

Snippets about Lake Tahoe



- The town of Truckee incorporated 20 years ago this month, but was founded 150 years ago.

- If you think Lake Tahoe is a pet friendly destination, then vote online.
 - Dave Curry, Tahoe Truckee Unified School District executive director of Educational Services, was recognized by the Association of California School Administrators as Placer County Charter Administrator of the Year.
 - Lake of the Sky Outfitters and Unity at the Lake in concert with Native Wild Horse Protection and the American Wild Horse Preservation Campaign will be showing the award winning documentary "Wild Horses and Renegades" on March 30 at 7pm. The free screening will be at Unity at the Lake, 1195 Rufus Allen Blvd., South Lake Tahoe.
 - Local author Mark McLaughlin will speak April 9 at 7pm about the brutal winter storms of the past and how climate change will impact this area. Space is limited, so come early. This Lake Tahoe Historical Society event is free at the Lodge at Camp Richardson.
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Excel topic of chamber event

Lake Tahoe South Shore Chamber of Commerce's monthly Tech Tuesday covers the hottest trends in technology. The series takes place the first Tuesday of the month, from 8-9:30am in the chamber conference room in Stateline.

Workshops are free for chamber members and \$15 for prospective members.

On April 2, Jay Kapp from Sterling Buying Group will present the basics of using Excel for your business. Reserve a spot by calling (775) 588.1728.

LTCC offering career clinic

Need help with your resume? A job application? Want to brush up on your interviewing skills?

Lake Tahoe Community College's Library is hosting a free drop-in career clinic with consultant Michael Donahoe. The clinic is open to everyone.

The clinics will be from 1-3pm every Wednesday starting April 10 and lasting through June 26.

Commission on Aging needs members

The Commission on Aging is looking for additional members.

The commission acts in an advisory capacity to the Area Agency on Aging and the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors on matters concerning senior residents.

The commission focuses its efforts on such issues as the following:

- Development of community centers in strategic areas of the County to ensure provision of accessible services to all senior residents.
- Promotion of services that enable seniors to remain in their homes for as long as possible.
- Identification and prevention of elder abuse.

Applicants are being sought from all areas of the county. Preference will be given to those applicants who are 60 years and older.

The deadline for submitting an application is May 10.

For additional information, and/or to obtain a membership application, contact Janice Haney at (530) 642.7276 or janice.haney@edcgov.us.

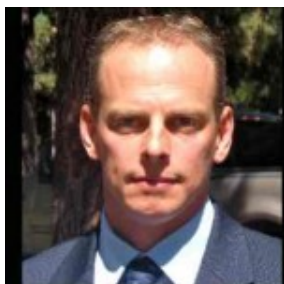
Eating out benefits CASA

Chevy's Taco Bar & Easter Egg Hunt on March 28 from 4:30-7:30pm benefits CASA El Dorado.

The \$10 tickets are available in advance and at the South Lake Tahoe restaurant. CASA-kids are invited to attend for \$5; children under 3 are free. To reserve a ticket in advance, call (530) 573.3072.

Wear your Easter Bunny Best and bring a basket to gather goodies.

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Johnny Poland

- South Lake Tahoe police Officer Johnny Poland's next federal court hearing has been pushed back to May 1.
- *Travel & Leisure* has released its list of America's Coolest River Walks and Reno comes up No. 9.
- Andrew Sanford, who is accused of killing South Lake Tahoe teenager Richard Swanson in 1980, will be tried in El Dorado County Superior Court in Placerville starting Oct. 1.
- The Bicycle Advisory Committee of the South Lake Tahoe Recreation Facilities Joint Powers Authority will meet April 1 from 9-11am at McDonalds Y parking lot, then Motel 6 parking lot, and then the parking lot adjacent to the Presbyterian Church. This is to look at the various bike trails.

- Animal Planet sent a film crew from “Finding Bigfoot” to the Lake Tahoe Basin. Watch for the segment to air in the summer.

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- Tahoe Blue Vodka received the Chairman's Trophy for unflavored vodka at the fourth annual Ultimate Spirits Challenge in New York City this month.

- The South Lake Tahoe Softball League is sponsoring an Adult Coed and Men's League. A team meeting will be at Steamers Bar and Grill on April 3 at 6pm. For more information, call Jack at (530) 577. 2405.

- The Tahoe Transportation District board is expected to vote April 12 on which loop road routes will be studied in the environmental documents. A report from the business review committee will be given. The meeting is at the TRPA office in Stateline starting at 9:30am.

- Here is the Caltrans El Dorado-Tahoe roadwork schedule for the week.

- Authors Suzanne Roberts and Tim Hauserman will talk about the John Muir Trail and the Tahoe Rim Trail, respectively, during the March 26 Sierra Club meeting. The free talk starts at 6pm at Emerald Bay Physical Therapy, 812 Emerald Bay Road, South Lake Tahoe.

Stormwater workshop in Truckee

Truckee in cooperation with the Placer County Stormwater Division will be hosting a stormwater workshop April 17.

The focus will be on providing business owners, contractors, engineers, and local agency staffs information on the new municipal permit requirements. The new permit starts July 1.

The free workshop is from 9-11am at 10183 Truckee Airport Road, Truckee.

In addition, there will be a refresher segment on temporary and permanent erosion control best management practices, sediment control BMPs, good housekeeping BMPs, and their proper installation and maintenance.

For more information or to register, contact Jessica Thompson at (530) 582.2938.

Then and now: Evolution of South Shore lodge



Starting in the 1920s as Connolley's Bijou at the South Shore, it evolved from tent cabins and beach to include this large white frame building between Highway 50 and the shoreline for lodging, dining, and recreation.

Before being razed in 1973, the building had a varied history, including Connolly's Pancake House (note changed spelling) and lastly, Nel's Tahoe Supply.

The demolition sign in this photo announces: "Timbercove Lodge, opening October 1st, 1973, on the Beach."

This 2013 photo at the same location indicates the recent rebranding as Beach Retreat & Lodge at Tahoe. I want to think those are the same two historic trees (behind) in both photos.



Connolly Beach still exists and is publicly operated by the city of South Lake Tahoe Parks and Recreation Department.

– Bill Kingman

Class teaches paddleboard building

The Tahoe Maritime Museum is offering a wooden paddleboard building course starting in June.

The course will use Chesapeake Light Craft Paddle Board Kits to construct either 12-foot-6-inch or 14-foot paddleboards. The boards are built from marine plywood using a stitch and glue method.

Space is limited, so register soon by emailing katena@tahoemaritime.org. The cost is \$2,100.