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### **Bucky Harjo**

Main Entrance  
to Oceti  
Sakowin. It's  
just as beautiful  
as it was a year  
ago. Flowers  
have grown all  
over Oceti  
Sakowin took  
this yesterday  
evening. As I  
stated last night,  
that feeling, that  
energy I felt  
when I first  
arrived last year,  
is just as strong  
if not stronger.

Those flowers are the prayers of all the people who came and those who prayed from their home all over the world....

[Bixi Nibe](#)      [GOOD NIGHT STANDING ROCK](#)      [BED TIME STORY OF TONIGHT.....](#)  
["The Story of REDD: A real solution to deforestation?"](#)



To see FERN's follow up animation please visit: [www.fern.org/storyofFLEGT](http://www.fern.org/storyofFLEGT) For more information visit: [www.fern.org/thestoryofREDD](http://www.fern.org/thestoryofREDD) [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com)

[Bixi Nibe](#) shared her [post](#)

FROM TIMES SQUARE, IN NEW YORK.....STANDING ROCK WATER IS LIFE!      The Mni Wiconi sign in Times Square...

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**Charles P. Pierce: Why the Keystone Battle, and Others Like It, Will Never End**  
[Read the Article at Esquire](#)

## **Environmental review of Enbridge project delayed**

The state wants another week to respond to the many public comments on the 'Line 3' project.      <http://strib.mn/2wum1fE>

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## **Interactive Map Shows Every Wind Farm in America**

[https://www.ecowatch.com/wind-power-map-awea-2471370389.html?utm\\_source=EcoWatch+List&utm\\_campaign=95af6fc922-EMAIL\\_CAMPAIGN&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_term=0\\_49c7d43dc9-95af6fc922-85895669](https://www.ecowatch.com/wind-power-map-awea-2471370389.html?utm_source=EcoWatch+List&utm_campaign=95af6fc922-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_49c7d43dc9-95af6fc922-85895669)

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## **[Yucca Mtn. Nuclear Dump Opponents Wary of New Federal Funding](#)**

[August 11, 2017 - Suzanne Potter, Public News Service \(NV\)](#)

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The EPA safety standard calls for the proposed Yucca Mountain Nuclear Waste Depository to verify it will protect against radiation for one million years. (State of Nevada)  
NYE COUNTY, Nev. – Nevada conservation groups are slamming a move by the Trump administration this week to spend \$110,000 to start the process of licensing a nuclear-waste repository at Yucca Mountain.

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission will now start gathering documents and plans that go back 30 years but have lain dormant since 2010 when the Obama administration pulled funding.

David Von Seggern, executive committee chair of the Sierra Club, says instead, the feds should take a closer look at dry-cask storage at the nuclear plants themselves.

"We have put about \$9 billion into the study of Yucca Mountain as a permanent repository," he says. "We have spent very little to study on-site storage at the current nuclear plants, and we should conduct studies."

Supporters of the Yucca Mountain site as a repository claim it is safe and would create jobs in Nye County.

However, the proposed dump, about 90 miles from Las Vegas, is opposed by the governor and most of the congressional delegation over fears that it could be vulnerable to earthquakes, pose dangers to the water supply and create an unacceptable risk as nuclear waste is transported by rail from sites around the country.

Rep. John Shimkus of Illinois [introduced a bill](#) in June to start funding a multi-year review of Yucca Mountain, to see if it meets EPA radiation safety standards.

John Hadder, director of the nonprofit group, Great Basin Resource Watch, warns other states may try to force this solution on Nevada.

"It's interesting to note that one of the proponents is the representative from Illinois, the state which produces almost the largest volume of commercial nuclear waste," Hadder notes. "So, they want to get rid of it real bad."

The Nevada Agency for Nuclear Projects says it's preparing a list of arguments in opposition to raise before the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, in case plans for the project move forward.

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### **RESTORE: Senate Bill 10 is the Law - Now What?** | Audubon Florida

[http://fl.audubon.org/news/restore-senate-bill-10-law-now-what?ms=policy-adv-email-ea-x-20170810\\_advisory&utm\\_source=ea&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=20170810\\_advisory](http://fl.audubon.org/news/restore-senate-bill-10-law-now-what?ms=policy-adv-email-ea-x-20170810_advisory&utm_source=ea&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=20170810_advisory)

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### **Open-pit Mining Threatens Bristol Bay** | Audubon Alaska

[http://ak.audubon.org/news/open-pit-mining-threatens-bristol-bay?ms=policy-adv-email-ea-x-20170810\\_advisory&utm\\_source=ea&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=20170810\\_advisory](http://ak.audubon.org/news/open-pit-mining-threatens-bristol-bay?ms=policy-adv-email-ea-x-20170810_advisory&utm_source=ea&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=20170810_advisory)

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### **Greater Sage-Grouse's Unknown Future** | Audubon [http://www.audubon.org/news/greater-sage-grouse-unknown-future?ms=policy-adv-email-ea-x-20170810\\_advisory&utm\\_source=ea&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=20170810\\_advisory](http://www.audubon.org/news/greater-sage-grouse-unknown-future?ms=policy-adv-email-ea-x-20170810_advisory&utm_source=ea&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=20170810_advisory)

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## **Scott Pruitt Is Carrying Out His E.P.A. Agenda in Secret, Critics Say**

By CORAL DAVENPORT and ERIC LIPTON

He has made it clear that his mission is to dismantle the E.P.A.'s environmental mission. His critics say he is deploying extraordinary secrecy as he does so.

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## **27 National Monuments Are Under Review. Here Are Five to Watch.**

No president has ever abolished a national monument designated by a predecessor. President Trump may try to change that.

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## **Western Governors University No reason to put it off any longer! Take the next step toward your future by applying for admission to WG What Are You Waiting For?**

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School  
Year Book  
1953

## **4-yr-old calls stranger 'old person' in store – then her mom is floored by his response**

These days, we often forget about the elderly among us, which perhaps why so many old people live alone and are isolated. But just because a person turns 65 or retires doesn't mean that they don't have feelings or opinions.      [en.newsner.com](http://en.newsner.com)



**As Red Lake faces a new addiction epidemic, 'Nobody is giving up on anybody'**

The battle against addiction has been a constant on the reservations in northern Minnesota. But recently, the demons have escalated to deadly mixes of heroin.

<http://strib.mn/2vwCOPj>

**CCSD's first 'recovery high school' will mix academics, addiction therapy**

Set to open sometime this fall, the school will try to keep about 100 students struggling with drug or alcohol abuse in school by offering counseling and wraparound services to assist in their reco...  
reviewjournal.com

**Archaeologists Make A Discovery That Leaves Them Speechless**

These archaeological discoveries were all truly incredible. Many of them pose mysteries that remain unsolved.

[Learn More](#) [historyinorbit.com](http://historyinorbit.com)

**Monuments Watch**

Local water district officials in Nevada [asked the Interior secretary to redraw the boundaries of Gold Butte National Monument](#) to preserve access to a potential future water source, the *Las Vegas Review-Journal* reports. The monument was designated last December in the final weeks of the Obama administration.

The leadership of the Virgin Valley Water District, during a July 30 meeting with Sec. Ryan Zinke, who is reviewing the status of more than two dozen monuments, requested that the status of six springs within the monument boundary be clarified.





### **Stress-related hormone cortisol lowers significantly after just 45 minutes of art creation**

Whether you're Van Gogh or a stick-figure sketcher, a new Drexel University study found that making art can significantly reduce stress-related hormones in ...  
[psypost.org](http://psypost.org)

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In this episode of Road Trip USA, Kevin travels to southwestern Colorado.

### **Watch: Tour the Alluring Mesa Verde National Park in Colorado** with Our Travel Expert

Watch as Kevin discovers dwellings of indigenous Pueblo Indians  
[Watch More](#) [healthination.com](http://healthination.com)



## **Calendar**

**September 2** - White Mountain Apache Tribe's 92nd Fair, Rodeo and Parade. For more information check the [website](#).

**September 2** - San Carlos Apache Cultural Center and Museum. First time Apache Fine Arts Show. 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Free. For information call Terrill at (928) 475-2894 or via [email](#).

**September 4-10** - 70th Annual Navajo Nation Fair. Gorman Hall Fairgrounds, Window Rock, Arizona. For more information click [here](#).

**September 9** - 9th Annual Seven Generations Awards Dinner and Silent Auction. Native American Bar Association of Arizona. Wild Horse Pass Hotel and Casino. For more information click [here](#).

**September 9** - Maricopa County Department of Public Health's Emergency Preparedness Expo. MetroCenter Mall. 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

**September 11-12** - Inaugural Payer and Provider Summit on Social Determinants of health for Complex Populations. Arlington, Virginia. For information click [here](#).

**September 12-13** - Arizona Indian Education Stakeholders Conference. Fee. Fort McDowell, Arizona. For information or to register click [here](#).

**September 18-19** - 1st Annual National Native Health Research Training Conference. Held in Denver, Colorado. For more information click [here](#).

**September 18-20** - 2nd Annual Conference on Native American Nutrition. Mystic Lake Casino, Prior Lake, MN. For information click [here](#).

**September 19-21** - 2017 Diabetes in Indian Country. Albuquerque, NM. For more information check the [website](#).

**September 25-28** - National Tribal Health Conference (National Indian Health Board). "United Tribal Voices Advocating for Healthy Native People." Bellevue, Washington. For information click [here](#).

**September 28** - Supportive Collaborations with Native and Non-Native Partners Addressing Domestic and Sexual Violence: A Gathering of Reconciliation and Moving Forward. Southwest Indigenous Women's Coalition. Phoenix.

**September 30** - Phoenix Indian Center's 70th Anniversary Celebration. Memorial Hall, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. For information click [here](#).

October 2-3 - 24th Annual Statewide Conference on Ending Homelessness. Black Canyon Conference Center. For information click [here](#).



# YOMBA DAYS

**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.  
*Sponsored by the Yomba Shoshone Tribe*

## Friday August 18th, 2017

- Community Bingo
- Jackpot Volleyball



## Saturday August 19th, 2017

- Sunrise Walk/Run
- Free Breakfast
- Turkey Shoot
- 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

Looking for Food & Craft  
Vendors! (Free Registration)  
Must provide your own table and chairs.  
CONTACT DAWANNA HOOPER  
Email: dhoop\_12@yahoo.com



## Handgame Tournament

Adults: 1st Place: \$3,000 2nd Place: Entry Fee \$150 per Team  
Youth: \$200 Entry Fee \$35 per Team



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

## Sunday August 20th, 2017

- Free Breakfast

4 on 3 Volleyball Tourney (\$100 per team)  
3 on 3 Basketball Tourney (\$50 per player)  
Jackpot Volleyball (\$20 per player, winner take-all)  
\*Please register teams by 11/11/17 so we can plan accordingly.

For additional information please call the following programs:  
Yomba ASAP (775)964-2463 ext. 115  
Yomba CHR (775)964-2463 ext. 117



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**October 2-3** - Telemedicine Telehealth: Advancing Telehealth Partnerships. Phoenix. For information call Kristine at (877) 535-6166 or email [her.](#)

**October 5** - Area Agency on Aging NACOG's 25th Annual Conference: Building Strong Communities. High Country Conference Center in Flagstaff. CEU's available. For information or to register click [here.](#)

**October 7** - NATIVE HEALTH Children's Pageant. MetroCenter Mall. Three age categories, birth-3, 4-6 and 7-10. Free registration. For information contact [Lanasha.](#)

**October 9-10** - 27th Annual Arizona Indian Council on Aging Conference. We-Ko-Pa Resort and Conference Center, Fountain Hills, Arizona. Inter Tribal Council of Arizona, Inc., Area Agency on Aging, Region 8. For more information click [here.](#)

**October 14** - NATIVE HEALTH's Annual Open House immediately following the Native American Connections NARD Parade. For more information contact [Susan.](#)

**October 14** - Native American Connections 35th Annual Native American Recognition Days (NARD) Parade. "The Colors of Natures Beauty."

**October 19** - 2017 Conference on Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia in Native Americans. Casino del Sol Resort, Tucson. Banner Alzheimer's. For information call (800) 230-CARE or email [Nicole.](#)

**October 23-25** - Summer Changes Everything National Conference. Hyatt Regency Phoenix. For more information click [here.](#)

**October 28** - Southwest Behavioral Health's Cultural Diversity and Wellness Event. 10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. For information email [them.](#)

**November 1** - **2nd** Annual Native American Women's Conference, "Women with Purpose!" Prescott Resort and Conference Center in Prescott. For more information call (623) 561-6838.

**November 1-3** - 14th Annual "Fatherhood is Leadership" National Conference. Native American Fatherhood and Families Association. Ft. McDowell, Arizona. For information call (480) 833-5007.

**November 9** - 2017 Arizona Alzheimer's Consortium Public Conference. East Valley Institute of Technology, Mesa. 8:00 a.m.-noon. For more information click [here.](#)

**November 14** - Phoenix Indian Center's Arizona American Indian Excellence in Leadership Awards Dinner. Scottsdale Resort at McCormick Ranch. 5:30 p.m. For information click [here.](#)

## Circle of Blue:

### Reclamation Divestment Bill

The House Natural Resources Committee [advanced a bill](#) that would ease the process of handing over ownership of Bureau of Reclamation dams, canals, and other works to local agencies. Called “title transfer,” the bill’s supporters, including the federal government, say the process opens the opportunity to update and repair water infrastructure.

“Reclamation strongly supports expanding the number of projects and facilities that are transferred out of federal ownership and we believe that the process for making this happen is key to our success,” James Hess, Reclamation’s chief of staff, [told the House committee](#) on June 8.

Big hydropower projects like Hoover Dam would not be eligible for transfer, according to the bill’s text. Though it seems an expression of the current administration’s worldview, title transfer is not new. Since 1996, Reclamation has transferred title to 30 projects.

### Army Corps Responds to Florida-Georgia Lawsuit

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers [moved cautiously in a brief filed in the U.S. Supreme Court](#) over a southeastern water dispute. The *Ledger* reports that the Army Corps said it might be able to provide extra water to Florida without changing its current operating procedures, which benefit Georgia, located upstream.

A special master appointed to hear the case recommended earlier this year that the court reject Florida’s claims for more water because the Army Corps is not party to the lawsuit.

### Shop for Water Grants and Loans Online!

The EPA cut the ribbon on an [online database](#) for water infrastructure funding. The database also is a repository for financing case studies and water rate designs.

The agency will host [four online training sessions](#) this month to help those looking for money to navigate the system. Registration is free.

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Hung A Lel Ti -

### Lynda Shoshone Funeral

Services - Wed. 8/16/17      Time: 11:Am

Viewing: 10AM

Burial: Hung A Lel Ti Cemetery

Dinner: Community Gym

Food donations welcome

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