

TAHOE DONNER GIVING FUND ANNUAL APPEAL REMINDER

By **SUZANNE SULLIVAN**, Chair of the Giving Fund Committee



Some of us come to Tahoe Donner on weekends and vacations to enjoy all the mountains have to offer. Others wake up to the glorious Sierra each morning. Either way, this area has so much to offer.

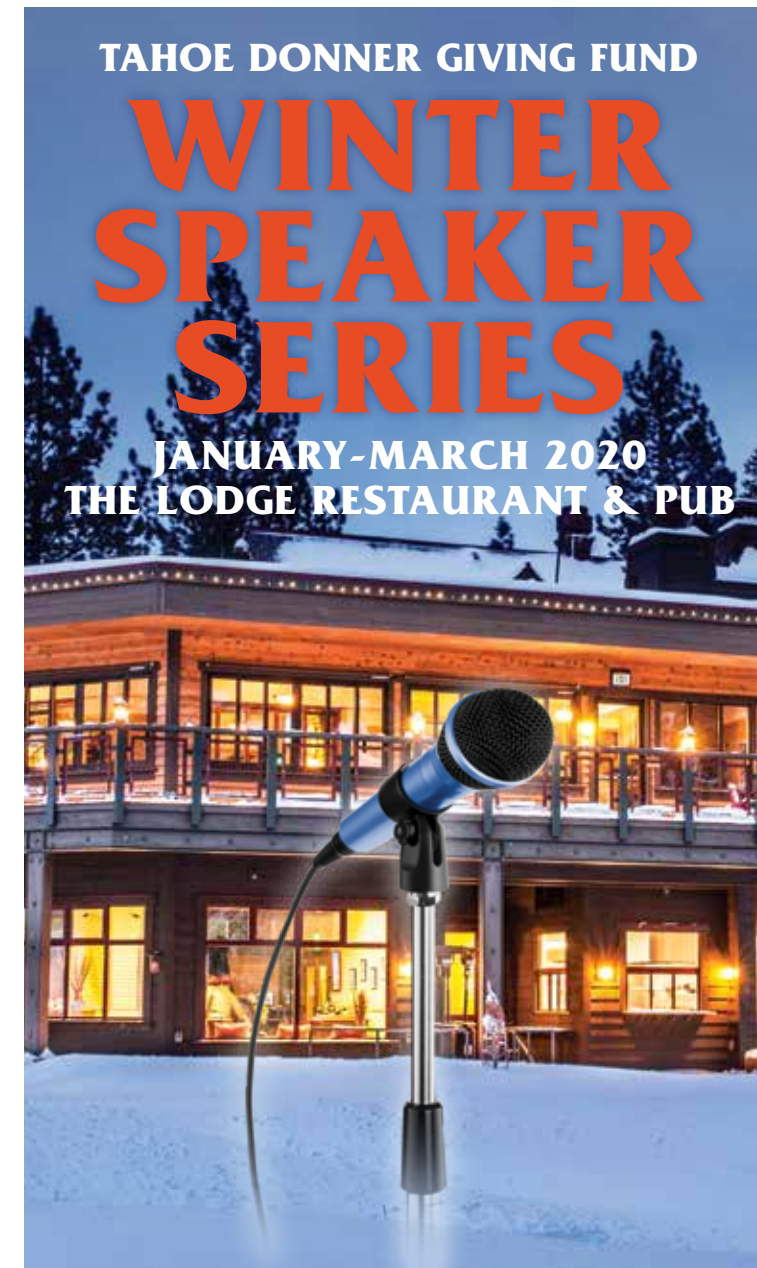
Somewhat hidden from view are the needs within the local community. The good news is, there are many non-profits working to meet those needs. The Giving Fund was established to support these non-profits, in addition to high school graduates seeking to further their education in vocational and academic fields.

Please be among the homeowners in Tahoe Donner who contribute to the Giving Fund as a way of giving back to the greater Truckee area. Thus far, our annual appeal has raised \$23,358. With 6,473 properties, we should be able to do much better than \$3.61 per household.

Please contribute now, online at tahoedonner.com/giving-fund. Or, save us the credit card charge by mailing your check to the address on the cutout below.

Thank you for being part of Tahoe Donner ♥ Cares.

The Tahoe Donner Giving Fund is chartered by the TD Board of Directors. All contributions are voluntary tax-deductible gifts from TD members and friends. The Giving Fund is administered through the Tahoe Truckee Community Foundation. For more information on the Giving Fund or to make a contribution, visit our web page at tahoedonner.com/giving-fund. Contact tdgf@tahoedonner.com with questions or to volunteer for the committee. Thank you to our founding partner, Elements Mountain Company, for their continued support.



An array of interesting and diverse topics are being presented at the Winter Speaker Series, sponsored by the Giving Fund. We begin at 4:30PM with light appetizers and speakers presenting from 4:50-6:00PM.

Where: The Alder Room at The Lodge

Cost: \$5 per session; tickets available at speakerseries.brownpapertickets.com or purchase at the door

FEBRUARY 6 | THE PHYSICS OF SNOW

BERNHARD BACH, UNIVERSITY NEVADA RENO

Condensation, evaporation, precipitation - you learned that cycle in grade school, but where does snow fit in? You'll never look at a snowflake the same after this presentation.

FEBRUARY 20 | HIGH ALTITUDE BAKING TIPS

DANIELLA LUCHIAN, SIERRA BAKEHOUSE

What, your favorite cake recipe didn't work at 6,800 feet? Learn tips and techniques for baking like a pro in the mountains.

MARCH 5 | THE ART OF GROOMING

PER HURTIG, TDXC GROOMER

What does it take to keep the cross country trails open and in pristine condition? Discover what's happening at zero dark hundred to get the snow ready for your best and safest skate and classic ski experience.

MARCH 19 | MICROPLASTICS IN LAKE TAHOE + SIERRA NEVADA SNOW

MONICA ARIENZO, PH.D., AND MEGHAN COLLINS, M.S., DESERT RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Let's look at a relatively new issue in the Sierras. Those microplastics we've been hearing about in the ocean are also showing up in our waterways. What can we do to protect our environment?

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