pathways INDIGENOUS ARTS FESTIVAL
2026 FILM FESTIVAL

2026 FILM LINE UP

(Subject to change) Feature Program | Short Block | ★ Confirmed Q&A

Friday, August 14

Jim Thorpe: Lit By Lightning
Director: Chris Eyre
11:00 AM | Barranca Room

★ **Dark Winds**
Director: Chris Eyre
12:30 AM | Caldera Room

Wrong Husband
Director: Zacharias Kunuk
12:30 AM | Barranca Room

★ **Free Leonard Peltier**
Directors: Jesse Short Bull & David Frances
2:00 PM | Caldera Room

A Cree Approach
Director: Tristin Greyeyes
2:30 PM | Barranca Room

Saturday, August 15

Land & Culture
10:30 AM | Caldera Room

Deneege Łeł Ghu Kk'ots'eedeneeyh Te Heł Hoozoonh Ts'e Denots'edeneeyh
Director: Brittany Woods-Orrison

Let My People Go Skiing
Director: Ellen Bradley

Raised by the Canoe
Director: Cathrine Paul

This Land Carries Us
Director: Charine Pilar Gonzales

Ujjirijavut (We See Changes)
Directors: Vincent L'Héreault & James Simonee

She Cried That Day
Director: Amanda Erickson
10:30 AM | Barranca Room

Woven Connections
12:00 PM | Caldera Room

El Luchador
Director: Polaris Castillo

Forever After
Director: Miles Smith Jr

Grandma's Barn
Directors: Avery Hale & Sunshine Eaton

Kusi Smiles
Director: Sisa Quispe

The Boom
Director: Ajuawak Kapashesit

The Tomahawk
Director: Steven Scott Bignell

★ **Pathways: More Than A Market**
Creators: Ashley Browning & Charine Pilar Gonzales
1:30 PM | Caldera Room

Saturday, August 15

From The Heart
12:30 PM | Barranca Room

Kakols (Bones)
Director: Lofanitani Aisea

Kawa
Director: Anpa'o Locke

Laura Ortman: All My Love & Thanks
Director: Blackhorse Lowe

Pow!
Director: Joey Clift

Raven Steals The Sun
Director: Sydnee Mason Renee

Red Running Into Love
Director: Natalie Benally

Tȟáčȟa Škaŋ: Deer Movement
Director: Juliana Brown Eyes

The Bones Of Jr Jones
Director: Blackhorse Lowe

Wolverine And Little Thunder: An Eel Hunting Adventure
Director: Alan Syliboy

NDN Expressions
2:00 PM | Barranca Room

Diamond in The Rough
Directors: Caleb Lee & Daveishena Redhouse

Grand Entry
Directors: Avery Hale & Sunshine Eaton

Keep Your Eyes Open
Director: Brandon Martinez

My First Dance
Director: Erica Pretty Eagle Cozad

Poacher's Paradise
Director: David E Arquero

Poos
Director: Celestine Twigg

Their Warming Heart
Director: Nanieezh Peter

When Girls Go Missing
Director: Jeanette DeDios

IAIA Currents
2:30 PM | Caldera Room

I Am Life: Creator Of Worlds
Director: Kanesia Mcglashan-Price

Checkup
Director: Ezra Dosela

The Gathering
Director: Alex Kurowski

Sacred Ink
Director: Antonia Hatch

Grand Entry
Directors: Avery Hale & Sunshine Eaton

Wokiksuye
Director: Laura Ten Fingers

The Unknown Welcomes Me
Director: Whit Maloney

The Light That Stays
Director: Ashley Reese Meanus

Sunday, August 16

Best of IAIA
(films from 2016 - 2024)
10:30 AM | Caldera Room

Devil's Throne
Director: Echota Killsnight

Raven
Director: Razelle Benally

Deliverance
Director: Thomas Worcester

The Dust In Our Eyes
Director: Carrie Dada

Pehin (Hair)
Director: Juliana Brown Eyes

Bear News
Director: Charine Gonzales

Rise Of The Tower House
Director: Tyrell Etsitty

Big, Small, Scared, At Ease
Director: Ethan Nopah

This Means Forever
Director: Brandon Martinez

Speaking Our Stories
10:30 AM | Barranca Room

Gwayakooshgawiin (Living in Truth)
Director: Jennifer Leason

Made For Her: A Native American Fashion Film
Director: Orlando Skidmore

Sacred Ink
Director: Antonia Hatch

Speaking Ute
Directors: Bruce Borowsky & Joey Lopez

The Oteros
Directors: Yoann Le Gruiec & Benoit Pergent

Dream Touch Believe
Director: Jenna Naranjo Winters
12:00 PM | Caldera Room

Rising Through the Fray
Director: Courtney Montour
1:30 PM | Caldera Room

Aanikoobijigan
Directors: Adam & Zack Khalil
12:00 PM | Barranca Room

Best of Pathways
1:30 PM | Barranca Room
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