

38 Special and The Temptations to Headline Networking Events at Indian Gaming Tradeshow & Convention

WASHINGTON D.C. – December 30 2015 - The 2016 Indian Gaming Tradeshow and Convention will feature two iconic bands as evening entertainment during the event. Owned by the National Indian Gaming Association (NIGA), the annual event is where North America's gaming industry gathers to find the insight and strategies needed to succeed, will run March 13 – 16, in Phoenix, Arizona.

Southern Rock band, **38 Special**, who's best known arena-rock pop songs include, "Hold On Loosely," "Rockin' Into the Night," and "Caught Up in You," will take the stage to entertain attendees and exhibitors alike at this year's **Chairman's Welcome Reception** on Sunday, March 13th at the beautiful Wild Horse Pass a Gila River Casino. The evening marks the official kick-off to the show, and is an opportunity for attendees to experience the native property that has helped to fuel growth of the Gila River Indian Community. "We are thrilled to partner with Gila River this year" said Chairman Ernie Stevens. "Their generosity and support for Indian Gaming Tradeshow & Convention is a true testament to their commitment to the native community."

At the most prestigious event, the **Wendell Chino Awards Banquet**, honoring the legacy of longtime President Wendell Chino of the Mescalero Apache Nation will take place on Tuesday, March 15. Following the dinner and the awards ceremony, Rock n Roll Hall of Fame inductees, **The Temptations** will take the stage as the headliner of the night. Known for their rich blend of voices accompanied by stylish, coordinated dance moves the group is sure to engage and delight attendees with top hits including "My Girl", "Poppa Was A Rolling Stone," and "Just My Imagination".

For more information on attending or exhibiting at Indian Gaming Tradeshow & Convention including a complete listing of events, education, and exhibitors visit indiangamingtradeshow.com

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