

Snippets about Lake Tahoe

- Smoke in the Tahoe basin and Truckee areas on July 25 is from the distant fires in Monterey County and Santa Clarita. No fires are burning locally. A strike team from Tahoe is on its way Monday to Monterey.
- South Tahoe High School teacher Wes Berkshire is featured in an **Outside magazine** article about the cost of living in mountain towns.
- Freedom from smoking classes with Barton Health are on consecutive Wednesdays from Aug. 17-Sept. 28, plus Sept. 9, from 6:30-8:30pm. Cost is \$30. For more info, call 530.543.5549 or email fit@bartonhealth.org. Classes are at 1077B 4th St., South Lake Tahoe.
- The Science of Gratitude Integrating Evolutionary, Neurobiological, and Psychological Perspectives is the subject of a lecture at Sierra Nevada College in Incline Village on Sept. 1 from 5:30-7pm. Cost is \$5.
- International Camel & Ostrich Races are in Virginia City Sept. 9-11. For more info, go **online**.