MOON NAMES

ABENAKI

JANUARY Alamikos Greetings Maker Moon

Makes Branches Fall In Pieces Moon

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FEBRUARY Piaôdagos Makes Branches Fall In Pie
MARCH Mozokas Moose Hunter Moon
MID-MARCH Sigwankas Spring Season Maker Moon
APRIL Sogalikas Sugar Maker Moon
MAY Kikas Field Maker Moon
JUNE Nokahigas Hoer Moon
JULY Temaskikos Grass Cutter Moon
AUGUST Temezôwas Cutter Moon
SEPTEMBER Skamonkas Corn Maker Moon
OCTOBER Penibagos Leaf Falling Moon
NOVEMBER Mzatanos Freezing River maker Moon
DECEMBER Pebonkas Winter Maker Moon

AGONQUIN:

JANUARY- SQUOCHEE KESOS- SUN HAS NOT STRENGTH TO THAW
FEBRUARY- WAPICUUMMILCUM- ICE IN RIVER IS GONE
MARCH- NAMOSSACK KESOS- CATCHING FISH
APRIL - SUQUANNI KESOS- WHEN THEY SET INDIAN CORN
MAY- MOONESQUANIMOCK KESOS- WHEN WOMEN WEED CORN
JUNE- TWOWA KESOS- WHEN THEY HILL INDIAN CORN
JULY- MATTERLLAWAW KESOS- SQUASH ARE RIPE & INDIAN BEANS BEGIN TO

BE EDIBLE

AUGUST- MICHEENEE KESOS- WHEN INDIAN CORN'S EDIBLE
SEPTEMBER- POHQUITAQUNK KESOS- MIDDLE BETWEEN HARVEST AND EATING INDIAN

CORN

OCTOBER- PEPEWARR-WHITE FROST ON GRASS & GROUND

SAME AS PEPEWARR NOVEMBER- OUINNE KESOS-

DECEMBER- PAPSAPQUOHO

ANISHNAABE (CHIPPEWA, OJIBWE):

JANUARY - Gichi-manidoo-giizis GREAT SPRIT MOON
FERRUARY - Namebini-giizis SUCKER MOON

MARCH - Bebookwaadaagame-giizis(oog) SNOW CRUST MOON
APRIL - Iskigamizige-giizis(oog) BROKEN SNOWSHOW MOON
MAY - Waabigwani-giizis BLOSSOM MOON
JUNE - Ode'imini-giizis STRAWBERRY MOON
JULY - Aabita-niibino-giizis RASPBERRY MOON
AUGUST - Miini-giizis BERRY MOON AUGUST - Milni-gilzis ...

SEPTEMBER - Manoominike-gilzis RICE MOON

OCTOBER - Binaakwe-gilzis FALLING LEAVES

NOVEMBER - Gashkadino-gilzis (oog) FREEZING MOON

SMALL SPIRITS

FALLING LEAVES MOON

DECEMBER - Manidoo-gizisoons SMALL SPIRITS MOON

APACHE:

JANUARY - TIME OF FLYING ANTS APRIL - MOON OF THE BIG LEAVES

SEASON WHEN THE LEAVES ARE GREEN

JULY - MOON OF THE HORSE/TIME OF RIPENESS OCTOBER - TIME WHEN THE CORN IS TAKEN IN

NORTHERN ARAPAHO:

JANUARY - WHEN THE SNOW BLOWS LIKE SPIRITS IN THE WIND

FEBRUARY - FROST SPARKLING IN THE SUN MARCH - BUFFALO DROPPING THEIR CALVES

APRIL - ICE BREAKING IN THE RIVER

MAY - WHEN THE PONIES SHED THEIR SHAGGY HAIR

JUNE - WHEN THE HOT WEATHER BEGINS

JULY - WHEN THE BUFFALO BELLOWS

LATE JULY - WHEN THE CHOKEBERRIES BEGIN TO RIPEN

AUGUST - GEESE SHEDDING THEIR FEATHERS

SEPTEMBER - DRYING GRASS

OCTOBER - FALLING LEAVES
NOVEMBER - WHEN THE RIVERS START TO FREEZE

DECEMBER - POPPING TREES

ASSINIBOINE:

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JANUARY - Wicogandu Center Moon

FEBRUARY - Amhanska Long Dry Mon

MARCH - Wicinstayazan Sore Eye Moon

APRIL - Tabehatawi Frog Moon

MAY - Indiwiga Idle Moon

JUNE - Wahequosmewi Full leaf Moon

JULY - Wasasa Red Berries Moon

AUGUST - Capasapsaba Black Cherries Moon

SEPTEMBER - Wahpegiwi Yellow Leaf Moon

OCTOBER - Anukope Joins Both Sides Moon

Striped Gopher looks

Joins Both Sides Moon

Tasnaheja-hagikta Striped Gopher looks Back Moon

NOVENBER - Cuhotgawi Frost Moon

DECEMBER - Wicogandu-sungagu Center Moon's Younger Brother

CHEROKEE (MONTHS with help from Tu'ti):

JANUARY - UNOLVTANA - COLD MOON

FEBRUARY - KAGALI - BONY MOON

MARCH - ANVHYI - STRAWBERRY OR WINDY MOON

APRIL - KAWOHNI - FLOWER MOON

MAY - ANSGVTI - PLANTING MOON

JUNE - DEHALUYI - GREEN CORN MOON

JULY - KUYEGWONA - RIPE CORN MOON

AUGUST - GALOHNI - END OF THE FRUIT OR DRYING UP MOON

SEPTEMBER - DULISDI - NUT OR BLACK BUTTERFLY MOON

OCTOBER - DUNINHDI - HARVEST MOON NOVEMBER - NVDADEGWA - TRADING MOON DECEMBER - VSKIHYI - SNOW MOON

EASTERN CHEROKEE MOONS (thanks to Robert Graybear):

nvda kanawoga - COLD MOON

nvda kola -BONE MOON (so little food, people gnaw on bones

and eat bone marrow soup)
nvda unole - WIND MOON (when strong winds strip away the dead

wood and foliage and prepare the land for renewal)

nvda atsilusgi - FLOWER MOON (when plants come to life and bloom again and the Earth is renewed)

nvda gahlvsga - PLANTING MOON (strict translation "the putting it

in a hole moon")

nvda seluitseiyusdi - GREEN CORN MOON (when the corn is up and showing

itself as an identifiable crop)

nvda utsi'dsata' - CORN IN TASSEL MOON (when the corn is displaying

a tassel)

nvda seluuwa`nûñ`sa - RIPE CORN MOON nvda udatanvagisdi ulisdv - END OF FRUIT MOON

nvda udatanûñ - NUT MOON

nvda tsiyahloha - HARVEST MOON

nvda ganohalidoha - HUNTING MOON

nvda gutiha - SNOW MOON (when the first snows fall in the

mountains)

CHEYENNE:

JANUARY - MOON OF THE STRONG COLD APRIL - MOON WHEN THE GEESE LAY EGGS MAY - MOON WHEN THE HORSES GET FAT

SEPTEMBER DRYING GRASS MOON

OCTOBER - MOON WHEN THE WATER BEGINS TO FREEZE ON THE EDGE OF THE STREAMS

NOVEMBER - DEER RUTTING MOON
DECEMBER - MOON WHEN THE WOLVES RUN TOGETHER

EASTERN COMANCHE (Thanks to Lee R. Williams):

Ton mua year moon

Ukurooma mua - middle moon

February - Positsu mua - sleet moon

March - Nana?but.ituikatu mua

March - Nana?butituikatu mua - hot & cold Moon

Tahpooku mua - cottonball moon

April - Tahma mua - new Spring moon

May - Totsiyaa mua - flower moon

June - Puhi mua - leaf moon

July - Urui mua - hot moon

Pia mua - large moon

August - Tahma mua - Summer moon

Ukuiyuba mua - school (back to) moon

September - Taboo mua - school (back to) moon

October - Yuba mua - Fall Season moon

November - Yubaubi mua - heading to Winter moon

Aho Tabenihtu mua - big cold moon

Wahi mua - veergreen moon

13th Moon - Toh mua - year moon Tahpooku mua - cottonball moon

13th Moon - Toh mua year moon

CREE:

JANUARY - WHEN THE OLD FELLOW SPREADS THE BRUSH

(GISHEPAPIWATEKIMUMPIZUN)

FEBRUARY - OLD MONTH (CEPIZUN) MARCH - EAGLE MONTH
APRIL - GRAY GOOSE MONTH
MAY - FROG MONTH (MIGISUPIZUM) (KISKIPIZUN)

(ALIGIPIZUN)

JUNE - THE MONTH LEAVES COME OUT (SAGIPUKAWIPIZUN)

JULY - THE MOON WHEN DUCKS BEGIN TO MOULT (OPASKWUWIPIZUN)

AUGUST - THE MOON YOUNG DUCKS BEGIN TO FLY (OPUNHOPIZUN)

SEPTEMBER - WAVY OR SNOW GOOSE MONTH (WEWEOPIZUN)

OCTOBER - THE MOON THE BIRDS FLY SOUTH
NOVEMBER - THE MOON THE BIRDS FLY SOUTH OCTOBER - THE MOON THE BIRDS FLY SOUTH (OPINAHAMOWIPIZUN)
NOVEMBER - THE MOON THE RIVERS BEGIN TO FREEZE (KASKATINOPIZUN)

DECEMBER - WHEN THE YOUNG FELLOW SPREADS THE BRUSH

(PAPIWATIGINASHISPIZUN)

CREE (13 MOON VERSION - STARTS IN JANUARY):

GREAT OR MIDWINTER MOON APIHTAPIPUNPICIM OR KICEPICIM

EAGLE MOON MIKICIWPICIM GOOSE MOON KISKIHPICIM FROG MOON AYIKIPICIM LEAVES APPEAR MOON SAKIPAKAWPICIM

SAKIPAKAWPICIM
EGG HATCHING OR LAYING MOON PASKAWEHOWLPICIM OR PINAWEWIPICIM
FEATHER MOULTING MOON PASKOWRPICIM
STARTS TO FLY MOON OHPAHOWIPICIM
BREEDING MOON NO-TCTHITOPTCTM NO-TCIHLTOPICIM PINACKOPICIM LEAVES CHANGE COLOR MOON

FALLING LEAVES MOON
FROZEN OVER MOON
SCATTERING MOON OKASKATANOPICIM SCATTERING MOON PIWAKTCAKINACISPICIM

CREEK:

MULBERRY MOON

MAY -JULY -JULY - LITTLE RIPENING MOON AUGUST - BIG RIPENING MOON SEPTEMBER - LITTLE CHESTNUT MOON

NOVEMBER - MOON WHEN THE WATER IS BLACK WITH LEAVES

DECEMBER - BIG WINTER MOON

CREEK: (alternative) STARTS IN AUGUST

MUCH HEAT OR BIG RIPENING

LITTLE CHESTNUT BIG CHESTNUT IHOLI-FROST BIG WINTER LITTLE WINTER

MTND

LITTLE SPRING BIG SPRING MIII.BERRY BLACKBERRY

LITTLE HEAT OR LITTLE RIPENING

Haida: (from the University of Alaska website)

JANUARY - Táan Kungáay - Bear hunting moon
FEBRUARY - Hlgit'ún Kungáay - Goose moon
MARCH - Xitgáas Kungáay - Noisy goose moon
APRIL - Xíit Kungáay - Migratory geese moon
MAY - Tahálaa Kungáay - Food-gathering moon
JUNE - Gáan Kungáay - Berries ripen moon
JULY - Chíin Kungáay - Salmon moon

AUGUST - K'iit'aas Kungáay - Cedar bark for hat and baskets

SEPTEMBER - Kálk Kungáay - Ice moon
OCTOBER - Cha'áaw Kungáay - Bears hibernate
NOVEMBER - T'a'áaw Kungáay - Snow moon

DECEMBER - Gáangálang Kungáay - Ripe berries

HOPI: (from their web site)

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JANUARY - PAAMUYA - Month of Life at it's Height

FEBRUARY - POWAMUYA - Month of Purification and Renewal

MARCH - OSOMUYAW - Month of the Whispering Wind

APRIL - KWIYAMUYAW - Month of Windbreak

MAY - HAKITONMUYAW - Month of Waiting

JUNE - UYISMUYA - Month of Planting (also called WUKOUYIS)

JULY - KELMUYA - Month of Fledgling Hawk

NIMANMUYA - Month of the Homedance

AUGUST - PAAMUYA - Month of Joyful

TAALAPAMUYA - Month of Life at it's Height

SEPTEMBER - NASANMUYAW - Month of Full Harvest

Month of Plenty

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OCTOBER - ANGAQMUYAW - Month of Long Hair TUHO'OSMUYA - Month of Harvesting

NOVEMBER - KELMUYA - Month of Fledgling Hawk DECEMBER - KYAAMUYA - Month of Respect

Inuit (Eskimo):

JANUARY - Avunniviayuk FEBRUARY - Avunnivik MARCH - Amaolikkervik
APRIL - Kriblalikvik
MAY - Tigmiyikvik
JUNE - Nuertorvik
JULY - Padlersersivik
AUGUST - Krugyuat tingiviat

SEPTEMBER - Aklikarniarvik
OCTOBER - Tugluvik
NOVEMBER - Itartoryuk
DECEMBER - Kaitvitjuitk

Kalapuva:

JANUARY - Atalka - stay inside FEBRUARY - Atchiulartadsh - out of food

FEBRUARY - Atchiulartadsh - out of food

MARCH - Atcha-uyu - Spring, women dig camas

APRIL - Amanta Kotantal - time for pounding camas

MAY - Atantal - camas blooming time

JUNE - Anishnalya - camas ripe

JULY - Ameku or Waydyu Ameku - mid Summer

AUGUST - Akupiu - end of Summer

SEPTEMBER - Atchiutchutin - after harvest

OCTOBER - Atchalankuaik - start getting sagittair roots

NOVEMBER - Adshampak - not bad weather

KERESAN:

JANUARY - Nadzi-kisraiti

FEBRUARY - y'amuuni daawaatra
MARCH - Shch'ami daawaatra
APRIL - Bashch'atsishe daawaatra
MAY - Shawiitsishe daawaatra
JUNE - Sauhua daawaatra
JULY - Sina kisraiti
AUGUST - y'aamuni daawaatra SEPTEMBER - Kinati daawaatra

OCTOBER -NOVEMBER -

DECEMBER - Nachuweenu daawaatra

KIOWA:

EARLY FEBRUARY - LITTLE BUD MOON (KAGUAT P'A SAN)

EARLY MARCH - BUD MOON (KAGUAT P'A)

EARLY APRIL - LEAF MOON (AIDEN P'A)

LATE APRIL - SUMMER AGANTI: I'LL MAKE IT HOT SOON (PAI AGANTI)

LATE MAY - SUMMER TEPGAN: GEESE GO NORTH (PAI TEGPAN P'A)

JUNE - SUMMER MOON (PAI GANHINA P'A)

LATE JULY - LITTLE MOON OF DEER HORNS DROPPING OFF (TAGUNOTAL P'A SAN)

AUGUST - YELLOW LEAVES MOON (AIDENGUAK'O P'A)

SEPTEMBER - MOON WHEN THE LEAVES FALL OFF

EARLY OCTOBER - TEN-COLDS MOON (GAKINAT'O P'A)

LATE OCTOBER - WAIT UNTIL I COME (AGANTI)

LATE NOVEMBER - GEESE-GOING MOON (TEPGAN P'A)

LATE DECEMBER - REAL GOOSE MOON (GANHINA P'A) EARLY FEBRUARY - LITTLE BUD MOON (KAGUAT P'A SAN)

KUMEYAAY:

January Halamrtinya -Halanitca -February March April May Halakwol -Halanyimcep -Halatai -Halapisu -June

Halapısu Halamrtinya Halanitca Halakwol Halanyimcep Halatai
Sunc
July
August
September (start of KUMEYAAY year)
October
November Halapisu -December

LAKOTA (Thanks to Joseph RedCloud):

Wiotehika Wi - Hard moon.

Cannapopa Wi - Moon when the trees crack because of the cold.

Istawicayazan Wi - Moon of the sore eyes.

Wihakaktacepapi Wi - Moon when the wife had to crack bones for marrow fat. Canwape To Wi - Moon of the green leaves.

Wipazatkan Waste Wi - Moon when the June berries are good. Canpasapa Wi - Moon when the chokecherries are black.
Wasutoa Wi - Moon of the ripening.
Canwape Gi Wi - Moon of the brown leaves.
Canwape Kasna Wi - Moon when the wind shakes off the leaves.
Waniyetu Wi - Moon when winter begins.

Wanicokan Wi - Moon when the deer shed their antlers.

MANDAN-HIDATSA:

APRIL - MOON OF THE BREAKING UP OF THE ICE

NOVEMBER - MOON WHEN THE RIVER FREEZES

MOHAWK:

JANUARY - Tsothohrhko:wa the big cold Tsothohrhko:wa the big cold lateness

MARCH - Enniska much lateness

APRIL - Onerahtokha budding time

MAY - Onerahtohko:wa time of big leaf

JUNE - Ohiari:ha ripening time

JULY - Ohiarihko:wa time of much ripening

AUGUST - Seskehko:wa time of freshness

SEPTEMBER - Seskhoko:wa time of much freshness

OCTOBER - Kentenha time of poverty

NOVEMBER - Kentenhko:wa time of much poverty

DECEMBER - Tsothohrha time of cold JANUARY - 1000111 FEBRUARY - Enniska

MUSCOKEE (CREEK):

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January - Rv'fo Cusee Winter's Younger Brother
February - Hotvlee-hv'see Wind Month
March - Tasahcucee Little Spring Month
April - Tasahcee-rakko Big Spring Month
May - Kee-hvsee Mulberry Month
June - Kvco-hvsee Blackberry Month
July - Hiyucee Little Harvest
August - Hiyo-rakko Big Harvest
September - Otowoskucee Little Chestnut Month
October - Otowoskv-rakko Big Chestnut Month
November - Echolee Frost Month
December - Rvfo-rakko Big Winter

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OMAHA:

JANUARY - MOON WHEN SNOW DRIFTS INTO TIPIS

FEBRUARY - MOON WHEN GEESE COME HOME

MARCH - LITTLE FROG MOON

JUNE - MOON WHEN THE BUFFALO BULLS HUNT THE COWS

JULY - MOON WHEN THE BUFFALO BELLOW

SEPTEMBER - MOON WHEN THE DEER PAW THE EARTH

OSAGE:

MOON WHEN THE LITTLE FLOWERS DIE MAY -

AUGUST -YELLOW FLOWER MOON

PASSAMAQUODDY:

JANUARY - Opolahsomuwehs whirling wind month FEBRUARY - Piyatokonis when the spruce tips fall

MARCH - Siqon
APRIL - Ponatom spring moon spring moon

MAY - Siqonomeq
JUNE - Nipon Alewive moon summer moon ripening moon feather shedding moon

JULY - Accihte
AUGUST - Apsqe
SEPTEMBER - Toqakiw
OCTOBER - Amilkahtin autumn moon harvest moon NOVEMBER - Kelotonuhket freezing moon DECEMBER - Punam frost fish moon

PIMA:

JANUARY - Gi'ihothag mashath the weight loss month (when animals lose

their fat)

FEBRUARY - Kohmagi mashath the gray month (when trees are bare and

vegetation is scarce)

MARCH - Chehthagi mashath the green month
APRIL - Oam Mashath the yellow month
S-gevk mashath the strong month (when the trees begin

to bloom)
MAY - Ko'ok mashath

JUNE -JULY -AUGUST -SEPTEMBER - -OCTOBER -NOVEMBER -DECEMBER - -

PONCA:

JANUARY - SNOW THAWS MOON

MARCH - WATER STANDS IN THE PONDS MONTH

JUNE - HOT WEATHER BEGINS MOON

JULY - MIDDLE OF SUMMER MOON

AUGUST - CORN IS IN THE SILK MOON

OCTOBER - MOON WHEN THEY STORE FOOD IN CACHES

POTAWATOMI:

JANUARY - mkokisis month of the bear
FEBRUARY - Mnokesis month of rabbit conception
MARCH - cicakkises month of the crane
APRIL - -

MAY - Te'minkeses month of the strawberry

JUNE - Msheke'kesis month of the turtle

JULY - We'shkitdaminkese month of the young corn

AUGUST - e'mnomukkises month of the middle

SEPTEMBER - -

OCTOBER - e'sksegtukkisis month of the first frost NOVEMBER - Pne'kesis month of the turkey & feast

DECEMBER -

SHAWNEE (by Noel Schutz at http://www.shawnee-

traditions.com/ShawneeMoons.html)

January Ha'kwi kiishthwa Severe Moo February Haatawi kiishthwa Crow Moon Severe Moon

Shkipiye kwiitha Sap Moon Pooshkwiitha Half Moon March April

April Pooshkwiitha Half Moon

May Hotehimini kiishthwa Strawberry Moon

June Mshkatiwi kiishthwa Raspberry Moon

July Miini kiishthwa Blackberry Moon

August Po'kamawi kiishthwa Plum Moon

September Ha'shimini kiishthwa Papaw Moon

October Sha'teepakanootha Wilted Moon

November Kini kiishthwa Long Moon

December Washilatha kiishthwa Eccentric Moon

CENTRAL SHOSHONI (thanks to Lee R. Williams):

January - Goa-mea' - freezing moon
February - Isha-mea' - coyote moon
March - Yu'a-mea' - warming moon
April - Badua'-mea' - melting moon
May - Buhisea'-mea' - budding moon
June - Daa'za-mea' - (starts) summer moon
July - Daza-mea' - Summer moon
August - Guuteyai-mea' - hot moon

September - Yeba-mea' - Fall moon
October - Naa-mea' - rutting moon
November - Ezhe'i-mea' - cold moon
December - Dommo-mea' - Winter moon

TUMPISA (PANAMINT) SHOSHONE - by: Jon P. Dayley (thanks to Lee R. Williams)

January sumum muattsi 1st moon February waham muattsi 2nd moon March pahim muattsi
April wattsuwim muattsi
May manukim muattsi
June naapaim muattsi
July taattsuwim muattsi
August woosuwim muattsi 3rd moon 4th moon 5th moon 6th moon July August 7th moon 8th moon September wanukkim muattsi 9th moon October suumoonom muattsi 10th moon November sumuttum ma to'engkunna muattsi 11th moon December wahattum ma to'engkunna muattsi 12th moon pahittum ma to'engkunna muattsi 13th moon

SIOUX:

JANUARY - MOON OF STRONG COLD/FROST IN THE TEEPEE/WOLVES RUN TOGETHER

FEBRUARY - RACCOON MOON/DARK RED CALVES

MOON WHEN BUFFALO COWS DROP THEIR CALVES/OF THE SNOWBLIND/SORE MARCH -

EYE MOON

APRIL - MOON OF GREENING GRASS/RED GRASS APPEARING
MAY - MOON WHEN THE PONIES SHED
JUNE - MOON OF MAKING FAT/MOON WHEN GREEN GRASS IS UP/STRAWBERRY MOON JULY -MOON WHEN THE WILD CHERRIES ARE RIPE/RED CHERRIES/RED BLOOMING

LILIES

AUGUST - MOON WHEN THE GEESE SHED THEIR FEATHERS/CHERRIES TURN BLACK SEPTEMBER - MOON OF DRYING GRASS/WHEN CALVES GROW HAIR OR BLACK CALF/WHEN THE PLUMS ARE SCARLET

OCTOBER - MOON OF FALLING LEAVES/CHANGING SEASON

NOVEMBER - MOON OF THE FALLING LEAVES

DECEMBER - MOON OF POPPING TREES/WHEN DEER SHED THEIR HORNS/BUFFALO COW'S

FETUS IS GETTING LARGE

TEWA PUEBLO:

FEBRUARY - MOON OF THE CEDAR DUST WIND MOON WHEN THE LEAVES BREAK FORTH MOON WHEN THE LEAVES ARE DARK GREEN MARCH -JUNE -SEPTEMBER - MOON WHEN THE CORN IS TAKEN IN

NOVEMBER - MOON WHEN ALL IS GATHERED IN

Tlingit: (from a University of Alaska website) JANUARY - T'aawak Dís

Black bear moon FEBRUARY S'eek Dís

MARCH - Héentáanáx Kayaan'i Dís Underwater plants sprout
APRIL - X'eigaa Kayaaní Dís Budding moon of plants and shrubs
MAY - At gadaxéet yinaa Dís Month before pregnancy
JUNE - At gadaxéet Dís Birth moon
JULY - Xaat Dísi Salmon moon
AUGUST - Sha-ha-yi Berries ripe on mountain
SEPTEMBER - Dis Yádi Young (animals) moon Berries ripe on mountain
Young (animals) moon
Big moon
Scraping moon
Unborn seals are getting hair

SEPTEMBER - Dis Yádi
OCTOBER - Dís Tlein
NOVEMBER - Kukahaa Dís
DECEMBER - Shanáx Dís

WINNEBAGO:

FEBRUARY - FISH-RUNNING MOON PLANTING CORN MOON APRIL -MAY - HOEING-CORN MOON
JULY - CORN-POPPING MOON NOVEMBER - LITTLE BEAR'S MOON DECEMBER - BIG BEAR'S MOON

WISHRAM:

JANUARY - HER COLD MOON

FEBRUARY - SHOULDER TO SHOULDER AROUND THE FIRE MOON

MARCH - LONG DAYS MOON

APRIL - THE 8TH MOON

MAY - THE 9TH MOON

JUNE - FISH SPOILS EASILY MOON

JULY - SALMON GO UP THE RIVERS IN A GROUP MOON

AUGUST - BLACKBERRY PATCHES MOON

SEPTEMBER - HER ACORNS MOON

OCTOBER - TRAVEL IN CANOES MOON

NOVEMBER - SNOWY MOUNTAINS IN THE MORNING MOON DECEMBER - HER WINTER HOUSES MOON

YAQUI: (from the Pasqua Yaqui website - http://www.pascuayaquinsn.gov/history and culture/language/months.shtml) English - Normal Yaqui usage - Yaqui descriptive

January - Enero - Kesan Meecha
February - Febreo - Heka Meecha
March - Marzo - Waehma Meecha
April - Abril - Sewa Meecha
May - Mayo - Pahko Meecha
June - Hunio - Taa'a Meecha
July - Hulio - Yuku Meecha
August - Awohto - Kau Meecha
September - Septiembre - Yaut Yo'oria Meecha
October - Oktuvre - Yohti Meecha
November - Noviemvre - Animam Meecha
December - Deciembre - Jesu Cristo Toomtek Meecha

YUCHI:

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JANUARY: FROZEN GROUND SALATCPI
FEBRUARY: WIND HODADZO

MARCH: LITTLE SUMMER WADASINE

APRIL: BIG SUMMER WADAA

MAY: MULBERRY RIPENING DECONENDZO

JUNE: BLACKBERRY RIPENING CPACONENDZO

JULY: MIDDLE OF SUMMER WAGAKYA

AUGUST: DOG DAYS TSENEAGA

SEPTEMBER: HAY CUTTING TSOGALINETS

OCTOBER: CORN RIPENING TSOTOHOSTAN CPACONENDZO AUGUST: DOG DAYS TSENEAGA
SEPTEMBER: HAY CUTTING TSOGALINETSEE
OCTOBER: CORN RIPENING TSOTOHOSTANE
DECEMBER: MIDDLE OF WINTER HOCTADAKYA

ZUNT:

JANUARY - Dayamcho yachunne - MOON WHEN LIMBS OF TREES ARE BROKEN BY

SNOW

February - Onon u'la'ukwamme - no snow in trails moon March - Li'dekwakkya ts'ana - little sand storm moon
April - Li'dekwakkya lana - great sand storm moon
May - Yachun kwa'shi'amme - no name
June - Ik'ohbu yachunne - turning moon
July - Dayamcho yachunne - moon when limbs of are trees broken by

fruit

Onan u'la'ukwamme August -September - Li'dekwakkwya ts'ana

- Miyashshe:nak'ya - when everything ripens & corn is

harvested

OCTOBER - Li'dekwakkwya lana - BIG WIND MOON November - Yachun kwa'shi'amme

December - Ik'ohbu yachunne - turning moon or the sun has traveled

south to

his home to rest before he starts back

on his journey north

STARTS NOVEMBER, 6 NAMES, REPEAT W/SLIGHT VARIATION ILYA-KWETL COLD

HEHA-NIMSUP SNOW

HATAI COLD

HEHA-PSU RAIN HATYA-MATINYA RAIN IHY-ANIDJA GROWTH

KWURH NAMASAP ТАТ PSWI MATANAI ANAHA

HUCHNOM:

STARTS IN WINTER, TWO NAMES PER MOON

MIPA'OHOT OLD MAN FINGER, THUMB-MARCH

LONG FINGER MIPA-KOYE

MIPA'-OLSEL

YOHT-UMOL MAY

TREE LEAVES OLPALMOL

IM-POMOL YOHT-WANMOL IM-TOMOL IM-PUSMOL

DRY YOHT-POMOL

YOHT-USMOL

MOUNTAINS BURNED OVER OLOM-TOMOL

ON-TUTWIN

ON-WOI-MOL EARTH SMOKY (AUGUST-SEPTEMBER)

LEHPWANMOL OR LEHPWENE BEGINNING OF AUTUMN HUWOL-HUNTUSMOL ACORNS READY TO DROP

HUWOL-CHUKMOL ACORNS FALL MUNL-NANTMOL ICE ON STREAMS FIRE ? YEM-TAMOL HUNW-TANKMOL FISH FROZEN

KLAMATH:

STARTS IN AUGUST, COUNTED ON FINGERS

T-HOPO THUMB, BERRIES DRIED SPELUISH INDEX-FINGER, DANCING INDEX-FINGER, DANCING
MIDDLE-FINGER, LEAVES FULL
RING-FINGER, SNOW TAT-HELAM

KAPCHELAM

LITTLE FINGER, HEAVY SNOW KAPCHA

THUMB, LAKES FROZEN
INDEX-FINGER, RAIN & DANCING SPELUISH MIDDLE-FINGER, SUCKER FISHING RING-FINGER, "IPOS" GATHERING LITTLE-FINGER, SUCKERS DRIED TAT-HELAM KAPCHELAM KAPCHA

THUMB, "WOKAS" HARVEST T-HOPO

SPELUISH INDEX-FINGER, RETURN FROM HARVEST

JUANENO:

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STARTS AT WINTER SOLSTICE (ONLY 10 NAMES)
       A'APKOMIL (WINTER SOLSTICE)
       YARMAR
       ALASOWIL
       TOKOBOAICH
       SINTEKAR (SUMMER SOLSTICE)
       KUKWAT
       LALAVAICH
       AWITSKOMEL
       A'AWIT
FOOTHILL MAIDU:
STARTS IN MARCH
       KONO
                    BLACK OAKS TASSEL
       WIN-UTI
TEM-DIYOKO
                     FAWNS
       NEM-DIYOKO BIG MOUTH KAUI-TSON GROUND BU
                     GROUND BURN
       ESLAKUM MIDDLE
       MAT-MENI
                     ACORN BREAD
       BAPABOKA
       BO-LYE
                     TRAIL ?
       SAP
       INTO
       OMI-HINTSULI SQUINT ROCK
MOUNTAIN MAIDU:
STARTS IN MARCH
       BOM-TETNO TRAIL SIT ALONG
       KONO ?
       KULOKBEPINE OLD WOMAN ?
       NO NAME JUNE
       NO NAME JULY
       NO NAME AUGUST
       SE-MENI SEED
       TEM-TSAMPAUTO SMALL TREE FREEZE
       TETEM-TSAMPAUTA LARGE TREE FREEZE
       KANAIPINO UNDER BURN
       BOM-HINTSULI TRAIL SQUINT
                     TRAIL BREAKS OPEN
       BO-EKMEN
VALLEY MAIDU:
STARTS IN MARCH
       SHAWI OR SHA-KONO FLOWERS
       LAILA
                           GRASS
                           SEEDS, FISH, GEESE
       KON-MOKO
       NENG-KAUKAT
                          BIG SUMMER
       TUMI
                            SMOKEY
       TEM-SIMI
                           ACORNS RIPEN
       KUM-MENIM SHE-MENI ACORNS GATHERED
       SHAHWODO
                           ACORNS CACHED
       YAPAKTO
                           WINTER DIVIDED
       OMHINCHOLI
                           ICE LASTS ALL DAY
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YEPONI OR BOM-PENE: CEREMONIAL INITIATE OR 2 TRAILS

KAKA-KANO PATTERING SHOWERS

MAYA: (they had a different calendar system)

Pop Mat Uo Frog Stag Zip Zotz Bat Tzec Skull End Xul

Yaxkin Tender sun (green)

Mol Reunion
Chen Well
Yax Green
Zac White Ceh Deer Mac Cover

Kankin Mature sun (yellow)

Muan Owl Pax Music Kayab Turtle Cumhu Dark God Uayeb Specters

NATCHEZ:

STARTS IN MARCH

DEER MOON

NUTS MOON

STRAWBERRY MOON LITTLE CORN MOON WATERMELON MOON PEACHES MOON MULBERRIES MOON MAIZE MOON TURKEY MOON BISON MOON BEAR MOON COLD MEAL MOON CHESTNUTS MOON

AZTEC: (they had a different calendar system)

ızcalli Resurrection
Atlcahualco Departure of the waters Tlacaxipehualiztli Slaughtering of dogs

Tozoztontli Little Vigil
Hueytozoztli Grand Vigil
Toxcatl Dry Thing

Etzalcualiztli Meal of Corn and Bean
Tecuilhuitontli Little Feast of Lords
Hueytecuilhuitl Grand Feast of The Dead
Hueymiccailhuitl Grand Feast of The Dead

Ochpaniztli Sweeping
Pachtontli Small Hay
Hueypachtli Large Hay
Quecholli Flamingo

Panquetzaliztli Raising of the Banners

Atemoztli Lowering of water

Titl Shrinking
Nemontemi Empty Days

POMO:

STARTS APPROXIMATELY IN JANUARY

BASHELAMATAU-LA BUCKEYES RIPE SACHAU-DA COLD WINDS KADAMCHIDO-DA GROWTH BEGINS

CHIDODAPUK FLOWERS
UMCHACHICH-DA SEEDS RIPEN

BUTICH-DA BULBS MATURE (THE "BRODIACA")

BAKAICHICH-DA MANZANITA RIPENS LUCHICH-DA ACORNS APPEAR

SHACHLUYIAU-DA SOAPROOT DUG FOR FISH POISON KALEMKAYO TREES FELLED BY FIRE AT BUTT

KASI-SA COLD BEGINS

STALPKEL-DA LEAVES YELLOW AND FALL

YUROK:

START IN LATE DECEMBER

KOHTSEWETS
NA'AIWETS
NAHKSEWETS
TSONA'AIWETS

MEROYO KOHTSAWETS TSERWERSERK KNEWOLETEU

KERERMERK OR PIA'AGO RED BERRIES GATHERED

WETLOWA OR LE'LO'O

NOHSO TIME OF ACORN GATHERING

HOHKEMO

KA'AMO COLD TIME

SEASON NAMES

ABENAKI

SPRING: SIGWAN
SUMMER: NIBEN
FALL: TAGWOGO
WINTER: PEBON

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EARLY SPRING: SIGUN

LATE SPRING: MILUSKAMIN EARLY SUMMER: NIPIN

LATE SUMMER: MEGWANIPIU EARLY FALL: TUKWAGUN LATE FALL: MIGISKAU EARLY WINTER: PICHIPIPUN LATE WINTER: MEGWAPIPUN

PAITUE (thanks to Lee R. Williams)

December is the Beginning of Winter Month

March is the Beginning of Spring Month

June is Beginning of Summer Month

Tatza muha June is Beginning of Summer Month Tatza muha
September is Beginning of Autumn Month Yubano muha

POWHATAN (THEY HAD A FIFTH SEASON FOR THE "EARING OF THE CORN": NEPINOUGH)

WINTER: POPANOW SPRING: CATTAPEUK SUMMER: COHATTAYOUGH FALL: TAOUITOCK

TUMPISA (PANAMINT) SHOSHONE - by: Jon P. Dayley (thanks to Lee R. Williams)

SPRING: TAHMA (in the springtime tahmani) SUMMER: TATSA (in the summertime tatsawani)
FALL: YUPANI (in the autumn yupanwani)
WINTER: TOMMO (In the wintertime tomowani)

YUCHI

WICTA WINTER:

HINA WADELE

SPRING: SUMMER: WADE YACADILE FALL:

DAY NAMES

ABENAKI:

Sunday - Sanda

Monday - Kizsanda

Tuesday - Nisda Alokan

Wednesday - Nsida Alokan

Thursday - Iawda Alokan

Friday - Skawatukwikisgad

Saturday - Kadawsanda

CHEROKEE:

SUNDAY - UNADODAGWASGVI MONDAY - UNADODAGWOHNVI TUESDAY - TALINE IGA

WEDNESDAY- JOINE IGA
THURSDAY- NVHGINE IGA
FRIDAY - JUNHGILOSDI
SATURDAY- UNADODAGWIDENA

CHICKASAW:

SUNDAY -NITAK HULLO

MONDAY -MUNTI TUESDAY -CHOSTI WEDNESDAY -WINSTI

THURSDAY - SOISTI
FRIDAY - NAM ULHCHIFA NITAK
SATURDAY - NITAK HULLO NUKFISH

Chippewa: (Ojibwe)

ANA'MI'E-GIJI'GAD SUNDAY -MONDAY -NITAM-GIJIGAD TUESDAY -NIJO-GIJIGAD WEDNESDAY -ABITOOSE-GIJIGAD THURSDAY -NIWING-GIJIGAD FRIDAY - NANING-GIJIGAD
SATURDAY - NINGOOT'WASSO-GIJIGAD