

calendar of events

PLANNING VACANCY

One term of office is currently open on the Mammoth Lakes Planning Commission. The term of appointment expires on July 31, 2014.

The Planning Commission meets on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 2 p.m. Members receive a stipend of \$200 per meeting with a maximum of \$400 per month.

Interested parties should file an application with the Town Clerk on or before Friday, August 12, 2011 at 5 p.m. Application forms may be obtained from the Town Clerk at the Town Offices, Minaret Village Shopping Center; or by writing to P.O. Box 1609, Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546, Attention: Town Clerk; or by phoning 934-8989, extension 267. The form can also be found on the Town's website, www.ci.mammoth-lakes.ca.us.

ML MUSIC FEST A MUSICAL FEAST

The Mammoth Lakes Music Festival features chamber music played by today's superstars through Aug. 5.

The next concert: "American Beauties" (July 29): U.S. composers featured include a scaled-down arrangement of Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue" for four-hand piano, played by Sarkis Baltayan and In-Sook Park, "Danzas de Panama" by African-American composer William Grant Still, and a juicy Piano Quintet by 19th century Bostonian, Arthur Foote.

All events take place at Cerro Coso College at 7:30 p.m. Schedule, performers and tix: www.ChamberMusicUnbound.org, at the door, or at Access Art and Business Center.

MONO COUNTY KIDS FISHING FEST

Be at the Snowcreek Ponds off Old Mammoth Road on Saturday, July 30, for the 24th Annual Kids Fishing Festival! From 8 a.m.-noon, young anglers can learn from some of the area's best from the Eastern Sierra Fishing Guides Association. Rods, reels and tackle will be provided, also included: art activities, lots of raffle prizes, and DFG programs and exhibits.

Info: 760.937.2942 or www.ESFGA.org. Sponsored by: Mono Council for the Arts, Eastern Sierra Fishing Guides Association, California Dept. of Fish and Game, Mono County Fisheries Commission, Snowcreek, Mono County Tourism and Mammoth Lakes Tourism.

MAMMOTH TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The Mammoth Open Tennis Tournament, a USTA-sanctioned tournament will be held at Snowcreek Athletic Club Aug. 3-7. Singles, doubles, mixed-doubles, call 760.934.8511. See you courtside!

TOWN STUFF

Saturday, July 30/ Mammoth Challenge Triathlon, 9 a.m. at Whitmore Pool. Individual/team. Sign up @ www.sierra-nevada-races.com.

Sunday, July 31/ Social Doubles @ Mammoth Courts on Forest Trail. 9:30-12:30. Fun, refreshments, no charge, all levels.

Free stand up paddleboard demos hosted by Footloose Sports. 9 a.m. June Lake

Mono Lake Tufa State Natural Reserve guided bird walks @ Mono Lake County Park, Meet 8 a.m., five miles north of Lee Vining, turn on Cemetery Road, follow the signs to County Park.

Movies Under The Stars in the Village at Mammoth. 8:30 p.m. Free! Tonight: Gooby (PG).

41st Annual Fireman's Picnic, at Shady Rest Park from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. FREE admission. Call 760.934.2300.

Sunday, July 31/ Quake and Shake 10k/Half Marathon, California's highest 10k and 5k at 8,000 feet! 9 a.m. @ Inyo Craters. Info: 415.335.0179/www.sierra-nevada-races.com

Hike the Bodie Hills! The Bodie Hills Conservation Partnership will host a day hike in the spectacular Bodie Hills. Meet 8 a.m. in front of the Mono Basin Scenic Area Visitor Center to carpool. Bring lunch, plenty of water, and outdoor protection. For hike details, contact drew@friendsoftheinyo.org or visit www.bodiehills.org.

Monday, August 1/ UK International Soccer Camp 11, day camp at Shady Rest Park through Aug. 5. Info: www.uksocca.com

AT THE MOVIES

Minaret Cinemas

Captain America (PG-13): Steve Rogers (Chris Evans) volunteers for an experimental program that turns him into a Super Soldier!

Cowboys and Aliens (PG-13): A unique cross of the classic Western with the alien-invasion movie.

"Customer Appreciation Day" resumes Aug. 15. Website discount coupons good for all shows, all days. Info: www.mammothlakesmovies.com or call 760.934.3131.

ON DVD & BLU-RAY

Take 2 Video ... in the Rite Aid/Do-It Center Mall 760.924.8124

Source Code (PG-13): An experimental government program is used to prevent a deadly terrorist attack in downtown Chicago.

Trust (R): After months of phone and online chat, 14-year-old Annie discovers her online boyfriend is not who he claimed to be.

August 2: "Rio," "Soul Surfer" and "East Bound and Down Season 2"

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Tuesday, August 2/ High Sierra Striders running club speed training practices every Tuesday, 7-8:30 a.m. @ Shady Rest Park in Mammoth.

Board of Supervisors Regular Meeting, Mono County Courthouse in Bridgeport, 9 a.m.

June Lake Citizens Advisory Committee meets. 7 p.m. June Lake Community Center.

Wednesday, August 3/ Story Time @ Mammoth Library. 10:30. **Mammoth Lakes Lions Club luncheon**. Noon. Whiskey Creek.

Mammoth Lakes Farmers Market, 4-7 p.m. (weather permitting) in front of the Mammoth Factory Outlet Mall. *Local author David Page will be signing copies of his book "Yosemite and the Southern Sierra Nevada: An Explorer's Guide" at the Booky Joint stall.

ESLT Brown Bag Lunch, come learn how to build your own backyard beehive. Info: 760.873.4554/Hilary@eslt.org

Mammoth Lakes Town Council Regular Meeting, 6 p.m., Suite Z.

Crowley Lake Stillwater Fishing Classic. Fly fishing competition to raise funds for fishing enhancement. Info: 760.935.4301.

Mono Council for the Arts Free Kids Art Camps @ Edison Hall continue, Wednesdays-Fridays, 9-11 a.m. for kids 5-7 years; 1-3 p.m. for 8 years and up.

Aug. 3-5: Printmaking OR American Idol Workshop; Call Kendra @ 760.914.3752 to register.

Mammoth Open Tennis kicks off. More info: See sidebar this page.

Thursday, August 4/ Eastern Sierra Photographers Club meets @ the LADWP conference room, Mandich St., Bishop @ 7 p.m.

GOLF FOR THE FUTURE

12th Annual Mammoth Lakes Foundation Golf Classic on Sunday, Sept. 11, 2011 at Sierra Star. We'll even guarantee the ultimate win - higher education! We sold out last year; register early by calling 760.934.3781.

SUMMER OF STEWARDSHIP

Summer of Stewardship heads to the Coldwater Trails on Saturday, July 30, including Duck Pass, and Emerald and Heart Lakes. Volunteering begins at 8:30 a.m. and includes tasks for people of all ages and abilities, from trail maintenance to trash cleanup. Breakfast bagels are courtesy of Old New York Deli. Lunch and raffle prizes, including local restaurant gift certificates and gear from Patagonia. The SOS program is sponsored by FOI, Mammoth Lakes Trails and Public Access Foundation (MLTPA), the Inyo National Forest, the National Forest Foundation and Mammoth Mountain. More info: 760.873.6500 or explore@friendsoftheinyo.org.

The Auld Dabiner
Irish Restaurant & Pub

taco tuesdays

\$1 Tacos 6-9pm
9pm-Close - Live DJ

Mammoths Only Authentic Irish Pub

- Amazing Food
- 19 Beers on Tap
- Family Friendly
 - Kids Menu
 - Game Room
 - Great Service

Happy Hour 4-6pm Daily

The Village at Mammoth Pub 760.924.7320