

Movie

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pointed out that when they got to their sleeping quarters they would not even have time to wash off the face paint. Often the boys woke up with their paint smeared all over the pillows and bed.

The average temperature was 80-90 degrees. The region had rainfall for two weeks on and off and this made the set very humid.

Some days they would be in a hurry to get to the set and not even work at all that day.

The film was supposed to be done in August but was pushed back to October and was done at an estimated cost of \$40 to \$50 Million.

The general atmosphere on the set was hectic but organized and team work is the most important thing.

Davis says "The job of the crew is to what the director has in his head onto film and he can't do this alone, everyone from the camera operator to the lighting crew". (has to work with the director).

When filming was completed Davis went back to New York City. While there his manager asked him to come down to Atlanta to extra work.

This was on the Movie *Freejack* starring Mick Jagger, Anthony Hopkins and Emilio Estevez.

One of the actors on the *Last Of The Mohicans* appeared in *Freejack* as one of Jagger's henchmen. While rolling around on the ground in a fight scene, a closeup reveals the Mohawk hair cut that this actor sported in *Mohicans*.

Davis also had a bit part in *Freejack* but was cut in the editing room. The scene is in the movie but the camera angles exclude him from view.

While on the set he briefly met Estevez at lunch.

"He's short", stated Davis.

Mick was supposed to be in for work but was sick that day. Word on the set is that Jagger is a very private person and no one can talk to him. If he doesn't want to hear something, he just turns away.

For anyone wanting to get into the business, Davis recommends that if you make it to the set, don't go there to star gaze.

"Some actors don't like to be bothered and when they look like they are relaxing, they are actually getting ready for their part. "If they get interrupted they get upset," says Davis, "Mick can fire anyone he wants."

Another project of his was the *Young Indiana Jones* television series where he appeared in one episode as a patron. This again was arranged by his manager and filming took place in Wilmington, North Carolina. Parts of *Deliverance* and *Dirty Dancing* were filmed nearby.

More projects in his resume include a job as production assistant on the featured short "Mikie Was Here."

This project was a "test film" for Director Steve Rollins.

"A producer would give a budget to an up and coming young director and see what he can do, says Davis, "so far I haven't heard anything about this."

This job also had no pay, everyone volunteered and if the movie makes money, then they get paid off it.

An appearance on MTV was not planned by his manager or anyone else.

"It just happened, he explains, "I was coming out of a subway last Christmas in New York and they did an impromptu man on the street interview for a California Dream ad, there were no contracts or anything."

But show business is not all glory and prestige as locals found out.

Apparently on every movie set the extras are treated badly and the real stars get the royal treatment, according to Davis.

He also added that there was a cultural clash between the actors and crew.

"They made our elders stand in the hot sun for hours during filming, some of them suffered from heat exhaustion."

Davis also concludes that the filming project of *Mohicans* was going through the same problem that Hollywood has been using for years-Stereotyping.

To illustrate this point, the Natives were given instructions which threw them for a loop.

"The directors told us to act like Indians," says Davis.

The thoughts offered by the actors on this comment are not printable.

The conditions that they were treated to also prompted them to strike action, a cause that was backed up by star Daniel Day Lewis.

"They also had a strike in *Thunderheart*" (another movie starring Graham Greene and Val Kilmer), says Davis.

Using Graham Greene as an example Brant decided that if he was to continue his film career he would follow Greenes technique.

"He is such a good actor because he picks the roles that are right for him."

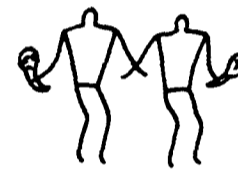
It appears that Hollywood as finally tapped into this new market. Robert Redford has bought the rights to 18 books from Hillerman. Oliver Stone of JFK, The Doors and other 60's based movies will be doing a Movie called the "Spirit Of Crazy Horse."

Graham Greene is also in a future movie called *Isay: Last Of His Tribe*.

Meeting other notables as Russell Means and Dennis Banks was great and the Magestic Smokey Mountains were the pluses of doing the movie.

Details on this long awaited motion picture will be announced.

One of the crew members previewed the finished movie and spoke with Brant Davis. He said it was "better than *Dances With Wolves*."



Thompson
Laura Morris

Basketball/8,9,&10
St. Regis: Larry and Sheila King
Snye: Paula Jacobs
Cornwall Island: Dave and Rosemary White
Hogansburg: Cheryl Jacobs

Basketball/11,12,&13
St. Regis: Randy & Gina Square
Snye: Geraldine Jacobs
Cornwall Island: Kuy and Deanna Chausi

A special award ceremony was held and awards were given to the coordinators of the Sports Programs. They were MCA Recreation, Clarissa Jacobs and Danielle Oakes.

The evening was a success thanks to the following people and businesses who contributed:
St. Regis Mohawk Tribal Council
St. Regis Drug and Alcohol Division
Mohawk Police
Wolf Pack Giftshop
The Grays
T.B.C. Video
LBM Lumber
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Oikwahonwe Enterprises
Grace and Allen Garrow
Thomas Marina
Stans Restaurant
Phil Tarbell
Bears Den
Mohawk Bingo Palace
Paul Thompson
Larry Thompson
Charlie "Buck" White
Congratulations to all players, coaches and teams who made the Akwesasne Youth Sports program a great success.

receiving the Sportsmanship honors. For Snye, Harlen Lazore was selected as MVP and Adam Peters collected the Sportsmanship award.

In the 11,12 &13 year old Basketball program the St. Regis Bulls won the League and Playoff Championship.

Team members were Landon Mitchell, Timothy Chubb, Shawn Chubb and Anthony Tillman. Award winners were Lance Mitchell for MVP and Ryan Mitchell for Sportsmanship.

The trio of Ronnie, Randy and Gina Square were the coaches for this team.

Other teams in this division were Snye and Cornwall Island.

Jimmy Lazore and L.W Johnson won the MVP and Sportsmanship awards, respectively, for Snye. For the Island, Mindy Delormier won MVP and Curtis White won the Sportsmanship award.

The Akwesasne Youth Sport program had a co-ed Volleyball league and the Snye Turtles won the League title while the Snye Blue Jays won the playoffs.

Next up in the evening was a special award in the name of Gary Arquette. Gary was a well known athlete who passed away unexpectedly. This award is presented annually to the Youth Volleyball program to the coaches who contribute to the game.

The coaches of the Akwesasne sports program were given recognition and they were:

Volleyball/8,9,&10
St. Regis: Nicki King
Snye Turtles: Jeaninne Lazore
Connie Lazore
Snye Wolves: Marsha Peters
Paula Jacobs
Hogansburg: Roy Tarbell
Cornwall Island: Betty Roundpoint

Volleyball/11,12, & 13
St. Regis: Sweets Jacobs
Snye: Chrissie Lazore
Al Smoke
Snye: Val and Ed. Lazore
Hogansburg: Vanessa Smoke
Cornwall Island: Tracey



Snye Coaches Chrissy Lazore and Al Smoke.

Photo: Derrick Paul.



Award Results

Last night at the Angus Mitchell Memorial Center in St. Regis the kids of Akwesasne honored themselves in the Annual awards banquet and ceremonies.

The Youth Volleyball awards were up first and the 8,9, &10 year old age division was presented to the League Champion Snye Turtles.

The Most Valuable Player award went to Konkie Lazore and the Sportsmanship honors went to Pamela Lazore.

Members of the championship team were Kevin Lazore, Konkie Lazore, Tyson Mitchell, Jeremiah Lazore, Lawrence Roundpoint, Philip Lazore, Adam Peters, Loretta Lazore, Samantha Lazore, Lindsay Mitchell, Aleesha King, Patti Lazore, Lauralee Lazore, Valene King and Pamela Lazore. Coaches who led the charges to the championship are Jeaninne Lazore and Connie Lazore.

In that same age category the playoff champions were the Snye Wolves. Harlen Lazore took the MVP award and Kayla Thompson was the recipient of the Sportsmanship honor.

Other team members are Gordon Jacobs, Harlen Lazore, Matthew Mitchell, Arisawe Lazore, Lance Lazore, Nathan Lazore, Arla Jacobs, Amy MacDonald, Lisa Gibson, Kayla Thompson, Danielle Macdonald and Lacey MacDonald.

Coaches for this team were Marsha Peters and Paula Jacobs. Other teams in the 8,9,&10 league as well as their award winners were Sako Swamp who won the MVP and Ashley Thompson who won the Sportsmanship award for the Cornwall Island Eagles.

For the St. Regis Headhunters, Lucas Mitchell won the MVP and Falon Thomas the Sportsmanship award.

In the 11,12,&13 year old age category of the Volleyball program the Snye Blue Jays cleaned up in the regular season and playoffs, taking both titles.

Nick Sunday won the Most Valuable Player award and Tekon Lazore won the Sportsmanship category.

Other players on the Blue Jay line-up were Kevin Cook, Jason Lazore, David Leaf, Lee MacDonald, Donna Lazore, Reeann MacDonald and Shery Lazore.

Other teams and their top guns were: Cornwall Island Eagles #1-MVP Evan Thompson and Sportsmanship Meaghan Barnes.

The Cornwall Island Eagles #2 MVP was Mindy Delormier and Sportsmanship award was won by Jimmy John Jock.

The Hogansburg Hurricanes MVP was Carrie Smoke while Niioieren Perkins was the Sportsmanship award winner.

For the St. Regis River Rats, Landon Mitchell won MVP and Shirley Thompson was presented the Sportsmanship award.

The Snye Hawks Sportsmanship award winner was Charlie Sunday while their MVP was Jimmy Lazore.

Next up in the award ceremony was the Basketball program and recognized as the League champions were the Bears Den/J.O.M. Gang.

Willie Bero won the MVP and "The Man" Morgan David won the Sportsmanship category.

Other members of the Gang were Wendell King, Zachary Oakes, Jordon Oakes, Justin Cree, Justin Thompson, Christie Boots, Ashley Tarbell, Lauren Cree, Margaret Jock, Amanda Jock, Kylee Tarbell and Brooke White.

The coaches who did an outstanding job guiding the team were Cheryl Jacobs and Carla Cree.

St. Regis won the Playoff Championship title and getting the honors were Taylor Mitchell as MVP and Ryan King, the Sportsmanship honors. Other members of this St. Regis squad were Luca Mitchell, Robbie Joe Cook, Kenneth "Little Boys"

Diabo, Jason Thomas, Jennifer Cook and Arlene Thomas. Larry and Sheila King were behind the team in their season. Other teams were Cornwall Island and Snye.

For the Island, Sako Swamp was MVP with Justin Point



Photo: Derrick Paul.

Recreation coordinator Geraldine Jacobs, one of the Departments members who received a recognition award for her work.



Coach Roy Tarbell of Hogansburg. Photo: Derrick Paul.

