



THE TRAVELING DIVAS 2012

When you travel to **LAKE TAHOE** with the Traveling Divas, you will be able to find a number of people who are experts at any activity that you want to enjoy. The Tahoe business owners will tell you they love what they do and they are good at it. Outdoors or indoors, work is play for many folks in Tahoe!

The residents of **LAKE TAHOE** Basin are the guardians of this paradise and they accept this responsibility with pride. They are also committed to extending a warm, hospitable welcome to all visitors.

LAKE TAHOE is a masterpiece of nature and most locals can tell you just how it was created. In a nutshell, The Tahoe Basin was formed about five to ten million years ago by the rising and falling of the land due to the shifting of geologic faults.

Today, the highest point in the Tahoe Basin is Freel Peak at 10,881 feet. The deepest part of **LAKE TAHOE** is near Crystal Bay, measuring a water depth of 1,645 feet. This breathtakingly blue lake is so clear that in some places objects can be seen to depths of 75 feet. The reason the lake is so blue is that the thin, clear mountain air allows the lake's pure, crystalline water to reflect the blue sky above. The lake can also appear red during sunsets.

LAKE TAHOE loses much of its water to evaporation. If the water that evaporates from the lake every 24 hours could be recovered, it would supply the daily requirements of a city the size of Los Angeles. **LAKE TAHOE** never freezes because the huge volume of lake water is always in motion. Each winter, the cold water on the surface sinks while warm water rises from the deep. Some protected inlets like Emerald Bay have been covered with a layer of ice at times.

Surrounded by mountains, the present day lake sits in a valley at an elevation of 6,229 feet. It is the highest lake of its size in the United States. It is the third deepest lake in North America and the tenth deepest lake in the world.

To discover the true beauty and history of **LAKE TAHOE**, come find out first hand with the **TRAVELING DIVAS** on **June 6 - 10, 2012**.