

26th Annual Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Tribe Earth Week



Events Program Newsletter April 14th - April 19th

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Featured Artwork by Amy Kennison, 3rd place art contest winner for the adult category.



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26th Annual Earth Day Celebration

WHEN: Saturday, April 19th, 2025

10am—2pm



WHERE: Oats Park, 199 W. Park St., Fallon, NV 89406

WHAT: We welcome you to bring your pop-up shade, blankets, and lawn chairs to relax and enjoy the celebration in honoring our Mother Earth. Live band River Rogue and Dock 6 will be jamming on the Centennial Stage. The Pyramid Lake High School Pudu Nagudu Dancers will perform along side the Young Chief Drum. Also, we welcome back the Jolly Juggler! Join us for a day of nature learning, music, entertainment, activities, and raffles!



**EARTH
DAY**

The strength of Earth Day lies in its grassroots nature, and within our power as individuals. It's the common voice of concerned citizens that pushes governments and corporations to make bold commitments and take decisive actions. By engaging in community initiatives, participating in local and national elections with renewable energy in mind, and making sustainable choices in daily life, individuals are the inspiration for change. This people-powered inspiration demonstrates that when we unite our voices and actions, we can overcome even the most resistant system and create a cleaner, more reasonable energy future for all.

This Earth Day 2025, let us commit to harnessing renewable energy to build a healthy, sustainable, fair and prosperous future for all of us. Support and adopt the rapid transition to renewable energy sources now, be it solar, wind, hydro-electric, or geothermal. From governments, to global industry and local businesses, families and individuals – the true power lies in the hands of individuals like you. People power is the driving force behind this transformation to clean energy.

In 2025, as EARTHDAY turns 55, join us as we embrace a powerful, renewable future.

IT'S OUR POWER, IT'S OUR PLANET

Housing Notice: Earth Week Dumpster Days!

For Large and Bagged Items Only

Dumpster Use

April 14th - 17th from 8:00 am to 4:45 pm

These dates & times are for the **general tribal public** to have access to the dumpsters located at:

Natural Resource Yard—8820 Mission Road
and

Environmental yard—1011 Rio Vista Drive

Please check in at the gate before entering.

Elders / Special Needs

Large Item Pick up for Elders/ Special needs: Limited to THREE items from elders on the Reservation or Colony. Call Housing to sign up for a pick up 423-3321



NO HAZARDOUS WASTE, PAINT, TIRES, BATTERIES, BURN BARRELS

Earth Day Community Clean-Up Day

WHEN: Tuesday, April 15th, 2025

9am—1pm

WHERE: Colony Sign-In/Out: Environmental Office

Reservation Sign-In/Out: CLC Gym

WHAT: The Environmental Department will be hosting a community clean-up day for the reservation and colony areas. Community members and tribal employees are invited to participate. Safety vests, trash bags, latex gloves, grabbers, and bottled water are provided.

Please contact the Environmental Department at 423-0590 to register.

Free Earth Day T-Shirts and lunch to go will be provided.

Community



Clean - Up

Residential Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

The Environmental Protection Department will be hosting a residential household hazardous waste (HHW) collection day during Earth Day activity week in April.

WHO: Tribal Community Residents Only

WHEN: Wednesday, April 16th, from 8am to 4pm

WHERE: Environmental Protection Dept.
1011 Rio Vista Drive, Fallon NV 89406

Please keep the materials in their original containers whenever possible and bring them to the collection site in cardboard boxes to ease unloading. Reusable containers will be emptied and returned.

What can I dispose of?

- **Garden products:** pesticides, herbicides, fertilizers and sprays
- **Paints and related products:** spray paint, stains, varnish, thinner, remover and adhesives
- **Household cleaners:** bleach, solvents and sprays, acid and caustic cleaners
- **Auto products:** old fuel, oil, oil filters, waxes, polishes, additives and batteries
- **Propane tanks, aerosols, fire extinguishers. Photo and pool chemicals**
- **E-waste**

Items not accepted:

- **Commercial or Agricultural Hazardous Waste**
- **Ammunition**
- **Explosives**
- **Asbestos**
- **DEA Controlled Substances**
- **Radioactive Waste (smoke detectors)**
- **Compressed Gas Cylinders (other than propane, aerosols and fire extinguishers)**
- **Preserved Wood**
- **Laboratory Chemicals or Sewage**
- **Latex Paint (Latex Paint is not toxic and once solidified can be disposed of in your household trash.)**

Household Hazardous Waste Collection



Emergency Preparedness Night

WHEN: Wednesday, April 16th
6pm-8pm

WHERE: Stillwater Reservation GYM—8955 Mission Road

WHAT: Learn about natural disaster preparedness. There will be a frybread contest and NDN tacos will be served!
This talk will be community oriented because preparedness is a shared responsibility. Get involved before disaster strikes!



Hosted by the Emergency Management Department

For more information, please call Jackie Conway (775) 867-8706

Movie Night: RUMBLE

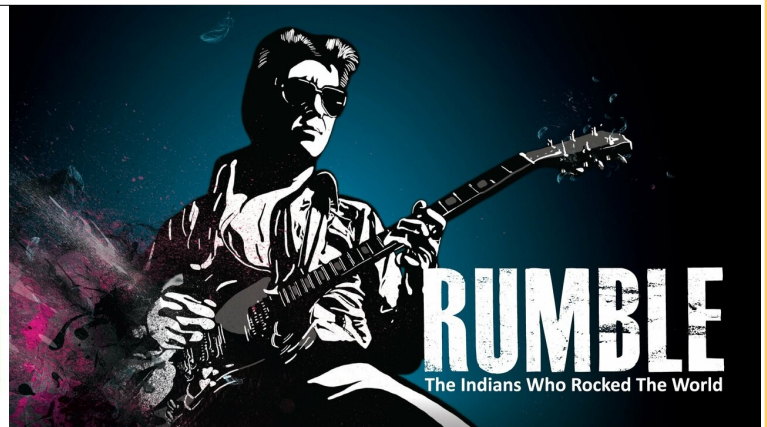
WHEN: Thursday, April 17, 2025
Movie Starts at 6:00 p.m.

WHERE: Fox Peak Cinema

Join us for a **free** movie!



Rated R—Adult Language



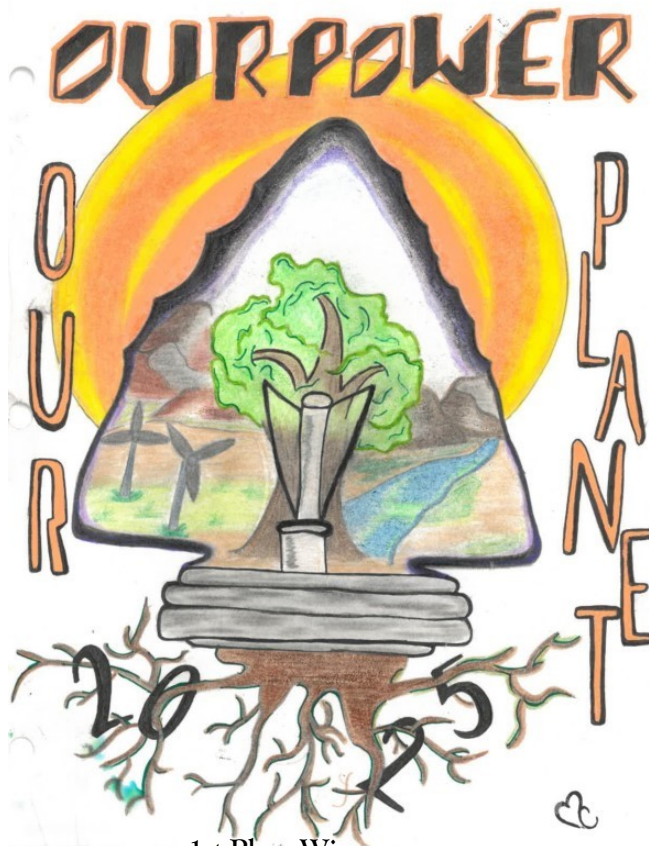
This powerful documentary about the role of Native Americans in contemporary music history—featuring some of the greatest music stars of our time—exposes a critical missing chapter, revealing how indigenous musicians helped shape the soundtracks of our lives and, through their contributions, influenced popular culture. Pick up your free movie pass wristband!

FPST Environmental Dept. @ 1011 Rio Vista Dr.

Tribal Administration Building @ 565 Rio Vista Dr.



Art Contest Winners—Adult Category



1st Place Winner:
Melissa R. Carter



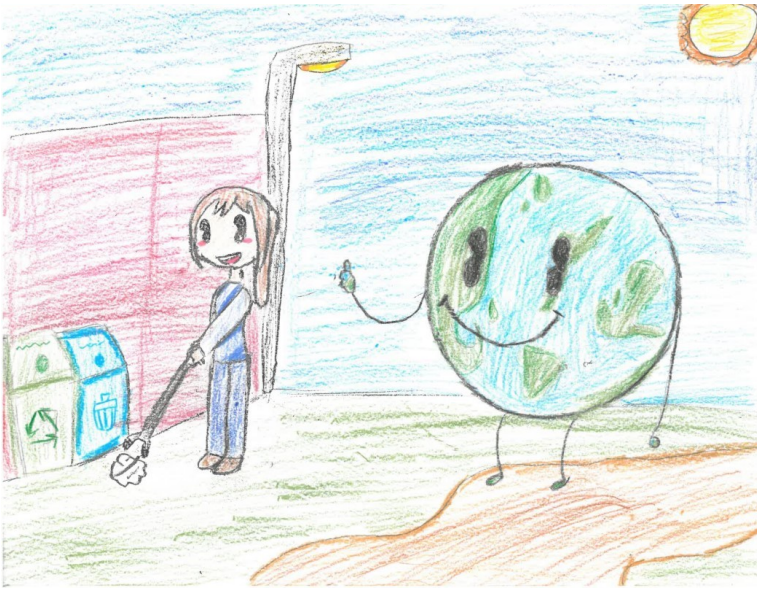
2nd Place Winner:
Tiffany Welch



3rd Place Winner:
Amy Kennison

"Humankind has not woven the web of life. We are but one thread within it. Whatever we do to the web, we do to ourselves. All things are bound together. All things connect."
Chief Seattle, 1855

Art Contest Winners—Youth Category



1st Place Winner:
Nina Henry



3rd Place Winner:
MiaKoda Hicks

A special Thank You to the FPST Law Enforcement Department for Judging our art submissions!



2nd Place Winner:
Autum Kiltz

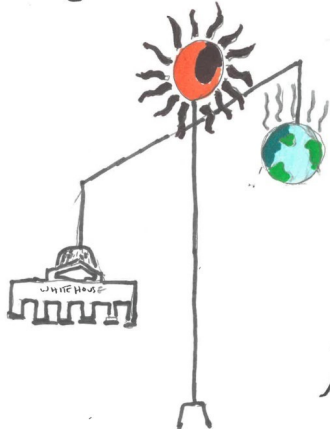


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Ernest C. Valenzuela



Minami May



Kimberly L. Johnson