

# FLYING ANGELS

2004-2005 YMCA Indian Programs – 2nd Year Tribe

**Pow-Wow Date: Tuesday, March 1, 2005**

## **Tribe Members Present**

### Little Princesses

Crafty Kitten (Emily)

Little Bird (Christine)

Little Cub (Jamie)

Gray Bunny (Haley)

Rainbow Pony (Kimberly)

Rainbow Deer (Joanna)

Running Reindeer (Logan)

Purring Cat (Alison)

### Big Braves

Hunting Dog (Darren)

Early Bird (Rob)

Gray Wolf (Lee)

Injun Mo (Keith)

Soaring Eagle (Lee) - Sachem

Roaring Thunder (Randy)

Gray Fox (Grant)

Barking Dog (Steve) - Tally Keeper

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## **Opening**

On a cold evening on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month of the Little Frog Moon, the Flying Angels gathered at the teepee of Injun Mo and Gray Bunny.

The meeting began when Gray Bunny sounded 12 beats on the tribal tom-tom. Then the tribe formed the unbroken circle and chanted our aims, our pledge, and our slogan.

## **Names and Wampum**

Then the princesses introduced themselves and their big braves. Each princess announced her good deeds that earned wampum for the tribe. Purring Cat handed out attendance beads to all of the tribe that was present.

Next, Barking Dog read the Tallykeeper's report from the last meeting.

## **Feather Earning:**

The talking stick was then passed among the tribe to find out who had earned feathers since the last meeting.

- Little Cub earned feathers when she and Gray Wolf prepared dinner for Mom. Mrs. Wolf wrote a nice letter to the tribe praising their work.
- Little Cub also earned feathers for completing her swimming skills at the Polar Bear Swim.
- Rainbow Pony and Soaring Eagle earned feathers by preparing a surprise dinner for Mom when she returned from being away from the teepee for a couple of days.
- Little Bird earned her feathers for completing her swimming skills.
- Gray Bunny also earned feathers for completing her swimming skills.
- Rainbow Deer showed us pictures of her gardening work to earn feathers.
- Rainbow Deer also showed us how to use a compass.
- Lastly, Rainbow Deer displayed her project where she built a metal coin bank.

Congratulations to the princess for their new feathers!

## **Meeting Activities:**

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| Story | Our activities began when Roaring Thunder told a story about Knee-High. Knee-High helped his tribe by leading them to rebuild their city wall. The moral to this story was to own up to your mistakes and to have the courage to fix them. |
| Trick | Then Crafty Kitten showed the tribe a drawing puzzle. How do you start with six lines and add five more lines to end up with nine?? The answer was very tricky and easy once Crafty Kitten showed us how to do it. "NINE"                  |
| Craft | Injun Mo and Gray Bunny provided a craft for all of the princesses. They made very cute Easter Bunny decorations that everyone really liked.   |
| Snack | The princesses and braves then enjoyed a snack of  |

popcorn and cookies and the big braves discussed tribal business.

**Big Braves Discussions** The braves discussed upcoming activities for the tribe including park clean up day, the next tribe meeting and other events. Injun Mo also showed us his and Gray Bunny's totem pole piece and told us how they had made it.

**Closing:**

At the end of the meeting, Gray Fox led the tribe as we chanted our closing prayer and repeated it with our traditional silent version.

The Flying Angels then rushed off under the waning Windy Moon. We will meet again in the teepee of Rainbow Deer and Roaring Thunder on April 5<sup>th</sup>.

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So went the meeting of the Flying Angels, reported by Barking Dog, Tallykeeper.