



## Horse Nation of the Očhěthi Šakówin

USD Graduate student Keith Braveheart is an organizational member of the film and accompanying exhibition Horse Nation.

"The Horse Nation of the Očhéthi Šakówiŋ Exhibition, is much more than a presentation or display of the lives of a people. We are not only seen in historic perspective, although it is important to view our pasts. This is an honoring and celebrating of our relatives, the Horse Nation, but also of all our relatives of all nations. This is a continuum and not a project. The Horse Nation of the Očhéthi Šakówiŋ Exhibition is a practice of who we are."

- Keith BraveHeart

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Horse Nation Video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OdSARJ5bXjs

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The Horse Nation of Očhéthi Šakówiŋ Exhibition is a traveling exhibition inspired by the perspectives of those of the Horse Nation (a living philosophy of culture and connection to the horse). The exhibition is community informed and artist driven to represent the culture and identity of the Očhéthi Šakówiŋ (Dakota, Lakota, and Nakota tribal nations, often misidentified as Sioux). The exhibition features original artworks and works from collections within the state of South Dakota, alongside material contributed from the reservations of the Očhéthi Šakówiŋ (SD, ND, MN, NE, MT and Canada reserves). The exhibition will feature a unique catalogue with companion documentary film.

Exhibition premiers at the Heritage Center at Red Cloud Indian School in Pine Ridge, SD on September 22, 2016 at 4 pm.

For more information on the exhibition please visit: http://www.redcloudschool.org/horsena... https://www.facebook.com/horsenatione... email horsenation@redcloudschool.org or call 605.867.8257

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