

NUMA NEWS



Memorial Day Ceremony Monday, May 26, 2025

“Honoring our Veterans & Warriors”

All Veterans & Warriors are welcome to participate, please meet at the Wadsworth or Nixon cemetery 15 minutes prior to scheduled service.



VETERANS CEREMONY & LAYING OF WREATHS

10:00 am Wadsworth Cemetery

11:30 am Nixon Cemetery

Join us for a Community Luncheon remembering our VETERANS

Nixon Gym, 12:30 pm

FOOD DONATIONS APPRECIATED

IN HONOR OF PASSED PLYWO MEMBERS. SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Wayne Burke, Richard Leyva, Lawrence “JR” Mandell, Gary “Yadda” McCloud, Clayton “Skindo” Servilcan, Bobby Burns, James “JP” Plympton, Bo Sargent, Ralph Burns & Honorary Members Sandy Sargent & Sharon Williams

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- A reminder that PUD payments can be mailed to PUD, PO Box 474, Nixon, NV 89424. They can also be paid by phone w/ credit/debit card at (775) 294-1459.

Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe

208 Capitol Hill

PO Box 256

Nixon, NV 89424

Phone: 775-574-1000

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(775) 574-1000 ext. 1102

Or by e-mail:

adminassistant@plpt.nsn.us

Memorial Day

2025



**Remembering The Brave that Courageously Gave
Their All for Today's Freedoms.**

Thank You For Your Service.

No MORE
STOLEN SISTERS

Long Live Anna



Justice
For Anna
Marie
Scott

“Say Her
Name”

No MORE
STOLEN SISTERS
6/10/1998-2/3/2022

#JUSTICEFORANNAMARIESCOTT

Anna Marie Scott was murdered February 02/03/2022, her body burned in her car on Southbound I-580.

Anyone with information should contact the WCSD Detective Division at (775) 328-3320 or Secret Witness at (775) 322-4900. Refer to case #WC22-563.

In Memoriam



Te Pesa Pewukwaeyoona
Ralph Edward Burns

Kooma - Naa'a - Pabe'e - Togo'o - Hube'e - Aatse - Hi'e - Tunetooedu - Tookwasu - Bua'a

Tabatseboona
December 13, 1944

Tabaegana
April 25, 2025

Viewing & Funeral Service
Saturday, May 3, 2025 at 10 am - Viewing
Saturday, May 3, 2025 at 11 am - Service
Nixon Gymnasium, Nixon, NV

Burial
Nixon Cemetery, Nixon, NV

Traditional Potluck Dinner
will follow after burial at the
Nixon Gymnasium, Nixon, NV

Food donations are appreciated



Naa'agapu Peagapuno - William Burns & Bernita Teton-Winnemucca
Nodukwa - Maxine Wilder-Burns
Tooamoobe - Jennie, Juliagapu, Ralphgapu Jr., Janine, Janell, Sheri & Monica
Togo'otse - Kendallgapu, Ashley, Jordan, Wesleygapu, Lynelle,
Lawerance, Nicole, AJ, Krista, Vanessa, Gabby & Bernai
Hubetse - Erv, Elias, Aaron, Trystan, Emilia, Noah & Haizen

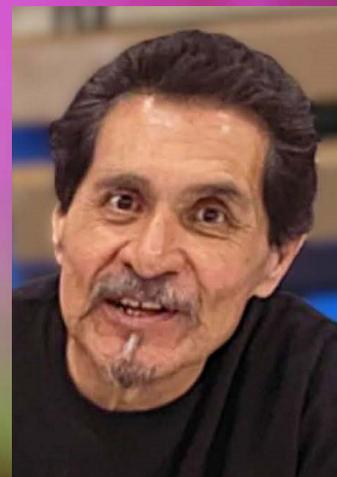


Flowers can be delivered before the funeral service to:
Walton's Funeral Home
2155 Kietzke Lane
Reno, Nevada 89502



Joanie M. Sargent
Sunrise: August 06, 1958
Sunset: April 26, 2025

Services took place in
Carson City, NV.



Rick Dunnett
Sunrise: April 10, 1964
Sunset: May 7, 2025

Services took place in Schurz, NV.



Loretta Jeanne Pancho
Sunrise: July 10, 1964
Sunset: May 6, 2025

Services took place in
Nixon, NV.



*Ralph Burns University of Nevada
Honorary Doctorate Reception;
a snapshot of a teacher and his
student.*

Pesha Mu

What up Natives!? *Nu Janine Winnemucca na'nea'a*, Fonz's girl.

Pesha mu to Laker Volunteers who helped with the cemetery dig and box preparation.

Pesha mu to Laker Volunteers who helped cook the meat & stew.

Pesha mu to the Laker administration who lined out the proper protocol during a stressful time.

Pesha mu for all the locals, family, friends, and dignitaries who travel to Nixon to send off our Dad with a bang!

Pesha mu for all the bread makers, baddy beaders, visionary sewers, and prayer warriors, the love was felt!

Pesha mu for all the cooks who designed a good old Indian potluck, *pesha kema!*

Pesha mu for all the speakers who glorified our dad both in English & Numu storytelling.

Let us heal as a community by knowing full well our dad, Ralph, is talking 100 mph to our Numu who has walked on before him; especially his Gram Nina.

On that note, to all the students and language warriors, our dad was a fire starter in the sense he wanted our Numu language to continue both in spirit and mind; *let's make him proud!*

Pesha mu for all the kind thoughts, prayers, and words of encouragement as it's helped his journey to 'the good place'.

**Respectfully,
Ralph Burns' Family.**

The Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe Proudly Invites You to the
"TE NANUMU MAGODYUKU" "BRINGING THE PEOPLE HOME"

SACRED VISIONS

14TH ANNUAL POW-WOW

JULY 11-13, 2025

Big Bend Ranch,
Wadsworth, NV

GRAND ENTRY Friday: 7pm
Saturday: 12pm & 7pm
Sunday: 12pm

PUBLIC WELCOME

FREE Admission | FREE Camping

Host Drum—Duck Valley Singer
Owyhee, NV

Master of Ceremonies—Gary Watson
Ft. Hall, ID

Arena Director—Art Martinez
Carson City, NV

**Native Arts & Crafts
Special Events**

FRIDAY

- ◆ Sunrise Ceremony—6am
- ◆ Hand Games—7pm

SATURDAY

- ◆ Fun Run—8am
- ◆ Hand Games—1pm
- ◆ Traditional Paiute Buckskin Contest—TBA

SUNDAY

Hand Games—1pm

Drum Contest—Jonathan Lowery
775-247-5648

Royalty Contest—Rebecca Dodd
775-462-5101

Pow-Wow Raffles

DRUG FREE EVENT | The Sacred Visions Powwow Committee and Sponsors are not responsible for short funded travelers, thefts, damages, or injuries.

NO Weapons, firearms, or fireworks permitted.

Powwow Committee:

PO Box 897, Wadsworth, NV 89442

Point of Contact:

Joyce McCauley 775-899-4530

Anita Dunn 775-771-2683

Vendors:

Angey Dunn 775-412-8624

or angeyfaye@yahoo.com

Host Hotel:

Comfort Suites 775-980-6514

Fernley, NV

Sponsored by the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe,
Pyramid Lake Veterans & Warriors Organization,
Pyramid Lake Tribal Health Clinic, and Volunteers

Cobell Indian Trust Settlement



INDIAN TRUST SETTLEMENT

Are you an Heir of an Individual Indian Money Account Holder?

**\$38 MILLION IS AVAILABLE TO PAY HEIRS.
THE DEADLINE TO FILE A CLAIM IS JUNE 30, 2025.**

What is this about?

A \$3.4 billion dollar settlement was approved in a class action lawsuit, called *Cobell v. Salazar*, that claimed individual Indian land, funds and other assets were mismanaged by the federal government.



A copy of a tribal, or state, or federal probate order is needed to establish whether the Settlement Administrator can pay the heir(s) directly for the estate's Settlement award.

Who is eligible?

You are eligible for a money award if you are an heir of one or more of the over 17,000 Individual Indian Money (IIM) account holders whose *Cobell* settlement awards were not distributed. You must submit a claim form with proof that you are an heir. Claim forms can be submitted online or can be downloaded and mailed to the administrator by June 30, 2025. More details are available on the website.

If you do not have a tribal or state probate order but a personal representative or executor has been named for the estate, funds can be released to the representative or executor and they will be responsible for distributing the funds according to the wishes of the deceased Class Member.

Here is what you need.

Heir eligibility proof includes any of the following:

- A state or tribal probate order identifying estate heirs; or
- A last will and testament approved by a probate order; or
- A small estate document from an approved state in accordance with small estate procedures; or
- Documentation showing the appointment of an estate Executor, Administrator, or Personal Representative; or
- A federal probate order that directs distribution of trust funds or trust lands.

After the deadline, all remaining funds will be distributed to the Cobell Scholarship Fund, which is managed by Indigenous Education, Inc.

LEARN MORE
CobellSettlement.com
800-961-6109

Indian Trust Settlement
c/o Kroll Settlement Administration
P.O. Box 5324
New York, NY 10150-5324

YOU MUST ACT QUICKLY | THE DEADLINE IS JUNE 30, 2025.

Washoe County Sheriff's—Hasty Team FB Post, May 13, 2025

Yesterday evening, the Washoe County Sheriff's Office received a request for assistance from the Pyramid Lake Police Department for a possible water rescue on Pyramid Lake near Anahoe Island. Two females had been paddleboarding when they had been blown away from shore towards the east by increasingly strong winds and were unable to get back to shore.

Two Hasty Team rescue swimmers and a team Paramedic, along with members of the Sheriff's Specialized Vehicle Unit (SVU) who brought Marine 20, responded to staging at the Pelican Point boat ramp, where they deployed to locate and assist the two stranded paddleboarders.

With assistance from Pyramid Lake PD, who maintained visual contact with the two subjects via binoculars, Marine 20 was able to quickly locate and retrieve the two paddleboarders who had been blown nearly 6 miles off shore by strong winds.

Everyone returned to staging at Pelican Point unharmed and the two females and their paddleboards were returned to their families by Pyramid Lake Police.

With summer boating and watersports season just getting started, just a quick friendly reminder from the Sheriff's Office to always wear an appropriate Personal Flotation Device (PFD) when you are recreating on our local lakes and rivers.



Environmental law backed by Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe passes Nevada Senate

Nevada Public Radio | By Jimmy Romo-Buenrostro

Published April 28, 2025 at 10:50 AM PDT

A bill that passed the Nevada Senate on Tuesday could acknowledge that sovereign tribal nations are on the same level as municipalities in matters of environmental notice. The proposed law, backed by the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, came about in response to an incident that allowed pollution to flow into the lake from upstream for more than a year and a half.

The Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe is a sovereign nation, but tribal leaders say they feel other municipalities sometimes forget that. Case in point: In 2023, the tribe was left in the dark as millions of gallons of sewage spilled into the Truckee River, making its way downstream to Pyramid Lake.

Senate Bill 276, currently being considered in the legislature, proposes to address future water pollution notifications. In doing so, it acknowledges tribal sovereignty.

The Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe didn't learn of the 2023 incident until a local TV station reported it. According to News 4 in Sparks, Nevada, construction crews accidentally mixed up sewage and storm drain lines while building the Atrium Apartments. The mistake sent the equivalent of nearly four Olympic swimming pools of sewage into the Truckee River.

Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe Chairman Steven Wadsworth says the city of Sparks never notified the tribe.

"How do you get away with doing that? Fixing the problem and then still not notifying those down river that there was a problem, there was sewage spilt? As a tribe, it's like a slap in the face."

Sewage lines carry more than just human waste. Chemicals, oils, cleaning products and potentially harmful pathogens may also have made their way to the lake over more than a year.

"You need to inform those that could be affected. You need to have that government-to-government relationship. If your city inspectors didn't do it correctly and they report it to their higher ups, and they of course keep reporting it on up the chain. We're not talking about going up the chain, what about those that are on the same level as you are. And that's the thing, when it came to the same level, you did not report to the tribe."

The proposed law would require any municipality or water

authority that knows of an unauthorized spill into state waters to notify the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection. The division would then notify potentially impacted tribes or local governments.

No law requiring a municipality to inform a tribe of a spill currently exists. Previously, the city's policy left the notification responsibility to the property owner, according to the city of Sparks.

The city has since adjusted its policy.

For the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, the lake's health is tantamount to their health.

"The lake and the river is everything to the tribe. That's because our namesake, Cui-ui-Tuccutta, which translates to fish eater, that is our namesake. That's what we are known as, here at Pyramid Lake. That is just the core of our being, you know."

In an emailed response, the City of Sparks said the "oversight was simply a regrettable human error."



Jimmy Romo-Buenrostro

Jimmy joined Nevada Public Radio in Feb. 2025.

For more news stories from KNPR's Jimmy Romo-Buenrostro, please type in the link. <https://knpr.org/people/jimmy-romo-buenrostro>

Pyramid Lake MMIP Solidarity Walk, May 9, 2025.

NO MORE STOLEN RELATIVES



All Photos By: Diana Mitchell



Pyramid Lake Paiute Community Calls for Justice at MMIP Solidarity Walk

by Brian Wadsworth, Native Public Media

February 20, 2025

Nixon, NV — The Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe came together in a powerful show of unity, remembrance, and hope during its recent MMIP Solidarity Walk, a community event dedicated to honoring missing and murdered Indigenous Persons (MMIP) and demanding justice for those who can no longer speak for themselves.

The day began with a heartfelt prayer from respected elder Reynelda James, followed by opening remarks from tribal leaders and community members who shared messages of condolence, strength, and solidarity. As families of missing and murdered loved ones stood in solemn remembrance, the walk served as a painful reminder of loss and a testament to the unyielding spirit of the Pyramid Lake Paiute people.

Native Public Media participated in the event with an informational booth on the Federal Communications Commission's new Missing and Endangered Persons (MEP) Alert. The MEP Alert supports Tribal communities in issuing urgent alerts for at-risk lives. Many attendees were unaware of the MEP Alert Code, but all agreed it is a crucial resource in helping Tribal Nations respond more effectively to MMIP cases.

A key moment of the day was the debut of the documentary "Not Forgotten" by a young Indigenous filmmaker. The film shares the stories of Amanda Davis and Anna Scott, both Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal members who were taken too soon. Amanda and her unborn son, Ezra, were brutally murdered in 2020. Their killer was convicted. Amanda's mother encouraged others to remain strong and never give up hope.

The family of Anna Scott, whose body was found in a burned vehicle in Reno, expressed their deep frustration with law enforcement's handling of the case, jurisdictional confusion, and the media's lack of attention. Her case remains open, but her family remains determined to pursue justice.

The MMIP Solidarity Walk united families, advocates, and organizations in a healing space where stories were shared, resources exchanged, and lives remembered. "This walk is about more than grief," said one participant. "It's about resilience, it's about action, and it's about making sure we never forget our loved ones."





May 14, 2025 Congratulations to the Pesa Sooname Advisory Group on a successful Nevada Tribal Summit on Age- and Dementia-Friendly Care!

This year's summit "**Mind: Exploring Cognitive Health and Mental Well-Being in Native Communities**" brought together tribal leaders, healthcare providers, care partners, and community members to explore cognitive health and dementia through a lens of cultural relevance and community strength. With a focus on risk reduction, care and support, and community-based solutions, the Summit fostered moving, meaningful dialogue and presented actionable strategies to support mental well-being in Native communities.

The 2025 Summit was the first of five annual Summits (2025 - 2029) organized around the "5M's" of age-friendly care: Mind, Mobility, Medication, Multi-complexity, and what Matters most.

89 people representing 12 tribes, from Nevada and beyond, participated in the Summit, with almost universal positive feedback!

Our next newsletter will feature a more thorough re-cap of the Summit and the insights shared throughout the day!

Stay in the loop about next year's Nevada Tribal Summit on Age- and Dementia-Friendly Care at : <https://NevadaTribalSummit.org>



With Memorial Day approaching we would like to remind everyone to please show up Clean Drained and Dry with all boats, Jetskis/personal watercraft, kayaks canoes etc...

Even a small amount of standing water can harbor invasive species from one waterbody to another!

Shout out to the Pyramid Lake Tribal Rangers and Beach Monitors who are always out here helping to protect the Lake! The inspection program continues collaborating with Pyramid Lake law enforcement, so please remember that when the station is open it is mandatory to stop and receive an inspection or potentially face a hefty citation.

Thanks everyone! Have a safe and happy Memorial Day weekend!



MEN'S HEALTH AWARENESS

June 18, 2025
Nixon Gym | 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
Nixon NV



TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR HEALTH

Please join us for some must-know information. You are welcome to bring your partner/caregiver.

- Provider Presentations
- Informational Booths
- BBQ Lunch



1 Talk with your health care provider about a **CHECKUP**

TOP 10 MUSTS

8 Use sunscreen regularly throughout the year to prevent skin cancer

2 Snack on precut vegetables and fruits to help fill your quota of at least 7 daily servings of fruits & vegetables

5 Get physically active regularly through walking, sports, an exercise class

9 Get the health screenings recommended considering your age and personal risk

3 Find healthy ways to **blow off steam**-a workout, hobby, whatever helps you to relax and wind down.

6 Get your **ZZZZ's**-you need 7-8 hours daily to rest and recharge

10 Follow safety precautions at work and at home

4 Learn the risk factors and warning signs for what commonly ails men

7 Get **more fiber** by eating bran cereal or oatmeal for breakfast, whole-wheat bread on your sandwich at lunch, and brown rice or beans with dinner

POSTED: 05/01/2025

STEWART FATHER'S DAY POWWOW JUNE 13-15

All Drummers & Dancers Welcome



Free Admission Open to the public

Arts & Crafts

Food Vendors

Grand Entry

Master of Ceremonies: Skush Poodry (Sac&Fox Nation)

Friday, June 13 - 6:30 pm
Saturday, June 14 - 1 pm & 6:30 pm
Sunday, June 15 - Noon
Stewart Alumni Brunch
Saturday June 14
9 am - Noon
call (775)687-7606 to RSVP for brunch

Host Drums: Northern - Sage Point Singers Southern - Southern Express
Saturday Special: Women's Fancy

Limited dry camping available

Arena Director - Art Martinez (Chumash)

Host Hotel: Plaza Hotel: carsoncityplaza.com Code: POWWOW2025

Shade set up beings at 3 pm Friday June 13 - Shades set up prior to 3 pm will be taken down

5500 Snyder Ave, Carson City NV for more information call (775)687-7605



This event is alcohol & drug free. The Stewart Father's Day Powwow, the Nevada Department of Native American Affairs, & the State of Nevada are not liable for accidents, injuries, or short funded travelers.



Numaga Senior Center Hippie Happy Day

GROOVY



JUNE 12, 2025

10:00 am - 1:00pm

Sutcliffe Marina

Raffles Bingo
Dress-up Contest



PEACE LOVE MUSIC



Out of Town Guests, please RSVP BY May 27th.
Carla Eben
775-574-1064 - Email ceben@plpt.nsn.us
Or Sherry Ely-Mendes
775-574-1000 - sely-mendes@plpt.nsn.us
ELDERS ONLY - NO CHILDREN

Flower Power
Post: 05/06/25

Co-Sponsored by the PL Numaga Senior Center, Numaga Elder Advisory Board, Title VI Older Indians, PL Tribal Health Clinic and Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe

2025

Kooyoee Tukadu

Environmental Youth Day Camp

Join the Environmental staff at Big Bend this summer for our 9th annual youth camp! Participants will learn the importance and cultural value of our environment through fun educational activities led by natural resources professionals.

JUNE 17TH & 18TH
8:30AM - 4:00PM
GRADES 3 - 5

*20 Participant Limit

Activities include:

- Amphibian & Reptile identification
- Numu Storytelling and hand games
- Native Wildlife Discussions
- Air Quality and Invasive Species Presentations
- Archery and Safety Lesson
- Games, Swimming, Barbecue
- And More!

For More Information:

(775) 574-0101
envassistant@plpt.nsn.us
jarrington@plpt.nsn.us
jsampson@plpt.nsn.us
<https://plpt.nsn.us/natural-resources/>





Pyramid Lake Jr/Sr High School Facebook Post, May 16, 2025—Congratulations to the Lady Lakers Softball team on making history by competing in their inaugural NIAA State Softball tournament. Unfortunately we came up short to advance. A special acknowledgment to our two Seniors, Kaitlin Mandell and Angelia Deluna. We are extremely proud of your achievement. Good luck in your future endeavors.



Pyramid Lake Jr/Sr High School Facebook Post, May 17, 2025—Congratulations to Watae Redstone for finishing in 3rd place at the NIAA 1A track and field state championship 3200M distance running event. She also holds the school records for 1600M and 3200M. We are extremely proud of our student athletes!

800 Meters Compare top 2

1.	KB	Kimber Brown	2:58.72	10	2006
2.		Watae Redst...	2:59.97	9	2025

1600 Meters

1.		Watae Redst...	6:29.90	9	2025
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3200 Meters

1.		Watae Redst...	14:07.50	9	2025
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Pyramid Lake Jr/Sr High School Facebook Post, May 16, 2025 - Congratulations to Nadaya Centeno who secured third place at the NIAA State Track & Field Championship today. We are extremely proud of your achievement.
Photo by: Watae

**Congratulations
 all
 Athletes!**

PYRAMID LAKE JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL

2025 Miss Indian World 2025- Dania Wahwasuck



Bosho!

Today I also had the opportunity to visit Pyramid Lake Jr. Sr. High School which is where I graduated HS in 2019 a valedictorian. It was an honor to have been invited to watch the Pudu Nugadu dance troop as they shared various traditional Paiute dance styles. I was also very happy to have met students from McDermitt High School. Thank you so much everyone for having me be apart of this special day. A special thanks to Mrs.Wright and Mrs.Tobey. And to Mrs.Tobey's 6th grade class for having me in their classroom. It was a joyous moment to spend with Mrs.Tobey's 6th graders as I've worked with them ever since they were 3rd graders. They are all very kind and brilliant students.

Miigwetch!!





If you are age 18 by **June 30, 2025**, and on the approved list of eligible Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal members per Resolution PL#34-18, then you are eligible to apply for the **Minor's Trust**. (See Resolution on our website at plpt.nsn.us/enrollment). This is for those enrolled as a Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribal member and living as of April 6, 2018.)

- Minors will have up to six years to complete their forms and claim their economic stimulus payment. The deadline to submit your forms for this 2nd Quarter of 2025 is on the last Monday of June 2025. Applications received by 06/30/25 will be processed and forwarded to the Trust the next business day.
- Tribal members under the age of 18 will have their economic stimulus payment placed in a trust account to be managed by the Trust until they reach 18 years of age.
- Members who will receive their payment from the Minor's Trust can expect distributions within one month after the end of the calendar quarter (March, June, September, or December) after they return the completed and signed application.
- Members who have an account in the Minor's Trust will have six years to claim their economic stimulus payment, from the date of their 18th birthday.
- For more information on the 2018 Economic Distribution Minors' Trust, please see our website at: plpt.nsn.us/Enrollment

1. Funds will be received at least 3 months after quarter deadline. Please plan accordingly.
 2. All Minors' Applications are processed at the same time – turning in a form earlier than the deadline doesn't ensure a faster result.
- NOTE: ****You may turn in your form earlier, but it will be held until the appropriate Quarter Deadline your birthday falls under.****
3. The whole process goes from receiving and verifying your information with our PLPT Enrollment office, which includes verifying Enrollment numbers, social security numbers and updated addresses. The paperwork is then submitted to the Trust Company, where it is then processed there for at least a month. The Trust Company then submits their completed forms to the Bank, and after verification with the bank, your money will THEN be distributed – this sometimes takes up to 3 MONTHS. Please plan accordingly, and expect that your money will arrive 3 MONTHS after the Quarter Deadline.
 4. The Trust company will contact the PLPT office for more information according to their standards – your contact information needs to be legible just in case we need to reach you. If you can't be reached, your form will be held until you contact us.



SR 447 & SR 446

ROUNDAABOUT

- Full sized single lane roundabout
- Large truck apron for oversized vehicle turning movements
- Right of Way will be needed to construct and maintain



AFTER



S. Hollywood Rd & Eagle St

ROUNDAABOUT

- Full sized single lane roundabout
- Large truck apron for oversized vehicle turning movements
- Access management will need to be evaluated further for Capital Hill access
- Right of Way will be needed to construct and maintain



AFTER



PUBLIC COMMENT NEEDED!

May 19, 2025:

****Disclaimer:** Any roadway renderings or visual materials presented are conceptual in nature and intended for discussion purposes only. They do not represent final designs, and are subject to change based on council input, engineering review and regulatory approvals.**

Public Comment Needed! Please submit your comments by **June 30, 2025 by 4:30 pm.**

Submit your comments regarding these designs to:

ATTN: Tribal Secretary at PO Box 256, Nixon, NV 89424.

- For those submitting for their Minors' Economic Distribution, please consult our website: plpt.nsn.us/enrollment for more information.
- Make sure your address is updated with Enrollment!
- Payments take up to 3 months to process from the trust fund.
- For information on your annual statement, please call the Trust Company at:
619 696 7284 | Ext 65846.

For those eligible for the 2024 Christmas Distribution, please see our website at: plpt.nsn.us/Home (scroll down).

Pyramid Lake War Memorial Sunrise Ceremony & Eagle Staff Run/Walk



Date: Friday, May 16, 2025

Start Time: 6:00 am Run/Walk: 7:30 am

Location: Below Numana Hatchery off SR 447

Run/Walk Starts: below Numana Hatchery, and ends at the Museum/Cultural Center

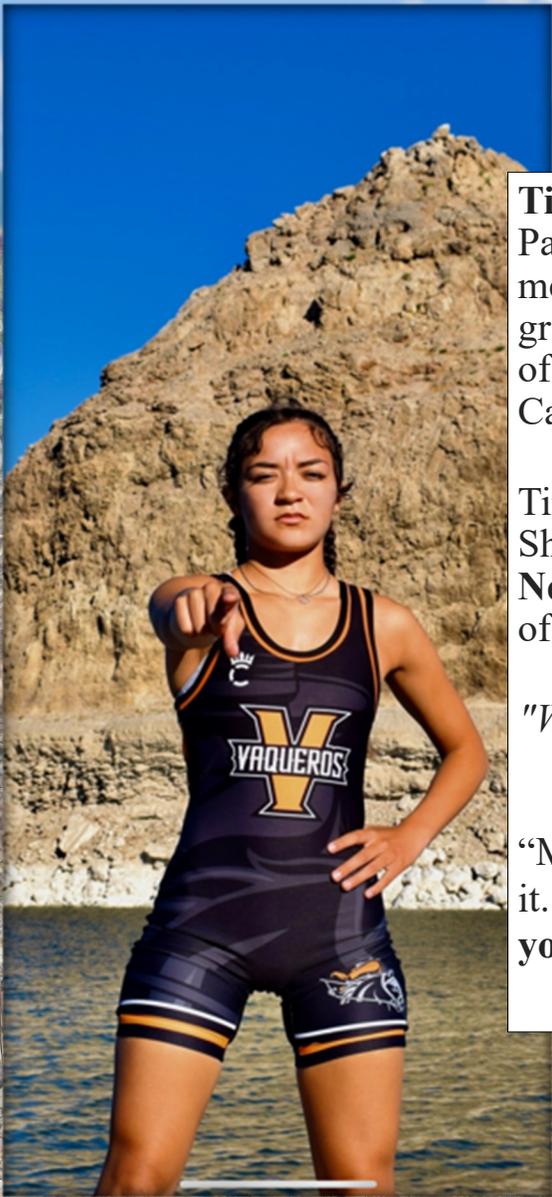


To see more photos from the 2025 Eagle Staff Run/Walk, check out our website at: plpt.nsn.us/pyramidlakepaiutetribewarmemorial





FERNLEY HIGH SCHOOL



Tina Garcia, a proud enrolled member of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, is the daughter of Shasta Tuamasaga, also a member of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe. She is the granddaughter of Christine Sampson, great-great-granddaughter of Dewey Sampson of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, and Carmelita Sampson of the Klamath Tribes.

Tina will be graduating from **Fernley High School June 2025**. She will begin a new journey as she attends the **University of Nevada, Las Vegas**, where she will also compete as a member of the UNLV Women's Wrestling Team.

"When you walk, your steps will not be hampered; when you run, you will not stumble." — Proverbs 4:12

"My beautiful daughter, the sky is not your limit—reach beyond it. Your destiny goes further than you can imagine. **Mom loves you deeply, and I am endlessly proud of you.**"



Shasta Tuamasaga, a proud member of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, is the daughter of Christine Sampson, granddaughter of Dewey Sampson of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, and Carmelita Sampson of the Klamath Tribes.

Shasta holds the historic distinction of being the first and only Native American woman, enrolled in a federally recognized tribe, to serve as a Chief of Police cross-deputized with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI).

"As a member of the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, this achievement carries deep personal and cultural significance. It

is not only a privilege to serve in this role—it is a profound responsibility that I carry with pride, especially as a Native woman in law enforcement. With nearly nine years of experience in the field, I serve not only as a leader in my profession, but also as a devoted mother, daughter, granddaughter, and wife."

*Apply today to the Energy Innovator
Fellowship!*

ENERGY INNOVATORS FELLOWSHIP

APPLY BY JUNE 6 @ NOON ET



Support critical energy organizations that will help modernize the power system, improve energy infrastructure for transportation and industry, and make the U.S. power system more reliable, affordable, and resilient.

 DOE-RPP@orise.orau.gov

 Zintellect Reference Code:
DOE-EIF-CANDIDATE-2025

Recent graduates and early-career energy professionals will spend up to two years in this paid fellowship, helping critical energy organizations execute projects that improve energy infrastructure and make the U.S. power system more reliable, affordable, and resilient. Candidates should have a demonstrated interest in energy solutions.

**Applications are now open
for the Energy Innovator
Fellowship.**

**Applications are due on
June 6 at noon ET.**

COMING SOON

FRESH CONNECT FARMERS MARKET PROGRAM



The Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada WIC program, in partnership with Northern Nevada Public Health, is proud to introduce the Fresh Connect Farmers Market Program – a new initiative designed to support healthy families and increase access to fresh, local foods within our communities.

Call ITCN WIC at 775-398-4960 for eligibility information



This institution is an equal opportunity provider

FARMERS MARKET

Pyramid Lake Food Distribution

Seeking vendors for our
Summer Farmers Market

When: June to August
2 Monday evenings a month
4:30pm to 6:30pm

Email fmaipi@plpt.nsn.us for a vendor packet
Call 775 422-1793 for any questions
Location: 11 Brady St Wadsworth, NV 89442



