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Dr. Proton and Adam the Atom Celebrate Nevada Day at the Atomic Testing Museum

Call it educational! Call it fun! The U.S. Department of Energy Nevada Site Office's Operation Clean Desert exhibit will be on display at the Atomic Testing Museum to help celebrate the 69th Annual Nevada Day on October 26 from 9 am to 5 pm. The exhibit is designed to help families and kids of all ages understand the different types of cleanup efforts that take place at the Nevada Test Site. The interactive 3-D display is open for the pleasure and enlightenment of everyone in attendance.

Operation Clean Desert is a collection of activities that follow the epic adventures of Dr. Proton and Adam the Atom as they discover activities at the Nevada Test Site. Accompanying the 3-D exhibit is an interactive computer game and an exciting activity book, both of which will be available to museum visitors on Nevada Day. The interactive computer game takes players through a series of mini-games that entertain and inform the user about environmental projects at the Nevada Test Site. The activity book includes comic drawings, coloring pages, word searches, mazes, and word puzzles.



The Atomic Testing Museum located at **755 E. Flamingo Road in Las Vegas, Nevada** showcases a fascinating array of historic images, films and artifacts from nuclear tests conducted for over 40 years at the Nevada Test Site. Admission on this date is free to Nevada residents with proper I.D.

The Operation Clean Desert kid's exhibit is available for loan to schools, libraries, and public events. For more information on the exhibit and Operation Clean Desert learning materials, contact **James Stover: (702)295-1993** or James.Stover@nv.doe.gov.

For additional learning materials, you can:

- Request copies of the activity book: envmgt@nv.doe.gov
- Download the activity book: <http://www.nv.doe.gov/kidszone/book.htm>
- Play the interactive game on-line: <http://www.nv.doe.gov/kidszone/game.htm>

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