

## EVENTS NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2018

Center for Algonquin Culture [www.algonquinculture.org](http://www.algonquinculture.org)<https://www.facebook.com/Center-for-Algonquin-Culture-247714969205810>[Evan.pritchard7@gmail.com](mailto:Evan.pritchard7@gmail.com) (845)377-1110[www.algonquinculture.org](http://www.algonquinculture.org)**All listings subject to change: Please report any inaccuracies, and please RSVP**

Welcome to the December 10<sup>th</sup> events listings/newsletter for the Center for Algonquin Culture and for director Evan Pritchard (Mi'kmaq descendant, award-winning historian and author of over 40 books including Native New Yorkers). CAC works interactively with Neetopk-Keetopk (My friends your friends), The Falcon Live, Neolyth, Sacred Space, and countless other community organizations to promote a greater appreciation of Native American culture.

Here are a few recent links:

<https://www.gofundme.com/moon-turtle-medicine-wheel-project>

Evan's Article "Twelve Birds" was included in the Fall 2018 issue of Four Winds Journal-Exploring Sustainability (p. 38). Winds of Change Press (A subsidiary of Orenda Healing International) Publisher: Valentine McKay-Riddell, PhD Telephone: 505-780-5990 Email: [windschange@orenda-arts.org](mailto:windschange@orenda-arts.org)

Feature article in Braided Way Magazine.

<http://braidedway.org/native-american-spirituality-how-wide-is-the-river-of-life/>

Kingston Freeman video clip of Joanne Shenandoah singing "When the Eagle Flies."

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rV9faD2l9Dk>

Article in Daily Freeman online about Shenandoah/Pritchard concert.

<http://capitalcentral.newspaperdirect.com/epaper/viewer.aspx> see page 11

Thursday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018: Voice and Vision meeting with Elly Wininger and Marty Korn, Woodstock, NY for info call (845)679-6309.

Friday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018; ANA Association of Native Americans) 6:30 pm pot luck followed by drumming and

dancing. By donation. Bloomington United Reformed Church, 11 Church Street, off Main Street, Bloomington, New York (off 32 just south of Kingston) (general announcement)

**Friday, December 14<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, December 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018:** Non-violence workshop at Stony Point Conference Center. 5:30 to 9 pm on Friday, 9 am to 6 pm Saturday and Sunday. (general announcement).



**Friday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2018 5:23 pm,** Winter Solstice Celebration at Seed Song Farm. We gather at the greenhouse at 4:30 pm for ceremony and song. Pot luck at 5:45. Free will donation. Esopus Landing, Esopus Avenue, Kingston, NY.

**Saturday, December 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018,** Singing Up the Sun: A workshop with Evan Pritchard Neolyth, 39 Glen Ridge Avenue, Montclair, NJ 2 to 5 pm, \$25 RSVP

On the shortest day of the year, Mi'kmaq author Evan (Chipmunk) Pritchard, will lead us in singing songs that bring light to dark times. As we sing up the sun for the

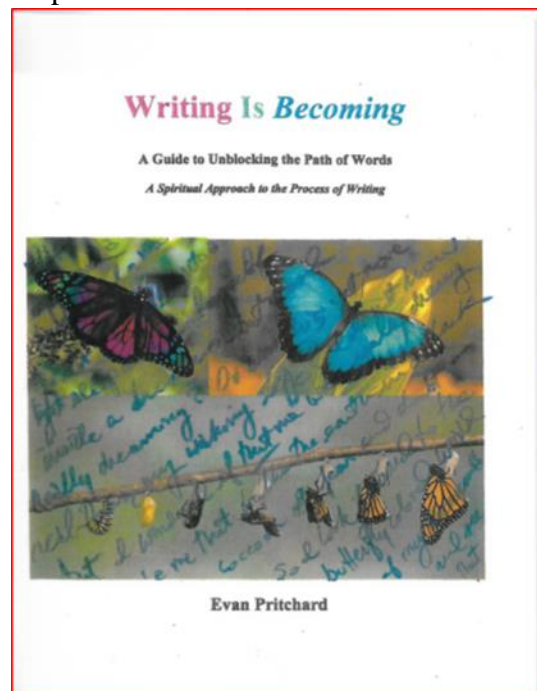
following morning, combined with smudging, tobacco ceremony, story telling, talking feather, and more, we are actually praying for Creation to continue on this earth, the ultimate shamanic act of magic. Mi'kmaq and other northern peoples such as the Saami /Norse people and the Celts have been singing up the sun each morning for 10,000 years, and so far so good. But at the winter solstice, the sun, the generator of life, is at its weakest and according to ancient tradition it needs our help just to rise above the horizon. Come and join us as we send out positive life-affirming energy to keep the planet going for the benefit of all beings. [https://www.meetup.com/Montclair\\_Shamanic\\_Circle/events/255828998/?isFirstPublish=true](https://www.meetup.com/Montclair_Shamanic_Circle/events/255828998/?isFirstPublish=true) or call (646)256-0515.

**Thursday, Dec 27, 8pm** "The Eagle, the Condor, The Coqui: a celebration of Latino and Taino culture," featuring traditional percussionist Luis Sanakori Ramos, at the Falcon, part of the Tribal Harmony series. There will be a water ceremony at 7:00 outdoors (dress appropriately, followed by Evan's opening set at 7:30, followed by Luis at 8 pm. Mr. Ramos will also offer a tribute set to the great Native American song writer Bill Miller (Mohican), followed by other guest speakers and performers, celebrating Taino culture.

**Saturday, January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2019:** Saugerties Public Library, history lecture by County Clerk Nina Postupec 2 pm (general announcement)

**Thursday, January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2019 WRITING IS BECOMING!** A Guide to Unblocking the Path of Words A unique writing workshop with author Evan Pritchard. We will explore "barebones diary keeping" also,

we will create another "teaching tale" using at least 15 characteristics (handouts provided, no experience necessary) of a Native American "Medicine Story," based on well-known tales. We will also create more "I Ching Hexagram" poems. 6 pm \$25 per person, Rosendale, NY. Call for directions. (845)377-1110, [evan.pritchard7@gmail.com](mailto:evan.pritchard7@gmail.com) Based on the book *Writing Is Becoming* (now ready for national distribution, \$12 per copy, purchase not required) Bring a snack or bagged meal, no pot luck. Tea will be served.



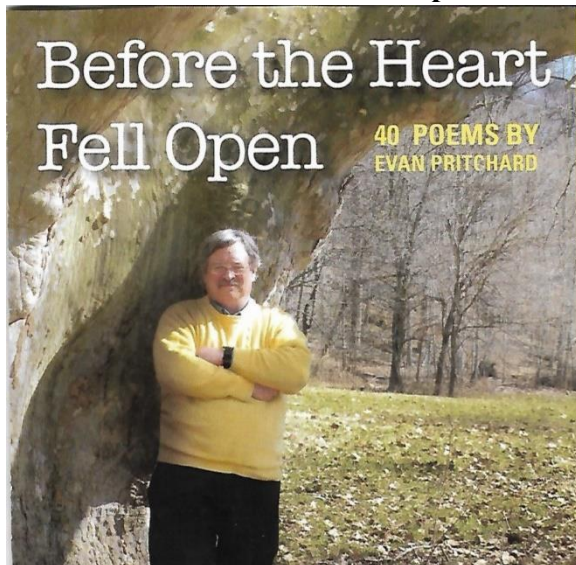
**Friday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019:** 6:30 -- ANA (Association of Native Americans) 6:30 pm pot luck followed by drumming and dancing. By donation. Bloomington United Reformed Church, 11 Church Street, off Main Street, Bloomington, New York (off 32 just south of Kingston)

**Saturday, January 26<sup>th</sup>, 2019:** African Roots Library/Neetopk Keetopk Bear Moon Winter Celebration, TBA.

**Sunday, Feb 24, 1:30 - 4:00 pm** -Speaking Our Truth, Healing our Wounds. Join in community at Kingston, New York's Old Dutch Church, honoring the memory of those Native Americans killed at the Pavonia Massacre, of February 24 - 25th, 1643, and the screening of the excellent new documentary, Dawnland, (that was shown recently at SUNY Ulster), assessing the suffering caused by the inhumane forced adoption of Native American infants into white families in recent years, continuing the cultural genocide begun in 1643.

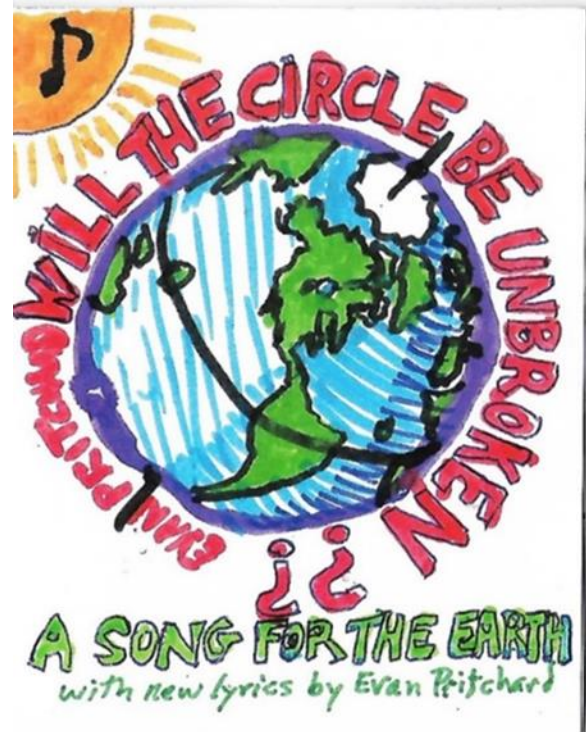
**Saturday, March 9:** Women and Earth: Sarah Elizabeth and Sally Bermanzohn at African Roots Library, 4 to 6pm

**Evan Pritchard has a new one hour CD called "Before the Heart Fell Open"**



**This talking book includes 40 dramatic readings of poems appropriate for gatherings and celebrations and interfaith worship services of all kinds; heart-felt expressions of the human spirit. \$10. Evan has seven new books:**

- Will the Circle Be Unbroken?? A Song For the Earth, with new lyrics by Evan Pritchard. (Resonance, stapled, 4" x 5.5", 16 full color pages) This unique songbook/greeting card contains words/music to a new Native American version of this great singalong hymn. \$4 plus 50 cents postage



- *Red Head Band—A Bindle Stick of Poems by Evan Pritchard* \$10 (Resonance Communications; ISBN 978-1-64316-461-8.) Possibly Pritchard's most significant poetic offering yet.

- *The Tappan: The Keepers of the River Crossings; The Lenape Nation that Helped America Discover Itself* (Resonance, comb, 245 pp.) There are a lot of things they didn't tell you in school. This book opens up a whole new chapter of American history, as it was never told



before. \$20+P&H PO Box 259 Rosendale, New York, 12472.

- *14 Traditional Mi'kmaq Songs* transcribed in classical notation. Email [evan.pritchard7@gmail.com](mailto:evan.pritchard7@gmail.com) for details.
- *Music as Medicine for Troubled Nation*, an amazing 235 page book about things musical in 1967, filled with surprises. \$15 plus postage.
- *Native American Stories of the Sacred*, the new hardback edition of from Turner Books of Nashville. \$26 plus postage (\$6 for priority postage) from PO Box 259 Rosendale, NY 12472.
- *People of Manitou*: The first complete version of this biographical history of the Algonquin people. Based on the earlier (limited edition) Algonquin Eagle Song from 2001. Self published, Resonance Books (comb binding) \$10 plus postage. PO Box 259, Rosendale, 12472. Also available:
  - *Daho! A Book of Lyrics to Evan Pritchard's songs*, for singalongs.
  - *CAC/Resonance 2018 catalogue*.

#### NEW LINKS

[https://www.youtube.com/user/TheEvan\\_pritchard](https://www.youtube.com/user/TheEvan_pritchard)  
Media Alert: Radio spots for Tribal Harmony; Evan's Tribal Harmony Special, one hour broadcast on WJFF with interviews <http://wjffradio.org/wjff/index.php?section=38>  
Evan and Joan Henry on Jimmy Buff radio show, Tuesday, May 22nd, 3:30 pm WKNY, Kingston. 1490 AM, also [wknradio.net](http://wknradio.net).  
<https://bit.ly/2s95ehc>  
Evan on WVKR with Rita Ryan, Wednesday, 5:15 pm:  
<https://www.facebook.com/LocalMotionWVKR>

Joan Henry on Doug Grunther's show on WDST <http://www.radiowoodstock.com/category/audio/roundtable/>

The Bob Hieronimus Show, March 5th, 2017, CDs available 21st century Productions, (410)356-4852.

Video of "Fire in Our Hearts" song from "A Time To Remember" Thanksgiving event at Stony Point, November 23rd, 2017.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a4uCCukUsMg>  
Look for the archived radio show from Sunday, June 10th, 2018 on WJFF website, 90.5FM, The Jeff Horse Show. Evan discussed working at the Falcon with The Indigenous' lead guitarist Monto, and Phoebe Legere.

Here is the link for Mocassin Tracks Radio out of Vermont with Deb Regger, released May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018, discussing the new book Red Head Band.

<https://www.blogger.com/blogger.g?rinli=1&pli=1&blog>  
[https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/wpcrmocassintracks/episodes/2018-05-31T08\\_44\\_43-07\\_00](https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/wpcrmocassintracks/episodes/2018-05-31T08_44_43-07_00)

Here is the link for the Podcast with Kathleen Schassler on Conscious Creator Network, recorded May 1st, 2018.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G3-OAGflpe0>

See "Cash is King" [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GKL\\_fy3AevY&t=109s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GKL_fy3AevY&t=109s)

History Channel show, Oak Island Mystery: The Knights Templar Connection, featuring Evan at 28 minutes onward. There are other ways to watch it archivally. rebroadcasting at various times, see weekly TV listings.

Braided Way Magazine: May the Path Be Beautiful <http://braidedway.org/may-the-path-be-beautiful-for-everyone/>

NY Spirit: Urban Biophilia Sunday <http://www.nyspirit.com/spirit/urban-biophilia/>

land-manhattan-manhattan-islands-part-1/  
Vermont Cable TV program; Wabanaki Spirituality: Praying with Our Hands <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CWrpSc8xMg&t=1282s>

Vermont Cable TV program: Wabanaki Spirituality: Bird Medicine and You <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7Uh8IPSgB4M>

Princeton University lecture “The Cultivation of Consciousness in Algonquin Spirituality”  
(sponsored by Dr. Robert Jahn and PEAR Group)  
[Moccasin Tracks radio https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/moccasintrackswithdeb/episodes/2017-12-07T11\\_10\\_59-08\\_00](https://www.podomatic.com/podcasts/moccasintrackswithdeb/episodes/2017-12-07T11_10_59-08_00)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JEk33ycnFUM>  
Teachable Moments: Main Blog:  
[link for on-line Chronogram article by Peter Aaron w/video clip of MAGPIE in performance https://www.chronogram.com/hudsonvalley/mar-lboro-native-american-music-series-focuses-on-water-rights/Content?oid=5737444](#)

[Sunday, August 12th, 2018, 9 to 10 pm, WJFF, 90.5 FM, The “Jeff Horse Show” with host Evan Pritchard, who discussed working at the Falcon with Magpie, and Joanne Shenandoah. Archived on WJFF website, 90.5 FM, The Jeff Horse Show, listed by time. Posted for thirty days. http://wjffradio.org/wjff/index.php?section=38 link for archived “Water is Life” radio special at WJFF 90.5 FM, “Jeff Horse,” hosted by Evan Pritchard of Tribal Harmony/Falcon Live](#)

**December 27<sup>th</sup> 2018 is our special Christmas Concert at the Falcon, celebrating Taino Indian culture, which is alive and well. Taino Traditionalist Luis Ramos will be featured, With MC Evan Pritchard, opening act. Please print out the following page And tape it up on a bulletin board in your Community. Thank you!**



The Eagle.  
The Condor.  
The Coqui.  
*a Celebration of Taino Culture*

*with Special Guest:*  
Luis SANAKORI Ramos

The Falcon Underground  
Thursday December 27 8pm

No Tickets. No Cover. Donations Encouraged. Support Living Artists!

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