

Trifecta moon event over Lake Tahoe



Photo/John Gomez

South Shore resident John Gomez captured the lunar trifecta this week in a series of photos.



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He shot them from the top of Kingsbury Grade.



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The Jan. 31 full moon was the second of the month, making it a blue moon. It was also a supermoon, meaning it was at its closest point to the Earth. Then there was a total lunar eclipse, known as a blood moon.



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The next time all three will happen at once again will be in 2037. The previous occurrence was in 1982.

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