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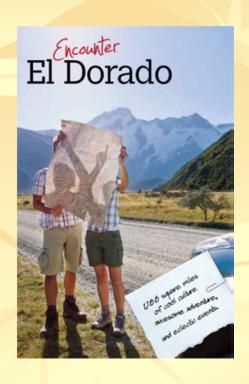
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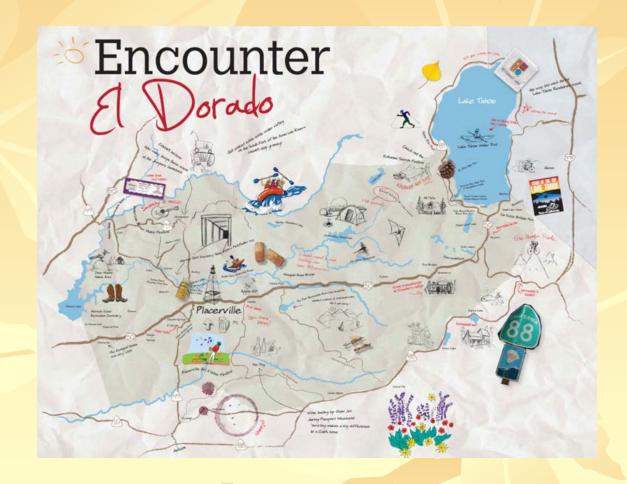
Tuesday December 13th, 2011

Betty "B" Gorman

TahoeChamber.org

## Geotourism





Geotourism is defined as "tourism that sustains or enhances the geographical character of a place - its environment, culture, aesthetics, heritage, and the well-being of its residents."

## Geotourism

Celebrating the BEST food, wine and art in the Sierra Nevada!



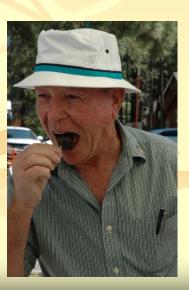










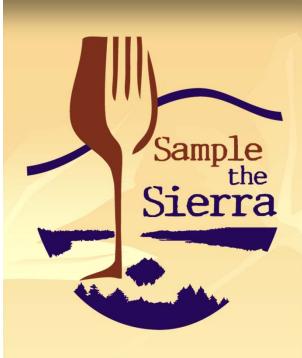


## 2nd Annual Sample the Sierra



# Sample the Sierra Survey Results

- 44% guests from out of the area
  - 76% CA 13% NV 11% Other
- Average stay of 3 nights
- \$400 Spent on average
- 88% First year at event
- 82% Traveling without children

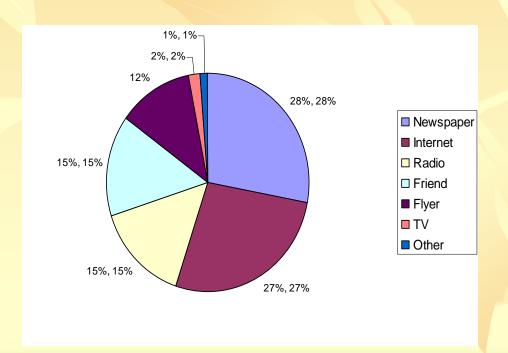


## Media Recap

61,365,000 Impressions

20 Press Releases reached over 3,000 Media Outlets
55 Web Listings
Over 15 Print Ads (Newspaper & Magazine)
500 Radio Spots
Over 250 Social Media Posts
5,000 Event Flyers distributed in El Dorado County

How did you hear about this event? Survey Says...





## Over 50 Website Listings including:

NBC Bay Area
LA Times
Tahoe South
Sacramento Bee
Fresno Bee
Sierra Heritage
Tahoe.com
City of SLT
Lake Tahoe News
Yuba Net

Tahoe Arts & Mountain Culture
Road Trips for Couples
Diablo Magazine
CapRadio
TahoeChamber
Tahoe Daily Tribune
All Voices
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### Social Media



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Shadow Ranch Vineyard & Winery



Amber Oaks Raspberries



Over 250 Posts
Totaling
500,000
Impressions



#### Sample the Sierra

Check out our post event recap at www.samplethesierra.com! Thanks Pettit Gilwee :)



Your Sierra Event Site | Sample the Sierra samplethesierra.com

338 Impressions · 0.30% Feedback

Like · Comment · Reshare · September 15 at 12:52pm

Pettit Gilwee likes this.

Write a comment...



#### Sample the Sierra

Thanks again to all of our vendors, volunteers, sponsors, and attendees at the 2nd Annual Sample the Sierra festival! There were over 1,500 people and good times were had by ALL! Stay tuned for details on next year's event...

422 Impressions · 1.66% Feedback

Like · Comment · Reshare · September 13 at 5:15pm



**South Lake Tahoe** 

**Carson Valley** 

Reno/Sparks

**Truckee** 

Sacramento

**Bay Area** 





### Media Recap

Over 500 TV & Radio Spots













### Print Media

Ads in 10 Publications 5,000 Flyers Distributed in El Dorado County

**Tahoe Daily Tribune** 

**Record Courier** 

**Marin Magazine** 

**Lake Tahoe Action** 

Sierra Heritage

The Town Crier

**Marin Magazine** 

Geotourism Map

**Blue Business Review** 



