EMBRACING DIVERSITY



Chamberlain School District 7-1

May 2017

SPECIAL POINT OF INTEREST

CSD Annual
Powow Draws
Dancers and
Audience



THIS ISSUE

Senior Honor |
Song

Spring Parent | Connection Activity

WoLakota
Project-Oceti
Sakowin
Standards

Feather Cere- 1 mony Powwow Hand-Games



Task Force Mtng/Parent Involvement

CHS Seniors Recognized with Honor Song

An all-school assembly was held on April 21 to recognize teacher-selected CHS students with the "CUB Award" and to honor the seniors with an Honor Song. The drum group from St. Joseph's Indian School sang the Honor Song as the entire CHS student body and staff shook the hands of the graduates.



Spring Parent Involvement Activity April, 2017

The Fort Thompson
Parent Connection
Event was held on April
5 at the Lodestar Motel
in Ft. Thompson. The
Title I program hosted
the 'S'More Math Fun'
which centered around
a camping theme. It was
a fun night with kids and
families joining the staff
for a picnic and Math
games; 52 attended the
event!

Oceti Sakowin Standards

WoLakota Project

CSD staff members continue to learn about the Oceti Sakowin Standards and how they can incorporate them into their classrooms. Staff members assist each other in professional learning and sharing of ideas. There are also workshops at various times throughout the state that staff members have the opportunity to attend; the workshops highlight the standards and web-site offerings.

Feather Ceremony and Powwow Highlights

Feather Ceremony

The fourth annual Feather Ceremony was held at the Chamberlain Community Center on April 29. Thirty were in attendance for the Feather Ceremony with Claude Two Elk and John Beheler presiding as the ceremony leaders.

8th AnnualPowwow Sponsored by CHS Native American Club

The Powwow appeared to have the largest attendance in the past eight years.

Meghan Mosel and Emily Wiekamp are the advisors for the Native American Club and were recognized for their work in organizing the event.

Hand-Game Competition

St. Joseph's Indian School sponsored a Hand-Game competition in conjunction with the

Powwow.

