

Join us in celebrating

FOLSOM DAM 50th 1956-2006 Anniversary

Folsom Dam began operating 50 years ago to provide flood control, water for farms, homes, fisheries, hydropower generation, recreation, and habitat protection. To celebrate the dam's 50th anniversary, the Bureau of Reclamation, along with the Water Education Foundation, will provide an opportunity to learn about California water and the significance of Folsom Dam on the American River.

March 25 - July 9, 2006

EXHIBIT: Floods and Flows “The Story of Folsom Dam”

**Location: Folsom History Museum, 823 Sutter Street
Folsom, California**

Timeline illustrating floods and droughts in the American River watershed, and significant events leading to the construction of the dam. Interactive exhibits will demonstrate the construction and purpose of Folsom Dam and the Central Valley Project. Children's winning art on display.

The Folsom History Museum charges a nominal fee:
\$3 adults, \$2 children over 13, children under 13 free.

**Saturday, May 20, 2006
10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

FAMILY EVENT: Learn about Folsom Dam

**Location: Beals Point Day Use Area, Folsom Lake
State Recreation Area, Folsom Auburn Road**

A one-day public event with a rededication ceremony, food, music, exhibit booths, vintage cars and boats, boat tours, kids activities, fishing demos, and military flyover.

- Limited Event Parking - \$7.00
- Free Parking and Shuttle from Glenn RT Station in Folsom
- Walk or Bike to Event



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