## **DRIVING DIRECTIONS:**

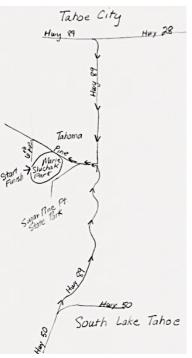
From **Tahoe City**, take Hwy. #89 south along the west shore for about 8.6 miles to Tahoma, turn right onto Pine St. Keep right to stay on Pine St. Marie Sluchak Park is on your left. Turn left onto 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. and park.

From **South Lake Tahoe**, take Hwy. #89 north along the west shore for ~18 miles until you come to Tahoma. Turn left onto Pine St. Keep right to stay on Pine St. Marie Sluchak Park is on your left. Turn left onto 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. and park.

PROCEDURES: This event is open to everyone. Volkssports are noncompetitive events. Each participant, whether free or paid, must register and sign an Amateur

Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability (Parent or Guardian must sign for a minor) at the start point. A control (start) card will be issued upon registration that must be carried during the event, validated at control points along the route, and turned in at the finish upon completion of the walk. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult. Water will be available at the start/finish and at the checkpoint, and restrooms are in the campground near the walk route.

**Tahoe Trail Trekkers:** If you enjoy walking, hiking, and kayaking for exercise or for pleasure, being outdoors, sightseeing, history, seeing new places and meeting nice people, you will love volkswalking and the Tahoe Trail Trekkers. The TTT Volkssport Club of the Tahoe area is one of the largest and most active walking/kayaking clubs in Northern California, and takes special pride in providing quality events throughout the Tahoe area. Historic and scenic sites/trails provide the backdrop for these noncompetitive sporting events winter or summer.



## The Tahoe Trail Trekkers #489 present our 30th Anniversary Kayak <u>and</u> Walk

Tahoma, CA--a Lake Tahoe Event <u>Kayak</u> Event of 1500 Meters on Friday, July 28 and <u>Walk</u> Event 11K/6k on Saturday, July 29, 2017



Sanction Numbers: PA17/108024 Kayak PA17/108025Walk **Special Programs: Co. El Dorado** 

*Sponsored by: The Tahoe Trail Trekkers and West Shore Sports* 





More info: www.ava.org Traditional Events

**START LOCATION**: Marie Sluchak Park, 225 Pine St. Tahoma CA 96142. On Friday, Boaters will register at the Start Table and walk or drive to the Kayak rental at the North Boathouse of Sugar Pine Point State Park at Lake Tahoe, and finish back at Marie Sluchak Park. On Saturday, Walkers will start and finish at Marie Sluchak Park following the written directions through Tahoma and into the State Park.

**START/FINISH TIME**: Friday's boat event starts between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., finishing no later than 4:00 p.m. Saturday's walk event starts between 9:00 a.m. and noon, finishing no later than 3:00 p.m. **DISTANCE:** Kayak event is 1500 meters. Walk is 11K with a 6K optional shorter route.

**COURSE /TRAILS:** Events are at ~6200 ft. elevation. The Kayak event (event credit only) is on beautiful Lake Tahoe in front of the Ehrman Mansion. The course will be an out and back between the North and South Boathouses. The Walk event will be on bike paths, campground and dirt trails throughout Tahoma and the State Park. Walkers will enjoy a bit of history as part of the trail is where the Biathlon and Cross-Country Ski events took place during the 1960 Winter Olympics. Walk routes are rated **2B**. The paved 6K walk route is okay for strollers and wheelchairs, but they are not recommended for going on the 11K walk.

**AWARD:** There will be a 3-inch patch similar to the one on the cover. 50 patches will be ordered with no reorder. Cost is \$3.00 each if you pre-register by July 21, and \$4.00 at the events.

**FEES:** Credit is \$3.00 per event or you may kayak/walk for free if no credit is desired. All participants will be charged \$10.00 per car to enter the State Park, unless they walk to the North Boathouse from Marie Sluchak Park. Those who decide to walk, will receive an extra distance credit of 6k on Saturday. All kayak participants must have their own boat, lifejacket and paddle, <u>or</u> pay to rent from West Shore Sports located at the North Boathouse on the beach. Volksboaters will receive a 10% discount on the rental fees which includes boat, life vest, seat and paddle. Discount rental = \$27.00/hr for 2-person kayak and \$18.00/hr for a single person kayak.

**MISCELLANEOUS: There is a \$10.00 day-use fee per car** if you choose to enter Sugar Pine Point State Park. Walking to the North Boathouse is RECOMMENDED (and free) as parking at the Lakeside may be limited. Water and Portapotties will be at the start and water and restrooms will be near the North Boathouse. Pets are only allowed on Saturday's 6k walk on leash with cleanup.

**DISCLAIMER:** "The sponsors are not liable for accidents, thefts and/or material damage. Reasonable effort will be made by the sponsors to make this a safe, enjoyable and memorable event."

**STIPULATIONS**: With registration for this event, the participant accepts the guidelines of the AVA and agrees to observe the principles of good sportsmanship and safety. The walk event will take place regardless of the weather conditions, and the kayak event is subject to cancelation or postponement due to possible unsafe wind and wave conditions. Vendors have their own refund policies. The TTT has a no refund policy for AVA walk credit.

## ALL KAYAKERS (BOATERS) MUST WEAR LIFEJACKETS AT ALL TIMES ON THE WATER!

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**: **Questions:** Call or email POC Betsy McDevitt at 530-412-4453 or betsywalks@gmail.com These events are sanctioned by the American Volkssport Association (AVA), a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV). "These events count towards the acquisition of IVV Achievement Awards."

**PRE-REGISTRATION**: Pre-registration by July 21, 2017 is advised so that we can inform West Shore Sports about the number of our kayak participants. Use the included form and send payment to Betsy McDevitt P.O. Box 455 Tahoma, CA 96142.

Name	Award/ Credit	Credit Only	Free	Total
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Street		City		
StateZip	Phone: _			
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Club Affiliation (if any)				
Number of kayaks needed (pay at Lake): single ( ) double ( )				