

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Kid's Free Fishing Derby**

**Vernal, Utah (June 2, 2005)** – As part of the Utah's Wildlife and Rivers Festival on Saturday, June 11, 2005, Ashley National Forest and the Utah Division of Wildlife will be sponsoring a Kid's Fishing Derby, from 9 a.m. to noon. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. The Fishing Derby will be held at Moose Pond, which is ten miles south of Manila on Utah State Highway 44. Minimal fishing equipment will be available, so please bring your own. There will be refreshments and prizes for participants.

People will not need a fishing license to fish in Utah on this day, because of the statewide Free Fishing Day. All other regulations found in the 2005 Utah Fishing Proclamation will be in effect. For more information contact Dan Abeyta at (435) 789-1181.

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