

# Things to do in Tahoe

## Grocery Store

Raley's complete grocery store, deli, pharmacy and wine/liquor - Prices very good!

[http://www.raleys.com/www/stores\\_map.jsp?city=Incline+Village](http://www.raleys.com/www/stores_map.jsp?city=Incline+Village)

## Incline Village Restaurants

For a complete list Google "Incline Village Restaurants"

Some of our favorites are:

- 1) **HYATT HOTEL** <http://laketahoe.hyatt.com/hyatt/hotels/entertainment/index.jsp>

The Hyatt has several restaurants, here is a partial list;

Lone Eagle is actually across the street from the Hyatt hotel with a great setting right on the water. We typically go for a drink at sunset. Dinner is pricey, food ok

Cutthroat's Saloon – good for a hamburger, pizza or nachos

Sierra Café has a nice fixed rate outdoor buffet on summer weekends, nice for families

Pier 111 great for a drink on the dock

- 2) **Bites** – good food, good atmosphere, reasonable prices <http://www.bitetahoe.com/>
- 3) **Jack Rabbit Moon** – great food; when there is a band it's really fun  
<http://www.jackrabbitmoon.com/>
- 4) **Lebistro** – fabulous food, very quaint old fashioned atmosphere, fixed price menu,  
<http://www.lebistrorestaurant.net/>
- 5) **T's Mesquite Rotisserie** - behind the 7-11 on Tahoe Blvd. This is a local favorite for meal or take out
- 6) **Thai Spice Kitchen** – next to T's; hit or miss but typically ok
- 7) **Fredricks Bistro** – Good food, ok atmosphere, higher prices <http://fredricksbistro.com/>
- 8) **Azzara's** – Italian food, only open for dinner, good food, ok atmosphere; located in the Raley's shopping center on Tahoe Blvd and Village

### OTHER RESTUARANTS IN AREA

You can take a quick drive to Kings Beach

<http://www.jasonsbeachsidegrille.com/>

<http://www.calientetahoe.com/>

Across the street from Biltmore is <http://www.souledomain.com/>

Drive a little down the road to <http://www.lanzastahoe.com/lake-tahoe-restaurant-italian>

Tahoe City has a nice restaurant for Sunday Brunch (call to verify) <http://www.garwoods.com/>

## AREA SKI INFORMATION

Tahoe is renowned for its incredible variety of both downhill skiing and cross-country skiing; you could easily ski or board a different mountain every day for an entire two weeks. Here is a sample of some since that wouldn't be very practical we've narrowed your choices down to just a few of our favorite.

**Diamond Peak** is our first choice since it is so close to the house. You can actually come home for lunch. This slope is popular because it captures some of the most dynamic views of Lake Tahoe. The California side of the lake is more beautiful than the Nevada side, which means that the views from the Nevada side towards California offer the best views. Diamond Peak is great for families and lift lines run fairly fast so you can get in quite a few runs.

<http://www.diamondpeak.com/>

**Northstar** has more challenging slopes than Diamond Peak. However there are virtually no views of Lake Tahoe. Take a look at the web site to see all that is available

<http://www.northstarattahoe.com/>

**Squaw Valley USA** is a bigger ski area with more challenging runs than Northstar but again has virtually no views of Lake Tahoe. Squaw tends to be the busiest ski area, so be prepared for long lines especially on weekends.

<http://www.squaw.com/>

### **Heavenly South Lake Tahoe**

The drive from Incline Village to South Shore is probably one of the most beautiful drives in the world.

South Lake Tahoe is more populated than the North Shore and has a reputation as a party town frequented by college students. The slopes are comparable to Squaw but boast views that rival those at Diamond Peak.

<http://www.skiheavenly.com/>

Equipment can be rented at all ski resorts. Those skiing for longer periods can check prices at Village Ski Loft <http://www.villageskiloft.com/>

### **Snow Mobile Tours**

<http://www.laketahoesnowmobilingtours.com/>

## Water Sports and River Rafting

**Lake Tahoe** - Whether you rent a boat or hop on a jet ski you can do that right from Incline Village. Make your reservations at:

<http://tahoeboatrentals.com/>

<http://www.exclusivetahoeboatrentals.com/>

**Historic Truckee and Truckee River** is a great place to visit. This charming railroad town has several restaurants on town square over the Truckee River. Truckee boasts the coolest year round temperatures in the continental US, so summer is a great time to visit Truckee.

<http://www.townoftruckee.com/>

<http://www.truckeeriverraft.com/>

## BEACHES

Incline Village is the only town on the Lake with private beaches which can be accessed by residents and their guests. As our guest you will be provided passes which allow entry to the beach.

You can view all three beaches at the following link:

[http://www.inclinerecreation.com/outdoor\\_recreation/beaches](http://www.inclinerecreation.com/outdoor_recreation/beaches)

## LAKE TAHOE GOLF COURSES

<http://www.golfincline.com/>

[http://www.tahoeactivities.com/golf\\_courses.cfm](http://www.tahoeactivities.com/golf_courses.cfm)

## Hiking and Mountain Biking

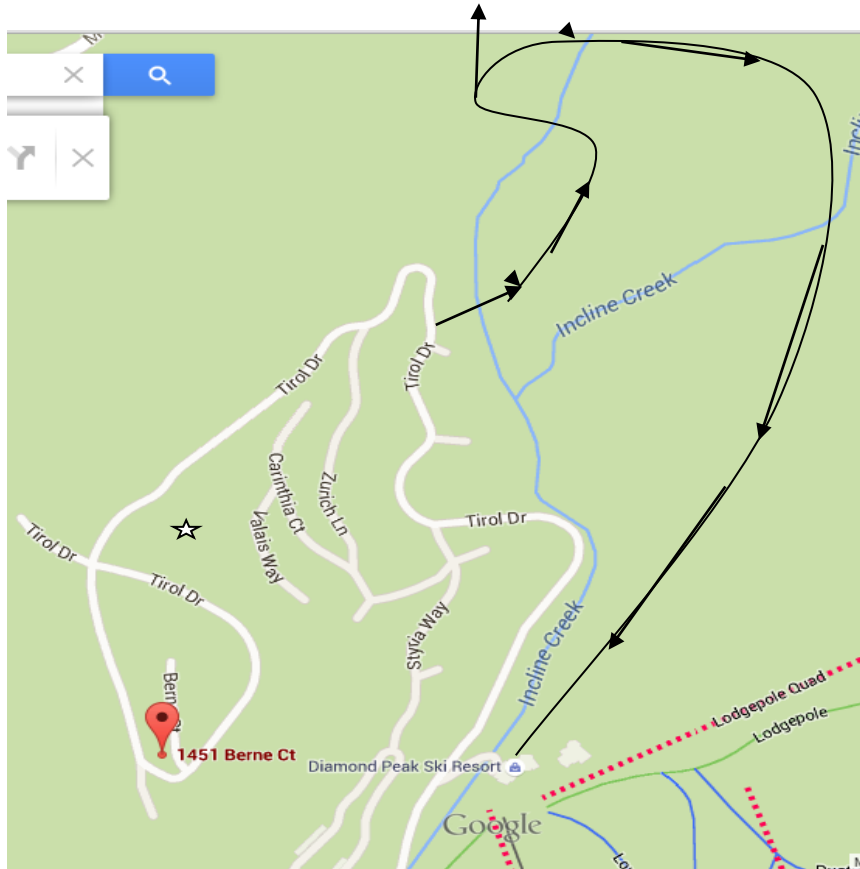
Some of the best places to hike start right here in Tyrolian Village near where our house is located. No need to drive to the meadows (along Mt. Rose Hwy) because you can hike up there on the trail. The views of the lake are even more spectacular if you take the right fork (the flume trail) and return to Diamond Peak. You can still see remnants of the log flume constructed almost 150 years ago. Start your hike on Tirol Drive just up the road from our tennis courts. Keep your eyes open for mountain bikers coming down this trail! See My Maps Below.

Another hike we like to do especially before we go have lunch at Crystal Bay is directly behind the Biltmore Hotel. See details below.

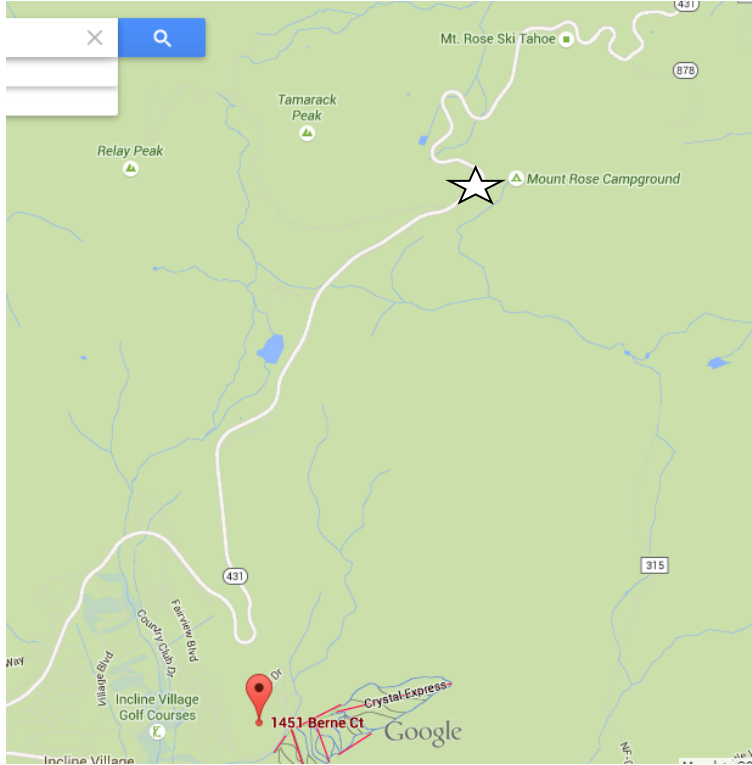
There are tons of other hikes around the lake but summer months parking can be difficult to find that why we suggest you hike in our back yard.


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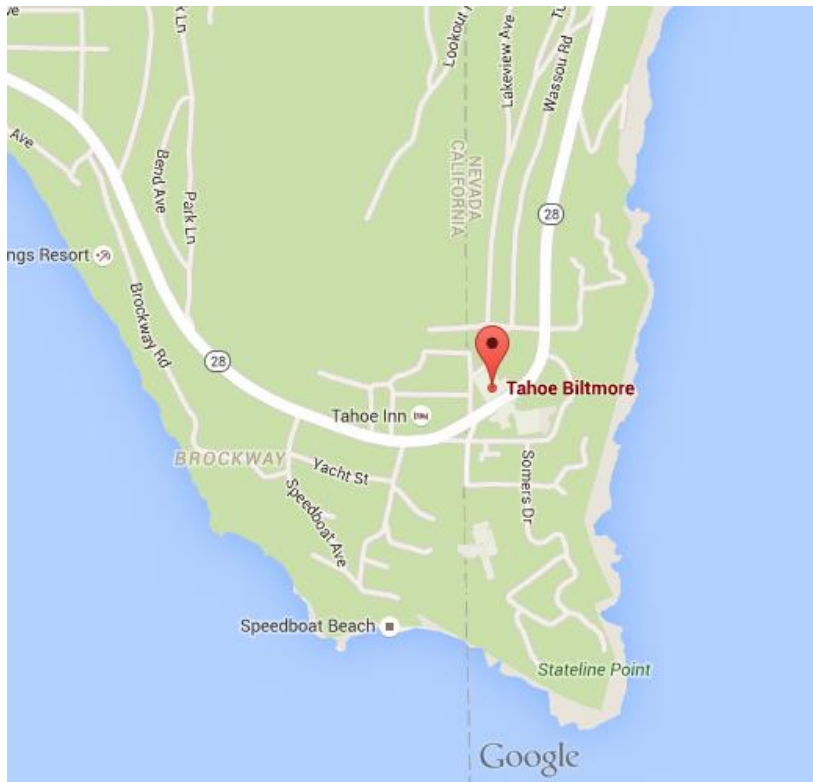
Visit <http://tahoerimtrail.org/>



Closest hike from the house... no car needed. Start your hike at the white arrow follow the path until you end up at Diamond Peak. The first hour is the most difficult as it's all uphill. Trust me it's really easy after that first hour. If you choose you can take the route directly to Mt Rose Hwy meadow (the line going up). The best views of the lake is when you view to the right and head back towards Diamond Peak. Distance and time is about the same. . This hike takes 4- 5 hours. Pack snack and plenty of water.



 This is a moderate 5 mile hike to see a meadow and waterfall. It does not have much of an incline. If you want to continue on a very strenuous hike continue up to the top of Mt. Rose. From the top you will be able to see for miles. The entire hike to the falls is 2-3 hours to the top is 5-6 hours.



Drive toward Crystal Bay. When you get to the Tahoe Biltmore (the only light) Park. To the right is a road call Fire Look out (something like that) You can then have lunch at Crystal Bay or Biltmore. The veiws are amazing! Just before you arrive to the top look the left, there is a cutoff which takes you to a trail. You will walk along the ridge where you get amazing lake views. This is a fun, fairly easy 1 hour hike.

