INCLINE VILLAGE
RECREATION CENTER
980 Incline Way
- 25-yard Indoor Swimming Pool
- Dry Sauna
- Gymnasium
- Group & Aqua Fitness Classes
- Cardio & Strength Room
- Massage Therapy
- Disc Golf
- Programs & Activities
- Youth Camps & Clinics
Mon – Fri 6am – 9pm
Sat / Sun 7am – 8pm

INCLINE VILLAGE
CHAMPIONSHIP GOLF COURSE
955 Fairway Blvd
Designer Robert Trent Jones Sr. called the course “the ideal mountain layout” with “views you will never forget”. This challenging par-72 course matches everything you look for in a mountain design—towering trees and natural water features. The course also boasts a top-of-the-line restaurant, the Grille.

INCLINE VILLAGE
MOUNTAIN GOLF COURSE
690 Wilson Way
Found on the Northeast shore of Lake Tahoe, this 18-hole, par 58 course is fun and affordable. Complete a round in 2.5 hours and then enjoy the rest of your day. Events like Nine & Wine and Family Fun Days are a non-intimidating way to play the course. Nine-hole rates available.

INCLINE VILLAGE
TENNIS CENTER
964 Incline Way
The Incline Village Tennis Center offers 11 courts and fully-equipped Pro Shop in an alpine setting, located right next to the Recreation Center. Weekly socials and tennis mixers are offered throughout the summer months. Our professional and friendly staff is available to arrange your next game, find you a hitting partner, or answer any tennis gear questions. Now offering pickleball!

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Ah Summer!

The days are long, the nights are mild and the memories to be made are limitless; THESE are the days. I love the four seasons, but there is something special about the summer season and spending it right here in my own backyard. As I look forward to this coming summer, I can’t help but look back at past summers spent right here in Incline Village/Crystal Bay. As the days warm and the town awaken, seasonal residents and visitors are welcomed back to this playground nestled on the northeast shore of the most beautiful setting in the entire world, Lake Tahoe.

I look back through my memories and feel the grainy sand in my toes while spending a day on the lazy shores of any one of our beaches. I can smell the richness of our barbecues wafting through the pure, mountain air. I can hear the laughter of children while they playfully splash in the water or build a sandcastle.

The pool at Burnt Cedar will boast a brand new slide for children of any age to enjoy while overlooking beautiful Lake Tahoe.

My memories of honing in my golf game with my closest friends make me smile. There is just something about playing a round through the big, tall pines with Lake Tahoe as a backdrop that one can never get enough of.

The events and special occasions held on the Village Green and Aspen Grove through the years have been nothing short of world class. We have gathered together there as friends, family and community over the years to enjoy.

I could reminisce with you all day and continue to write about my favorite summer memories throughout the years. They go all the way back to when I would spend my summers here as a young boy with my grandparents and family members. Each summer holds it own, special memories.

As summer quickly approaches, I can only hope that the memories that I have of this special place and the memories that I soon create will be as special for you and your family as they have been for my family and me. So welcome back summer, here in beautiful Crystal Bay and Incline Village. Welcome new memories. Welcome home. THESE are the days.

See you around the neighborhood!

Community, Commitment and Collaboration,

Jim Smith
Chairman of the Board of Trustees
Incline Village General Improvement District
Weekly events:
Every Monday: Monday Night Mixers at the Incline Tennis Center, 5pm-7pm
Every Monday through Saturday: Adult Daily Clinics at the Incline Tennis Center
Every Tuesday and Saturday: Beginner Tennis Clinics at the Incline Tennis Center, 10-11am
Every Wednesday: Skins games at the Mountain Course starting at 5:30pm
Every Wednesday: Tennis Fitness classes at the Incline Tennis Center, 11am-12pm
Every Thursday: Nine & Wine at the Mountain Course starting at 5:30pm
Every Friday: Farmers Market at the Tahoe Biltmore, 10am-2pm
Every Sunday: Family Fun Days at the Mountain Course, all day
Every Sunday: Wild Bill’s Thrill & Grill at the Mountain Course starting at 3pm

June
6/1: Pre-purchase 4th of July beach access tickets at the Recreation Center
6/5: Keyser Soze at the Crystal Bay Club
6/6: Tennis Center French Open Mixer
6/12-14: IVGID Community Appreciation Days at the Golf Courses
   Please visit yourtahoeplace.com for additional info on offers
6/8-12: Get Golf Ready Session 3 at the Mountain Course, 4pm-5:30pm
6/15-19: Get Golf Ready Session 4 at the Mountain Course, 10am-11:30am
6/18: Junior Tennis Camps and Academies begin at the Incline Tennis Center
6/19: Wild Child “A Tribute to the Doors” at the Crystal Bay Club, 10pm
6/19-21: IVGID Community Appreciation Days at the Recreation Center/Tennis Center
   Please visit yourtahoeplace.com for additional info on offers
6/19-21: Adult Tennis Boot Camps at the Incline Tennis Center, 10am-1pm
6/20: TaylorMade Demo Day at the Championship Course, 10am-4pm
6/22: Junior Golf Camps begin at the Championship Course

July
7/1: Diamond Peak Season Passes go on sale
7/2-4: Red, White and Tahoe Blue Festival, Incline Village
7/3-6: Golf Pro Shop 4th of July Tent Sale, 9am-5pm
7/6-10: Get Golf Ready Session 5 at the Mountain Course, 8am-9:30am
7/11: Cobra Demo Day at the Championship Course, 10am-4pm
7/18: Tainted Love at the Crystal Bay Club, 9pm
7/25: Titleist Demo Day at the Championship Course, 10am-4pm
7/26-28: USTA Senior Tournament at the Incline Tennis Center
7/28: Tahoe Family Solutions presents Shabby Chic at Aspen Grove, 5:30pm-8:30pm
7/31: Lake Tahoe Summerfest concerts begin, Sierra Nevada College

August
8/1-16: Lake Tahoe Summerfest concerts, SNC
8/7-9: Adult Tennis Boot Camps at the Incline Tennis Center, 10am-1pm
8/8: Diego’s Umbrella at the Crystal Bay Club
8/10: TFS “Miracle in the Andes” with Nando Parrado Sand Harbor State Park, 7pm
8/20: Tastes of Incline at The Chateau, 4:30pm-7pm
8/25: XTERRA Lake Tahoe
8/14-16: Incline Village Fine Art Festival at Preston Field, 10am-5pm

September
9/5-7: Golf Pro Shop Labor Day Sale, 50-75% off select items at the Championship Course
9/8-10: Adult Tennis Boot Camps at the Incline Tennis Center, 10am-1pm

Blue denotes events not managed by IVGID.
The events were pulled from http://www.gotahoenorth.com/events
Hello Fellow Community Members,

I would like to welcome you to the inaugural issue of the IVGID Quarterly. We are excited to launch this first edition and hope you find it full of valuable information about what’s going on with the Incline Village General Improvement District and in the Incline Village/Crystal Bay community. This IVGID Quarterly is designed to serve you - our constituents and Recreation Facility Fee payers - and we want to make sure you know what to expect from IVGID as you spend your day-to-day lives or family vacation in Incline Village/Crystal Bay.

One of the most common concerns I hear, in the community, is that the District doesn’t communicate effectively and that we are not as transparent as you would like us to be. This new publication is designed to improve our ability to reach out into the community with important information. This magazine will be mailed to all parcel owners in Incline Village/Crystal Bay each quarter and available online, in its entirety, at IVGID.org. It will also be inserted into the North Lake Tahoe Bonanza weekly newspaper. Additionally, copies will be available at the Recreation Center and the IVGID offices at 893 Southwood Boulevard in Incline Village.

In this first edition, you’ll find important information regarding our beaches on the 4th of July holiday, updates on how we are coping with the challenges of Lake Tahoe’s low water levels at our boat ramp, and the latest information regarding the update of Diamond Peak’s 29-year-old master plan. The fall and spring issues will include the District’s Recreation Activity Guide.

We are looking forward to a spectacular summer and I hope you find this publication entertaining and informative. If there are topics that you would like us to cover in future editions, please drop us a note at info@ivgid.org.

Steve Pinkerton
IVGID General Manager

Incline Village Community Hospital

When Minutes Matter. When Seconds Count.

Located in the heart of Incline Village, Incline Village Community Hospital offers a wide range of high-quality healthcare services to the North Lake Tahoe area.

- 24-Hour Emergency Care
- Outpatient Surgery
- Diagnostic Imaging and X-Ray, with State-of-the-Art CT Scanner
- Incline Village Health Clinic
- Laboratory Services
- Physical Therapy and Medical Fitness
- Sleep Disorder Center
- MultiSpecialty Clinics offering Primary, Orthopedic, Pediatric and Cardiac Care
- Health, Wellness, and Community Education Programs
- Hospice and Home Health
- Charitable Giving and Volunteer Opportunities

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There may not be snow on the ground right now but Diamond Peak is busy working on updating its Master Plan that could include summer activities in the future. The Resort’s current Master Plan was written 29 years ago. While most of the major improvements have been addressed, the plan only took into consideration the winter operation.

Over two years ago, Diamond Peak staff received approval from the IVGID Board of Trustees to hire SE Group, the nation’s preeminent resort planners, to update the resort’s outdated Master Plan. SE Group worked with staff to explore opportunities for maximizing the existing winter business while also assessing the potential for introducing new summer activities. The updated Master Plan draft serves as a blueprint for future development of multi-season activities at Diamond Peak and includes potential activities such as hiking, biking, canopy tours, and a challenge course.

After four dry winters, this updated Master Plan draft lays out a road map...
for possible summer activities and winter improvements to help reduce the ski area’s vulnerability to climate volatility. Winter improvements in the Master Plan draft include things like an upgraded Snowflake Lodge, adding snowmaking on Freeway and Diamondback, a new novice lift up Spillway, and the potential of a new backside lift. These improvements would be possible with the potential revenue brought in during the summers. Some of the summer activities could also be available year-round during the winter to give both skiers and non-skiers additional activities at the resort.

The Master Plan update process started in April of 2013 and has involved extensive research, surveys, community input, and several community meetings. Given the high level of community interest in the future of Diamond Peak, a Steering Committee of local residents was formed to conduct a detailed review of every aspect of the plan and has been meeting since January. “The Steering Committee has been a productive forum for these community members allowing them to dive deeper into the details laid out in the Master Plan draft,” said Brad Wilson, Diamond Peak General Manager.

The Steering Committee will present a report of their findings and recommendations to the IVGID Board of Trustees on July 15, 6pm at The Chateau. There will be no action taken by the Board of Trustees at this meeting and there will be an opportunity for public comment on both the Master Plan draft and the findings of the Steering Committee. Read more about the Master Plan update process on diamondpeakmasterplan.com for information including dates of future meetings, the SE Group Master Plan draft document, watch live recorded Steering Committee meetings, and additional resources related to the Plan.

Photo courtesy Jaclyn Ream.
It’s that time of year again. No, not tax season. Not your mother-in-law’s birthday. Not $5 sushi trays at Raley’s. It’s nearing 4th of July! A weekend packed with rubber duck races, honoring our Veterans, and celebrating our independence with friends and family to experience 4th of July the Incline Village way.

During the 4th of July, Incline Village plays host to a nationally ranked Independence Day Celebration (ranked #11 by MSN Travel) and a stunning fireworks display (ranked #6 by AOL Travel.) The events comprising this celebration, all supported via crowd funding, range from ice cream eating contests to wine and cheese events. Compete in a three-on-three basketball tournament, take part in the Flag Retirement Ceremonies, and celebrate in the Veteran Tributes, all in anticipation for the main event, the “Best Fireworks in the Country.” For more information on these events and more, visit www.redwhitetahoeblue.org.

As this community ramps up for the big holiday weekend, IVGID would like to include some tips to ensure you’re calm, cool and collected throughout the weekend:

**Make sure your IVGID Recreation Punch Cards and Picture Passes are valid**

- Recreation Punch Cards expire May 30. Please make sure your Picture Passes are up-to-date too. Visit the staff at the Parks & Recreation Counter, inside the Incline Recreation Center, to renew your IVGID Punch Cards to prevent any issues at the beach gates. Punch Cards can be renewed online by visiting: www.inclinerecreation.com (click IVGID PASSES & PUNCH CARDS button in the center of the home page).

- If you plan on going to the IVGID beaches, please remember that you must have a valid IVGID Picture Pass, Punch Card, or special wristband to enter. Here are some ways to expedite access:

  **Buy July 4th beach access tickets at the Recreation Center**

- The staff at the Parks & Recreation Counter have available today, for your purchase, daily beach access tickets valid for the 4th of July. The Recreation Center Counter accepts cash and credit cards and IVGID Picture Pass holders (with beach privileges) may buy as many daily beach access tickets as they want. Please ask the staff at the Parks & Recreation counter for additional information about how these tickets work with Punch Cards. We highly recommend you get your 4th of July tickets prior to the holiday week to make your beach entry easier. Any unused tickets may be refunded.
Remember that the Incline Beach Gates are staffed until 10pm:

- The Incline Beach, Ski Beach, and Burnt Cedar beaches will be staffed until 10pm on the 4th of July. Beach access is restricted to valid IVGID Picture Pass holders (with beach access), their guests, Punch Card holders, and Beach Access Ticket holder. Please make sure you have the proper credentials to get into your restricted access beaches.

Check out redwhiteandtahoeblue.org for all the family-friendly events:

- Visit redwhiteandtahoeblue.org to get information about all the July 2-4th events in Incline Village, including the Reno Philharmonic Concert and Fireworks show on the Village Green, a Veterans Pancake Breakfast at Aspen Grove, a Day on the Village Green Music Festival with Luke Stevenson, Ike and Martin, Foreverland, Grand Funk Railroad, and more.

Looking for other fun activities? We’ve got plenty!

- The Mountain Golf Course is open for play, boasting plush greens that are fun and affordable. This executive par-58 course hosts fun weekly events like Wild Bill’s Thrill & Grill and Family Fun Days. Eighteen-hole rates range from $55-$65 or play a quick nine holes for as low as $35. Book your tee times online through golfincline.com.

- Don’t forget about the Championship Course too, featuring stunning views of Lake Tahoe. Swing by their Pro Shop for a special Tent Sale July 3-6th. Eighteen-hole golf rounds range from $75-$190 July-September 7, and IVGID Picture Pass holders get discounts. Visit golfincline.com to book a tee time.

- Diamond Peak Ski Resort 2015/16 season passes go on sale July 1st! Buy your passes by calling Diamond Peak Ski Resort (775) 832-1177, going to the Administrative offices at 1210 Ski Way, or by calling the Recreation Center at (775) 832-1310.

As always, please keep the following items in mind as you plan for your day at the beach:

- Beach access is restricted to valid IVGID Picture Pass holders (with beach access privileges) and their guests.

- Incline Village will be coordinating a free shuttle running throughout the village from 10am-6pm with extended hours on July 3rd until 10pm and July 4th until 11pm. Keep the IVGID Community Shuttle map (located in this magazine) handy to avoid traffic over this busy holiday. If you must drive, please remember that carpooling and sharing a ride is always a wonderful and fun way to travel!

- Lake Tahoe is a beautiful place! Please be sure to leave our choice beach area and/or park or recreation location as clean, if not better, than you found it. Working together, they will remain beautiful places for you and others to enjoy for many years to come.

As the celebration approaches, please check the following website for updated information: https://www.yourtahoeplace.com/ivgid/fourthofjuly.
ncline Village/Crystal Bay parcel owners (with beach access) have the privilege of access to one of the few North Lake Tahoe boat ramps. But with the lake water levels being so low, IVGID has serious concerns about the state of the Ski Beach boat ramp and whether we can keep it open or not. Safety is our number one concern when it comes to the Ski Beach boat ramp.

With Lake Tahoe’s water level nearing record lows (last set in 1992 at 6220.26-ft above sea level, according to the US Geological Study), it is a challenge for IVGID to keep boat owners happy.

Currently, the 75-foot Ski Beach boat ramp sits 150-feet away from the end of our North Lake Tahoe shelf. This means there is 150-feet of flat lake bottom between our boat ramp and deeper water. This stretch between the boat ramp and deeper water may be troublesome for novice boaters. Due to the low water level, previously unforeseen objects have popped up. Boat operators need to be more aware of shallow objects.

IVGID recently installed larger bumper curbs to enhance safety during boat launching but the District advises IVGID Picture Pass holders and their guests to launch their boats (presently restricted to 23 feet or less) with safety and caution as we continue to research solutions on keeping the Ski Beach boat ramp safe and available.

Citizens have questioned why IVGID hasn’t made appropriate adjustments to its boat ramp. As noted by IVGID Engineering Manager Brad Johnson in the April 29th Board of Trustees meeting, the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency (TRPA) Code of Ordinances prevents any permanent extension, breakwater construction, or dredging at the ramp. This means no alterations may be made to the IVGID boat ramp or relocation of proximal objects (rocks, logs, etc) during low water periods. Aside from the TRPA Code, adding an extension to the Ski Beach Boat ramp is neither feasible nor safe. “Unfortunately, the lake bed elevation at the end of the current ramp makes
any additional extensions logistically, legally, and financially infeasible,” stated IVGID General Manager Steve Pinkerton. “Even if we were able to get TRPA to authorize dredging, it would not succeed for long, given the amount of sediment loading that occurs from the two adjacent streams and the littoral movements of sands from wave action. With the southern exposure of our ramp, a dredged channel would fill back in almost immediately.”

Due to the low water levels, boats over 23 feet in length currently cannot launch at the Ski Beach boat ramp. Furthermore, as water levels decrease through the summer, size limitations may see further restrictions. Visit inclinercreational.com or call the Recreation Center at (775) 832-1310 for more information.

Daily watercraft passes are available at Ski Beach or the Parks and Recreation Counter (980 Incline Way) but season watercraft passes can only be purchased at the Parks and Recreation Counter. The watercraft launch pass fee is $17 per visit or $45 for a season pass for people with a valid IVGID Picture Pass or Punch Card. Regarding mussel inspections, boats that currently have a Tahoe seal may purchase a 2015 Tahoe Only sticker at the Ski Beach kiosk for $30. Boats that do not have a seal will need to be inspected at an offsite Inspection Station prior to launching at Ski Beach. Please visit www.tahoeboatinspections.com for information regarding fees and Inspection Station locations.

To conclude on a bright note, the beauty and clarity of Lake Tahoe is seizing the opportunity presented by our drought conditions. The University of California, Davis Lake Tahoe Environmental Research Center reported a 7.5-foot increase in visibility compared to last year’s report. It’s unknown if our drought woes will clear, but at least the lake is!
The names are world renowned - The Metropolitan Opera, San Francisco Symphony, American Symphony, and the New York Philharmonic – and the only place to experience them together is right here in Incline Village, July 31 – August 16 at Lake Tahoe SummerFest.

The classical music festival's fourth season, “Passport to a World of Music,” will bring Mozart, Beethoven, and Mendelssohn to audiences at Sierra Nevada College in an intimate 500-seat acoustical tent pavilion. The three weekend series of nine different concerts led by Joel Revzen, artistic director and conductor, will transport attendees through masterpieces translated by famed artists and a nationally acclaimed orchestra of 40 players, many principal players from the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra. The schedule includes familiar classical compositions, an evening of music from Hollywood movie scores, and two evenings of classical guitar compositions.

“At Lake Tahoe SummerFest I have the privilege of working with the finest musicians individually chosen from the leading symphonies around the world,” said Revzen. “We provide a classical music experience with cross-generational appeal.”

Celebrated pianist Joseph Kalichstein returns to the SummerFest stage opening weekend July 31. With a career that has spanned more than four decades and many notable highlights, Kalichstein made his first guest appearance with the New York Philharmonic in 1968 as part of a national television broadcast under the direction of Leonard Bernstein. He made his debut with the London Symphony under André Previn. A member of the faculty at Juilliard, Kalichstein also performs regularly with the Kalichstein-Laredo-Robinson Trio. Kalichstein will render the genius of Viennese composers in the ‘Emperor’ concerto of Beethoven, a Mozart piano quartet, and the Mozart Piano Concerto No. 17.
“Finding Beethoven,” a free family concert is scheduled for August 1, at 10 a.m., but space is limited. Audience members can meet the musicians, learn about their instruments, and ask questions. To be a part of this hands-on discovery about the thrill of music, reserve your family’s places now at tahoesummerfest.org/family-concert.

Special guest artists during the following weekends are international guitarist Ana Vidovic on August 7-9 and cellist Paul Watkins of the Emerson Quartet and music director of the English Chamber Orchestra (UK) for the festival’s finale on August 14-16. For more information and a full concert schedule, please visit tahoesummerfest.org.
What is FlashVote?

IVGID has partnered with FlashVote (an independent “good government” service) to collect anonymous input, targeting once per month, with brief surveys that can be completed in one minute or less. FlashVote ensures that all questions are concise, unbiased and meaningful to citizens and surveys are emailed out periodically. You even receive results at the end of each survey period – typically only a few days after a survey starts.

IVGID Board of Trustees and staff is looking forward to working with you to make Incline Village and Crystal Bay the best possible place to live and visit and we are looking forward to IVGID doing a better job of serving YOU - our constituents.

After you sign up, you can expect FlashVote to email you surveys about IVGID activities. You will get the immediate satisfaction of having your voice heard by IVGID as we work toward creating better local government for you. IVGID also offers some optional rewards through FlashVote to thank you for your civic participation.

We are excited to launch this new feedback system for you, and look forward to hearing from as many of you as possible. For questions or more information about IVGID, please contact Susan Herron (775-832-1207 or sah@ivgid.org). For questions or more information about FlashVote please contact Kevin Lyons (510-593-4901 or kevin@flashvote.com).

Do you have one minute a month to help make IVGID better?

How do you sign up for FlashVote?

To sign up for FlashVote, please visit www.flashvote.com/ivgid or click on the FlashVote widget on www.ivgid.org.

How do rewards work?

Redeem your Civic Points in your FlashVote dashboard for rewards in your local community. Currently IVGID gives $10 IVGID bucks for 1000 points; $20 IVGID bucks for 2000 points; $30 IVGID bucks for 3000 points, but rewards are subject to change.

Who’s using FlashVote?

View top users and your current standings in the FlashVote dashboard. Although citizens are not required to use their full names, you may recognize your fellow constituents.

What are some examples of survey topics?

The last survey released on April 29th included these questions:

• Which of these IVGID venues is MOST important to your summer experience in Incline Village/Crystal Bay?

• Which of these IVGID venues is LEAST important to your summer experience in Incline Village/Crystal Bay?

• Please identify which, if any, of the following Summer Appreciation offers you are likely to use:

• Any other comments or suggestions regarding IVGID summer venues or future Community Appreciation events?

FlashVote FAQ

This survey saw a total of 548 responses. Here are some of the results:

• 51.9% view the Incline Beaches as MOST important to their summer experience, with the Golf Courses rating 24.3% (out of 403 responses by locals)

• 40.8% view the Tennis Center as LEAST important to their summer experience, with the Boat Ramp rating 23.4% (out of 397 responses by locals)

• 38.3% were most interested in free golf at the Championship Course during Community Appreciation Days. Please note that was a mistake in the survey-free golf at the Championship Course will NOT be available that weekend.

Additional comments were completed by 150 people. Major keywords in the responses include: beach, boat, summer, ramp, golf, use, more, beaches. Here are some full responses:

• Keep beaches from getting too crowded

• Tennis Center is very important to me as well.

• More adult time at Burnt Cedar pool

• Fix for the boat ramp needed

• Leave Champ golf passes/rates as they are. Residents kept the Champ Course viable in the economic down turn. How soon IVGID politicians forget!

• I am 100% behind doing something with Diamond Peak in the summer. It could be an awesome wilderness experience for hiking or sightseeing. One of my favorite things to do is visit a ski resort in the summer. I discovered that accidentally and now I’m hooked.

• Yes, get some activities going at the Ski Area as other Ski Areas have done. What are you waiting for???

• Mountain Golf Course is also important as an IVGID summer venue. Our family and visitors use the golf course in the summer.

• I love living in Incline!

All comments are anonymous and available to view through your FlashVote dashboard. Feel free to visit IVGID FlashVote responses on www.ivgid.org. Sign up today to have your opinion heard!

IVGID, after each survey, will post the survey results and relevant documents to help you gain understanding about the workings of your District.
With ongoing lack of precipitation in the Tahoe area and the Northern Nevada region, the consumer value of Water Smart landscaping is being increasingly recognized. Water Smart landscapes feature designs and plants that are well suited to local conditions, creating attractive and efficient outdoor spaces.

Water is our most precious natural resource; without it, there is no life. Yet, based on our water use and consumption practices, water as a precious resource is often taken for granted. The average American uses 100 gallons of water per day— that’s 320 gallons used every day by the average family.

There have been many inquiries to the Public Works office about water conservation requirements. The District is not enacting mandatory water restrictions. Voluntary conservation is highly encouraged in the current drought conditions. IVGID has not established set watering days. However, runoff from irrigation is prohibited by ordinance. About 70% of annual community water use is for irrigation; so the most significant reduction potential is to reduce landscape irrigation.

More Americans are demonstrating their Water Smart commitment indoors by retrofitting their homes with Water Sense labeled products. But outdoors, the amount of water used to irrigate and garden can exceed the amount of use for all other purposes over the entire year. In the Tahoe area, a household’s outdoor water use can be as high as 60 to 70% of their total annual use.

It’s a common misconception that having a beautiful landscape and lawn is only possible through extensive watering, fertilization, and pesticide application. The following resource links have useful information to help you reduce your water, fertilization and pesticide use at your property.

Avoid the Irrigation BLUE$... Be Water Smart!
Schedule your FREE Landscape Water Use Evaluation today! Schedule an appointment by calling IVGID Waste Not at: 775-832-1284 or email wastenot@ivgid.org. For more information, please visit the Water Conservation page on the Public Works website: https://www.yourtahoeplace.com/public-works

Upcoming Public Works events:

**MAY 4 TO JULY 24**

2015 Waste Management Curbside Yard Waste Recycling Program
Stickers were mailed mid-April to the parcel owner billing address. Take advantage of up to 72 bags collected for free, curbside. For program details contact Waste Management at 775-831-2971.

**JUNE 19, JULY 17, AUG 21 & SEPT 18**

3rd Friday Hikes @ Noon with IVGID Public Works
Join us for hikes at some of our Public Works infrastructure sites. Learn more about the Public Works facilities and operations while enjoying a hike in our beautiful scenery.

Meeting location maps are available on our website: https://www.yourtahoeplace.com/events#category=10

June 19: Treatment Plant
July 17: Allison Water Tank
August 21: Tyner Water Tank & Pump Station
September 18: Crystal Bay Water Tank
On February 10th, a talented group of young scientists entered their projects and inventions into the Incline Elementary School annual science fair with more than 120 projects on display. A few of those projects continued on into the March 25-26th Western Nevada Science Fair in Reno. Recognized, at the April 29th meeting, were the following winners on projects like the “Wave and Tidal Energy”, “No Spill Spout”, “Smart Glasses”, “Don’t Touch That- Finding Germs at IES”, and “Shadow Shift”. Winners from the Western Nevada Science Fair include: Macali Lade, Mia Coudriet, Zach Harrell, Ben Browder, and Michelle Mintz’s first grade class. We are so impressed with our community’s budding scientists!

Throughout the past winter season, the Sierra Nevada College ski and snowboard teams competed and won eight team Championship awards, 24 individual Championship awards, and four overall awards. At the April 29th meeting, the Sierra Nevada College teams were recognized for representing Incline Village/Crystal Bay in its best light through your athleticism and efforts and presented them with a proclamation. Keep up the good work!

The Incline High School girls alpine race team was honored for winning the Nevada State Championships for the first time in school history. Our high school race team has a long history of racing and training at Diamond Peak while representing our community throughout the region. This team faced tough competition from strong teams from Truckee High School, North Tahoe High School, Whittell High School and South Lake Tahoe High School. Congratulations and thank you for an outstanding season!

The IVGID Board of Trustees recognized, via proclamation, the following youth groups:
The IVGID Board of Trustees holds general business meetings one time per month, on the fourth Wednesday. All meetings are open to the public and everyone is invited to attend. For those of you who couldn’t make a meeting, following is a Consent Calendar/General Business items recap for each meeting:

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING RECAP January 14, 2015**

Resolution No. 1832- Adoption of IVGID Solid Waste Ordinance No. 1: Removed from the agenda; no action taken

Board Policy 3.1.0, Conduct Meetings of the Board of Trustees, Proposed Revisions: Approved 4-1, motion passed

Resolution 1831: Identify January 2015 as Radon Action Month in Incline Village/Crystal Bay: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Independent External Management Audit and Independent External Wages and Compensation Audit: No action taken

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING RECAP February 25, 2015**

Consent Calendar: Change in Signature Authority for all District Accounts with Wells Fargo Bank, Approved 5-0

Board Policy 3.1.0, Conduct Meetings of the Board of Trustees, Proposed Revisions effective Feb. 25, 2015: Approved 4-1 in favor with changes; 010 Public Participation remains unchanged.

Authorize Multiple Contracts for the Effluent Export Project- Phase II: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Utility Rate Presentation and Set Date and Time for Public Hearing for April 29, 2015 for the Proposed Amendments to Sewer Ordinance #2 and Water Ordinance #4 that includes the Utility Rate Increase: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Authorize Staff to execute access easements: Removed from the agenda, no action taken

Set Date and Time for Public Hearing for the 2015/16 Budget and Recreation Roll for Thursday, May 21, 2015: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Washoe County Organizational Effectiveness Committee- Summary of Notes from the February 4 meeting: No action taken

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING RECAP March 25, 2015**

Consent Calendar: Sole Source Finding and Contract Award for the Purchase of Replacement Rental Shop Equipment- moved to General Business

Sole Source Finding and Contract Award for the Purchase of Replacement Rental Shop Equipment: Approved 5-0, motion passed

IVGID Board of Trustees Strategic Plan and Organizational Chart prepared by CoralBridge Partners: The plan was turned over to the General Manager who will bring back, on April 29, a draft Strategic Plan for review and possible adoption by the Board of Trustees. Motion passed with a 4-1 vote.

One Year Funding Authorization for Federal Legislative Advocate Services with Marcus G. Faust, P.C.: Approved 5-0, motion passed.

Designation of Audit Firm for Audit Services for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2015 – Edie Bailly, LLP: Approved 5-0, motion passed.

Audit Committee Member Appointment: The Audit Committee membership is now Trustees Hammerel, Wong and Callicrate.

Resolution 1833: Adoption of the proposed amendments, that include Utility Rate Increase, to IVGID Sewer Ordinance No. 2, entitled “An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Sewer Service”: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Resolution 1834: Adoption of the proposed amendments, that include Utility Rate Increase, to IVGID Water Ordinance No. 4, entitled “An Ordinance Establishing Rates, Rules and Regulations for Water Service”: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Early Opening and Award of Multiple Contracts for the 2015 Watermain Replacement and Fire Flow Enhancement Project: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Approve granting a temporary construction encroachment and a permanent, non-exclusive, drainage easement to Washoe County for the construction of storm drainage improvements: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Adopt revisions to Board Policy and Board Practice Statements 71.0, 72.0, 121.0, 131.0, 132.0, 141.0, 191.0, and 192.0: Approved 4-1, motion passed (all revisions go into effect July 1, 2015)

Resolution 1835: Resolution to preliminarily approve the Report for Collection of Recreation Standby and Service Charges, Fiscal Year 2015/2016: Approved 3-2, motion passed

Resolution 1836: Environmental Sustainability: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Adopt revisions to Policy 151.0 – Audit Committee, Accounting, Auditing and Financial Reporting: Not approved 2-3, motion did not pass

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING RECAP May 21, 2015**


Consent Calendar: Early Opening of the 2015/16 Capital Improvement Budget for Project 3499RS1501 (POS Purchase), Authorize for Acquisition and Implementation of POS System Software for Diamond Peak- moved to General Business

Resolution 1837: Resolution Approving the Report for Collection on the Washoe County Tax Roll of Recreation Standby and Service Charges, Fiscal Year 2015/2016: Approved 3-2, motion passed

Adoption of IVGID Operating Budget (FY 2015/16), CIP Budget (FY 2015/16), Five Year Capital Summary (FY through 2019/20), and Recreation Facility Fee ($730 per parcel) and Beach Facility Fee ($100 per parcel) (FY 2015/16): Approved 3-2, motion passed

Resolution 1838: Resolution to create governmental fund type; Special Revenue, Capital Projects and Debt Service Funds for the IVGID Community Services and Beach Funds: Approved 3-2, motion passed

Early Opening of the 2015/16 Capital Improvement Budget for Project 3499RS1501 (POS Purchase), Authorize for Acquisition and Implementation of POS System Software for Diamond Peak: Approved 5-0, motion passed

Authorize Execution of Service Agreement for Acquisition of Fiber Ethernet services from AT&T for a period of 5 years: Approved 3-2, motion passed

Modification to Policy 3.1.0, Conduct of Board of Trustees Meetings- Added paragraph 18.0 entitled Agenda and packet delivery to Board of Trustees and the public: Not approved 2-3; motion did not pass

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