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**Joseph Holley,
Western Shoshone
tribal leader,
points out an old
mining structure
to his grandson
Julius Jr. (Photo:
Joseph Zummo)**



[**Reprieve for an
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Preparations are underway to hand over to Western Shoshones 3,269 acres of Native sacred sites in Nevada. “We’ll have prayers, dancing, drumming and food,” says Joseph Holley, councilman and former chairman of the Battle Mountain Band of the Te-Moak Tribe of Western Shoshones, in Nevada. “There will... inthesetimes.com

[**Mary Gibson**](#)

Many thanks Joe Holley and others for your tireless and relentless work on preserving and protecting the sacred.

House Committee Votes to Revive Yucca Mountain Dump Plan

July 5, 2017 - Suzanne Potter, Public News Service (NV)

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Most of Nevada's elected leaders oppose the proposal to build a nuclear waste dump at Yucca Mountain. (Taliesin/Morguefile)

CARSON CITY, Nev. -- A bill reviving plans to ship thousands of tons of highly radioactive waste to Yucca Mountain, 100 miles outside of Las Vegas may come up for a vote in the House this month.

[HR 3053](#) passed the House Energy and Commerce Subcommittee last week, breathing new life into cancelled plans for a controversial nuclear waste repository.

According to Kevin Kamps, radioactive waste specialist at the group Beyond Nuclear, the plan environmentalists have dubbed "mobile Chernobyl" would send spent fuel rods from nuclear reactors through a hundred major cities in 44 states and 370 congressional districts strait to Nevada.

"Many of them served by members who voted in favor of this thing," Kamps said. "And the risks are great of accidents or attacks releasing catastrophic amounts of hazardous radioactivity in an urban area."

The federal government is legally responsible for finding permanent storage for nuclear waste.

Besides the hazards of transporting the waste, the Yucca Mountain site violates treaties with Native Americans and is prone to earthquakes. And, Kamps notes that initially, the Environmental Protection Agency had wanted to cut off safety regulations on the site after only 10,000 years.

"In 2008, EPA came out with new standards for Yucca that recognized a million years of hazard," he said. "It's still a huge downplaying of the longevity of these wastes, but it's better than 10,000 years."

A coalition of fifty environmental groups signed on to [a letter sent to the House Energy Committee](#) in opposition to HR 3053. Kamps said they recommend moving spent nuclear fuel out of dangerous storage pools and into hardened dry storage casks at or close to reactor sites.

"We've got to do that anyway because the Department of Energy has predicted that they can't open a repository in this country until mid-century," Kamps said. "So that's decades of on-site storage continuing."

He added that a critical step would be to shut down the reactors and stop making more waste.

Virtually all of the states elected leaders oppose Yucca Mountain. Nevada Sen. Dean Heller has sponsored a bill requiring state approval for any future nuclear waste dumps, but it has not yet been granted a vote.

Trump's Risky Offshore Oil Strategy By BOB GRAHAM and WILLIAM K. REILLY

The president's move to weaken safety on offshore drill rigs and expand drilling in the oceans threatens workers and beaches.

US Senate bill includes Klamath measures

Herald and News

... with a number of measures pushed by Klamath *Water* Users Association (KWUA) ... Dianne Feinstein and Barbara Boxer, both *California* Democrats, and the ...

Finding Fresh: How Smart Farming is Impacting Smart Cities

By John Jefferson

The California economy is currently seeing a spillover of the newest technological innovations from Silicon Valley, into the Central, San Joaquin and Salinas Valleys; adding to the existing base of advancements in precision irrigation, spectral imaging, genomics, environmental, animal and plant sciences, and dozens of other areas of practice. Many of the applications in use in today's cities will likely find their place on the farm or vineyard, especially when it comes to IoT (Internet of Things) technologies. The smart city is meeting the smart farm, but the nature of technology necessitates this relationship will be symbiotic not unidirectional. Increasingly, the smart farm will be impacting the smart city.

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How to handle retirement.....

Because of my constant moving to many places in the western U.S, I could not readily harvest these fruits, nuts, and berries annually. But now that I am retired, last spring, summer, and fall, I enjoyed gathering these edibles in my ancestral homeland which stretches from the Colorado Plateau to the Southern Colorado Rocky's. Recalling my childhood spots of where my family began the harvest in the spring and following these different plants to higher elevations as the fruit/nuts/berries matured. Some of these plants are not on my reservation, but on public lands. These public lands still bear evidence of who I am by way of our ancestors. Freedom to move like the wind and enjoy the gifts from the Great Mystery is my Independence Day, everyday. No reservation fence line will box me in. Talk to soon. **Don Whyte Mountain Ute**



Healing North Carolina Communities One Frame at a Time

Running High on Indigenous I-Memory: Healing NC Communities One Frame at a Time

by April Whittemore Locklear

We all know the negative consequences of a self-fulfilling prophecy paired with historical trauma. Such unwanted parents give birth to generations of doubt, confusion and the

deadliest of all – FEAR. At times we fear our own power to the point that we try to mask it. However, we are fortunate to have a Digital Ro-Ske-rah-Kyeh-Neh (Warrior) in North Carolina that captures our very power. The power to BE, be in the moment and cherish each frame of life. John Whittemore, Tuscarora artist and activist began playing around with his iPhone 5 years ago. Since that time, he's celebrated thousands of views on Vimeo.

[TUSCARORA POWWOW 2017 by John \(?ManiQ\) Whittemore](#) from [John \(ManiQ\) Whittemore](#) on [Vimeo](#). [READ MORE](#)

Native Youth Get Inside Look at Golf Industry

Native youth took part in the annual Native American Youth Golf Day this past week at the Santa Ana Golf Club owned and operated by Santa Ana Pueblo.

Not only did the kids get a chance to play golf, but learn what it takes to work in the golf industry, whether that's a full-time professional or those that help run the course and tournaments.

"Exposing them not only to the game of golf, but understanding what it takes to run an actual facility," added PGA teaching professional Jason Montoya. "And there are many Native American-owned facilities, and this is a great opportunity for them to learn something."

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"History repeats itself, first as tragedy, second as farce." - Karl Marx

[U.S. Government Set To Install Solar Panels For Veterans Families At No Extra Charge](#)

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Court to EPA: You Overstepped Your Authority on Methane Rule

The [Trump administration](#) cannot block an Obama-era rule restricting [methane](#) leaks from oil and gas wells, a federal appeals court ruled Monday.

In a 2-1 decision, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit ruled that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ([EPA](#)) has overstepped its authority in attempting to suspend the rule's implementation for two years, and that the agency must follow a new rulemaking process to fully undo the regulations. Keep reading...

Standing Against the Banks: DAPL Divestment and Water Protectors' Fight for Justice, Indigenous Rights, Water and Life **By Michelle Cook and Osprey Orielle Lake**

Despite shifts in the terrain of struggle, the courageous and determined Water Protectors of the movement to stop the [Dakota Access Pipeline](#) (DAPL) continue to stand strong, gain momentum and mobilize in diverse and effective ways in their work to protect Indigenous rights, water and life in North Dakota and beyond. Keep reading...



[Yvonne Dunn](#)
[July 5, 2016](#) ·

This is grampa Brady Emm, uncle Jerry Emm, Dennis Bender and Earnest Conway.

Blacks, Latinos and Indians
Think About Climate
Change in Ways that Most
Other Americans Do Not

[Loika Kane](#) was looking for recommendations with [Jeanette Allen](#) and [6 others](#).

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FEW THINGS: 1) Low cut moccasins. We need someone who can sew our kids some moccasins. We have the buckskin. So we would be paying you for your time per pair of moccasins. 2) Beaded collars. We need beaded collars for our dancers. If you have beaded collars for sale or if you would like to make us some beaded collars, please contact us. Now we know in Indian country everybody knows somebody who is talented, creative, and crafty. Please if you know of anyone who might be interested in working with us, please have them contact us at their earliest convenience. Contact [Stacey Burns](#) or [Adriana Gutierrez](#) at the RSIC Language Program/Library. 785-1320 or 785-1321. Pesa Mu for your assistance in advance.....

[1,596-Pounds of Garbage Left on Lake Tahoe Beaches This 4th of July](#)

The League to Save Lake Tahoe's 330 volunteers picked up 1,596-pounds of garbage off Lake Tahoe, CA/NV's beaches today. This was the League to Save Lake Tahoe's (Keep Tahoe Blue) snowbrains.com

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Big Horn National Forest, Wyoming. Photo: Jim Hughes

We live, we die, and like the grass and trees, renew ourselves from the soft earth of the grave. Stones crumble and decay, faiths grow old and they are forgotten, but new beliefs are born. The faith of the villages is dust now... but it will grow again... like the trees.

- Chief Joseph, [Nez Perce](#) (1840-1904)

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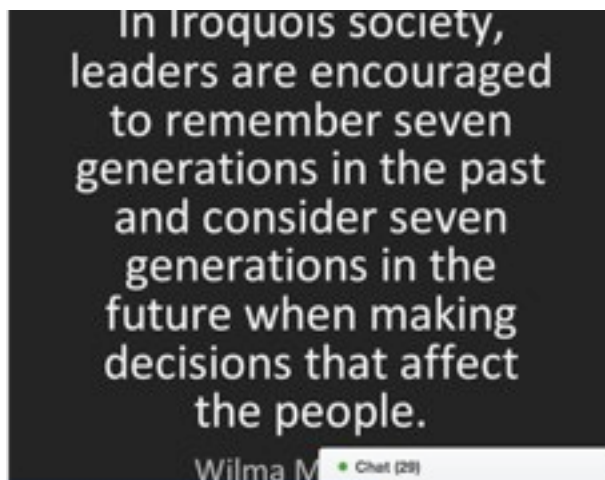
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AUGUST 18TH, 19TH AND 20TH, 2017

The Yomba Shoshone Tribe would like to invite you to our annual Yomba Days Event!
There will be various activities throughout the weekend for every family member to enjoy.
This is an Alcohol & Drug Free Event.

Sunrise Walk/Run (6am)

All participants will receive a prize and

Breakfast will be provided.

For more information contact the Yomba Shoshone Tribe

Friday August 18th, 2017

- Community Bingo
- Jackpot Volleyball

**Horseshoe
Tourney**
\$20 per Team
(3 players)
Cash Prizes

Saturday August 19th, 2017

- Sunrise Walk/Run
- Free Breakfast
- Turkey Shoot

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Must provide your own table and chairs.
Contact Duanna Hoopes
Email: dhoop_12@yahoo.com



Handgame Tourney

Prizes:
1st Place: \$3,000
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3rd Place: \$1,000
Entry Fee: \$200 per Team

- Parade
- Horseshoe Tournament
- Volleyball Tournament
- 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament



- Free BBQ (Potluck Style)
- Adult & Youth Field Games
- Live Entertainment
- Exhibition Dance/Drum
- Adult & Youth Handgame Tournament

Bring your RV or
Camping Gear!
Water, Electric and Sewer
hook-ups available.
Access to Bathrooms &
Showers.



Sunday August 20th, 2017

- Free Breakfast

• 3 on 3 Volleyball Tourney (\$100 per team)
• 3 on 3 Basketball Tourney (\$50 per player)
• Jackpot Volleyball (\$20 per player, winner take-all)
*Prize money goes to the Yomba Shoshone Tribe

For additional information please call the following programs:

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