

NADINE AUDITION Scene #1

She is a pretty, smart and talented Sunaquot high school Lacrosse player. Her father, Logan, is the Tribal Chairman. Joe is her 33 year old brother who becomes the reservation's rag-tag Lacrosse team's new coach.

INT. LOGAN HOUSE - DAY

Chief Logan sits at his table in a comfortable, but modest home. His attention is drawn to Nadie, somehow managing coffee and eggs, sitting them down before her father. His disappointment registers with her. Not about the food.

LOGAN: Why did you disobey my wishes?

NADIE: **Because we were getting killed
Daddy and nobody cared.**

LOGAN: I cared. I played on that same
field as a boy.

NADIE: **And I'm as good as any boy we've
got now. How am I gonna get a
scholarship if nobody sees me play?**

LOGAN: I've heard that once before, Nadie.
under this very roof.

That shuts her up. He sips his coffee, glances up to family photos of Nadie, Joe and his deceased wife.

LOGAN: Your brother came to the Pow Wow.

Nadie looks up, hopeful.

LOGAN: He wants more land to expand his
bingo parlor into a casino.

Her face falls at the disgusted tenor of his voice.

NADIE: **I know. Everybody knows. Just
because he left the rez, Daddy,
doesn't mean he's wrong.**

There's a HONK outside. She gathers her school books to leave.

NADIE: **Talk to him. Better yet, listen.**

END SCENE.

NADINE AUDITION Scene #2

The Lacrosse team has just suffered a very bad loss.

INT. SUNAQUOT BUS - DAY

Joe glares out the window. This team has been glum before, but this is downright demoralizing. Until--

NADIE: Hey. Everybody listen up.

She charges up the bus and stands at the front.

**NADIE: Chad Bryan just told me Marston
lost to Bernard, last second.**

SILVERFOOT: So?

**NADIE: So, no one expected Bernard to win,
which is why we had to. But we're
still tied with Marston, and since
we beat them twice, we get the last
spot. We're in the playoffs!**

It takes a second... but the bus erupts with joy, rocking side to side as the team celebrates. Joe registers this news with more concern than one would expect. Nadie sits beside him.

NADIE: What's wrong with you? We did it.

JOE: I know. That's great news.

She studies him for a beat.

NADIE: Why did Emmitt say you choked?

JOE: Can I just have a second here?

Hurt, she heads back as the bus begins to move.

END SCENE