

WELCOME



The Tahoe Donner Trail System features over 60 miles of trails across 5,000 acres of epic Sierra Nevada terrain. It is the ultimate playground for hikers, trail runners, mountain bikers and equestrians.

The Tahoe Donner Trail Crew works to perform revegetation efforts, reduce erosion and implement best management practices for a resilient and healthy ecosystem. Their ongoing stewardship of the trail system continues to provide recreation opportunities. Please observe signage and stay on designated trails to avoid disturbing sensitive areas undergoing revegetation or erosion control.

The Tahoe Donner Trail Crew has also begun implementing adaptive trail management practices to enhance safety and improve recreation opportunities for all trail user groups. Make sure to note signage and only access designated trails as part of the appropriate group.

There will be ongoing changes to the trail system to meet the intent of the 2023 Trail Master Plan.

Trails can be easily accessed from the Alder Creek Adventure Center, Trout Creek Recreation Center, Glacier Way, Town of Truckee Trout Creek Class 1 Bike Path Trailhead, nearby street connections and other marked trailheads.



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TRAIL USE INSTRUCTIONS

TRAILS OPEN FROM

SUNRISE TO SUNSET

Announce yourself to other trail users

TRAVEL AT A SAFE SPEED

SLOW DOWN WHEN PASSING

Look and listen for other trail users or wildlife

KEEP ONE EARBUD OUT

Stay present to avoid hazards

REPORT HAZARDS

NO FIRES

NO SMOKING

NO DRONES

TREAT YOURSELF AFTER

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A DAY ON THE TRAILS

VOTED BEST KID-FRIENDLY

RESTAURANT IN TRUCKEE

Animals and other trail users may be unpredictable

BE AWARE OF YOUR SURROUNDINGS

CALL (530) 414-8166 TO REPORT TRAIL PROBLEMS,

FOR EMERGENCIES, CALL 911

NO FIREWORKS OR FIREARMS

NO CAMPING OR OVERNIGHT PARKING

MOTORIZED VEHICLES PROHIBITED

CLASS 2 AND 3 E-BIKES PROHIBITED

Class 1 e-bikes are now allowed on any trails designated

VANDALISM, SAFETY ISSUES OR AGGRESSIVE ANIMALS

Stay in control; respect slow zones



GO SLOW + SAY HELLO IN BUSY AREAS

YIELD ETIQUETTE

Expect to come across fellow recreationists each time you head out on the trails. Although common sense goes a long way when using busy routes, all trail users should observe the following yield etiquette.

Adaptive trail management practices limit certain user groups to designated trails. Only access designated trails as part of the appropriate group and follow all other yielding etiquette.



UPHILL TRAFFIC HAS RIGHT OF WAY



HORSEBACK RIDERS HAVE RIGHT OF WAY

Equestrian traffic has the right of way, but riders should be prepared for inexperienced trail users who are unfamiliar with how to act around horses. Horseback riders should avoid high-traffic and multi-use trails whenever possible.



HIKERS + TRAIL RUNNERS MUST YIELD FOR HORSEBACK RIDERS

Foot traffic should step to the downhill side of the trail to let horses pass. Always announce your presence when approaching those on horseback to avoid spooking the animals.



BIKERS MUST YIELD FOR HIKERS + HORSEBACK RIDERS

Bikers should stop, get off bikes and step to the downhill side of the trail to let horses or hikers pass. Always announce your presence when approaching people and horses on the trail.

Note: Class 1 electric bicycles (e-bikes) are now allowed on any trails designated for bicycle use. Class 2 and 3 e-bikes are prohibited on all trails.



DOGS YIELD TO ALL TRAIL USERS

DOG INFORMATION





KEEP DOGS ON LEASH

common areas, including parking lots and streets, as well as on the Nature Loop, East Perimeter Trail, Alder Creek Trail and Hillside Trail



KEEP DOGS UNDER VOICE COMMAND Dogs under voice control are permitted off leash on

Tahoe Donner trails, except for those specified above



DO NOT LET DOGS APPROACH OTHERS



PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET Dispose of waste in trash cans



KEEP DOGS OUT OF SENSITIVE AREAS

BE RESPECTFUL



After the 642-acre purchase of Crabtree Canyon in May 2016, Tahoe Donner Association's open space expanded to 5,018 acres. The private lots and residences of Tahoe Donner make up a total of 2.358 acres. When combined, the size of Tahoe Donner is 7,376 acres. Much of Tahoe Donner's owned acreage is open space, and the board, committees and management are committed to protecting and enhancing the area for longterm stewardship and sustainable recreation.

There are several neighbors that access their property via Tahoe Donner. These include private lots and residences, the U.S. Forest Service, Tahoe National Forest, the Euer family, the Donner Euer Valley Corporation, the Truckee Donner Land Trust and other large landowners.

The private land adjacent to Tahoe Donner is not accessible to Tahoe Donner members or the public. Please obey the boundary signs; do not trespass.



LEAVE THE LAND BETTER THAN YOU FOUND IT



LEAVE NO TRACE Deposit waste in approved receptacles or pack out



NO TRESPASSING

Respect signs and private property

BE PREPARED



TAKE WATER, SNACKS + SUNSCREEN



BE PREPARED FOR RAPIDLY CHANGING WEATHER



CARRY A CHARGED CELL PHONE Note: Some areas may not have cell service



MAY BE ICY

Watch your step and stay aware of surroundings

PROTECT THE ENVIRONMENT





SUMMER TRAIL MAP

HIKING | BIKING | EQUESTRIAN

TRAILS

BIKEWORKS (3/6)

EQUESTRIAN

TAHOE DONNER ALDER CREEK ADVENTURE CENTER 15275 Alder Creek Road,

ASSOCIATION

TAHOEDONNER.COM

WAYS TO GIVE BACK



(530) 587-9470

Participate in trail workdays encourage others to do



SUGGESTED TRAIL USE DONATIONS FOR NON-MEMBERS

ADULTS \$5 PER DAY USE | CHILDREN \$2 PER DAY USE

Donations may be made at Alder Creek Adventure Center, Bikeworks and

GET INVOLVED AND PARTICIPATE IN OUR TRAIL EVENTS. VISIT TAHOEDONNER.COM/TRAILS FOR MORE INFORMATION.

TRAIL USER SAFETY + RESPONSIBILITY

Mountain biking, equestrian, hiking and other recreational activities on the Tahoe Donner Trail System offer a range of challenges and adventures. Trail users can choose gentle scenic routes or challenging singletrack descents.

Be aware of hazardous conditions that may include varying terrain, natural and human-made obstacles, vehicles, animals, insects, other trail users and changing weather.

Regardless of what type of terrain you select, remember there are elements of risk in these recreational activities. Common sense and personal awareness can help to create a positive trail experience for everyone. Your knowledge, decision-making and actions contribute to your safety and the safety of others.

Tahoe Donner trail users understand and acknowledge that mountain biking, equestrian, hiking and other recreational activities on the trail system are hazardous sports with many inherent risks. Trail users assume all risks of severe personal injury including death as well as damage to or loss of property arising from participation in these sports.

