalf of Indiana Migrant Farm Workers and their families!

   Multicultural Efforts to end Sexual Assault
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4. **Wednesday, July 29**
   **Who's Afraid of Black Indians?**
   6:00 – 7:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis

   The Eiteljorg Museum has teamed up with Brick Street Poetry Inc. to bring poet Shonda Buchanan to the museum for a reading and signing of her book, "Who's Afraid of Black Indians?" Shonda is a talented, passionate professor from Hampton University in Virginia and comes from an African American/Native American family whose journey moves through Indiana. Shonda will share her story through poetry, encouraging us to explore and embrace each branch of our family tree.

   Eiteljorg Museum

5. **Saturday, August 1**
   **WestFest**
   10:00 am – 5:00 pm | Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis

   Campfire smoke. Horses. Leather. Music. Cowboys. The sights and sounds of the West will surround visitors at this family festival, featuring a stick horse rodeo, western swing and folk musical performances, western characters like Hopalong Cassidy, chuckwagon food, panning for gold, wanted posters, horses, mustaches and more!

   Eiteljorg Museum

6. **Friday, August 7, Saturday, August 8 and Sunday, August 9**
   **Mihsihkinahkwa Pow Wow**
   Morschies Park, US 30 to SR 2015 South 1/4 Mile, Columbia City

   Friday: 5:00 – 9:00 pm
   Saturday: 9:00 am – 9:00 pm
   Grand Entry: 1:00 and 6:00 pm
   Sunday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
   Grand Entry: Noon

   Head Man & Lady Dancers: Andy & Kayla Norman
   Invited Drums: Medicine Woman Singers, Blue Heron Singers
   MC: Lee Lawhead

   For more information see attached flyer or [click here](#)
7. **Saturday, August 15 and Sunday August 16**  
**American Indian Council 33rd Annual Traditional Powwow**  
Boone County Fairgrounds, 1300 E 100 S, Lebanon, IN (I-65, Exit 138)

Saturday:  10:00 am – 9:30 pm  
Grand Entry: 1:00 pm & 6:30 pm

Sunday:  10:30 am – 4:30 pm  
Grand Entry: 1:00 pm

**Admissions:**
- General (13-59) $5.00
- Children (6-12) $3.00
- Elders (60+) $3.00
- Dancers $3.00
- Ages 5 and Under Free

Host Drum: Kingfishers  
Co-host Drum: SawanohsaeSingh

Arena Director: Aaron Stevens

Head Man Dancer: Butch Wamsley

Head Woman Dancer: Kathy Wamsley

Head Veteran: George Martin

Emcee: Roger Campbell

Junior Boy Dancer: TBA

Junior Girl Dancer: TBA

Flint Knapping: Ron Kennedy

Flute Playing: John RedDeerCruz

Storyteller: Teresa Webb

*Flyer attached*

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**NOTE:** If you would like to include events and programs in the NAECC e-Newsletter, please contact Deb Swihart by email at dswihart@purdue.edu or by phone at 765-494-4540.