

# Indian Country Alliance

A Native American community coalition dedicated to preventing youth substance abuse in Native American communities

## *Forging Ahead Native American Substance Abuse Prevention*

March 21, 2008

5:30 pm – 7:30 pm

San Pasqual Reservation

N. Lake Wolford Rd.

Kumeyaay Way

⇒ **POTLUCK BRING YOUR FAVORATE SIDE DISH** ⇐  
**Children are welcome to attend this special meeting**

### AGENDA

- **Welcome /Invocation/Introductions**

San Pasqual Band of Kumeyaay Indians

- Wonona Martinez, Indian Country Alliance

#### Reality

- **Community Awareness Up Dates**

Wonona Martinez, Indian Country Alliance

- **ICA in Action “Community Involvement”**

Action Plan

Assessments

- **ICA Community Announcements**

All ICA Members

The next ICA Meeting will be held on April 18<sup>th</sup> east County TBA

The Indian Country Alliance would like to express enormous appreciation to the San Pasqual Band of Kumeyaay Indians for providing their Tribal Site for our meeting!

For any questions about this exciting event, please contact the following individuals:

Wonona Martinez, ICA Coordinator (760) 685-8719

Thank your for making substance abuse a high priority; it has taken over our native adults, youth and our tribal communities. It has taken our people to the grave at an early age, before their time. Consequences include organ damage, overdose, DUI accidents, violence, and life prison sentences. **This must STOP, or There Will Be No Future Leaders.**

We the people need to take a stand together to stop alcohol and drug abuse and all of the consequences associated with that. We need to take back our ancestors' ways, gather our children and fight the disease that is drowning our reservations with deadly sicknesses (evil, if you will). Our powers are much greater with our Creator and tribal communities that stand 100% behind this than individually. We can and will make a big difference for our future leaders. **United we stand.**