

McClintock at STHS

Rep. Tom McClintock will conduct a constituent town hall meeting at South Tahoe High School on March 27 at 9am.

EIR released on Paiute cutthroat trout in Alpine County

By Fly, Rod + Reel

The California Department of Fish and Game (DFG) released the final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) today for the Paiute Cutthroat Trout Restoration Project. DFG certified the EIR pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act. DFG and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (the Service) have jointly undertaken environmental review of the project. The Service will take all necessary steps to ensure compliance with the Federal National Environmental Policy Act.

DFG and the Service, in cooperation with the U.S. Forest Service, developed the project to restore the rare Paiute cutthroat trout to its historic habitat in California's Alpine County, south of Lake Tahoe.

[Read the whole story](#)

Wind advisory for Lake Tahoe, Pyramid Lake

A wind advisory has been issued for Lake Tahoe by the National Weather Service from 2-11pm Thursday.

Gusty northeast winds will produce choppy waters on lakes throughout the Tahoe-Reno area this afternoon and evening.



Expect white caps on Lake Tahoe Thursday afternoon.

Photo/Kathryn Reed

A cold front will move across the region and bring a rapid increase in north and northeast winds this afternoon. The roughest lake conditions are expected along the West and South shores of Lake Tahoe and Pyramid Lake.

Learn to conduct effective

meetings

How to plan and conduct effective meetings.

Tired of meetings that don't work for you or your organization? This workshop focuses on making meetings efficient, and teaches the skills needed to facilitate the meeting process. Topics include effective agendas, desired outcomes, meeting agreements, working with disruptive team members, decision models and strategies to build consensus.

Instructor: Tad Kitada, MSW, Director of Prevention Service,
Placer County Office of Education

Amy 14 9am-noon

Fee: \$10

Location: Incline Village – DWR Center, 948 Incline Way

Contact: (775) 298.0119

What it means to be a board member seminar

You're on a board, now what?

Build an understanding of primary roles and responsibilities of being a board member. Specifically, presenters will cover financial oversight including key financial documents, fundraising responsibility, and the "how to's" of governance. Additionally, we will cover how to protect yourself as a board member including critical insurance

questions.

Presenters: TTCF Board and Staff

March 30 8:30-11:30am

Fee: \$10

Location: Truckee – Truckee Donner PUD. 11570 Donner Pass Road, Truckee

Contact:Â (530) 587.1776

Fundraising Planning workshop

This is a free two-part workshop starting with an Introduction to Fundraising Planning from 9:30am-11am. A successful nonprofit organization needs to cultivate multiple revenue streams through sound financial planning. If your organization has never developed a fundraising plan or calendar, this workshop is for you.

From 11:15am-12:30pm will be Fundraising in a Challenging Economy which gives a basic overview of what you can do to survive, thrive, and succeed in sustaining your nonprofit during the current economic crisis.

Instructor: Scott Ullman, Regional Training Coordinator, Foundation Center, San Francisco.

Date/time: March 24 9:30am-12:30pm

Location: Incline Village – DWR Center, 948 Incline Way

Contact: (775) 298.0119

Library book sale

The Friends of the Library Spring Book Sale is March 27 from 10am-3pm at the library at 1000 Rufus Allen Blvd., South Lake Tahoe.

All proceeds benefit programs sponsored by Friends of the Library.

“Member Hour” is 9-10am. If you haven’t joined the Friends, you may do so that morning. Membership is \$10 per year.

Earth Day Film Festival

Earth Day Film Festival at Lake Tahoe Community College in South Lake Tahoe.

[Click film for more details.](#)

Earth Day at LTCC

Earth Day celebration at Lake Tahoe Community College in South Lake Tahoe.

[Click Earth Day for more details.](#)

Slew of positions up for grabs on EDC June ballot

By Kathryn Reed

El Dorado County's June primary ballot has been determined.

Norma Santiago, who represents Lake Tahoe on the Board of Supervisors, is running unopposed.

What may prove more interesting about the Board of Supervisors is how the Census turns out later this year and if Tahoe will continue to have a dedicated supervisor. Population shifts, with the West Slope having gained and Lake Tahoe losing residents in the last 10 years, could see supervisor boundary lines being redrawn.

Supervisor Ron Briggs is being challenged by business owner Todd Schwenk, consultant Wendell Smith, and engineering technician Shawn Gulling.

The six sheriff's candidates are John D'Agostini, district attorney's investigator; Larry Hennick, retired sheriff's sergeant; Ernie Hillman, retired sheriff's captain; Bob Luca, retired chief of the California Bureau of Investigation; George Nielsen, Placerville police chief; and Craig Therkildsen, El Dorado County sheriff's captain.

County Assessor Tim Holcomb is retiring . Going after his seat are Michael Gordon, the county's senior appraiser, and Karl Weiland, assistant assessor.

Also not seeking re-election is county Surveyor Dan Russell. His deputy, Richard Briner, is going for the job.

The following people will be on the ballot without challengers: Auditor-Controller Joe Harn; District Attorney Vern Pierson; Recorder-Clerk William Schultz; Treasurer-Tax Collector C.L. Raffety; and Superintendent of Schools Vicki Barber.