

Nomadics Tipi Makers

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Tipi Calendar 2026: April. Nomadics Custom Artwork by Kris Lawler. Bend, OR

To purchase the calendar (\$29), or if you have a stunning picture of your Nomadics tipi for this year's calendar photo contest, please contact us at nomadics@tipi.com



COMPANY NEWS



CELEBRATING EARTH DAY WITH 15% DISCOUNT

Wednesday, April 22nd, is the day to celebrate our Mother Earth - the one and only mother that has sustained us humans since the beginning, no matter how badly we are treating her. With our 15% discount on unpainted covers, liners and doors (one per customer, order must be paid in full by Earth Day), we hope to encourage celebration, reverence and respect for Nature in all its forms. What better way is there then putting up a tipi on her land and experiencing the closeness to the natural world first hand.

SHOP TIPIS



ART DEPARTMENT



TESTING OUR 15 OZ POLY/COTTON FR FABRIC

The April Calendar Photo shows our own 16ft tipi which Kris - our Art Director - designed and painted in Oct 2021. We introduced our 15oz Poly/Cotton flame resistant canvas fabric in 2021. With new fabric, it is always important to us to test how it absorbs the paint and the stain, and how the unpainted canvas withstands the weather. Kris came up with this design that combines unpainted areas (everything that is white), stained tan areas and painted design elements, including some color fading.

In her design, she combined elements of Mother Nature, such as the moon phases and all our bird silhouettes with oversized feathers and graphics often seen in indigenous art. The tipi has been set up all year around for 4.5 years now, and it is standing strong - no tears or weaknesses at all. Several customer have chosen this design or elements of it for their own tipi, so Kris got to paint it all over again in different sizes.



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TIPI VACATION



THE TIPI VILLAGE, CAMPBELLVILLE, KY

Dreaming about sleeping in a tipi, under the stars? The Tipi Village in Kentucky, about 85 miles south of Louisville, offers just this experience. They aptly called their website “sleepinatipi.com” and they are offering a night in one of their 3 tipis for just \$95. Come for a weekend or rent all 3 tipis and bring the whole family. This is ideal for bringing friends and family together for some meaningful ‘down time’ away from technology, TV’s and distraction. Bring the kids and some books that teaches them about the Native Americans as the first inhabitants and true stewards of this land that we all now call our home.





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TUPI TALK

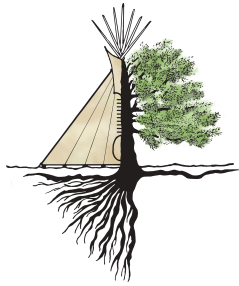


GLOWING TIPIS AT NIGHT

What can be more intriguing, inviting and welcoming than a glowing tipi in the woods? Jeb, Thomy and Marty spent the winter of 1970 in the Oregon woods, living in their tipi, while thinning trees on a Forest Service contract. They kept the fire going all day long and way into the night and enjoyed the closeness and serenity of Nature first hand.

The tipi at night has fascinated our tipi customers over and over again, as they keep sending us evening shots of glowing tipis with the dark night sky. And while modern technology allows for digital “enhancement” of night photos, it also helps to show the beauty of these elegant structures as they invite the imagination to roam; to ponder about a way of being in life that is simple, yet rewarding.





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