

One Nation Film Festival: www.OneNationFilmFestival.org

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One Nation Film Festival is thrilled to announce its final film selections!

Colorado College in Colorado Springs, Colo., and its Native American Student Union will host the One Nation Film Festival April 1 through April 2, 2016. Proceeds from the film festival will benefit One Nation Walking Together, a Colorado nonprofit organization whose mission is to make a positive difference in the lives of Native Americans who live in seven western states, including Colorado's urban areas.

Shadow Nation has been selected as ONFF's Opening Night Feature Film. *Shadow Nation* follows a group of renowned rock musicians, led by George Lynch (best known for his work with the bands Dokken and Lynch Mob), on a journey of discovery about the many injustices faced by Native Americans. The film features thoughts and opinions from philosopher Noam Chomsky and activists and musicians Tom Morello, Serj Tankian, Ted Nugent and others. Greg Analla – a musician, singer and storyteller featured in the film – will attend ONFF's Opening Night events, which begin at 7:00 p.m. in Armstrong Theatre and continue with an after-film reception.

On Saturday, April 2, starting at 10:00 a.m., ONFF will screen four full-length documentaries and four blocks of short films in two theaters at Cornerstone Arts Center. The four documentaries are *Rising Voices*, *Sons of Halawa*, *Children of the Arctic*, and *Navajo Math Circles*. The short films include a block of student productions curated by the Institute of American Indian Art. The film schedule, synopses, links to trailers, and more details can be found at www.OneNationFilmFestival.org.

Festival events also include filmmakers' panels, workshops and live performances by Native artists. On March 31, 2016, Native hip-hop artist Frank Waln will open the festival at 7:00 p.m. with a live performance at Armstrong Hall. On Saturday night, April 2, *Native Max* magazine will close the festival with a contemporary fashion show featuring Native designers and models.

A variety of ticket options (including discounts for students, seniors and military) are available online.

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