



## Cherokee Tales

**Performing Artist Company:** Piccadilly Puppets

**Performing Artist Name:** Nancy Riggs

Ages: PreK- 5<sup>th</sup>

Run Time: 45 min

Categories: Puppetry, Storytelling, Theatre,  
Living History

# of Performers: 1

Price:	1 Show	2 Shows	3 Shows
	\$285.00	\$485.00	\$680.00

### Short Description:

Piccadilly's Chief One Feather puppet introduces students to the history, lifestyle, and religious practices of Georgia's early inhabitants—the Cherokee. With the help of puppets and audience volunteers, the puppeteer/storyteller then recounts a Cherokee creation story about how the earth was formed, how animals came to live on earth, and how fire was discovered. Students learn about the achievements of this noble tribe and the journey remembered today as the Trail of Tears. They also see the puppeteer in action, as this show takes place in the open rather than behind a curtain!

### Long Description:

#### Curriculum Standards:

SS2H2 The student will describe the Georgia Creek and Cherokee cultures of the past in terms of tools, clothing, homes, ways of making a living, and accomplishments.

ELACC2RL2: Recount stories, including fables and folktales from diverse cultures, and determine their central message, lesson, or moral.

### Attached Materials:

#### Puppets Used

- Overt rod puppetry

#### Venue Requirements:

- Maximum audience: 75 for preschool and 150 for elementary
- Clean and clear space available 30 min. prior
- Space needed: 10' wide x 6' deep.