

# Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Tribe

# Earth Week

April 24, 2023 - April 27, 2023

Earth Day Celebration at Oats Park on April 22,



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## **Earth Day Community Clean-Up**

WHEN: Tuesday, April 25, 2023

9am—1pm

WHERE: Colony Sign-In/Out: Environmental Office

Reservation Sign-In/Out: CLC Gym





The Environmental Protection 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 will be available. Please email soniaenviro@fpst.org or call 775.423.0590 to register. Free Earth Day T-Shirts and lunch provided.

## **Housing Notice: Earth Week Dumpster Days!**

For Large and Bagged Items Only

Dumpster Use Monday, April 24<sup>th</sup> - Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup> 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 the Land and Water and Environmental yards. No hazardous waste, please check in at the gate before entering. Seniors, and those with special needs, can call Housing 775-423-3321 to sign up for large item pick-up of up to 3 items.

Items that are NOT allowed include:

Hazardous wastes such

as:

- Paint
- Motor oil
- Tires
- Motor batteries
- Burn Barrels

## **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 26, 2023, from 9 A.M. to 6 P.M. HOURS EXTENDED!!

WHERE? Housing Shop Area (enter from Agency Rd, exit onto Mission Rd.)

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.

Please remain in your vehicle until it is your turn to unload.

\*This may be a limited collection event due to budget limitations.

## 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
- Fluorescent lamps and bulbs
- Ride on toys, and appliances
- 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.)



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## **Celebrating Earth Day for 53 Years!**

Fifty-three years ago, a nationwide protest to increase environmental awareness turned out to be a huge success that is still known today as Earth Day. In 1970, more than 20 million people participated in rallies and teach-ins across the United States and Canada, sparking a movement that is now observed by over a billion people in 193 countries around the world.

As a result of Earth Day, the Environmental Protection Agency was developed, the Endangered Species Act, as well as other critical laws, including the Clean Air Act and the Clean Water Act, to protect air and water quality. In 2016, the United Nations chose Earth Day to sign the Paris Agreement, a landmark event that brought together almost 200 countries in an effort to limit global warming.

The Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Tribe's Environmental Protection Department has observed Earth Day for the past 23 years with community events to mark this anniversary. Amid a global corona virus pandemic, the FPST Environmental Protection Department had to postpone the last two year events.

We are excited to announce that we will be once again be hosting our Earth Day Celebration at Oats Park on Saturday, April 22nd, from 10 a.m.—2 p.m.

The Environmental Protection Department would like to thank the community for coming out and supporting our Earth Day events these past 22 years and look forward to seeing you all again for future celebrations.

Artwork by Jesse Marsh, 2nd place art contest winner for the 11-15 age group category.



Artwork by Tanner Allen, 1st place art contest where for the 16+ age group category.

### Happy Earth Day!

Every year on April 22, Earth Day marks the anniversary of the birth of the modern environmental movement in 1970. Earth Day 1970 gave a voice to public consciousness about the state of the environment and our planet. Until this point, mainstream America remained largely oblivious to environmental concerns and how a polluted environment threatens human health.

Today, the fight for a clean environment continues with increasing urgency, as the ravages of climate change become more and more apparent every day. As the awareness of our climate crisis grows, so does civil society mobilization across the globe today.

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## **Movie Night: WINDTALKERS**

WHEN: Thursday, April 27, 2023

Movie Starts at 6:00 p.m.

WHERE: Fox Peak Cinema



Join us for a free movie at Fox Peak Cinema! A powerful, true story about members of the Navajo tribe who proudly served the U.S. in WWII as code talkers by using their native language as a code to relay information to military leaders. Unbeknownst to the Navajo is the dark secret that they're to be killed by American soldiers if one of them is in danger of being captured.

Rating: R (action, drama and war)

Pick up your free movie pass wristband today at FPST Environmental Dept. @ 1011 Rio Vista Dr. or the Tribal Admin building @ 565 Rio Vista Dr. Passes will also be available 15 minutes before show time at Fox Peak Cinema.

Fox Peak Cinema is generously donating 30 small popcorn/soda combos to the first 30 people to show up at the cinema for Earth Day Movie Night thank you Fox Peak!







## **Emergency Management: Community Preparedness and Chili Cook Off Event**

WHEN: Wednesday, April 26, 2023

6:00 p.m.— 8:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Community Learning Center

8955 Mission Road



Fallon Paiute-Shoshone Tribe Emergency management

8942 Mission Road Fallon, NV 89406 Phone: (775) 867-8704 The Emergency Management Department would like to invite the community to a Chili Cook-off!

Come join for some fun and food while we pick our favorite chili prepared by our tribal departments.



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# **Earth Day Celebration 2023**

WHEN: Saturday, April 22, 2023

10am—2pm

WHERE: Oats Park,

199 W. Park St., Fallon, NV 89406

WHAT: Join us in honoring our Mother Earth and bringing awareness to

protecting our environment on Earth Day! Live bands including,

River Rogue and Dock 6 will be jamming on the Centennial

Stage. The Pyramid Lake High School Pudu Nagudu Dancers, along with the Young Chief Drum Group will be making an

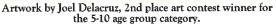
appearance. We also welcome back Jolly Juggler with his ever

entertaining juggling act!

Booths will feature nature games, activities, local artists &

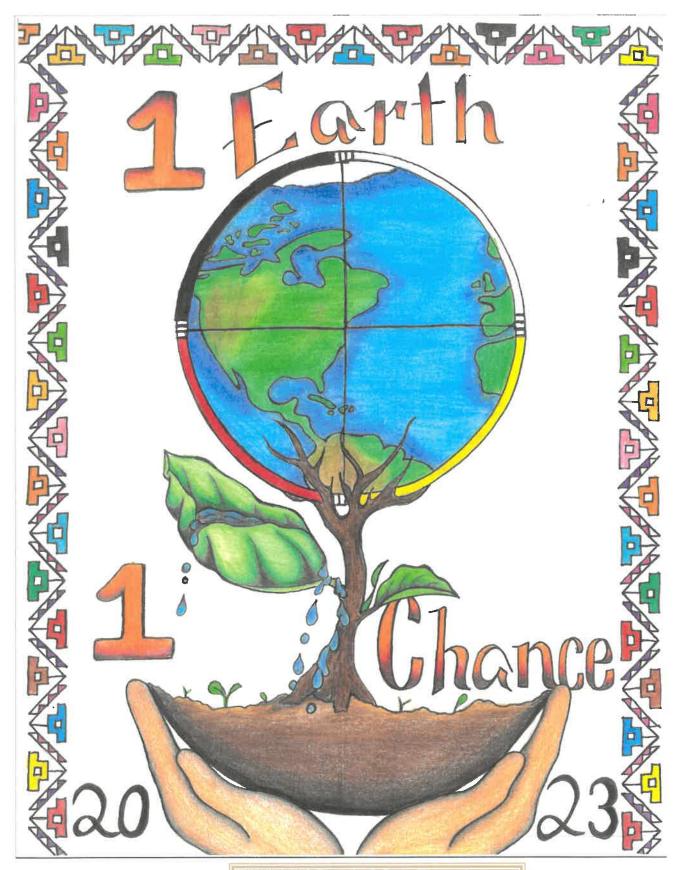
crafters fair, food, raffles and family fun!







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Artwork by Amy Kennison, 2nd place art contest winner for the 16+ age group category.



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