

Press Release



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FIREWORKS NOW AVAILABLE FOR SALE AND USE AT PYRAMID LAKE

NIXON, NV, 5/27/11: Just in time for the Memorial Day Holiday and Summer Season, fireworks are now available for sale and use on the Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation in designated areas. Phantom fireworks are now available for sale exclusively at the I-80 Smokeshop in Wadsworth (1000 Smokeshop Circle Wadsworth, NV 89442 just off Exit 43) and the Nixon Store (50 State Route 447 Nixon, NV 89424 at the corner of SR 446 & SR 447), for more information please call (775)-575-2181. Fireworks can only be purchased by customers over the age of 18 with proof of a government issued ID. With the purchase of fireworks, customers will be issued a free fireworks permit that will allow them to shoot fireworks in designated areas on the reservation. Designated fireworks areas include; Indian Head Beach, Rawhide Beach and Blockhouse Beach; the use of fireworks is prohibited in all other areas on the reservation. The Tribe would like to remind visitors that fireworks are illegal in most of Nevada and the possession and use of fireworks can lead to a fine or jail time.

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About Pyramid Lake and its People

Pyramid Lake is located about 35 miles Northeast of Reno, NV and is the property of and managed by the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe. Pyramid Lake is known as being North America's most beautiful desert lake and home to many year round recreational activities. Pyramid Lake was designated as one of the first National Scenic Byways in the country and was the first scenic byway entirely on an Indian reservation. The lake occupies 112,000 surface acres inside the reservation boundary and has a shoreline of approximately 125 miles. The lake has no outlet and is a residual body remaining from the prehistoric Great Lake Lahontan water body. The lake is fed primarily by the Truckee River and is world famous fishery for the Lahontan Cutthroat Trout and Cui-ui, which are on the endangered species list. The Pyramid Lake Indian Reservation is comprised of 476,728 acres. The over 2,500 Tribal members are direct descendants of the Northern Paiute people who have occupied the vast areas of the Great Basin for thousands of years. For more information about Pyramid Lake or its people please visit the Pyramid Lake Museum and Visitors Center in Nixon or log on to www.pyramidlake.us.



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***THE PYRAMID LAKE PAIUTE TRIBE WOULD LIKE TO WISH ALL VISITORS TO
HAVE A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE TIME AT PYRAMID LAKE***