

Pahponee, Sidney, Nebraska

Kickapoo (Kansas)/Potawatomi Pottery and Bronze Vessels



Pahponee is a self taught artist who has been creating her one of a kind pottery and limited edition bronze vessels since the early 1980's. Presently, she is the only living member of her tribe who creates from both mediums.

The traditions within her native heritage, her personal life experiences and the beauty of the natural world are the major inspirations for her art.

Pahponee likes to create refined symmetrical shapes with carved images and textures that are meaningful to her. She utilizes ancient north eastern woodlands style pottery methods such as, the use of native clays and buffalo dung firing. In addition, she applies contemporary techniques with the use of a potters wheel and a kiln. Her bronze vessels are created using the lost wax casting method. Each vessel is signed and numbered.

Pahponee exhibits at indigenous markets and galleries nationwide. These specialty venues provide a personal and educational environment for Pahponee and her collectors.

Images of new vessels, exhibit schedules and a variety of articles about Pahponee can be accessed on www.pahponee.com and follow Pahponee on Facebook.

