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Chicago first burst on the American music scene as The Chicago Transit Authority in 1968 with a debut double album, which included the hits, “Does Anybody Really Know What Time It Is?,” “Questions 67 and 68” and “Beginnings.” Second only to the Beach Boys in terms of singles and albums, Chicago is one of the longest running and most successful U.S. pop/rock groups.

Other hits include, “Saturday In The Park,” “Feelin’ Stronger Every Day,” “Baby What a Big Surprise,” “Hard Habit to Break,” “25 or 6 to 4” and the prom night fave, “Colour My World.”

Modeled after the three-guitar, three-part vocal harmonies of

the seminal San Francisco band Moby Grape, The Doobie Brothers were formed in San Jose in 1970. Their 1972 hit single, “Listen to The Music,” propelled the band into rock ‘n’ roll stardom. Hit after hit followed, including, “China Grove,” “Long Train Running,” “Black Water,” “You Just Can’t Stop It,” “Take Me In Your Arms (Rock Me),” “It Keeps You Running,” “Takin’ It To The Streets” and many more.

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Cross country ski to raise money

The 34th annual Great Ski Race is a groomed 30-kilometer course beginning at 9am March 7 at the Tahoe Cross Country Center in Tahoe City.

The finish line is in Truckee at the Cottonwood Restaurant.

Money goes to the Tahoe Nordic Search and Rescue Team. It costs $45 in advance, $65 day of race.

For more information, click here.

Kokanee Festival

21st annual Kokanee Festival near Taylor Creek on the South Shore of Lake Tahoe.

Kiwanis Septoberfest

Kiwanis Club of Tahoe Sierra’s annual Septoberfest at MontBleu in Stateline.

Tour de Tahoe bike ride

Ride around the whole lake – 72 miles around Lake Tahoe.

Click here for the details.

Dugard family healing process captured by ABC

By Alan B. Goldberg and Sarah Netter, ABC News

The home video shows a portrait of a healing family – a mother and her two daughters baking cookies, riding horses and laughing together.

After sustaining years of abuse, Dugard discusses her long recovery.



Jaycee Lee Dugard

It’s the first glimpse at the freedom kidnap survivor Jaycee Dugard has enjoyed since her rescue last summer from the backyard lair where she was held captive for nearly two decades.

“Hi I’m Jaycee. I want to thank you for your support and I’m doing well,” Dugard said in her first public statement since the arrest of her alleged captors. She is seated, dressed in a black shirt and jeans and a pink baseball cap, and feeding two spaniels.

Read the whole story

Lake Tahoe ski report, March 5



Snowfest starts tonight at Squaw Valley. Here is the ski report from Curtis Fong, the Guy from Tahoe.

El Dorado County's fiscal state looking brighter

By Cathy Locke, Sacramento Bee

Good news is relative and El Dorado County officials took some satisfaction this week that the county is in better fiscal shape than some neighboring jurisdictions.

After months of layoffs, furloughs and cuts in services, staff members said the county should be able to avoid further layoffs this fiscal year, despite projected budget shortfalls in the District Attorney's Office and Development Services Department.

General fund revenue is expected to exceed budget by $1.4 million when the fiscal year ends June 30.

Read the whole story

Snowshoe photo tour

Mark Vollmer, an award-winning outdoor photographer, instructor and freelance writer based in Reno, will lead a snowshoe photo tour on March 20 starting at 9:30am.

Meet at the Yurt in Hope Valley at the junction of highways 88 and 89.

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