



2016 Winter Events

Ed Z'berg-Sugar Pine Point State Park



Cross-Country Biathlon: "Citizens Against the Clock"

Saturday, Jan. 16 Registration: 10:00 AM Event: 10:30 AM

Free program for all ages; \$5 parking fee

Enjoy a family friendly **Cross-country Skiing Biathlon**. Ski a trail similar to the cross-country Biathlon of the 1960 Winter Olympics, catch your breath, then shoot at a target with a safe laser rifle for accuracy and get timed results. Program lasts approximately 1 ½ hours. Bring your own cross-country skis, or rent skis at a local sporting goods shop, such as West Shore Sports in Homewood. Program will be conducted as a "run and shoot" if there is no snow. Meet near the entrance station in the campground side of the park (**west** entrance off Highway 89).



Full Moon Snowshoe Tours

Saturdays: Jan. 23, Feb. 20, Mar. 19

Beginners' clinic: 6:30 PM Tour: 7:00 PM

Adults \$25; Children 12 and under \$10. Price includes parking, snowshoes and guided tour.

Explore the natural and cultural history around the Hellman-Ehrman estate and Lake Tahoe in this Ranger-led tour. Few experiences are as enchanting as snowshoeing by the light of a full moon along the snow-covered Tahoe shore!. The program lasts approximately 90

minutes. Wear warm, layered clothing and winter boots. This event is generously sponsored by West Shore Sports, and all proceeds benefit the Sierra State Parks Foundation's educational programming. Space is limited, and tickets may be purchased at sierrastateparks.org (under "Events Calendar"). To check availability on the **day** of the event only, call West Shore Sports at 530-525-9920.

Snowshoe Through History

Saturdays: Jan. 2, Feb. 13, Mar. 12 at 11:00 AM

Free program; \$5 parking fee

Join our State Park Interpreter for an easy and fun 90 minute walk along Lake Tahoe's magical west shore. Discover what attracted Tahoe's earliest settlers and uncover secrets of the Hellman-Ehrman Estate in Sugar Pine Point State Park Meet near the restrooms in the Day Use side of the park (**lake side** entrance off Highway 89). Wear warm layered clothing, waterproof hiking boots, and bring **your own snowshoes**.

Snowshoes can be rented at a local sporting goods shop, such as West Shore Sports in Homewood.



Self-Guided Snow Trails

Free to explore; \$5 parking fee - Snow Phone 530-525-9528

Step into cross-country skis or snowshoes and play on 11 miles of trails that are suitable for all abilities. Explore trails that Olympians conquered in the 1960 Winter Olympics, right in your own state park! Interpretive panels along the Blue and Red trails share our Olympic and Nordic Skiing history. The Blue, Red and Green trails (campground side of the park) are scheduled for **machine-grooming** every Monday and Friday, conditions permitting. Yellow and Orange trails (day use side of the park) are **not** machine groomed. Free snow trail maps at park entrance. **No dogs allowed on trails**. The Sierra State Parks Foundation provides the trail grooming. Donations appreciated!

Programs subject to weather and trail conditions. For more information:

www.parks.ca.gov (search under Ed Z'berg Sugar Pine Point State Park) 530-525-9528

Sierra State Parks Foundation: www.SierraStateParks.org 530-583-9911

