

# calendar of events

## "POINT 'EM AND WIN" FOR TELLER

Join Mammoth Lakes in support of World Cup & X-Games winner John Teller as the 2012/2013 Ski Cross season approaches. The Clocktower will host a fundraiser Saturday, Oct. 27, from 5:30 p.m. until the cows come home. A no-host bar with great appetizers. Kids welcome! All contributions will go to help John and his world-class ski tech Chris Taylor continue on their quest to reach the 2014 Sochi Olympic Games! *See ad p. 2*

## TRAILS SYSTEM GRAND OPENING

The public is invited to join the Inyo National Forest (INF), Town of Mammoth Lakes (TOML), Eastern Sierra Interpretive Association (ESIA), and the Mammoth Lakes Trails and Public Access Foundation (MLTPA) on Saturday, Oct. 20, to celebrate the completion of a series of important federally, state, and locally funded trail projects.

Special Summer of Stewardship Trail Event from 8 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Meet at the Twin Lakes Vista parking lot.

Ribbon Cutting and Dedication Ceremony from 2–4 p.m. at the Mammoth Lakes Welcome Center.

Then join MLTPA at 7 p.m. for a "Tools of the Trails System" fundraising event at the Westin Monache Resort, including book signings by Ali Wentworth, Mabel Cabot, David Page and John Dittli, a silent auction, light refreshments and a chance to win an iPhone5! \$10 admission fee. Info: 760.934.3154 or [www.mltpa.org](http://www.mltpa.org).

## BREAST CANCER MONTH EVENTS

In support of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, Vons and the Healthcare Trust of Mammoth Lakes are teaming up to ensure that all donations through Vons checkstands stay local during the month of October. All donations will help underprivileged women of Mono County pay for mammograms.

Also, visit the Double Eagle Spa locations in Mammoth and June Lake for Think Pink Rose Specials in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

And, plan to attend "Women's Day" on Saturday, Oct. 27, from 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m. at Mammoth Hospital. Lunch will be provided. All attendees will receive a coupon for a discounted mammogram. Info and RSVP by calling 760.924.4116.

## NORTHERN INYO HOSPITAL OPENS

Northern Inyo Hospital, located at 150 Pioneer Lane in Bishop, passed a rigorous inspection earlier this month and was approved for licensure. The front doors of the new facility opened

on Monday, Oct. 15.

The new entrance on West Line Street, near Home Street Middle School, is now open.

The staff at Northern Inyo Hospital have been practicing in the new hospital to ensure the highest quality of healthcare to patients from the moment the doors open. The Bishop Fire Department and other local agencies have also been training and familiarizing themselves with the new facility in case of an emergency.

The new family-centered facility features 25 inpatient rooms, centralized Nursing Stations, and private Labor, Delivery & Recovery rooms located next to the large nursery.

There are three Surgical Theaters, which utilize state of the art equipment and technology, a contemporary Emergency Department with 6 treatment rooms, and an Emergency Trauma Room. Info: [www.nih.org](http://www.nih.org).

## CONNECT AT THE CONSORTIUM

The Eastern Sierra Connect Regional Broadband Consortium Annual Forum will be held on Nov. 1 from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. at the June Lake Community Center.

The ESCRBC is one of 14 California consortiums funded by the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC). ESCRBC is charged with promoting high speed broadband deployment in Mono, Inyo, and Kern counties.

This Annual Forum will have an assortment of topics designed to inform you on how high speed Internet will benefit the region. Topics include:

- Digital 395 project status update
- Impact of Broadband on Business
- Local Economic Development related to Digital 395

And 'Breakout Sessions' focused on helping local businesses and Internet Service Providers connect to and leverage Digital 395.

Lunch provided (\$10 per person). Register via our website at <http://www.esrbcconsortium.org/annual-forum> today.

## TOWN STUFF

### Monday, Oct. 22/cont.

**Bishop City Council** meets, 7 p.m. in City Hall, 377 West Line St. Agenda posted @ [www.ca-bishop.us](http://www.ca-bishop.us).  
**MHS Senior Dinners** tonight through Thursday, 5-10 p.m. at Whiskey Creek in Mammoth. \$25 per person.

### Tuesday, Oct. 23/

**Wild Iris' Parents Helping Parents Support Group.** Spanish group today, noon-1 p.m. & 5:30-6:30 p.m. English group meets Wednesdays, same times, @ Wild Iris Family Counseling & Crisis Center, 625 Old Mammoth Rd., suite 201. Info: 760.934.2491.

**Disabled Sports Eastern Sierra Cycling Group** meets 9:30 a.m.-noon @ Whitmore Complex. All welcome.

### Movie Night @ Mammoth Library

Tonight: "Moneyball." Free, 7 p.m.  
**MHS Volleyball** action in the MHS gym versus Mojave. JV at 4 p.m., Varsity plays at 5 p.m.

### Mono County Service Area No. 1 (CSA1) meeting,

5:30 p.m. in the Crowley Lake Community Center.

**Mountain Living Cooking Class** Join Stacey Powells @ Mountain Living, 501 Old Mammoth Rd., at 5:30 p.m. for a Vegetarian Cooking Class. Register at 760.924.2040 or email [dawn@mammothmountainliving.com](mailto:dawn@mammothmountainliving.com).

**Mammoth Lakes Community Blood Drive** today through Oct. 25 at Fire Station 1 on Main Street. Tues. & Weds. from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and Thursday from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Call 760.258.5759 for more info, or log on to [www.bloodhero.com](http://www.bloodhero.com) and use sponsor code SNOW to schedule an appointment. New this year: self interview at [www.unitedbloodservices.com](http://www.unitedbloodservices.com).

### Wednesday, Oct. 24/

**"Mammoth Moves" weekly walk** sponsored by Mono County Nutrition & Physical Activity Taskforce and local leaders, at 12:10 p.m. Wednesdays

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(weather permitting) for 30 minutes. This week's leader: Dr. Rick Johnson, Mono County Health Department, @ the Shady Rest Campground Parking Lot.

**Mono County Nutrition & Physical Activity Taskforce and Mammoth High School Food Day 2012**, from 5-8 p.m. in the Mammoth High School Multi-Purpose Room (MPR) to raise awareness of local overweight and obesity rates and celebrating a national movement for healthy, affordable, and sustainable food. Info: Sandra 760.924.1818 or [spearce@mono.ca.gov](mailto:spearce@mono.ca.gov).  
**Mammoth Hospital Grief Support Group** meeting, 6 p.m. in the hospital chapel. Facilitator: Fred Weatherly, 760.934.3122.

**Crowley Lake Regional Planning Advisory Commission (RPAC) meeting**, 6:30 p.m. in the Crowley Lake Community Center.

**Fire Dept. Code meeting** at Station 1 on Main St., 10 a.m.

### Thursday, Oct. 25/

**Mammoth Unified School District Board of Education regular meeting**, 6 p.m. in the Mammoth High School Library.

### Friday, Oct. 26/

**All New Mammoth Lakes Halloween Party and Haunted Rink**, @ the Mammoth Roller Rink. Admission: \$5/person, Cakewalk is extra. Limited rental skates are available, so bring your own if you have them. Get your freaky, scary Halloween costume on to win prizes! Info/volunteers: 760.934.8989, ext. 222.

**The Annual Lee Vining Schools Halloween Carnival** from 5-8 p.m. at Lee Vining High School. Food, drinks, games, prizes, and a haunted house. Wear a costume and try your luck at the famous raffle table. Info: 760.647.6460.

## AT THE MOVIES

### Minaret Cinemas

**Hotel Transylvania (PG):** Welcome to the Hotel Transylvania, Dracula's lavish, five-stake resort, where monsters can live it up, free from the human world.

**Argo (R):** Ben Affleck directs & stars in this all-star, true story of six Americans in the 1979 Iran hostage crisis, who pose as filmmakers to get out of the country.

**Customer Appreciation Day is BACK ... all Tuesday shows \$6**

Info & snack specials: [www.mammothlakesmovies.com](http://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**

**Moonrise Kingdom (PG-13):** In 1965 New England, a young boy and girl run away as a storm brews offshore and another one brews within the community.

**That's My Boy (R):** Todd's world comes crashing down when his father, Donny (Adam Sandler), resurfaces after many years just before the wedding.

**Oct. 23: Witness Protection, Take This Waltz, and Abraham Lincoln: Vampire Hunter**

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