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CHUKCHANSI GOLD NAMED CENTRAL CALIFORNIA'S BEST CASINO FOR 18TH CONSECUTIVE YEAR IN PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS

COARSEGOLD, Calif. - June 12, 2025 – For the 18th year, <u>Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino</u> has been honored as Best Casino in the Fresno Bee's Best of Central California People's Choice Awards, reaffirming its position as the region's premier destination for gaming, dining, hospitality and entertainment. In addition to the top casino honor, the resort earned gold across a variety of categories, including Best Steakhouse, Best Italian Restaurant, Best Sushi Restaurant and Best Place to Work.

Known for its commitment to excellence and service, Chukchansi Gold also holds AAA's prestigious Four Diamond rating and boasts award-winning dining at every level. Its signature Vintage Steakhouse continues to earn top accolades, including Wine Spectator's Restaurant Award of Excellence, ranking it amongst the top restaurants in the country to enjoy wine.

"Winning Best Casino for the 18th year is a tremendous honor and a direct reflection of our team's dedication to quality, hospitality and guest satisfaction," said Deann Kamalani, Director of Marketing at Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino. "We're especially proud to be named Best Place to Work, because everything we do starts with our incredible team. Their passion and hard work are what make the Chukchansi experience so exceptional."

Chukchansi Gold's 2025 People's Choice Awards Include:

GAMING

- Gold Best Casino
- Gold Best Casino Slots
- Gold Best Casino Table Games

FOOD & BEVERAGE

- Gold Best Casino Restaurant Vintage Steakhouse
- Gold Best Fine Dining Vintage Steakhouse
- Gold Best Steakhouse Vintage Steakhouse
- Gold Best Italian Restaurant Nativo's
- Gold Best Sushi Noodle Bar
- Silver Best Casino Restaurant California Market Buffet
- Silver Best Fine Dining Nativo's
- Silver Best Casino Bar Nativo's
- Bronze Best Casino Restaurant Noodle Bar
- Gold Best Casino Bar

ACCOMMODATIONS AND AMENITIES

- Gold Best Hotel and Lodging
- Silver Best Romantic Getaway
- Gold Best Spa Massage
- Silver Best Day Spa
- Gold Best Live Music Venue

EMPLOYMENT

Gold Best Place to Work

Nestled in the stunning surroundings of Yosemite National Park, Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino offers a world-class destination experience combining the natural beauty of the Sierra foothills with exceptional amenities. The resort boasts incredible dining, high-energy entertainment and world-class gaming. Since its 2003 debut, Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino has consistently earned the prestigious title of Best Casino for 18 years in the Fresno Bee People's Choice Awards. With over 130,000 visitors monthly and a workforce of over 1,200 dedicated individuals, the resort contributes approximately \$50 million annually to the local economy through payroll and benefits. Guests can indulge in the comfort of 402 luxury rooms and Chukchansi's tranquil indoor/outdoor pool, enjoy the ultimate relaxation at Serenity Springs Spa, or have the meal of their lives at the acclaimed Vintage Steakhouse. Chukchansi's top-tier amenities maintain the casino's renowned standard of excellence and welcoming hospitality. For more information about the hotel and casino, please call 1-866-794-6946 or visit ChukchansiGold.com. Guests must be 21+ years to game at the property and have a valid government-issued photo ID.

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