

Dreaming Tree hikes with local artists in September

Trails and Vistas announces The Dreaming Tree art hikes with views of the Sierra Nevada on Sept. 8 and 9 at Donner Ski Ranch, 19320 Donner Pass Road in Norden.

More than thirty artists including world musicians, dancers, storytellers and visual artists will present the signature two-mile art hikes. In addition to local creative talent, artists come from the San Francisco Bay Area, Santa Cruz, Chico, Davis and Utah.

Tickets in advance are \$30 for adults and \$10 for ages 5 to 12. If tickets are still available on the day of the hike, the cost is \$40. Go online to buy tickets.

Class about lead paint renovation to be taught in Spanish

South Lake Tahoe and Lake Tahoe Community College Connect Community Education are sponsoring the Renovator, Repair, Painter Training for local contractors.

The Lead Safe Worker eight-hour training for Renovators, Repair and Painters is being offered at LTCC in Spanish on July 28. The cost to attend the training is \$50 and up to two workers from each company are welcome to participate.

The reduced cost of the workshop fees are being paid for by the South Lake Tahoe grant funding. The Lead Safe Tahoe program has been able to control potential lead-based paint hazards and renovate nearly 60 homes so far through this federally funded grant program.

Common renovation activities like sanding, cutting, and demolition can create hazardous lead dust and chips by disturbing lead-based paint, which can be harmful to adults and children. To protect against this risk, on April 22, 2008, EPA issued the Renovation, Repair and Painting Rule. It requires that firms performing renovation, repair, and painting projects that disturb lead-based paint in pre-1978 homes, child care facilities and schools be certified by EPA and that they use certified renovators who are trained by EPA-approved training providers to follow lead-safe work practices.

Contact Janine Green at (530) 542.6196 or Lydia Zuniga at (530) 542.7417 or register online.

Snippets about Lake Tahoe



- Stateline post office is renting boxes again. A worker told *Lake Tahoe News* the office is not on any closure list.

- Don Felder, former lead guitarist of the Eagles, will be at Northstar on Aug. 17 at 8pm. Tickets (800.466.6784) are \$26.

- Sunnyside in Tahoe City is one of OpenTable's 2012 diners' choice award winners for the most scenic view restaurants in

the U.S.

- July 26 is the 22nd anniversary of the signing of the Americans with Disabilities Act.
- September's Tour de Tahoe – Bike Big Blue is a 72-mile bike ride around Lake Tahoe the helps benefit the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. For more information, go online.

Blood drive in South Lake Tahoe

Did you know blood donated from just one person can help save up to three lives?

Barton Memorial Hospital Auxiliary invites everyone to consider giving blood Aug. 6.

Stop by Embassy Suites (first floor ballroom, 4130 Lake Tahoe Blvd., South Lake Tahoe) between noon and 6pm.

The next donation date is scheduled for Oct. 1 – same time, same place.

For more information, contact Dan Kerr at (775) 588.2376 or (775) 781.5345.

Music venue needs help with clean up

The Live at Lakeview Summer Music Series is seeking volunteers to help break down the venue and pick up trash after each Thursday night concert.



Volunteers are also needed every Monday at 8am for the Live at Lakeview Neighborhood cleanup.

To get involved, call (530) 600.2233 or email Leslieallison33@gmail.com.

If you are not able to volunteer, but want to show support for these community events, purchase a beer or two at the beer garden.

The Live at Lakeview Summer Music Series is a completely free event every Thursday from 4:30-8:30pm at the Lakeview Commons on the corner of Lakeview Avenue and Highway 50 in South Lake Tahoe.

Book sale at South Lake Tahoe library

Friends of the Library is having a book sale Aug. 18 from 10am-3pm at the library meeting room.

All members of Friends of the Library are invited to a preview of the book sale, from 9-10 am. New members are welcome to signup that morning.

For additional information, call (530) 573.3185.

South Lake Tahoe branch library is at 1000 Rufus Allen Blvd.

Recreation board to decide how to spend money

South Lake Tahoe Recreation Facilities Joint Powers Authority at its July 27 9am meeting at Lake Tahoe Airport will be presented with ideas about how to spend money to improve bike trails and fields within its jurisdiction.

The three-member board could take action that morning or defer a decision.

It is being recommended that new planks for the two bike bridges in South Lake Tahoe be replaced and that the softball field at South Tahoe High School be completed.

Youth bike rodeo coming to

South Tahoe

The Lake Tahoe Bike Coalition along with the Boys & Girls Club will be producing a Bike Rodeo on Aug. 17 starting at 2pm at the Boys & Girls Club in South Lake Tahoe.

The rodeo will include a bike safety check, proper fitting of helmets, and instruction on safe bicycle handling skills.

South Shore Bikes will be on hand to perform bike safety check and the California Highway Patrol, with the help of the Bike Coalition, will administer the bike safety education.

For those interested in participating as a sponsor, vendor or volunteer, contact Ty Polastri at BikeTahoe@aol.com.

LTCC Foundation receives \$5,000 from Korbel

Fourteen athletes vied for the title of Korbel Hole-in-One Champion on July 20 at the American Century Championship at in Lake Tahoe.

Wind was not on their side in this inaugural contest. John Elway unleashed a drive landing him 6 feet, 7.5 inches away from the pin.

If someone had gotten a hole in one. they would have received cash from Korbel as would have the Lake Tahoe Community College Foundation. But because no one hit the hole in one the Champagne company gave the full \$5,000 to the foundation.

Life-size Lego creations to be constructed at Heavenly Village

The Lego Group is coming to Heavenly Village in South Lake Tahoe to take residents and visitors on a Brickation from July 25-Sept. 4.

This pop-up Lego experience will include activities, hands-on experience, and summer themed life-size Lego models.

Everyone can help build a large, custom Lake Tahoe mosaic Sunday-Thursday from 10am-7pm, and Friday-Saturday from 10am-8pm.