

Land Acknowledgment



The Spokane Indians Baseball Club acknowledges that Avista Stadium resides on the unceded homeland of the Spokane Tribe of Indians (Sp'q'n'i?) and that this land was once a place of gathering for relations, history, trade, and ceremony.

We recognize the continuous relationship between the original Indigenous Peoples of this land and their traditional territory. As we consider the impacts of colonization, it is important that we acknowledge the resiliency of the Spokane Tribe and their relatives. We are grateful to have the opportunity to live, work, and play on this ancestral homeland. We would like to express a deep respect to all the tribes in the region, tribal members, and especially tribal elders, past and present.

Speaking and hearing words of recognition is an important step in creating collaborative, accountable, continuous, and respectful relationships with Indigenous Nations and communities. However, in order for these words to carry significant weight they must be paired with action. The Spokane Indians Baseball Club is committed to continuing to identify and pursue actions associated with this land acknowledgment and working to create restorative justice for all.