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Celebration of Education

Lake Tahoe Educational Foundation's annual Celebration of Education is May 20 at the grand Construction, Arts and Transportation Academy at South Tahoe High School. The public is invited.

The reception will begin at 5:30pm in honor of the Lake Tahoe Unified School District retirees, plus preview tours of the new building.

Food will be served by the culinary arts students of STHS.

Entertainment will include the Blue Ribbon Choir from STHS and the Tahoe Belles from STMS, both conducted by Paul Kushner, plus other musicians from the district's bands and orchestras. There also will be a student art exhibit.

Tickets are \$25 and must be purchased by May 12. They are available online.

USFS plan revision meetings

Recreation, forest health, fuels reduction, wildlife habitat, watershed restoration and aquatic habitat will be the subject of meetings next month conducted by the Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit of the U.S. Forest Service.

The public is encouraged to attend to learn about and comment on the forest plan revision, which is agency's blue print of sorts for the future.

The first meeting is May 11 at the LTBMU Forest Supervisor's Office, 35 College Drive, South Lake Tahoe. The other is May 13 at the North Tahoe Conference Center, 8318 North Lake Blvd., Kings Beach. Both are from 5-7pm.

Each meeting will begin with an overview of the process and time line for revising the forest plan, after which participants will have the opportunity to talk with staff members regarding alternatives under consideration.

The LTBMU was in the process of revising its forest plan when the 2008 planning rule was enjoined by the U.S. District Court. The 2000 planning rule, under which the LTBMU is now proceeding, requires the Forest Service to develop a draft environmental impact statement that analyzes several alternatives for forest plan revision.

The LTBMU has engaged the public extensively to get input on how the plan should be revised. Despite the changes in process, the public's comments and suggestions remain relevant and will continue to shape the proposed revised plan and the alternatives.

Approximately 75 percent of the Lake Tahoe Basin is managed by the Forest Service. The LTBMU's current plan is 20 years old.

More information on LTBMU forest plan revision is available

here.

Fundraiser for STHS performing arts

South Tahoe High School Burger Night at the Red Hut on Ski Run Boulevard is April 30 from 5-7pm.

The event benefits the South Tahoe High School Performing Arts Booster Association.

Dinner includes a burger (veggie available) homemade chips, beverage and a sundae or root beer float.

Tickets are \$10. They can be purchased at the door or from students enrolled in art, music or acting classes. Orders to-go can be placed by calling (530) 544.1595. Tickets are good only on April 30.

Day of the Young Child

Day of the Young Child – a fun-filled day with free activities is June 19 at Lake Tahoe Community College in South Tahoe from 10am-2pm.

National Trails Day in South Tahoe

Explore Tahoe: An Urban Trailhead is joining the American Hiking Society on June 5 to celebrate the 18th annual National Trails Day in South Lake Tahoe. This year's theme is "Find Your Happy Place."

For more information, [click on trails](#).

'Keep Tahoe Kind' event

Establish Pet Safety and Wildlife Harmony in Your Home and Yard is a free "Keep Tahoe Kind" event sponsored by the Lake Tahoe Humane Society and S.P.C.A.

It is May 8 at the South Lake Tahoe Branch Library Meeting Room at 1000 Rufus Allen Blvd.

Exhibits are from 2-4pm; the program is from 2:30-3:30pm.

Get practical tips from experienced representatives of the BEAR League, Lake Tahoe Wildlife Care, El Dorado County Environmental Services, and Lake Tahoe Humane Society and S.P.C.A.

- How to create protected outdoor space for your pets.
- How to critter proof your yard and home.
- How to establish a safe, animal-wise neighborhood.
- How to enrich your wildlife experiences everywhere you go.

For more information, contact Liz Maul at (530) 542.2857.

Celebration of Pony Express

The Douglas County Public Library is celebrating the 150th anniversary of the Pony Express on May 1. At 10am National Pony Express, Nevada Division will present a lecture in the Lampe Park Pavilion.

Afterward there will be a mail bag exchange demonstration in Herbig Park. Write a letter to be carried by a Pony Express rider during the program and visit the horses before they ride. Pick up your letter immediately after the mail exchange demonstration. Younger children should be accompanied by an adult.

For more information, call (775) 782-9841, visit the library at 1625 Library Lane in Minden, or go to douglas.lib.nv.us.

Chamber mixer in South Tahoe

The Lake Tahoe South Shore Chamber of Commerce will host an Earth Day Business After Hours Mixer at Embassy Suites South Lake Tahoe on April 22 from 5:30–7:30pm.

Join Chamber members to celebrate the Earth and learn about green business practices in our community. The Tahoe Chamber Green Business Cooperative will share videos and information on products and practices that can be easily implemented to make your business more earth friendly. Geotourism

representatives from the Sierra Business Council will display the new Geotourism website and show how you can nominate a favorite Tahoe attraction. Nature artwork by local artists will also be featured.

In honor of Earth Day, local and organic food and wine will be offered.

Admission is \$10 for chamber members and \$20 for non-members.

For more information, visit www.tahoechamber.org or call (775) 588.1728.

Truckee Tahoe Community Chorus concert

Truckee Tahoe Community Chorus concert "Welcome Spring" is May 1 at 7 pm at the Resort at Squaw Creek in Squaw Valley.

This spring the chorus has prepared a program to please most any taste in music, including Gilbert and Sullivan comedy sketches, a jazz and show tune section, and some classic and contemporary literature.

The Diablo Valley Philharmonic Orchestra and Chamber Singers from the Bay Area are also on the program.

Make a night of it with dinner (20 percent discount with your ticket at either Six Peaks Grille or Sandy's Pub) and concert, all at the resort.

For information or to purchase tickets, [click here](#).