



Monday, August 2, 2021

Holly Hoffman

Holly Hoffman was the last remaining member of the Espada Tribe and the last woman standing on Season 21 of CBS' hit reality show "Survivor Nicaragua". Through that experience, and others throughout her life, Holly was inspired to share her message of survival.

A professional motivational speaker and the author of *Your Winner Within and Write Yourself a Note*, Holly acknowledges that life is made up of challenges, and we are oftentimes faced with situations that seem insurmountable. But within each of us is an ability to focus our thoughts, emotions, and energy to succeed—if only we have the knowledge, tools, and discipline to do so.

A native of South Dakota, Holly's writing and speaking not only offer encouragement and optimism but a roadmap for self-discovery and spiritual enlightenment. Readers and audience members alike walk away inspired to light the fire of successful living within themselves. [Hear a message from Holly!](#)



Tuesday, August 3, 2021

Chef Sean Sherman

A member of the Oglala Lakota tribe, Chef Sean Sherman was born and raised in Pine Ridge, South Dakota. Cooking in kitchens across the United States and Mexico for over 30 years, Chef Sean is renowned nationally and internationally in the culinary movement of Indigenous foods. His primary focus is the revitalization and evolution of Indigenous foods systems throughout North America. His extensive studies on the foundations of Indigenous food systems

have led to his deep understanding of what is needed to showcase Native American cuisine in today's world.

Today, The Sioux Chef team continues with their mission to help educate and make Indigenous foods more accessible to as many communities as possible through their recently founded non-profit arm, North American Traditional Indigenous Food Systems (NĀTIFS). Through this entity, Chef Sean sees this vision as even more relevant due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Educating the world on the importance of localizing food systems is critical and Chef Sean and his team believe that the work of NĀTIFS will expedite this mission. Learn more at www.natifs.org.

Wednesday, August 4, 2021

Chris Heeter, The Wild Institute



Chris Heeter was selected as a Top Ten Speaker of 2014 by MeetingsNet, and was the highest rated speaker of Meeting Professional International's 2014 World Education Congress. She is out to create a Wild revolution in the workplace. A wilderness guide since 1984 and professional speaker since 2001, Chris has led and worked with a diverse array of teams, both canine and human!

Featured on The Discovery Channel's "National Geographic Today," she brings decades of leadership experience indoors, to conferences and offices, working with teams and leaders, helping us recognize that leadership and teamwork doesn't have to be so complicated. With remarkable parallels to the work world, Chris shares hilarious stories from her sled dog team with their quirky personalities and from guiding whitewater trips, where successfully navigating obstacles (mostly) is part of the journey.

Chris challenges and inspires organizations and individuals toward Wild leadership, compassionate presence, and daring authenticity. [Hear a message from Chris!!](#)