

# Mountain Resort Report©

From: Curtis Fong - "The Guy From Tahoe" – Sunday, April 25, 2010 - **UPDATED as of 7:00am**

Good Morning, Lake Tahoe Skiers & Riders. If you're visiting, Welcome to Lake Tahoe. Here's your Mountain Resort Report for your Sunday, April 25th. The Final Day for some remaining resorts. A Beautiful Day to enjoy end of season turns. Expect Mostly Clear and Sunny Skies with Temps into the High 50's on the slopes and Light Winds. Dress in light layers with your Jacket or Shell. Take a Hat with a brim, a Visor or wear a Helmet for Safety. Also, wear Good Sunglasses or Goggles and don't forget the Sunscreen. Surface conditions are Machine Groomed & Skier-Rider Packed Snow - Spring Conditions - Softening. Ski and Ride with Care and always with a Buddy if go off-piste. Keep an eye out for marked and unmarked obstacles and "Stay In Bounds and on opened runs only".

## South Lake Tahoe & Surrounding Area Resorts

**Heavenly Mountain Resort** - South Lake Tahoe – Reports a base of 84-122". 4 Lifts are scheduled to operate (8:30-4). Access to the mountain will be from The Gondola. Tamarack, Sky and Dipper on the upper mountain are open. 38 trails are open + 2 Terrain Parks open on the CA side. Adventure Peak activities at the top of the Gondola scheduled to open (11-4:30) with the Snow Tubing, Sledding, Snowshoeing & Snow Bikes for Rent. (MG & SKRPkd Spring / 26F / Clear / Lt Winds). Final Day today. **1-800-HEAVENLY. [www.skiheavenly.com](http://www.skiheavenly.com)**

**Sierra-At-Tahoe** - on U.S. Hwy 50 – Closed **(530) 659-7475. [www.sierraattahoe.com](http://www.sierraattahoe.com)**

**Camp Richardson Mountain Sport Center** - on Emerald Bay Road - Hwy 89 – Closed. **(530) 542-6584. [www.camprichardson.com](http://www.camprichardson.com)**

**Hope Valley XC Outdoor Center** - 14655 Hwy 89/88 – at Pickett's Junction – Closed. **(530) 694-2266. [www.hopevalleyoutdoors.com](http://www.hopevalleyoutdoors.com)**

**Kirkwood Mountain Resort** - On Hwy 88 – Reports a base from 182-256". 5 Lifts are scheduled to operate (9-4) on the Front Side with Chairs #5, #6, #7, #10 & #11. 35 Trails are to open (17MG) + 4 Bowls are accessible + 2 T-Parks, Skier/Boarder X and the Half Pipe open. (MG & SKRPkd Spring / 32F / Clear / Lt Winds). Last Day today. **Kirkwood XC Center: is Closed. (877) KIRKWOOD. [www.kirkwood.com](http://www.kirkwood.com)**

## North & East Shore / Nevada Resorts

**Spoooner Lake Cross Country** - Highway 28/50 - at Spooner Lake State Park – Closed. (775) 749-5349. **[www.spoonerlake.com](http://www.spoonerlake.com)**

**Diamond Peak** - Hwy 28 - in Incline Village – Closed. **(775) 831-3211. [www.diamondpeak.com](http://www.diamondpeak.com)**

**Mt. Rose Ski Tahoe** - Mt. Rose Hwy 431– Closed. **(775) 849-0704 #1. [www.skirose.com](http://www.skirose.com)**

## Truckee Area Resorts

**Northstar-at-Tahoe** - On Hwy 267 – Closed. **Northstar XC/Telemark & Snow Shoe Center** – Closed. **(530) 562-1330. [www.northstarattahoe.com](http://www.northstarattahoe.com)**

**Tahoe Donner Ski Area** - 11603 Slalom Way, Truckee – Closed. **(530) 587-9444 #2 (Downhill). Tahoe Donner XC** – Closed. **(530) 587-9484. [www.skitahtoedonner.com](http://www.skitahtoedonner.com)**

## Donner Summit Resorts

**Boreal Mountain Resort** – Off I-80 at Boreal/Castle Peak Exit – CLOSED. (530) 426-3666 #1. **[www.rideboreal.com](http://www.rideboreal.com)**

**Soda Springs Winter Resort** - Off I-80 – Closed. (530) 426-3901. **[www.skisodasprings.com](http://www.skisodasprings.com)**

**Royal Gorge Cross Country Ski Resort** – Off I-80 in Soda Springs – Closed. **(530) 426-3871. [www.royalgorge.com](http://www.royalgorge.com).**

**Donner Ski Ranch** - On Donner Pass Road – Is open on Weekends until the snow is gone. They report a base of 84-148". 5 Lifts will operate (9-4) on the Front Side with 45 runs open (MG & Spring / 32F / Clear / Lt Winds). **(530) 426-3635. [www.donnerskiranch.com](http://www.donnerskiranch.com)**

**Sugar Bowl Ski Resort** - Off I-80 on Donner Pass Rd - Reports a base of 71-149". 9 Lifts are scheduled to operate (9-4) including Mt Lincoln Express, Jerome Hill & Judah Express. 94 runs are open (48 MG) + 4 T-Parks including Switching Yard open. (MG & SKRPkd Spring / 35F / Clear / Lt Winds). Final Day today. **(530) 426-1111. [www.sugarbowl.com](http://www.sugarbowl.com)**

## West Shore / North Lake Tahoe Resorts

**Homewood Mountain Resort** - On Hwy 89 – CLOSED **(530) 525-2900. [Skihomewood.com](http://Skihomewood.com)**

**Granlibakken Ski Hill** – Hwy 89 - Tahoe City – CLOSED. **(530) 581-7533.**

**Tahoe Cross Country Ski Area** - 3 miles E. of Tahoe City on Hwy 28 – is open (8:30-5) with a base of 10-38". They have 12 Trails open offering 40km of groomed XC & Snow Shoe trails accessible. Last Day. **(530) 583-5475. [www.tahoexc.org](http://www.tahoexc.org)**

**Alpine Meadows Ski Resort** - Hwy 89 – Is Open Fridays thru Sundays on a base of 92-165". 2 Lifts will operate (9-2) with Summit Six & Sherwood in the morning then Scott in the afternoon. 50 runs are open. (MG SKRPkd Spring / 35F / Clear / Lt Winds). Open Fri-Sun thru May 16. **(530) 581-8374. [www.skialpine.com](http://www.skialpine.com)**

**Squaw Valley USA** - Hwy 89 – Reports a base of 166-201". 16 Lifts are scheduled to operate (9-4). 6 Lifts from the

Bottom with the Cable Car & Funitel as well as KT22. Plus, 10 Lifts are scheduled to operate on the Upper Mountain, including Shirley Lake, Siberia, Headwall & Granite Chief on the schedule. 170 trails to open + The Belmont & Monster T-Parks, as well as the Riviera Super Pipe are scheduled to open. The High Camp Swimming Lagoon and Spa is scheduled to open (11-4). (MG & SKRPkd Spring / 27F / Clear / Lt Winds). Season Pass Holders Appreciation Party at High Camp. Plans to stay Open thru May 9. (530) 583-6955 #1. [www.squaw.com](http://www.squaw.com).  
**The Resort at Squaw Creek is Closed.**

#### Central Sierra Resorts

**Mammoth Mountain** - off Hwy 395 - is reporting a base of 120-168". 9 Lifts are scheduled to operate (8:30-4) out of Main Lodge & 1 Lift out of Canyon Lodge. 80 Trails are open (45 MG) & 3 T-Parks, Super Pipe & The Super Duper Pipe open (MG & SKRPkd Spring / 37F / Clear / Lt Winds). Planning to stay open thru July 4. (888) 766-9778.

[www.mammothmountain.com](http://www.mammothmountain.com). **June Mountain** – Closed for the season. (760) 934-2224. [www.junemountain.com](http://www.junemountain.com)

**Yosemite/Badger Pass** - is CLOSED for the season. (209) 372-8430. [www.yosemitepark.com/BadgerPass.aspx](http://www.yosemitepark.com/BadgerPass.aspx)

**Dodge Ridge** - Pinecrest, CA on Hwy 108 – Closed. (209) 536-5300. [www.dodgeridge.com](http://www.dodgeridge.com)

**Bear Valley Mountain Resort** - Hwy 4 – Closed. (209) 753-2301 #2. **Bear Valley XC** – Closed for the Season. (209) 753-2834. [www.bearvalley.com](http://www.bearvalley.com)

So there you have it. For updates on all those Remaining open Resorts visit my Website at [BikeandSkiTahoe.Com](http://BikeandSkiTahoe.Com). Thanks for Listening to KTHO and my Mountain Resort Report all season – it's been a great season. Stay Tuned to KTHO for information on my upcoming Bicycling Events and other Cycling News. Be Safe and have a great day – as well as a great spring and summer. I'll See you Out there... It's Curtis Fong, TGFT and that's today's Mtn Resort Report.

[www.bikeandskitahoe.com](http://www.bikeandskitahoe.com)

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On another note, this year I am working the **RSN** and producing a weekly feature titled, **"What's Up Tahoe"**. I have Resort News & Interviews, action Video and a weekly calendar of fun events on and off the slopes. It airs 6 times daily in various programs. Tune in to RSN in South Lake Tahoe, North Lake Tahoe, Reno, Carson City & Carson Valley.

You can also watch **Nevada Trails** where I am a monthly guest supplying information about skiing and bicycling in Nevada. This is a :30 minute program, produced by Michael Smith and Access Carson City Television and is Broadcast weekly in the Reno, Carson City, Carson Valley and at Lake Tahoe on Public Access Cable Stations. Please visit:

[www.nvtrails.acctv.org](http://www.nvtrails.acctv.org)

for my archived programs:

**Episode 406 - Ski Report**

**Episode 331 – Skiing at Tahoe / Episode 335 – Heavenly Skiing / Episode 336 – Skiing Nevada**

**Episode 324 – Bike the West / Episode 238 – Bike the West**

See you on the Slopes...  
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