Jeremiah George Squaxin Island Artist

Jeremiah George is an artist and curator at the Squaxin Island Tribal Museum in Kamilche, Washington. He is also a Lushootseed Language specialist for the tribe and is involved in coordinating the Squaxin canoe families preparing for the annual paddle events.

Squaxin Paddlers

This design was inspired by the journey the Squaxin Island tribal paddlers made in 2002. They traveled 200 miles to Canada as part of the Canoe Gathering that year. The canoes they traveled in had been begun 6 years earlier by tribal members using cedar trees which had fallen in a storm on tribal land.

Certificate of Authenticity

This print is a limited edition original serigraph. Working from Jeremiah's original drawings and a painting, I cut rubylith stencils for the eight colors. The colors are then hand-printed onto archival paper. The paper size is 22 inches wide and 30 inches tall. The image size is 20 inches wide and 26 inches tall. The inks used were 2 greens, 2 blues, 2 beiges, black, and red.

This print is one of an edition of 100 made on Rising Stonehenge White paper. 10 artists proofs and 5 printers proofs were also printed using Rising Stonehenge White. This edition was printed by Paul Nicholson of Bellevue, WA in 2003 with the assistance of the artist, Jeremiah George.

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