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OKANAGAN NATION SALMON FEAST AND CELEBRATION

September 17, 18 & 19, 2010

Okanagan Falls Provincial Park

EVERYONE WELCOME

**TO VOLUNTEER, REGISTER FOR CAMPING, OR
FOR MORE INFORMATION**

PLEASE CONTACT

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HISTORY

This is a culturally significant site for the Okanagan people, and historically, it was an important traditional fishing camp, gathering place and trading site. The sockeye salmon is a primary food source for the Okanagan people. In the late summer, large fishing camps were set up at the Okanagan Falls where the Okanagan people celebrated the beginning of the sockeye fishing season with the First Salmon Ceremony. Led by the Chief, the Okanagan's honored the sockeye and gave thanks for its abundance, then distributed the fish to all Okanagan members

EVENTS INCLUDE:

Friday

Fisheries Presentations
Stick Game Tournament

Saturday

Canoe Paddle (Skaha Lake)
Satellite Aids Walk hosted by
Okanagan Aboriginal Aids Society

www.oaas.ca

Dinner and Entertainment

Sunday

Ceremony and Feast
Kids Activities

Camping Available (must register)
Arts and Crafts

View our Website www.syilx.org
for the Agenda of Events