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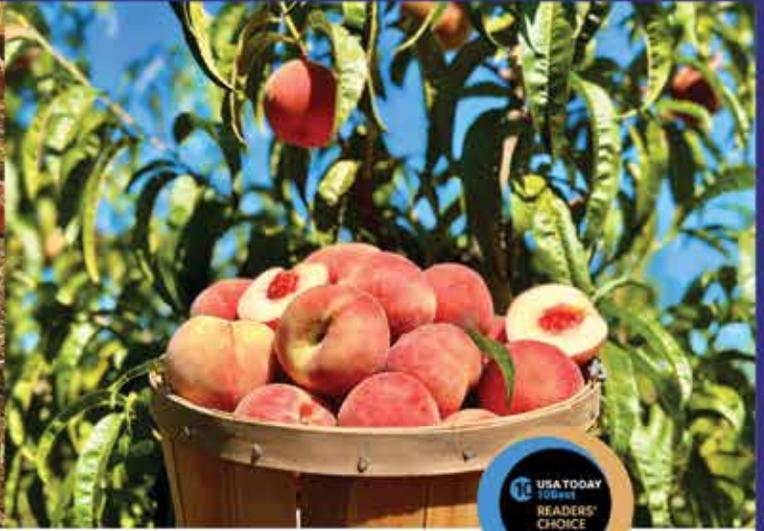
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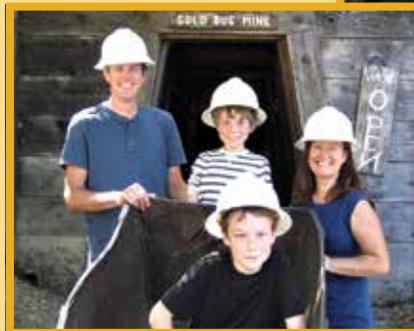
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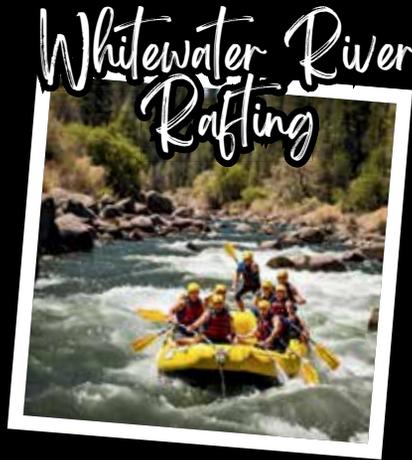
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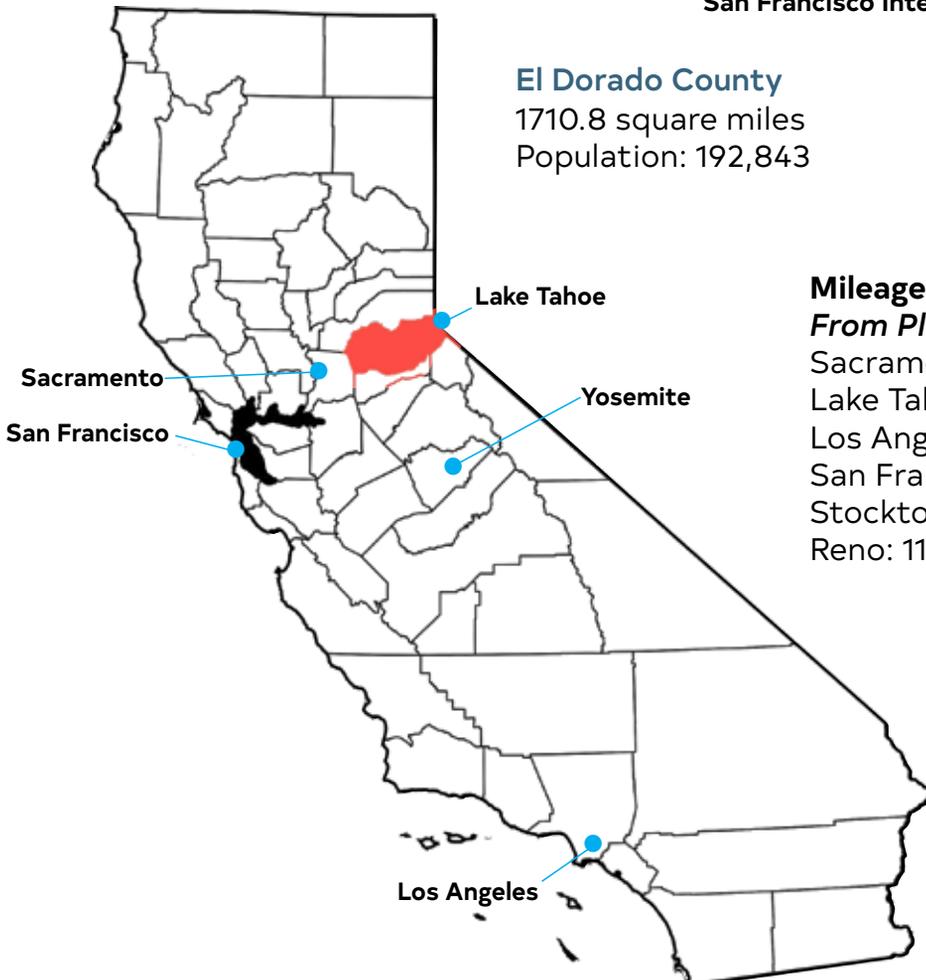
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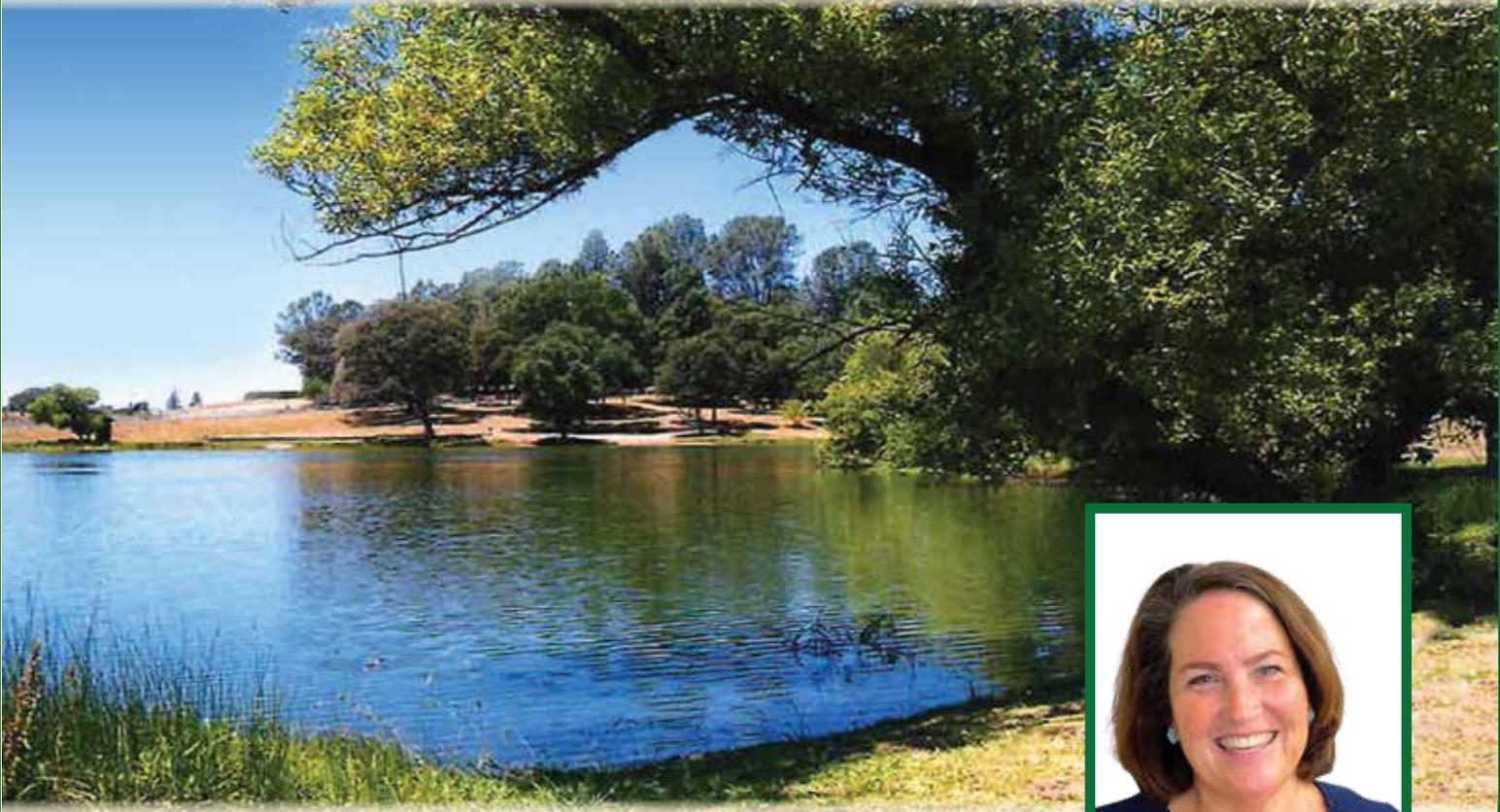
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By Peter Mead

Here's how three of our local farmers, two vineyards, and one produce farm bring out the most nature has to offer.



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CHATEAU DAVELL WINERY: LETTING NATURE PERFECT THE GRAPE

At Chateau Davell, owners Eric and Emily Hays produce 17 varietals and blends from rich organic grapes grown, harvested, and vinted using old-world methods paired with modern ecologically-guided craft. Instead of

herbicides, pesticides, and chemical fertilizers, Eric “cover crops” his fields: a variety of plants are used to improve biodiversity, control weeds and pests, and enrich grape-growing nutrients in the soil. Their dedication to sustainability and the organic lifestyle extends into the wine-making process itself. Grapes are harvested at their peak and gently pressed. The wine is unfiltered, so the true song of the grape comes through with perfect pitch. All Chateau Davell wines are known for their signature bouquet, flavor, body, and clarity that only a boutique winery can achieve.

The rustic Chateau Davell tasting room is built entirely from repurposed wood, including a long wavy-grained counter made from a huge fallen pine. The wine bottles, corks, and labels are recycled. It's a popular tourist stop and a hang-out for Chateau Davell Wine Club members. When asked, Emily will tell you that the most common remark she hears from their customers is, “We love all the varieties; so clean and smooth!” She smiles, “They are feeling the art.”

Organic Farms + Wineries in El Dorado County, California

“Sustainability to me is about respect,” says Eric. “We respect the restorative power of nature and how, with the proper stewardship, it allows us to craft wines of exceptional fruit/acid balance, character, and expression. Because our wines are handcrafted in extremely small lots and do not rely on mass-production techniques, we have the freedom to let each vintage speak for itself with minimal interference. You can taste it.”



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NARROW GATE VINEYARDS IN PLEASANT VALLEY

Frank and Teena Hildebrand's Narrow Gate Vineyards turns out 1500 cases of wine a year. Their boutique size allows them to produce naturally-crafted wines of distinctive depth and character – a true discovery for travelers who seek new wine experiences.

Narrow Gate Vineyard is a flagship farm for what is known as biodynamic farming. It's the unification of the entire farm with a natural ecosystem that is diversified, balanced, and fertile. Certification requires a healthy integration of crops and livestock, land set aside for biodiversity, and organic certification of not just the grapevines but of the whole property.

According to Frank, biodynamic farming is better expressed as “regenerative” versus “sustainable.” As Frank puts it, “Nature doesn't hold to a level. It isn't static, as the word sustainability seems to imply. It is constantly cycling through connection, growth, and decay. From the microbiome to the grape and on to the wine itself, if you focus on regenerative processes, you are working with the rhythm of nature's supply and demand. You've struck gold, so to speak, and it shows in the wine. It takes a light touch. But boy, that light touch takes a lot of work!”

in El Dorado County

Frank Hildebrand, Narrow Gate Vineyards

The El Dorado County AVA (American Viticultural Area) is highly regarded for the diversity of its microclimates and its rich mix of volcanic soil, decomposed granite, sandy loam, and clay. Narrow Gate Vineyards produces grapes ideally matched to their terroir. As a result, their varieties have a robust signature, and because no additives have been included for year-to-year consistency, each vintage is the story of a single year, a chapter in the life of a vineyard on the slopes of the Sierra foothills.

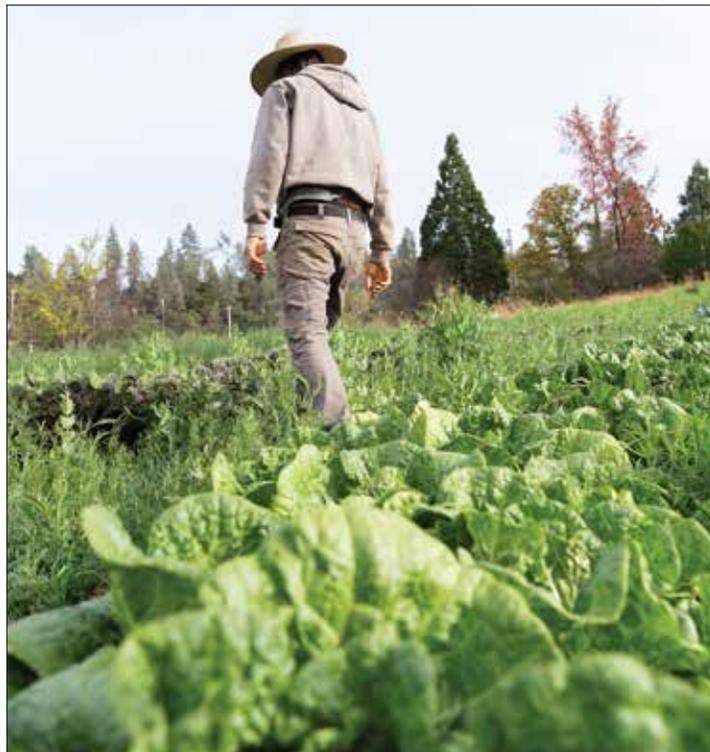
According to Teena, many wine lovers seek the healthier benefits of organic and biodynamic wines. Frank adds, “There is a ribbon of pureness and familiarity that runs through all of our wines that our customers pick up on and comment about. That tells me we are on the right path.”



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24 CARROT FARMS: NOURISHING COMMUNITY TIES

The sharp rise in consumer demand for organic foods and the healthy lifestyles they represent hit a sweet spot with the local



buy-direct organic farm model, and nobody does this better than Ben Hansen’s 24 Carrot Farm. Besides providing high-quality produce using sustainable farming practices, 24 Carrot Farm has had an unexpectedly strong impact on the community.

Set within the postcard beauty of the Apple Hill region of Placerville, 24 Carrot Farm is certified organic throughout its 12 acres, offering a dazzling array of vegetables and fruits grown on the premises, as well as products from partnering organic farms and bakeries nearby. Customers can choose from over 35 different kinds of vegetables and fruits just yards from where they were grown. Many say they feel a stronger connection to the land and love all the choices they have.

Because the vegetables and fruits are grown in a sustainable ecological system that ensures dense nutrients are loaded into the crops, the taste and increased energy are immediately apparent. This is one of the reasons people keep coming back, week after week and year after year: it is food that tastes incredible and it promotes well-being. Even vegetable-shy children gobble it all up.

When asked about sustainability, Ben says he prefers the word “community”. “Honest food builds community,” he says. “I’ve seen couples come here with infants, and years later, they are still buying from us, only they have three kids helping fill the cart.”

Customer-friendly “U-Pick” times during certain seasons allow people to roll up their sleeves and pick their own strawberries, flowers, apples, pumpkins, and vegetables. Ben has even set aside some land where less fortunate families can grow their own food.

24 Carrot Farm is a good example of what abounds in El Dorado County: a great quality of life, a generational community, and a long legacy of respect for nature and its gifts.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN EL DORADO COUNTY



JUNE 7, 2025

Golden History Days and Wagon Train

Celebrate Placerville's diverse history with food trucks, antique street fair, cultural music, living history performers, booths, and the much-loved Wagon Train!



JULY 4, 2025

Annual 4th of July Family Blast

Inflatable Fun, Corn Hole, Games, Face Painters, food, fun and more. Gates open at 3pm and live music starts at 6pm. Fireworks show starts between 9:30pm and 10:00pm



JUNE 12 - 14, 2025

El Dorado County Fair

The theme for this year's event is "Moovin' and Groovin.'" and promises all the family fun and excitement you know and love. Think mutton bustin', live interactive exhibits, musical performances, clown college, free train rides, and even a funnel cake eating contest!

JUNE 21 - 22, 2025 & JUNE 28 - 29, 2025

Lavender Blue Festival

More than a dozen Apple Hill Growers their farms for two weekends to celebrate the blueberry and lavender harvest. Pick your own lavender bouquet or make lavender wreaths, buy local berry jams & blueberries, lavender donuts and blackberry hard cider.



JULY 24 - 27, 2025

73rd Annual Jeeps' Jamboree

This is considered the oldest, toughest and largest organized event of this type in the world on the Rubicon Trail over the Sierra Nevada Mountain Range. Experienced guides, catered meals, live entertainment, drawings, fun games and relaxation.

JULY 2025

Apple Hill Farm to Fork Dinner

The Apple Hill Growers invite you to enjoy a night on the farm with beautiful orchard and vineyard views and delicious wine paired meal. Guests will enjoy a 5-course meal and endless Apple Hill Grower hard cider and wine.

SEPTEMBER 20, 2025

Placerville Oktoberfest & Dachshund Dash

This is a family friendly, free event! We're bringing a little bit of Bavaria to Main Street! Great beer, wine and German foods and snacks, and live music at the Bell Tower. The dogs are back too with the Dachshund Dash and Costume Contest!



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OCTOBER 10 – 12, 2025

Coloma Gold Rush Live

During this three-day event we turn the park into an 1850's tent town. Hundreds of docents and volunteers are dressed in period clothing, and have set up their demonstrations in a camp like feel to show what life was like during the gold rush. There are wagon rides, food, music, cannon firings and more. Event runs 10:00am-4:00pm each day. \$20.00 event fee per vehicle.



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OCTOBER 18, 2025

Save the Graves Living History Cemetery Tours

This year's theme is "Women of Character." Throughout the day, skilled actors in period attire tell their character's story from beyond the grave. Each depiction is scripted and historically accurate. Between the brief performances, guests can wander the grand Victorian garden cemetery and discover the featured characters and other wonders of this century-and-a-half-old place.

NOVEMBER 1 – 2, 2025

Fair Play Harvest Festival 2025

Celebrate the wine harvest at 23 Fair Play wineries. Enjoy food, music, games, artisanal market vendors and most importantly, and, most importantly, taste some of the best wines in the world as you explore Fair Play's beautiful wineries.

NOVEMBER

Holiday Festivities

The Festival of Lights on Historic Main Street and the El Dorado Hills Tree Lighting kicks off the holiday season. Get in the spirit with music, entertainment, carriage rides and a visit with Santa.



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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2025

Hangtown Christmas Parade

A local favorite for more than 40 years, this big parade is full of small town fun. You'll find marching bands, motorcycles, horses, ponies & mules, dogs and dancers, fire engines and floats, 4-H and 4 wheel drives. The parade starts on upper Broadway and winds its way to downtown Main street in Placerville, Rain or Shine.

DECEMBER 13 – 14, 2025

Christmas In Coloma

Many of the houses in town are decorated for the holidays and opened to the public for tours. Docents in the houses tell about the house and the people that lived there. This house tour is \$5.00 per person to participate in. Also join us for a venter craft fair, wreath making, carriage rides, music, kids games and a visit from Santa! Event runs from 10:00am-4:00pm each day.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 2026

Gold Discovery Day

Come celebrate the day that gold was discovered. Gold was discovered in Coloma by James Marshall on January 24, 1848. This is a larger than usual living history event with speakers telling stories of the gold discovery. Event is 11:00am-3:00pm.

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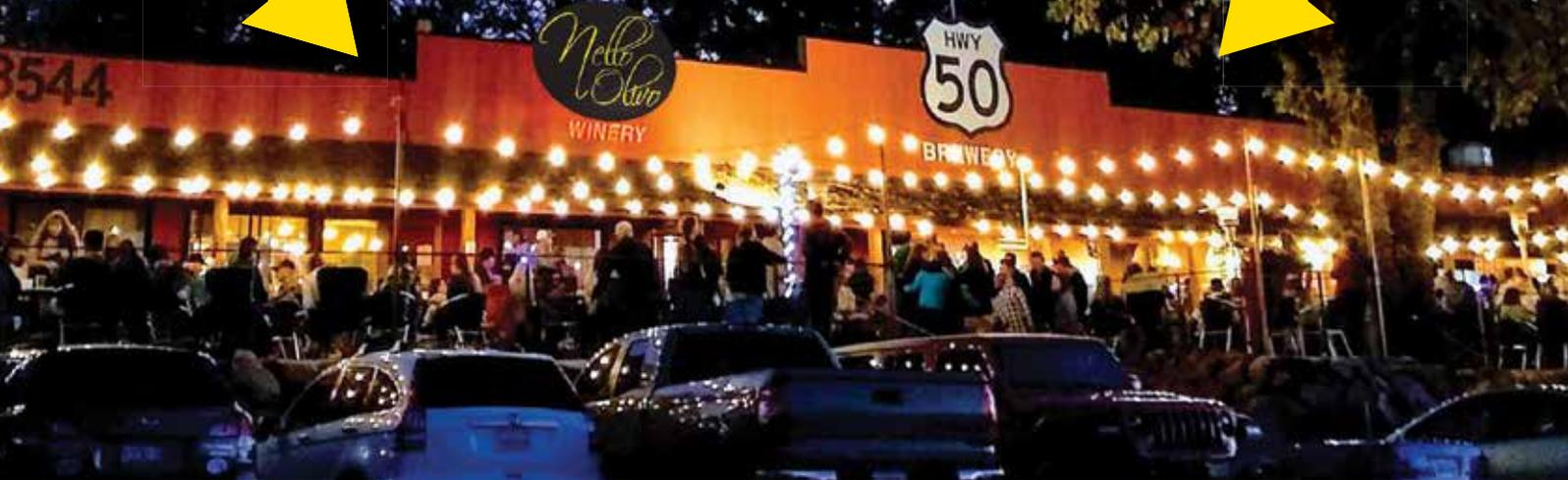
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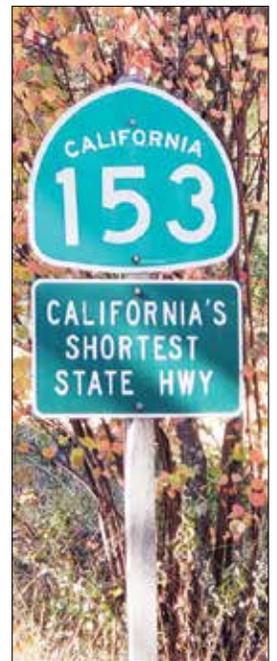
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WHERE THE CALIFORNIA GOLD RUSH BEGAN

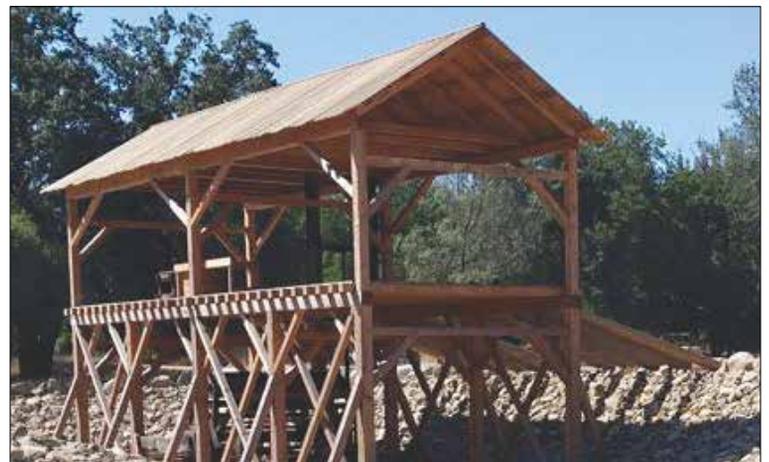
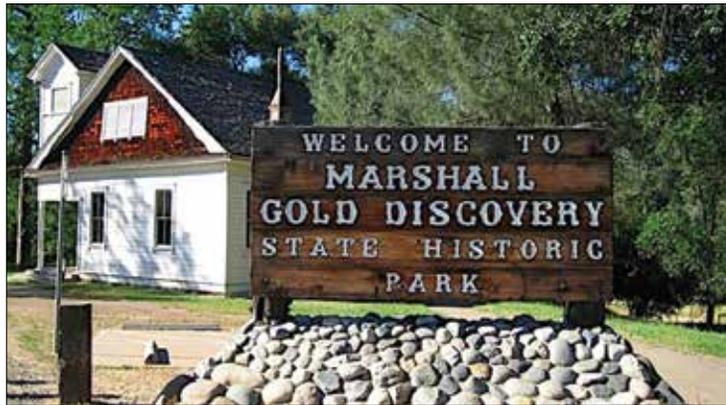


This is where it all began. It was here, on January 24, 1848, that James W. Marshall discovered gold on the South Fork of the American River in the valley the Nisenan Indians knew as Cullumah (beautiful valley), touching off the largest gold rush in history. This singular event not only changed the fate of California but the entire nation.

The population of California and what would become El Dorado County exploded with miners hoping to strike it rich.



Today, Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park is home to the gold discovery site, located in the still visible tailrace of Sutter's sawmill in present day Coloma, is one of the most significant historic sites in the nation. See a replica of the original sawmill and over 20 historic buildings including a mining exhibit, Chinese store exhibits and schoolhouse exhibit. The park offers beginning panning lessons, Gold Discovery Tours, operating blacksmith shop, Gold Discovery museum, visitors center and mercantile. Visitors have the opportunity to pan for gold in the American River and enjoy hikes and picnics under the riparian oak woodlands. If it is true that history repeats itself, you've come to the right place!



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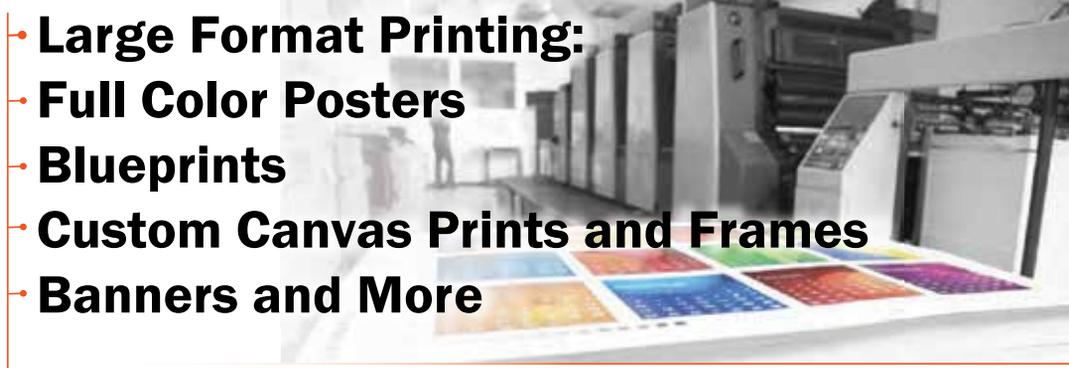
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2 HISTORIC TOWNS THAT WILL

Placerville is a charming California Gold Rush town named after the placer gold deposits found in its riverbeds and hills in the late 1840s. Located at the crossroad of Highway 49 & Highway 50, this is a perfect stop on the popular route to Lake Tahoe. Placerville's treasured heritage can be seen in the historical, 19th century architecture of its downtown core. An important historic landmark on Main Street is the Bell Tower, which still stands as a monument to the city's volunteer firemen. Stroll the street or shop till you drop at one of the more than 50 unique shops, fine art galleries, and restaurants.



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TAKE YOU BACK IN TIME

Georgetown

Main Street in Georgetown looks much as it did long ago with its wide streets and historic buildings. A young man named Hudson is credited with discovering the rich diggings in Georgetown in the summer of 1849. Soon after, a company of sailors lead by George Phipps began working the stream at a spot below the present townsite where they uncovered rich placers and took out a fortune in gold. Located off of Highway 193, this hidden gem is definitely worth the road trip. Today you will find quaint shops, eateries and antiques. Don't miss the impressive Art on the Divide Gallery or take in a tall tale or two at the Georgetown Hotel & Saloon.

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Things to Do

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If you only have a few hours...

Gold Bug Mine – 2635 Gold Bug Lane Placerville. The 362-foot hard rock mine, gift shop, stamp mill, blacksmith shop, Hattie's museum, hiking trails and gold panning. Park is situated on over 62 acres.



Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park on the South Fork of the American River in Coloma. It was here in 1848 that gold was first discovered touching off the largest human migration in history, the California Gold Rush.

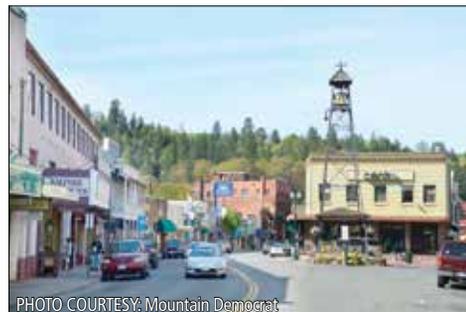
Take a tour at Wakamatsu/ Gold Hill Walk & Historic Tours. Learn about the rich history of the Wakamatsu Tea and Silk Farm, the first Japanese Colony site established in America. (Gold Hill area). Wakamatsu@ARConservancy.org.



Ride the Rails – The El Dorado Western Railroad is the oldest railroad line west of the Mississippi River.

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Stroll down **Placerville's Historic Main Street** and enjoy a variety of shops that include fabulous art galleries, unique antiques, museum, the oldest hardware store west of the Mississippi. Sip

some of the El Dorado County's award winning wines and savor the flavor of locally grown products.

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El Dorado County Historical Museum

104 Placerville Drive, Placerville
Artifacts from the County's past reflect the people, activities and events that occurred here. Native American people, and the Gold Rush, the logging and lumber industry, transportation, and some of the historical figures such as Snowshoe Thompson, the Goat Doctor and John Studebaker, famous for his gold-rush era wheelbarrows. Group Tours can be arranged Saturday, 9am - 1 pm (Admission is free)



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The Community Observatory.

The Community Observatory is your window to the night sky! See the stars through the 17-inch and 14-inch reflecting telescopes on a clear, dark night.

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Stay for more than a day

Go whitewater rafting – one of the most popular activities in the summer. El Dorado County has more than 30 outfitters ready to guide visitors down the South Fork of the American River.



Also great for kayaking, canoeing, camping and fishing.



Go wine tasting at one of nearly 70 wineries sprinkled throughout El Dorado Wine Country. El Dorado's wineries have a wide diversity of award winning wines, friendly tasting room staffs and idyllic views of snow-capped mountains and oak-studded foothills.

Come to the Apple Hill® and find a day filled with old-fashioned fun. Over 50 farms and ranches provide farm fresh fruit and vegetables, baked and canned goods, crafts and entertainment.



Enjoy the Sly Park Recreation Area, offering camping, hiking, boating, fishing, equestrian trails and campgrounds.

Explore Desolation Wilderness.

Enjoy spectacular scenery, hike, cross-country ski, ride horseback, or enjoy other outdoor



activities. Travel in the wilderness is restricted to hikers and packstock. No motorized vehicles allowed. Permit required.



Visit the El Dorado National Forest/Crystal Basin Recreation Area – provides diverse recreational opportunities to the public. Fishing, hiking, camping, kayaking, swimming, boating, horseback riding and cycling.

Glass Blowing – watching the art of glassblowing at 2BGlass is like witnessing magic take form— molten glass spins and stretches, glowing like lava before transforming into delicate, glimmering creations. Tues-Sat from 10-3 pm.



Spend a Night at the Races – **Placerville Speedway** – is a High-Banked 1/4 Mile Clay Oval – showcasing dirt track racing Saturday evenings March through September.

LAKE TAHOE

Lake Tahoe is a world-class year around vacation destination located along the eastern edge of El Dorado County. While hotels and ski resorts draw millions of guests each year, the area's main attraction continues to be the restful silence of the wilderness and the awe-inspiring beauty of the Lake. As the Washoe Indians realized centuries ago, the "edge of the lake" is a unique and special place.



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THINGS TO DO

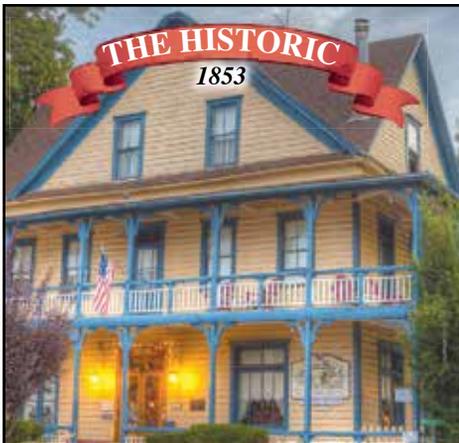
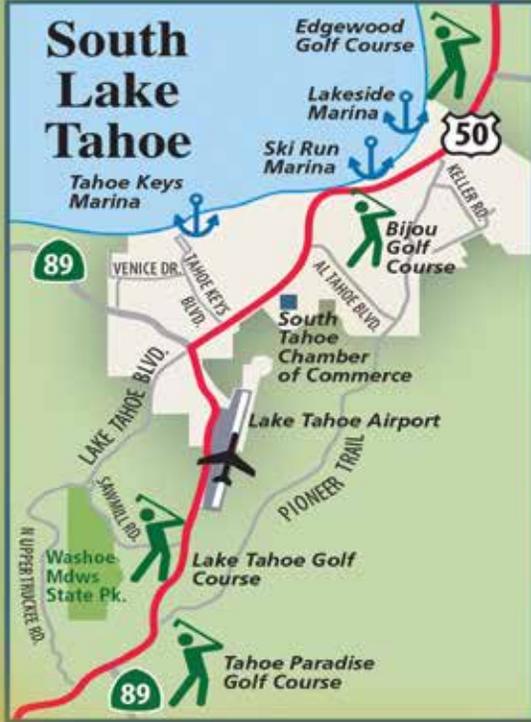
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- Emerald Bay

Elevation: The average surface of Lake Tahoe is 6,229 feet above sea level. The highest peak rising directly from the shoreline is Mt. Tallac at 9,735 feet. The highest point in the Tahoe Basin is Freel Peak at 10,881 feet.

Volume: Lake Tahoe contains an estimated 39.75 trillion gallons or 122 million acre-feet of water. That's enough water to cover the entire state of California to a depth of 14.5".

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California SNO-PARKS

There are 19 SNO-PARK sites throughout the Sierra Nevada. Each has a distinctive brown highway sign identifying its location. SNO-PARKs are open seasonally between November 1st and May 30th. Day use permits may be purchased for \$15.00 or a season permit for \$40.00 from various vendors throughout California and Nevada. Check the website http://ohv.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=1233 for a current list of where you can purchase a permit, or call the OHMVR Division at (916) 324-4442.

Taylor Creek

Taylor Creek Parking Lot. West side of Highway 89, just north of Camp Richardson in El Dorado County. Cross-country skiing to Fallen Leaf Lake. Limited snowmobiling and snow play. Call USFS at 530-543-2600.

Iron Mountain

Iron Mountain Parking Lot. North side of Highway 88, at the Mormon-Emigrant Trail Road, 40 miles east of Jackson in El Dorado County. Extensive snowmobile trails. Cross-country trails and snow play areas. Call USFS at 209-295-4251.

Carson Pass

Ranger Station Carson Pass. South side of Highway 88 at Carson Pass 60 miles east of Jackson in Alpine County. Very popular cross-country ski area with limited snow play. No snowmobiles. Call USFS at 209-295-4251

Echo Lake

North side of Highway 50 at Echo Lake Road half mile west of Echo Summit. Popular cross-country ski area with limited snow play. No snowmobiles. No parking on entry road. Call Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit at (530) 644-2324

Hope Valley

Hope Valley Parking Lot. South side of Highway 88 at Blue Lakes Road 5 miles east of Carson Pass and 2 miles west of Picketts Junction (Hwy. 88 and 89) in Alpine County. Snowmobile trails, cross country skiing, dog sledding and limited snow play. No overnight parking allowed. Call USFS at (775) 882-2766

Tube Tahoe

Tube Tahoe is the home of winter fun for the whole family. At over 500 feet in length, their machine groomed tubing lanes are some of the longest in the area. They're located in Meyers, next to the Holiday Market. <https://tubetahoe.com/>

Adventure Mountain Lake Tahoe

This privately owned snow play area features groomed and managed sledding hills, restrooms, and parking. User fees are \$40 – \$45 per vehicle, and there's an extra parking fee for larger vehicles such

as motor homes and vehicles with trailers. Currently, there are no season passes and no overnight parking. Adventure Mountain is not part of the SNO-PARK

system; therefore, they do not accept SNO-PARK tickets. <http://adventuremountain-tahoe.com/> Hours: Monday – Friday 10 am to 4 pm, Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays 9 am to 4:30 pm, from late November to April, weather and snow permitting.

Please help us keep these special places open for years to come. Pack out your trash, including broken sleds. Park in designated areas. Thank You!



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Eldorado National Forest

The Eldorado National Forest offers amazing places for hiking, biking, fishing, camping, skiing, nature viewing and scenic drives.

Desolation Wilderness

Desolation Wilderness, located west of Lake Tahoe in El Dorado County, may be considered small for a wilderness area at nearly 64,000 acres, but it compensates with dramatic scenery ranging from starkly beautiful granite to cerulean blue alpine lakes. Visitor permits are required year-round for both overnight and day hikes. Its many glacially formed lakes and streams make it one of the most scenic stretches of the Pacific Crest Trail and Tahoe Rim Trail.

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WATERFALL HIKES

Bassi Falls via Towering Rocks Trail

Located in the Eldorado National Forest off Ice House Road near Placerville, this 100+ foot waterfall is well worth the hike. It's approximately 2.9 miles round trip from the parking lot, a combination of dirt trail and granite. Be sure to walk to the base of the falls so you can see it in all its glory. Note that in early spring there may still be snow patches on the ground, so plan accordingly. Great trail for dogs and kids.

Hiking level: Easy – elevation gain 360ft

Dogs allowed: Yes

Horsetail Falls Trail

A little further up Highway 50 from Bassi Falls is Horsetail Falls, a dramatic 800-foot waterfall flowing down the glacier-carved granite of Desolation Wilderness. From the trailhead you will follow Pyramid Creek Trail into the Desolation Wilderness. Day use hikers must get a free permit at the trailhead and there is a parking fee. The first part of the hike, along granite fields, offers beautiful views as it takes you to the base of the falls, which can be a destination unto itself. From the Pyramid Creek trailhead to the base of Horsetail Falls, it's approximately a 1.5-mile hike. This is a great view point but the more experienced hiker may want to go to the top. This hike then becomes difficult.

Hiking level: Moderate – elevation gain 580ft

Dogs allowed: Yes

Eagle Falls

Lake Tahoe has no shortage of beautiful scenery, but waterfall lovers know to head to Emerald Bay, where a short hike results in the spectacular Eagle Falls, which feeds into Emerald Bay. From the Eagle Falls trailhead, it's a 5-minute walk to the bridge that gets you up close and personal with the falls. Continue up the trail for another .25 mile to Eagle Lake, where you're surrounded by towering granite.

Hiking level: Easy to moderate

Dogs allowed: Yes

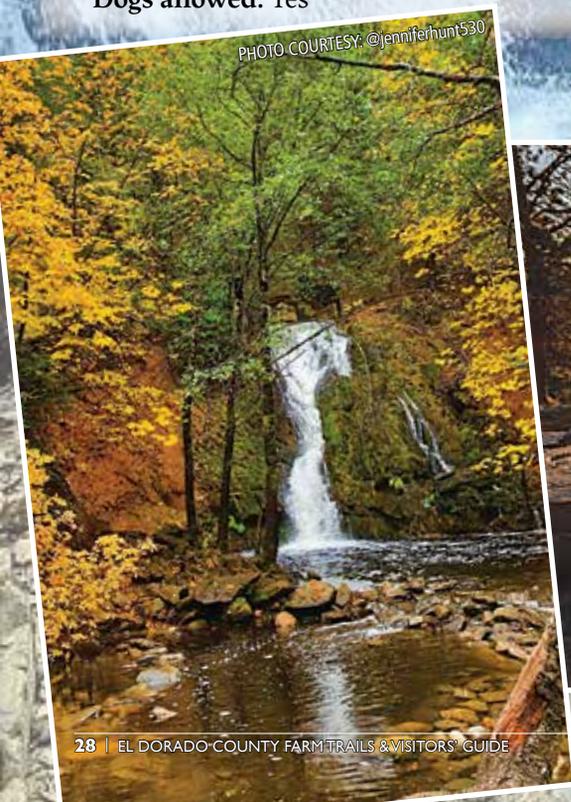
Dutch Creek Fall & Johntown Falls

Awesome waterfalls celebrate the marriage of Dutch Creek and Johntown Creek. Park at Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park on Hwy 49 and pay the fee at the museum. Walk across the one lane South Fork American River bridge. Pass the campground and take the first right turn onto Bayne Road. The trailhead is on the left side. This will add 1/2 to your hike but worth it having access to parking and exploring the park. The hike from the trailhead is 1.5 miles out and back. This trail is a bit overgrown but easy to follow. Some sections where there are ropes to assist you with downhill portions. It is quite popular but not overly crowded.

Hiking level: Moderate – elevation gain 272ft

Dogs allowed: Yes

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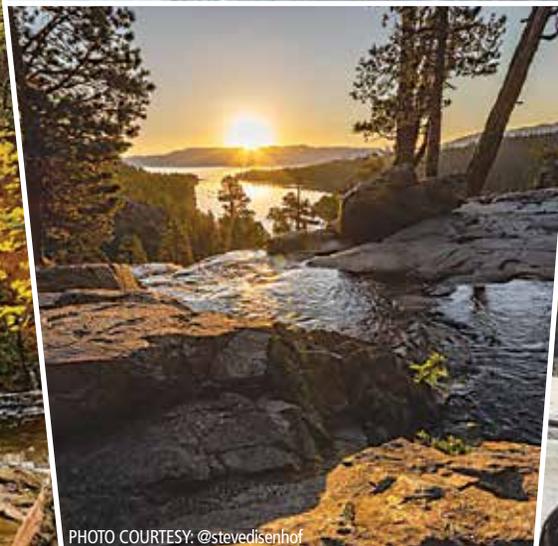


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Legend:

RB – Rainbow Trout, BT – Brook Trout, BN – Brown Trout, CT – Cutthroat Trout, L – Lahontan, LK – Lake Trout, K – Kokanee.

STREAMS & RIVERS

South Fork: RB, BT, BN
Middle Fork American: RB, BT, BN
Silver Fork American: RB, BT, BN
Rubicon River: RB, BT, BN
Caples Creek: RB, BT, BN
Consumnes River: RB, BT, BN
Gerle Creek: RB, BN
Camp Creek: RB, BN

LAKES

Jenkinson (Sly Park): RB, BN, LT, Bass
Union Valley: RB, BN, LT, BT, K, Bass
Ice House: RB, BT, BN
Loon Lake: RB, BT, BN
Echo Lake: RB, BT, CT (L), K
Wrights Lake: RB, BT, BN
Finnon Lake: Bass
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Folsom Lake: Bass
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This is an off-road experience of a lifetime that will test your mental and physical limits as well as your technical skills and preparation. It offers the courageous motorist a chance to travel a historical path through one of the nation's most treasured natural landscapes. It is widely recognized as the premiere OHV route in the United States and has been called the "crown jewel of all off highway trails." At one time, it was revered as the most difficult, rated 10 on a scale of one to 10, due to its narrow passages, rocky climbs, and occasional mud hole.

In 1953, the Rubicon Trail hosted the first Jeepers Jamboree, which continues every year to this day on the last weekend of July.

The Rubicon Trail Foundation, Friends of the Rubicon, El Dorado County, and the Eldorado National Forest are the trusted stewards of the Rubicon Trail, ensuring sustainability for this special place. Their continued efforts and collaboration are vital to keep this "crown jewel" of OHV routes open and dedicated to the future health of the Rubicon Trail.



WINTER ADVENTURE IN EL DORADO COUNTY:

Ski, Sip, and Stay

Winter in El Dorado County is a magical season, with sparkling snow, cozy fireside moments, and adventures waiting to be discovered. Whether you're making turns in fresh powder, sipping world-class wines, or soaking in the serenity of a mountain lodge, you can create your perfect winter escape here.

Craving an adrenaline rush? El Dorado County is your gateway to some of Northern California's best skiing and snowboarding. **Sierra-at-Tahoe Resort** offers 2,000 acres of terrain perfect for skiers and snowboarders of all levels. With runs for all abilities, breathtaking views, and a laid-back atmosphere, it's no wonder this resort is a favorite among locals and visitors alike.

Heavenly Resort in South Lake Tahoe is ideal for those who are up for the first chair and are still going strong well after the last call. With 4,800 acres full of terrain for beginners and experts alike and the most incredible views of Lake Tahoe, it's truly (wait for it) heavenly!

Kirkwood Mountain Resort is enchanting, untamed, vast, and secluded. It is known for its deep, dry snow and some of the most varied and demanding terrain in North America.

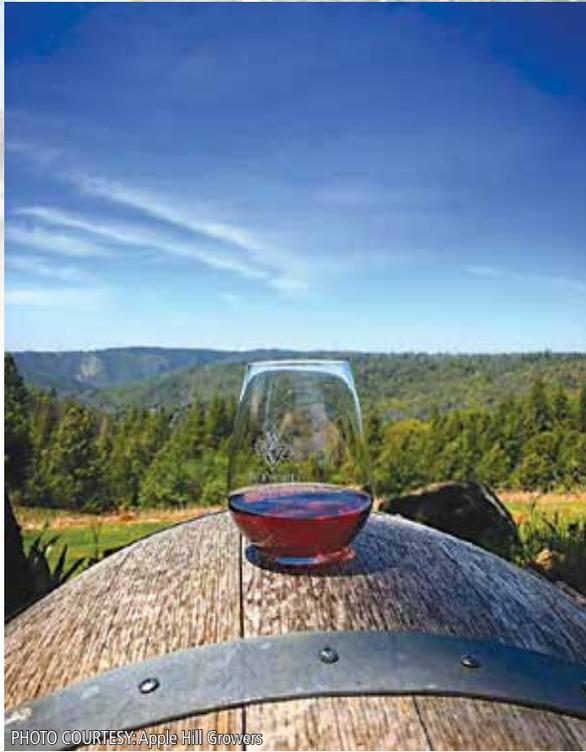


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Maybe you're up for something less demanding or a bit more fun? **Tube Tahoe** in downtown Meyers has some of the longest tubing lanes in the area. **Adventure Mountain** on Echo Summit is the go-to spot for sledding, tubing, and snow play. You'll also find several SNO-PARKs along Hwy 50 – pick up a pass online or at locations in El Dorado County.

After a day in the snow, there's no better way to unwind than by sampling some of El Dorado County's award-winning wines. You'll find over 70 family-owned wineries here, offering a range of interesting and sometimes lesser-known varietals, all resulting in distinctive mountain-grown wines.

Many tasting rooms transform into warm, inviting retreats during

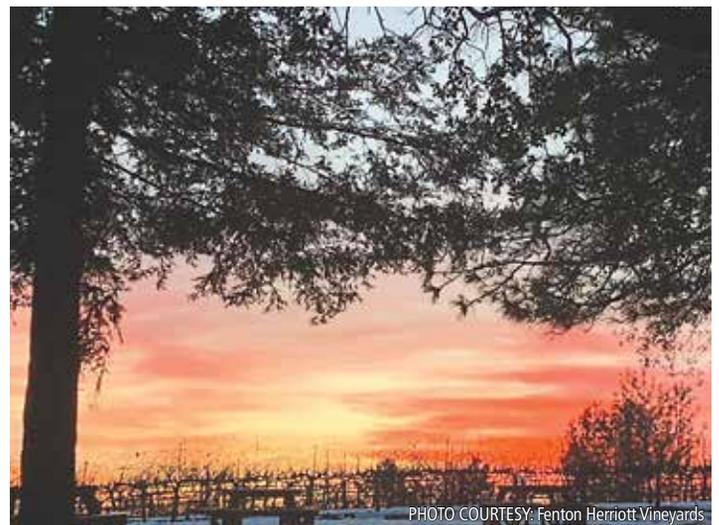


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the winter months, complete with roaring fireplaces and picturesque vineyard views. Just off Highway 50, you'll discover **Crystal Basin Cellars**, **Nello Olivo Wines**, and **Myka Estates**, offering relaxed tasting experiences where chatting with the winemaker is not unusual.

El Dorado County offers a variety of cozy accommodations that will make your winter getaway truly special. For a romantic escape, book a stay at the **Miner's Cabin at Madrone Tree Hill**, located on a 50-acre



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family-owned property among the Apple Hill™-area ranches and wineries. The patio with a firepit is the perfect spot to unwind and enjoy a glass of wine.

Nearby **Ponderosa Ridge A Bed and Breakfast Inn** offers a peaceful retreat on an 11-acre property, including a three-acre apple orchard open only to guests. Guests can enjoy homemade country breakfasts made from scratch daily, with fresh baked goods each morning. It's an ideal base camp for exploring the nearby farms and wineries.

The Harper Micro Motel is a beautifully restored

1940s-era, four-suite motel in Placerville, seconds off Highway 50. It has full modern kitchens, is an easy walk/ride to restaurants, and offers complimentary bikes. The motel provides easy access to Placerville's Main Street, wineries, and attractions.

Pack your puffer jacket and favorite beanie, remember your sense of adventure, and get ready to ski, sip, and stay in El Dorado County this winter.



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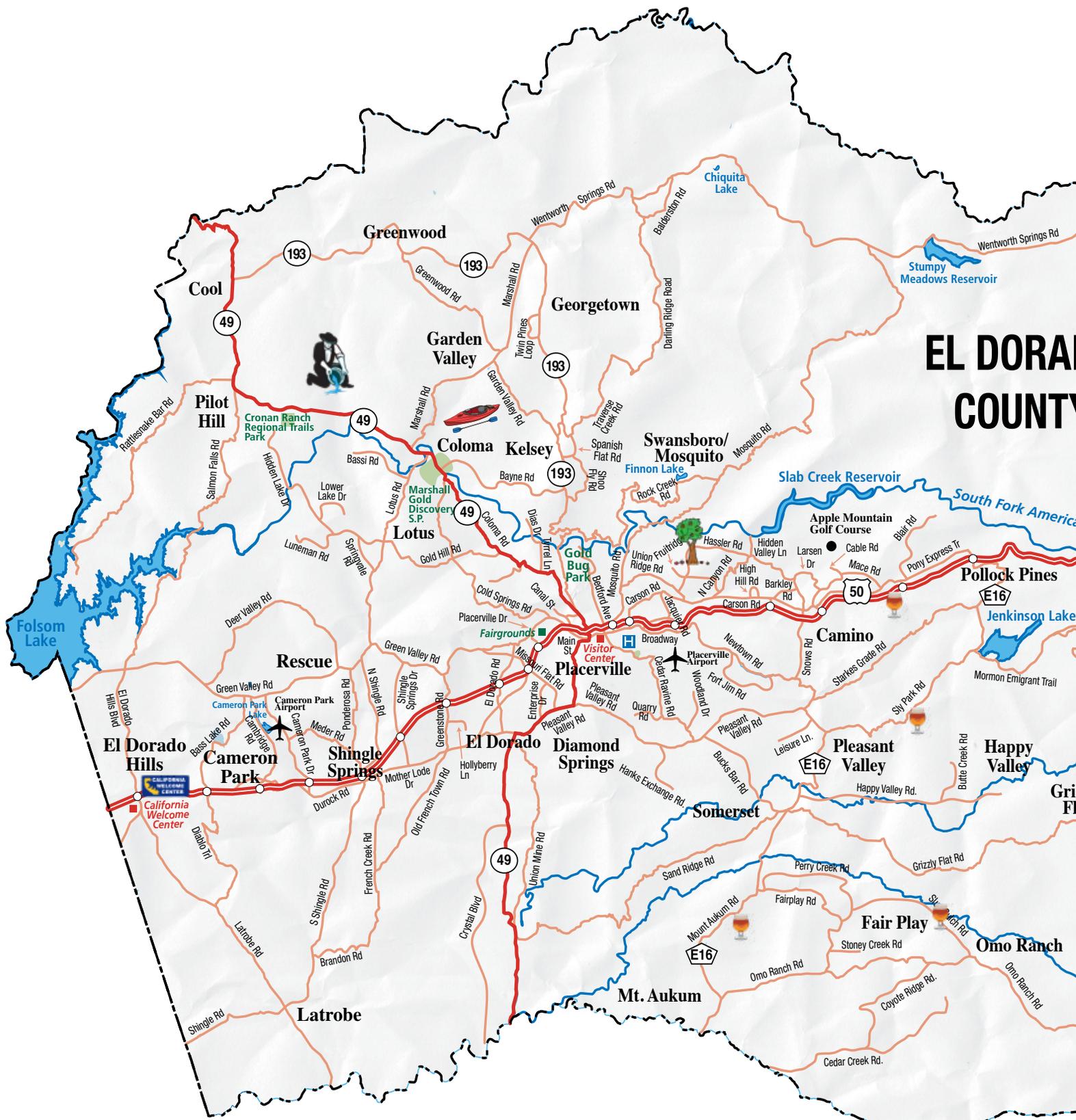
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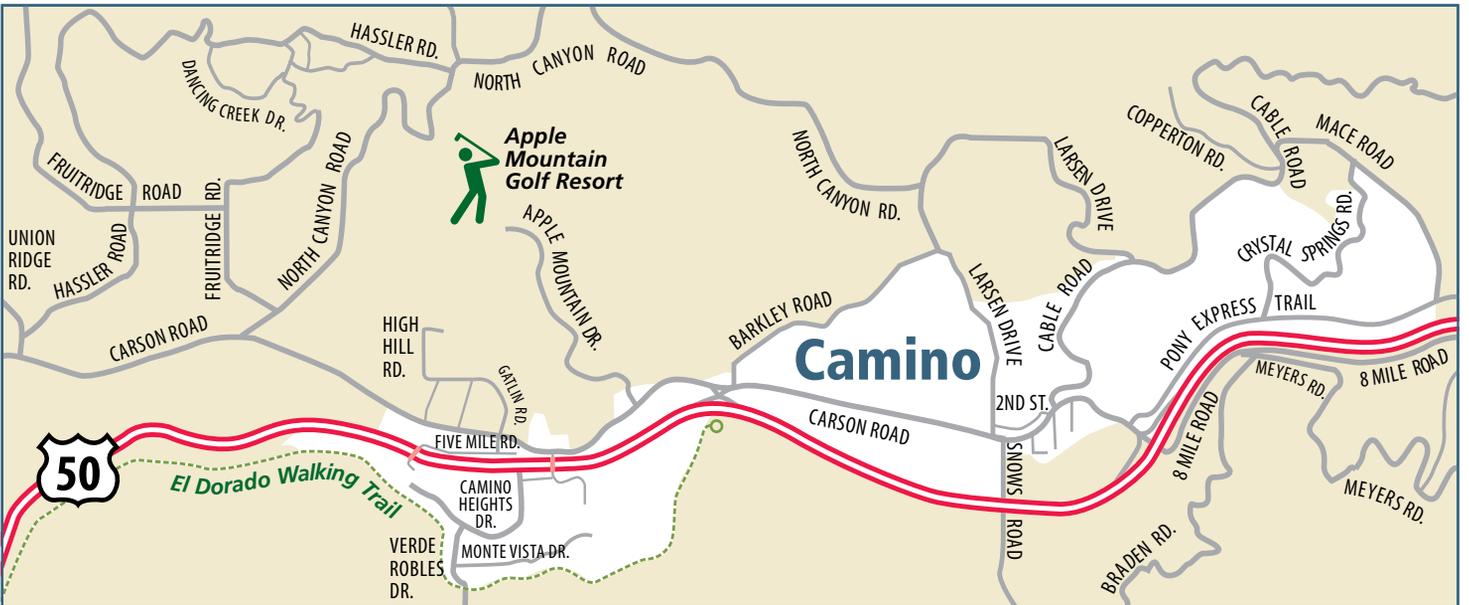
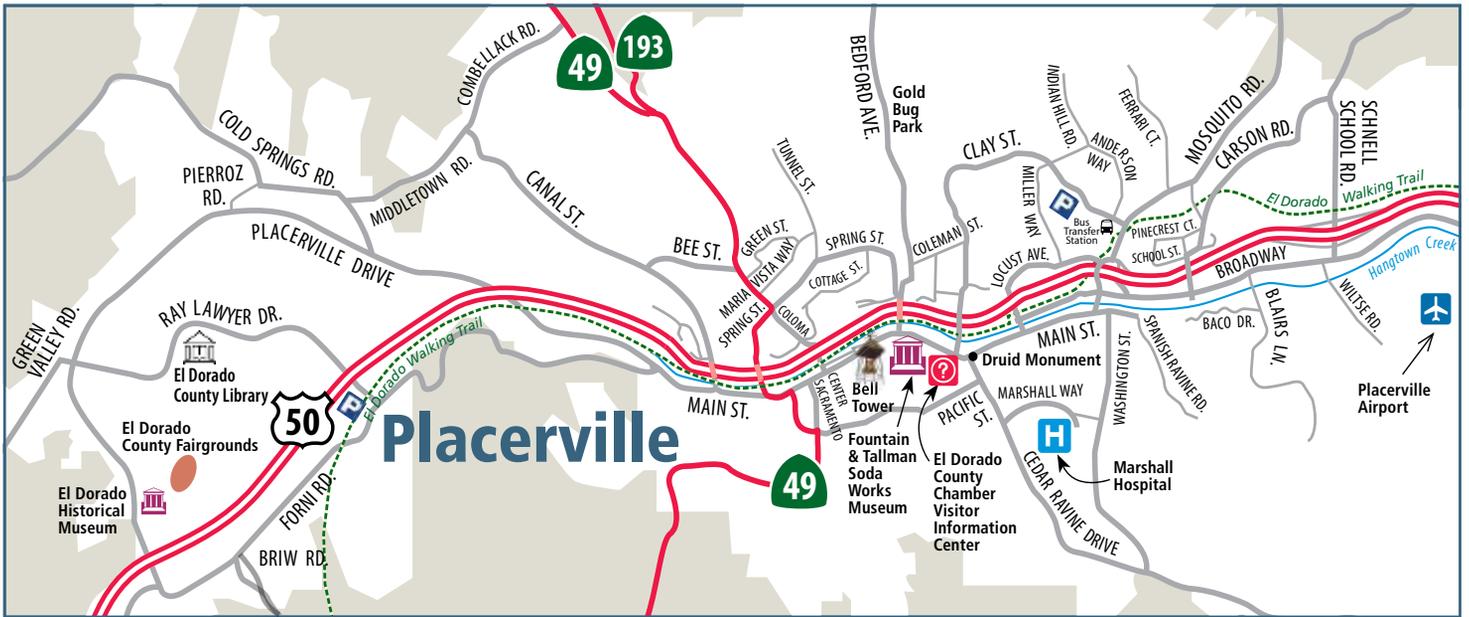
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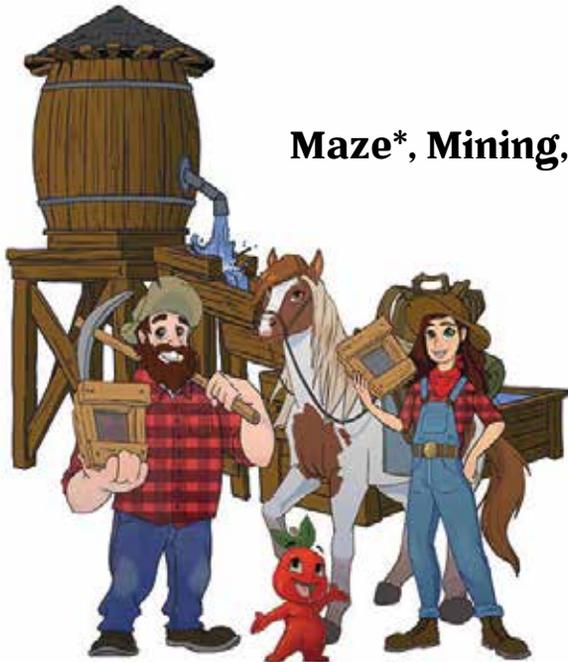
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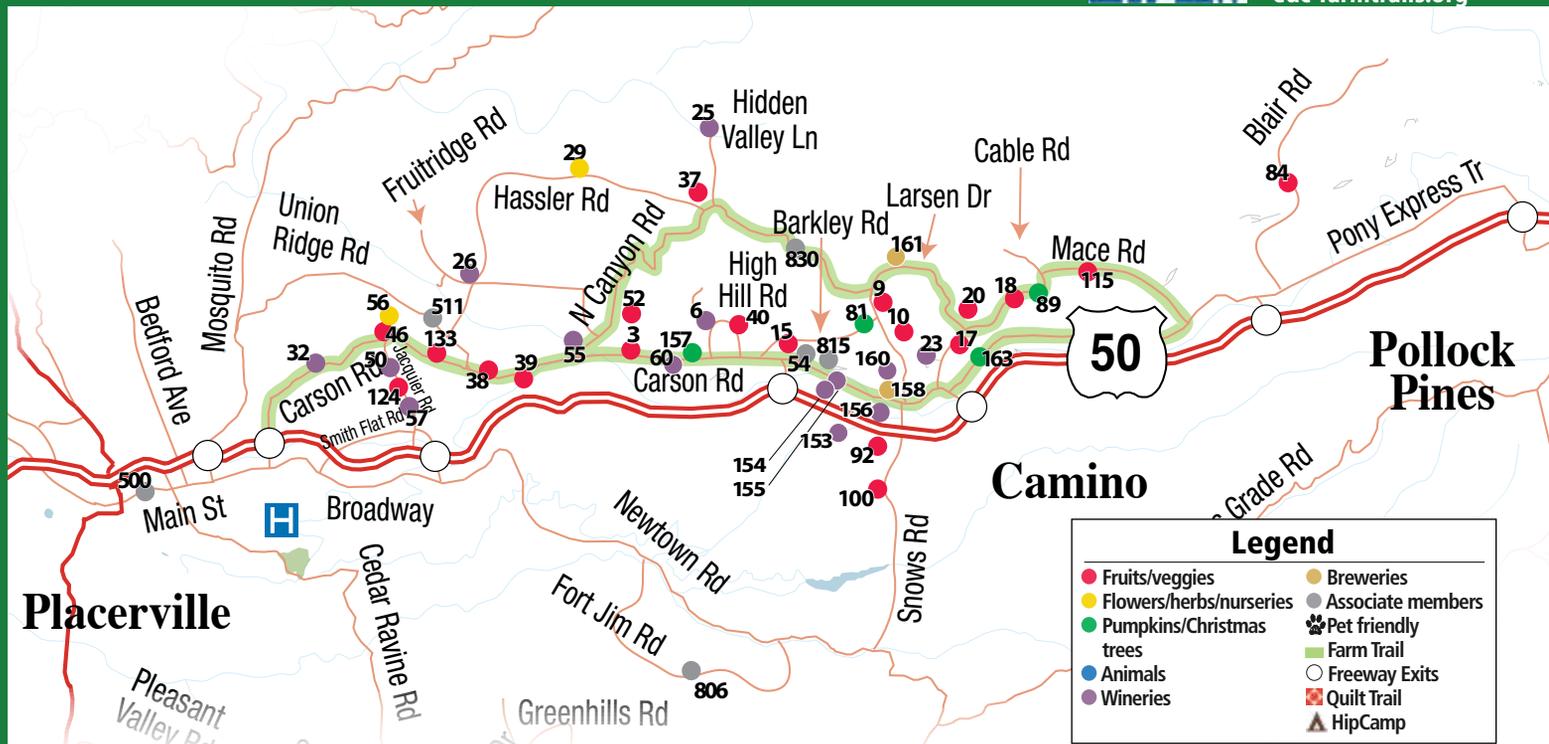
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- **#9 Larsen Apple Barn & Bakeshop** 🐾 🍷
2461 Larsen Dr., Camino. Come and visit the longest family-owned Apple Hill farm. You'll find over 20 varieties of apples along with pears, grapes, dried fruits, juices and more. Our bakery is full of treats! Specialty pies, turnovers, dumplings and much more. Daily lunches available from our deli. Visit the family Museum and park for a special adventure. Park available to rent. Sun-Fri 8-5, Sept 3-Dec 24. 530-644-1415. www.larsenapplebarn.com www.facebook.com/larsenapplebarn
- **#10 Rainbow Orchards** 🐾 🍷
2569 Larsen Rd., Blueberries, blackberries, nectarines, peaches, apples, pears, pumpkins, winter squash. Bake shop. Readers' Choice best donuts and best apple pie. Homemade jams, jellies, syrups, butters. Cider Mill on site. Fresh cider, hard cider, and wine. Tasting on weekends in Sept./Oct./Nov. Picnic and play area with hay bale hop a crooked mile. Open Sept.-Dec. For dates, hours, and availability of product call 530-644-1594, check Rainbow Orchards Facebook or rainboworchards.net or email rainboworch@gmail.com
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- **#17 Grandpa's Cellar** 🐾
2360 Cable Road, Camino. Home of the "Famous Coffee Flights!" Our unique farm setting offers our Bakery and Gift Shop along with a variety of homemade in-house baked items, jams, butters, sauces, syrups, no sugar added alternatives, unique gift items, local honey and Gluten Free options with original recipes. Come to our picturesque apple orchard and enjoy seasonal pastries along with a Coffee Flight under our 100-year-old apple trees. Open Aug 30 to Dec 1st, Fri & Mon 10-4, Sat-Sun 9-4! 530-644-2153. Email: grandpacellar17@gmail.com www.grandpacellar.com
- **#18 O'Halloran's Apple Trail Ranch** 🐾 🍷
2261 Cable Rd., Camino. We offer a variety of activities for the whole family that last from early September through the holidays. We hope you'll stop in for a visit and taste our crisp, juicy apples and tree-ripened pears. We offer U-PICK apples, blackberries, and pumpkins right off the vine! Visit our farm animals. We also have Indian corn and winter squash. And, if you're looking for the perfect Christmas tree, we have seven varieties of quality trees to choose from. Hike through our nature trail, enjoy fresh apple juice or a cold beer, picnic in the orchard. We look forward to seeing you! 530-644-3389. www.ohalloranranch.com
- **#20 Apple Ridge Farms** 🐾
1800 Larsen Drive, Camino. OPEN DAILY! Full menus are available daily in the BBQ and Bakery. The Country Store is filled with jams, jellies, fudge, chocolates, and great gift ideas. Visit the Apple Barn for frozen pies, pastries, apple cider, fresh apples, and Christmas boutique. Families will enjoy gem mining, kid's maze, and nature trail. Flower in full bloom in Sept and Oct for pumpkins. Artisan Crafters every Fri-Sun. U-PICK AVAILABLE. Open daily Aug 23 to Nov 30. 530-647-0613. www.appleridgepies.com

- **#23 Hidden Star Camino**
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- **#25 Wofford Acres Vineyards** 🐾 🍷
1900 Hidden Valley Lane, Camino. Premium wine tasting, beautiful picnic grounds. Hard Apple Cider. Open Sat. & Sun. year round. Call for weekday hours. 530-626-6858. Email: info@wawwines.com www.wawwines.com
- **#26 Lava Cap Winery & Vineyards** 🐾 🍷
2221 Fruitridge Rd., Placerville. Wine tasting room with fabulous views and picnic grounds overlooking the vineyards. Open daily 10-5, except major holidays. 530-621-0175. Email: noreen@lavacap.com www.lavacap.com
- **#29 High Sierra Iris & Wedding Gardens** 🌸
3170 Hassler Rd., Camino. Beautiful garden wedding venue May-October. Iris garden open late April - May. Christmas tree farm opens Thanksgiving weekend. Blue Spruce, Noble Fir and Swift Silver Fir. 530-642-1222. Email: nancyvisman@gmail.com www.weddingsflowers.com
- **#30 Barsotti Family Juice Company**
2239 Hidden Valley Lane, Camino. Freshly pressed juices, lemonades and ciders. Look for our juices at Apple Hill™ ranches and in the produce section of your local supermarket. Wholesale only. 530-622-4629. www.barsottijuice.com
- **#32 Boeger Winery** 🐾 🍷
1709 Carson Rd., Placerville. Wine tasting all year round. Picnic area, blacksmith shop. Open 10-5 daily. 530-622-8094. www.boegerwinery.com
- **#37 Apple Pantry Farm** 🐾 🍷
2310 Hidden Valley Lane, Corner of North Canyon and Hassler Rd. The Apple Pantry Farm has been a family owned farm and bakery since 1984. It is known for award winning pies and local honey from the on-site apiary. The bake shop serves pie by the slice and fresh apple cider. The pie barn has frozen pies to enjoy at home. The quiet picnic area is the perfect place to relax and enjoy the beauty of the season. Open Aug 23 thru Dec 14 Thu-Sun 10-5. (530) 391-4111 Applepantryfarm.com theapplepantryfarm@gmail.com
- **#38 Abel's Apple Acres** 🐾 🍷
2345 Carson Rd., Placerville. Apples, Cider, Bake Shop, Fudge, Caramel Apples, Café, Gift Store, Craft Faire, Horse/Pony Rides, Hay Maze, Pond Area. Open Labor Day Weekend to Christmas Eve. Fall hours: 8:30am-5:30pm, Winter hours: 8:30am-5pm, Christmas Eve hours: 9am-noon. 530-626-0138. Email: info@abelsappleacres.com www.abelsappleacres.com
- **#39 Goldbud Farms**
2501 Carson Rd., Placerville. Open July 1 - Dec. 20. Peaches, nectarines, plums, pluots, pears, apples & grapes. 530-626-6521. Email: info@golddbudfarms.com www.golddbudfarms.com
- **#40 Fudge Factory Farm** 🐾 🍷
2860 High Hill Rd., Placerville. We have lots of candy including homemade chocolates. Fudge tasting. Organic Apples, Raspberries, Blueberries, Blackberries. Apple, Raspberry and Blackberry wines. 27 different kinds of candy coated apples, fresh pies and baked goods. Choose and cut Christmas trees. Picnic area and child play area. Open Sept. - Mid December. 530-644-3492. www.fudgefactoryfarm.com
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Carson Rd., Placerville. Experience the taste and health benefits of our Estate Grown Olive Oil! Our oil has been Certified Organic (CCOF). We are proud members of Apple Hill Growers, bringing you the finest from the Sierra Foothills! 530-417-1942. Email: heirloom586@gmail.com

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● #50 Fenton Herriott Vineyards 🐾

120 Jacquier Ct., Placerville. Fenton Herriott Vineyards is located in the Sierra Nevada foothills at the gateway to Apple Hill Growers and is situated on what was once the old Pony Express Route. As a family-owned winery, Fenton Herriott is intimately involved in every part of the vintner process - vineyard and vine maintenance, grape crush, fermentation, barrel ageing, bottling, and packaging. To provide a broader selection of wines to our customers, we supplement our harvest with other hand selected grapes grown from quality vineyards here in the El Dorado foothills. All of our wines are being made "by hand", which is both a time consuming and an exacting task, yet truly something we love to do. We are confident that you will love the wines as much as we do. Open Thursday-Sunday 11-5. 530-642-2021. www.fentonherriott.com

● #52 El Dorado Orchards

2888 North Canyon Rd., Camino. Eldorado Orchards annual harvest fair begins the third weekend in September and continues through the weekend after Thanksgiving. A great place to spend the day with your family enjoying crafts, fruit and pastries, great food, picnic area and the Apple Ridge Express train. A family favorite for 46 years. The weekend after Thanksgiving we open our choose and cut Christmas tree lot with beautiful Noble and Nordman firs and handmade wreaths. 530-622-5522. www.eldoradoorchards.com

● #54 Lake and Wood

2010 Lake and Wood Dr., Placerville. Create unforgettable family traditions at our scenic 50 acre lake. Gather for celebrations, enjoy the elevated area experience with craft food, drinks and activities for the whole family. 760-350-2165. Email: jen@walkerlandcompany.com lakeandwood@gmail.com www.thelakeandwood.com

● #55 Lewis Grace Winery 🐾

2701 Carson Rd., Placerville. Located on a scenic historic ranch that includes a landmark red barn and restored 1885 ranch house. Guests are invited to savor full-bodied reds in a dramatic vineyard setting. Open Daily, 11-5. 530-642-8424. Email: gracepatriotwines@gmail.com www.lewisgracewinery.com

● #56 Bluestone Meadows 🐾

2025 Carson Rd., Placerville. Bluestone Meadow is a lavender and wedding venue providing a unique setting for your special day. Our Lavender Farm provides U-pick opportunities, craft making and lavender products. Open last two weekends in June for our Lavender Festival. Make reservations on our website. Open June 19, 20, 26, 27, 10am-4pm. 530-621-1830. www.bluestonemeadow.com

● #57 Starfield Vineyards

2750 Jacquier Rd., Placerville. At Starfield we believe great wines come from "Star Fields" — vineyards where grapes develop the optimal balance of aroma, flavor and texture. Our Sierra Foothills estate is such a site. The tasting room overlooks historic Smith Flat, just off Exit 49 from Hwy 50, and offers stunning views, nature trails, amphitheater, lake & pavilion, two ponds, rose arbor and acres of rhododendrons, dogwoods, daffodils, wild roses, aspen, maples and more! 530-748-3085. www.starfieldvineyards.com www.facebook.com/StarfieldVineyards

● #60 Rucksack Cellars 🐾

3030 Carson Rd., Placerville. Comfortable and worn, a rucksack embodies our desire to discover life away from the ordinary. It is with this same spirit of discovery that we produce our wines, each an expression of the varied climate and soils of the Sierra Foothills appellation. Open May-Dec Thur/Sun 11-5. Check website for additional hours. 530-647-2113. www.rucksackcellars.com

● #81 Madrone Tree Hill 🐾

2600 Barkley Rd., Camino. Family owned since the 1960's, Madrone Tree Hill is a 40 acre tree farm with some of the tallest Christmas Trees around. Wander our forest, and choose & cut your perfect tree; or simply pick one of the trees we have pre-cut for your choosing. Hike our miles of trails, get lost in the Black Forest or simply relax by the campfire. Planning an event, choose from on our nature venues. Visit our website for more information. 916-933-9680. www.madronetreehill.com

● #84 Harris Family Farm 🐾

2640 Blair Rd., Pollock Pines. Visit our historic peaceful farm. U-pick blueberries and blackberries July-August. U-pick apples starting in Sept. U-pick pumpkins in Oct. Our Pie shop offers mini apple cider donuts, pies & turnovers, jams, fruits & vegetables, fresh eggs, Picnic area, nature trail, kids activities. Choose and Cut Christmas trees, wreaths. Camping April-Oct. through Hipcamp.com. Check our website for events. Farm is open June-Dec 24 Thurs-Sun 9-4:30 & Monday Holidays. 530-644-2194. www.harristreefarm.com

● #89 Crystal Creek Tree Farm 🐾

2019 Cable Rd., Camino. Eight varieties of trees. Freshly made wreaths. Wooded setting with picnic area. Open Saturday, November 22 until sold out. Open daily 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Closed Thanksgiving Day. Visit our website for more information or call 530-417-6097 or 530-417-6096 caminotrees.com

● #92 Generation Ranch

3600 US HWY 50, Camino. Generation Ranch is a family owned and operated farm offering Christmas Trees (heritage, fresh cut, choose and cut), freshly made wreaths, pony rides, cattle, chickens, heirloom/non-GMO pumpkin patch, fresh flowers, and seasonal vegetables. Our ranch has hiking trails, and stunning outdoor event spaces for weddings and non-profit events; very limited availability for events. Reservations required off-season. Check Facebook, Instagram, and Google for up to date seasonal hours. 530-647-1568, or email generationranchcamino@gmail.com www.generation-ranch.com

● #100 Rainbow Camino Ridge 🐾

3010 Snows Rd., Camino. Snows Rd. at Fuji Court. You-Pick or We Pick blueberries. Open weekends mid-June to Mid-July. For days and hours open, availability of berries, and special events, check Rainbow Orchards facebook or www.rainboworchards.net, call 530-644-1594, or email rainboworch@gmail.com

● #115 Hangtown Kid Apple Orchard 🐾

2598 Mace Rd., Camino. U-Pick apples, pears & persimmons. Call for ripening dates. Also, chestnuts, honey. Call for ripening dates. Thurs - Sun, 10-5, mid-Sept to Thanksgiving. Call for M-W hours. Daily Nov. 24 thru Dec. 10 530-647-1810. www.hangtownkid.com

● #124 24 Carrot Farm

2731 Jacquier Rd., Placerville. We grow organic fruits and vegetables on 13 acres in the Apple Hill™ grower area. We are actively restoring the land and operating with passion and ethics. Come visit our farm stand, pumpkin patch, u-pick apple orchard, sign up for our CSA or send us a message! May-Aug. Thu-Fri. 2-7pm; Sat-Sun 10am-5pm; Sept-Nov Daily 10am-5pm. 530-391-8582. www.facebook.com/24carrot

● #133 Smokey Ridge Farmstand & Winery 🐾

2160 Carson Rd., Placerville. Tree ripened apples, chestnuts, U-pick apples & flowers; gourmet preserves, wine. Event and wedding rental available. Open May-Aug, Sat-Sun 11am-5pm. Sept-Nov, Fri, Sat, Sun 9am-5pm. 530-626-5077. www.smokeyridgeranch.com

● #153 Chateau Davell Winery 🐾

3020 Vista Tierra Dr., Camino. Chateau Davell is a family-run boutique winery, vineyard and farm. We focus on healthy farming and grow pumpkins, vegetables, heirloom tomatoes and also offer a picnic area. Our cozy tasting room in Camino is open daily 11-5. 530-644-2016. www.chateaudavell.com

● #154 diVittorio Winery 🐾

3500 Carson Rd., Wine Plaza, Camino. A family-owned business, Al & Sally are the winemakers and all the grapes are locally grown in El Dorado County. Try our great Ports and fine red wines. 530-621-2166 Fax: 530-626-8941. www.divittoriowinery.com

● #155 Findleton Estate Winery 🐾

3500 Carson Rd., Camino. Open 7 days a week 11-5 year round at Carson Road exit in Camino. Gold medal wines, original artwork, barrel tasting, picnic area, and summer music events. Tasting room: 530-644-4018. Office: 530-644-0714. www.finziwinery.com

● #156 Bumgarner Camino Wine Tasting Room

3550 Carson Rd., #B, Camino. Visit Bumgarner Winery's Camino tasting room to experience our exquisite selection of award winning wines including world class white wines, big, bold, and beautiful red wines and artisanal hard ciders. Conveniently located just off Carson Rd., open daily 11-5 pm for tasting, by the glass, bottle service, and seasonal events. 530-303-3418. www.BumgarnerWinery.com

● #157 Carson Ridge Evergreens 🐾

3041 Carson Rd., Placerville. Choose & Cut Christmas trees, wreaths & greenery. Open day - Saturday before Thanksgiving until sold out. 9am - dark. 530-644-1490. Email: carsonridge@hotmail.com www.carsonridgeevergreens.net

● #158 Hwy 50 Brewery 🐾

3544 Carson Rd., Ste 20, Camino. A family - friendly brew pub experience featuring craft beers, pizza and housemade foods. Come enjoy the firepits and beautiful views from our dog-friendly patio. OPEN 7 Days a Week, 12 - 8pm; Christmas Eve: 12 - 4pm, Christmas Day: Closed; New Year's Eve & New Year's Day: 12 - 8pm. 530-556-5060. www.hwy50brewery.com

● #160 Crystal Basin Cellars 🐾

3500 Carson Rd., Camino. Crystal Basin Cellars creates award-winning, flavorful wines exclusively from El Dorado County grapes. Our hospitality is unmatched. We're simply the most fun winery anywhere! Open 7 days at 11am. 530-647-1767. Email: sales@crystalbasin.com www.crystalbasin.com

● #161 Jack Russell Farm Brewery 🐾

2380 Larsen Dr., Camino. This destination brewery features a tasting room with a variety of beer, cider, mead, and wine. Visitors are greeted by an open beer garden patio and picnic grounds overlooking the farm. The perfect setting for bringing the whole crew (Fido too), to enjoy the fresh country air and picturesque scenery, or to host an event! Check out our website for more information! M-F 11am to dusk and Sat-Sun 10am to dusk 530-647-6222. <http://jackrussellbrewery.com>

● #163 Smarts Christmas Tree Farm, Inc. 🐾

4401 Pony Express Trail, Camino. Choose & Cut Christmas trees - open day after Thanksgiving till sold out. 14 acres of Silver Tip, White Fir, Noble Fir, & Douglas Fir. Cash and credit cards accepted. Please see our facebook page for hours of operation. 530-401-4019. www.facebook.com/SmartsChristmasTrees

● #500 Main Street Farmers Market

574 Main St., Placerville. A quaint certified farmers' market specializing in local produce and goodies. Every wed. evening 4 to 8ish June thru October. <http://www.edc-farmtrails.org/farmers-markets> www.facebook.com/edcfarmersmarket

● #511 Ponderosa Ridge a Bed & Breakfast 🐾

2360 Union Ridge Rd., Placerville. A delightful Bed & Breakfast nestled on 11 acres, with an apple orchard guests only can pick. Outside firepit, dining table and fireplace. Every room has their own private bath. 530-344-9220. www.ponderosaridgebnb.com

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● #830 North Canyon Inn Bed & Breakfast 🐾

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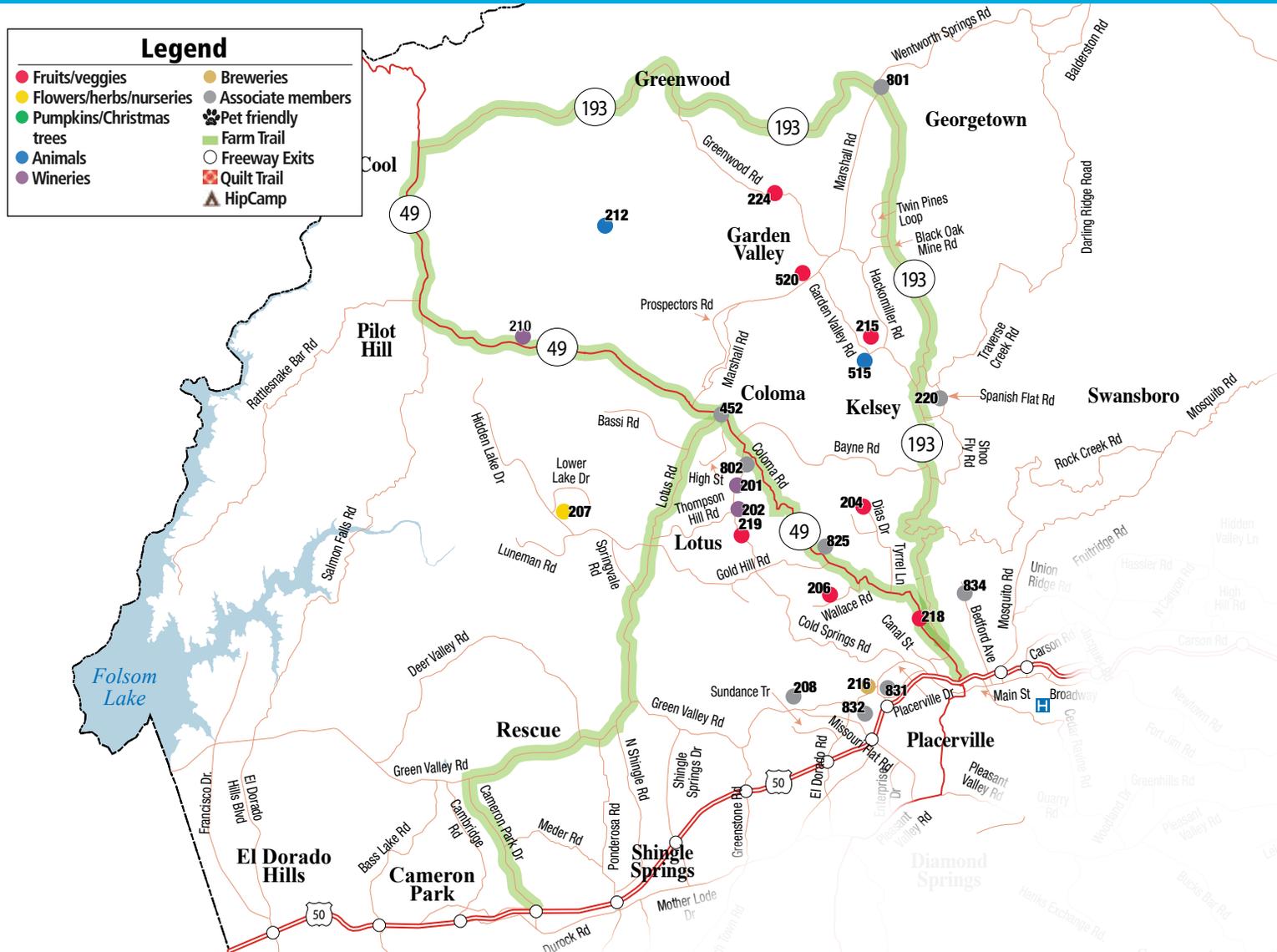
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NORTH/WEST EL DORADO COUNTY



FARM TRAIL LISTINGS

Legend	
● Fruits/veggies	● Breweries
● Flowers/herbs/nurseries	● Associate members
● Pumpkins/Christmas trees	🐾 Pet friendly
● Animals	🌿 Farm Trail
● Wineries	○ Freeway Exits
	🏠 Quilt Trail
	🏕️ HipCamp



- **#201 Gold Hill Vineyard & Brewery**
5660 Vineyard Lane, Placerville. Wine & beer tasting. Chardonnay, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Syrah, Barbera, Zinfandel, Viognier. Picnics, weddings, parties. Spectacular views. Year round, Thurs.-Sun., 10-5. 530-626-6522. www.goldhillvineyard.com
- **#202 David Girard Vineyards**
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- **#203 Yellow Button Bakery**
Shingle Springs. Full service dedicated gluten free bakery. We make cakes, cookies, breakfast treats, loaf breads. Look for us at local farmers' market. 530-644-1800. Email: yellowbuttonbakery@gmail.com
- **#204 American River Cherry Co.**
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EL DORADO COUNTY FARM TRAILS

FARM TRAIL LISTINGS

● #219 Wakamatsu Farm

941 Cold Springs Rd., Placerville. Owned by the American River Conservancy (ARC), Wakamatsu is an historic farm still in production. This 272-acre farm offers sustainable agricultural practices, cultural and historical interpretation, land stewardship, and educational and recreational opportunities. The 1st Japanese colony in the USA settled here in 1869 to grow tea and silk worms. ARC leases acreage to resident farmers who sell products onsite. Contact ARC for program schedules. 530-621-1224. ARConservancy.org/wakamatsu and ARConservancy.org/events www.facebook.com/WakamatsuFarm

● #220 Reverie Retreat 🐾

5760 Spanish Flat Rd., Garden Valley. Reconnect, restore, and rejuvenate at Reverie Retreat. The 32-acre property features a vanishing-edge pool with spectacular sunset views, and three dog-friendly cabins with private outdoor soaking tubs. 530-344-0439. www.reverieretreat.com www.facebook.com/ReverieRetreat.CA

● #224 Jollity Farm Goat Dairy

5314 Marigold Mine Way, Garden Valley. Jollity Farm Goat Dairy is the only licensed dairy in El Dorado County. We milk the goats; we make the cheese, right here on the farm. Chevre, Garlic Dill, Goat's Milk Feta, Raw Milk Cheeses and Goata (goat's milk gouda). You are welcome to stop by the farm to visit the goats, feed them, watch milking, taste and purchase cheese, soaps and lotions at our "Tiny Store". We have picnic tables & seating if you can't wait to get your cheese home. We offer Farm tours by appointment. Baby-goat bottle feeding events in the spring only, by appointment. Call us to schedule private events. Open 9am-5pm daily. 530-444-0805. www.jollityfarm.net

● #501 Perez Farms

1160 Gold Hill Court, Placerville. Find me at all El Dorado County Farmers Markets. 530-306-6812.

● #515 Irish Creek Ranch Camp & Retreat

5900 Garden Valley Rd., Garden Valley. HISTORICAL HOMESITE- Family owned since 1919. Cherries, peaches, apples, olives, garden vegetables and pumpkins available in season. 55 acres of natural park like setting with seasonal stream and pond. 916-799-1001. Email: irishcreekranch@gmail.com

● #520 Rustic Dream Farmstead

5170 Marshall Rd., Garden Valley. A bit of heaven at Marshall Rd./Veerkamp Rd. Farm includes U-pick blueberries, thornless blackberries, and raspberries as well as a variety of fruit trees. Farmstand - The Bluebarn. Call or text for hours. 530-558-1058 elizabethriseman@yahoo.com

● #801 American River Inn 🐾

6600 Orleans St., Georgetown. Located conveniently between Sacramento and Lake Tahoe. 13,000 square foot historic Victorian Mansion/B&B. Featuring elegant gardens, celebrated artwork, gorgeous Victorian decor. Hot Tub, fantastic breakfasts, evening social hour, & nature trails too. 530-333-4499. www.americanriverinn.com

● #802 Bella Vista Bed & Breakfast

581 Cold Springs Rd., Placerville. A luxurious hillside estate overlooking the Coloma/Lotus Valley and American River. 5 acres of ponds, streams, waterfalls, fountains, swimming lagoon and beach. Perfect wedding venue. 530-622-3456 or 530-919-4777. Email: kathleen@discoverbellavista.com. www.DiscoverBellaVista.com

● #831 Something MORE Artists Gallery 🐾 🏠

399 Placerville Dr., Placerville. MORE is a private non-profit whose vision is full inclusion for people with developmental disabilities. We have the full range of services and believe in joining other community partners to make this county a better place to live, work and recreate. 530-622-4848. www.more rehab.org

● #832 EDC Farm Bureau 🐾 🏠

2460 Headington Rd., Placerville. The El Dorado County Farm Bureau is a membership organization. Our mission is to "protect, promote and enhance the economic opportunities and long-term viability for El Dorado County farmers, ranchers, and foresters." Open Monday 10-4, or call for appointment. 530-622-7773. www.edcfb.com Email: admin@edcfb.com

● #834 Gold Bug Park and Mine 🏠

2635 Gold Bug Lane, Placerville. A historic mine in Placerville since 1848, owned by the City of Placerville. The park offers mine tours and gem panning. The Blacksmith Shop, Stamp Mill, Gift Shop and Museum as well as the Gold Bug Mine, are visited by thousands of visitors annually. Gold Bug Park and Mine is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and the California Point of Historic Interest. 530-642-5207. www.goldbugpark.org

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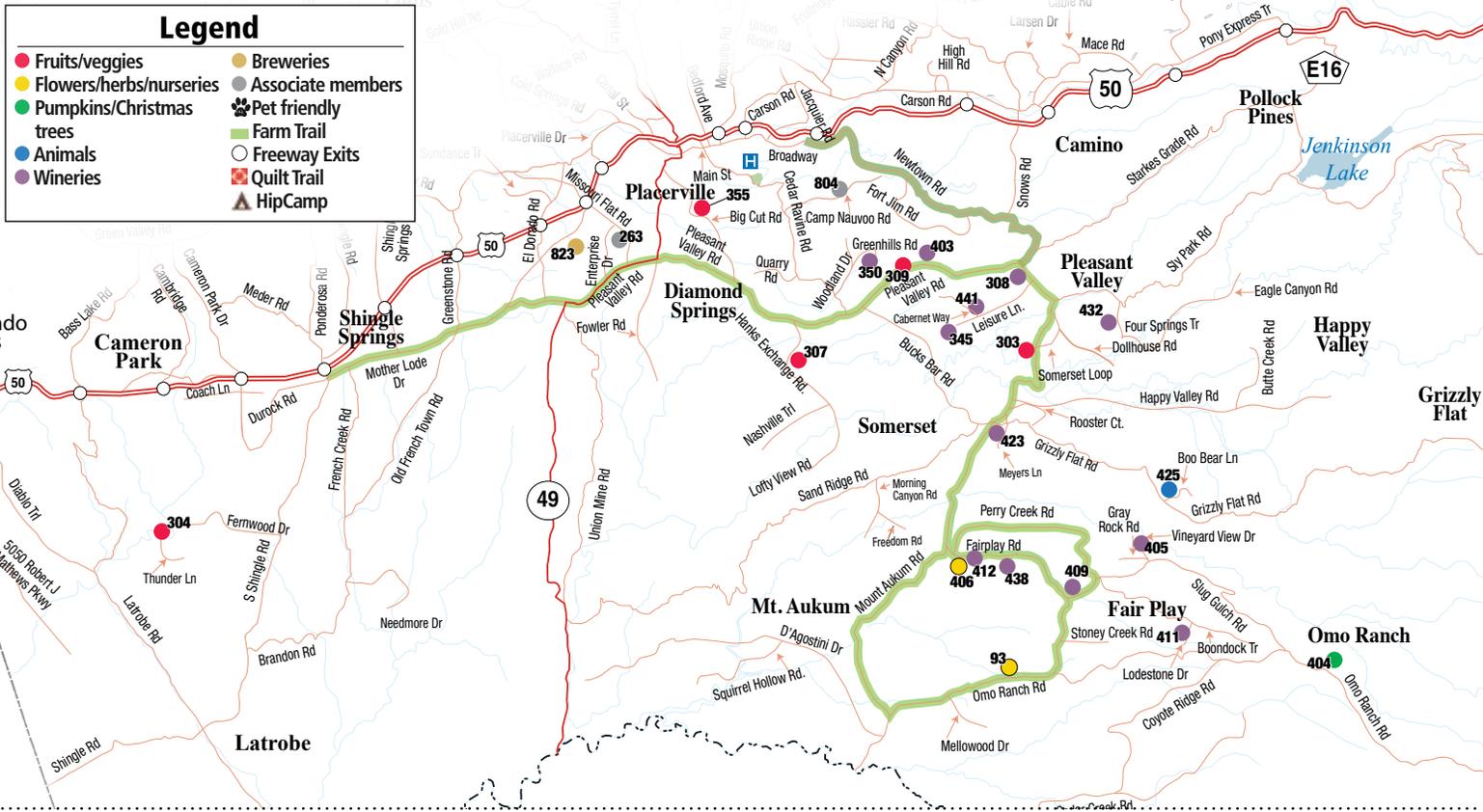
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Legend

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● #93 Windmill Creek Olive Oil 🐾

Tasting Room: 2981 Omo Ranch Road, Mount Aukum. Come visit at the ranch for tasting and sales from locally grown olives, specialty foods and gifts. Open by appointment. 530-620-1089. www.windmillcreek@aol.com. www.windmillcreek.biz

● #263 Placerville Fruit Growers, Inc.

Vineyard and orchard supplies, large or small. Please call and get personal assistance for your questions. Fertilizers, pesticides, tools, trellising. Organics and conventional products available. Public welcome! Open weekdays 8:30-5, Sat. 9-1. 530-622-2643. www.placervillefruitgrowers.com

● #301 Goldenwood Bee Co.

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● #303 Up Country Ranch 🐾

5220 Mt. Aukum Rd., (E16), Placerville. O'Henry Peaches, Elephant Heart Plums, late Aug. to early Sept. Montmorency Cherries, mid June. Call or write for all dates, 530-409-6843 or upcountry1peaches.com beggogess@gmail.com

● #304 Bella Branch at SE Ranch

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● #307 Historic Fausel Ranch

4881 Hanks Exchange at Squaw Creek, Placerville. Freestone peaches, July-Sept. Beautiful outdoor wedding and reception venue. See our gazebo beside the creek. Call first. 530-622-4390. <https://www.facebook.com/fauselranchplacerville>

● #308 Narrow Gate Vineyards 🐾

4282 Pleasant Valley Rd., Placerville. Demeter certified Biodynamic® Estate vineyard and tasting cellar. Luscious whites, Rhone varietals/blends, Primitivo, Cabernet Sauvignon & home to Chocolate Splash! Friday/Saturday 11-5, Sunday 12-5, Some Monday Holidays, check our website for updates. 530-644-6201. www.narrowgatevineyards.com

● #309 J K Cattle

3482 Pleasant Valley Rd., Placerville. JK Cattle is a small family run beef cow/calf operation specializing in grass fed and grass finished beef. 650-743-6846. josh.jkcattle@gmail.com www.facebook.com/josh.jkcattle

● #345 Holly's Hill Vineyards 🐾

3680 Leisure Lane, Placerville. Come enjoy Rhone varietals in a serene retreat in the foothills of the Sierra Nevadas while overlooking the Consumnes River canyons. Open daily, 10-5. 530-344-0227. www.hollyshill.com

● #350 Field Number Fifteen 🐾

4771 Green Hills Rd., Placerville. Field Number Fifteen is a winery and vineyard that grows organic Chardonnay, Zinfandel, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Barbera. 530-536-0621. www.fieldnumberfifteen.com

● #355 Full Moon Farm

3580 Big Cut Road, Placerville. Certified organic and biodynamic fruits and vegetables produced on a small family farm in the heart of Placerville. Find us at local farmer's markets. 916-580-9379. organicpanic@gmail.com

● #403 Windrush Vineyard

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● #405 Bumgarner Winery & Vineyards

7380 Vineyard View Dr., Fair Play. 888-946-3286. www.bumgarnerwinery.com

● #406 Bluebird Haven Ranch and Iris Garden

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● #409 Cielo Sulla Terra Estate Vineyards and Winery

8061 Perry Creek Rd., Fair Play. Our boutique winery specializes in small lots of ultra premium bordeaux and Italian varietals. Enjoy our gift shop & picnic area with views of the Sierras. Open Fri.-Sun. 11 - 5. 530-620-7474. Email: info@iversonwinery.com. www.iversonwinery.com

● #411 Twin Oaks Vineyard

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● #412 Shadow Ranch Vineyard 🐾

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FARM TRAIL LISTINGS

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● #432 Miraflores Winery/Alvarez Vineyards

2120 Four Springs Trail, Placerville. Enjoy handcrafted wines of distinction in an area of gracious surroundings and natural beauty. Open daily, 11-5. Private events/tours by appointment. 530-647-8505. Email: ashlee@mirafloreswinery.com www.mirafloreswinery.com

● #438 Gwinllan Estate Call first before bringing dog.

7060 Fairplay Rd., Placerville. Family owned and operated producing award winning wines. Zinfandel, Rhone blend, Chardonnay, Riesling, Muscat, Petite Sirah, Cabernet Sauvignon. Ridgetop views, picnic area. Events include dinners, wine tasting. 530-723-2879. www.gwinllanestate.com

● #441 Sierra Vista Vineyards & Winery

4560 Cabernet Way, Placerville. Sierra Vista Winery is named for the magnificent view of the Crystal Range of the Sierra Nevada and has been producing distinctive wines from estate grown grapes since 1977. The estate produces outstanding Cabernet Sauvignon, Chardonnay, Merlot, Syrah, Grenache, Mourvedre, Viognier, and Roussanne. We pride ourselves on our friendly atmosphere, great wines, and spectacular views! Open 7 days a week, check our website for hours. www.sierravistawinery.com Email: rhone@sierravistawinery.com

● #804 Camp Nauvoo

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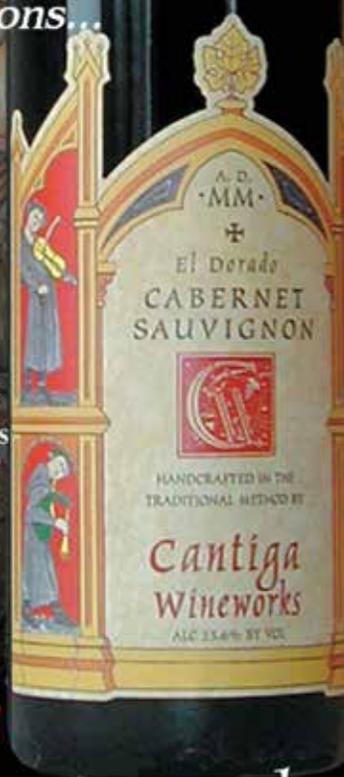
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July – October

NECTARINES



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July – October

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July – October

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August – November

PEARS



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July – November

ASIAN PEARS



MANY VARIETIES
August – November

Find the Farm, Taste the Farm, Love the Farm



By Mike Owen, El Dorado County Farm Trails President

El Dorado County has always lived close to its land. Our residents are emotionally tied to our rural nature, scenic vistas and the infinite variation of each of the 5 climate zones in our county. We love to share the bounties of our beautiful area. Our region's popular focus on eating (and drinking) local is a perfect metaphor for a starting point to drive support for our local food-producing industry. You are invited to use this guide to find pathways to Meet, Greet and Thank our Farmers!

In an era of mega-farms and consolidation of food producers, there are valid concerns about food additives that are potentially harmful. A timely and real solution for sourcing healthy food is directly at hand in our county – support for the local farm community that works their land to provide hand-curated food for local consumption. For those concerned about our environment, eating local means less energy consumption to bring the food to market. Small and often organic farms have an intentionally light footprint on the land.

Trust me, there is magic in the combination of soil, water, sunlight, care and plant material that bring life-

sustaining food to our tables. You and your family will reap the rewards at both body and soul levels.

Our small farms are underappreciated and endangered assets to be treasured as pressure to convert land to housing increases in our region. Land holding costs are not insignificant and intergenerational transfers of land are economically challenging. There is also no promise that the drive and focus of a farming generation be shared by the following generation.

Farm stands and farmers markets are places where the effort to grow healthy produce meets consumer demand. There are a host of these opportunities in El Dorado County that are highlighted in this guide. Farm visits and You-Pick options allow the food sourcing experience to be 'experiential', creating deep connections with consumers and unforgettable family memories. We encourage you: Get out and Touch Your Food!



FARMER'S MARKETS IN EL DORADO COUNTY

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8am - 12pm



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8am – 1pm



Through a partnership with the Berkeley Ecology Center some of our local farmers' markets are able to accept EBT/CalFresh and match your EBT/CalFresh money dollar for dollar allowing you to buy more fresh local produce. Look for the market match symbol to see which markets offer this service.

Visit

Quilt Trail Project



January 2025 marks the 10th anniversary of EDC-FTA Quilt Trail Project's beginning, or being "On the Road with the Quilt Trail Project", as the members fondly say. There are 26 Americana works of art, AKA barn quilt blocks, dotting El Dorado County. The "Trail" continues to grow and is seen as a boon to agri-tourism, Ranch Marketing, Primitive art and community accomplishment.



Every barn quilt block tells a story that's unique to the location. As you cruise the "Trail", placards below the art explains the particular meaning and design...always an education and bit of discovery.

For 10 years, barn quilt enthusiasts have planned adventures, visiting this region to partake in the barn quilt movement. It's amazing to think of the coast-to-coast connection that was sparked in America in 2001 in Ohio, along with the fact that the EDC-FTA Quilt Trail Project is part of a national map.

The Quilt Trail Project extends the invitation to learn more, to attend a barn quilt paint party and/or to install your very own design in any given corner of El Dorado County.

Visit edc-farmtrails.org/quilt-trail-project for information and a map



Get a map at www.EDC-FarmTrails.org/quilt-trail-project

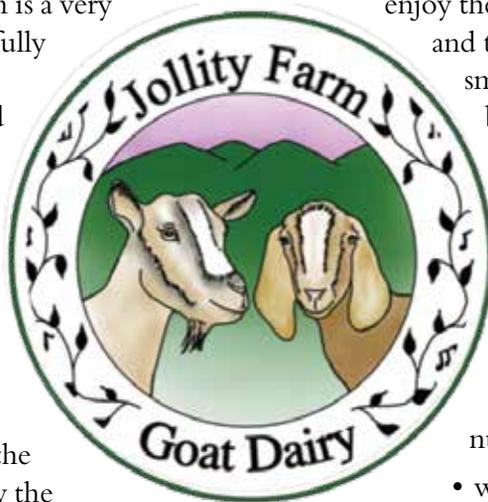
Know your Farmer, Know your Food



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- We are open to the public!



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Thank you.”





El Dorado County Farm Trails U-Pick Family Adventures....

Many of our farms in El Dorado County offer u-pick opportunities for customers. Beginning in May and June cherries are ripe; in June berries begin to ripen along with lavender; vegetables and flowers are available all summer; Fall brings apples, grapes, and pumpkins; the day after Thanksgiving starts off the Choose and Cut Christmas tree farms opening. **Call ahead to see availability and opening times at each farm.**

spring May-June

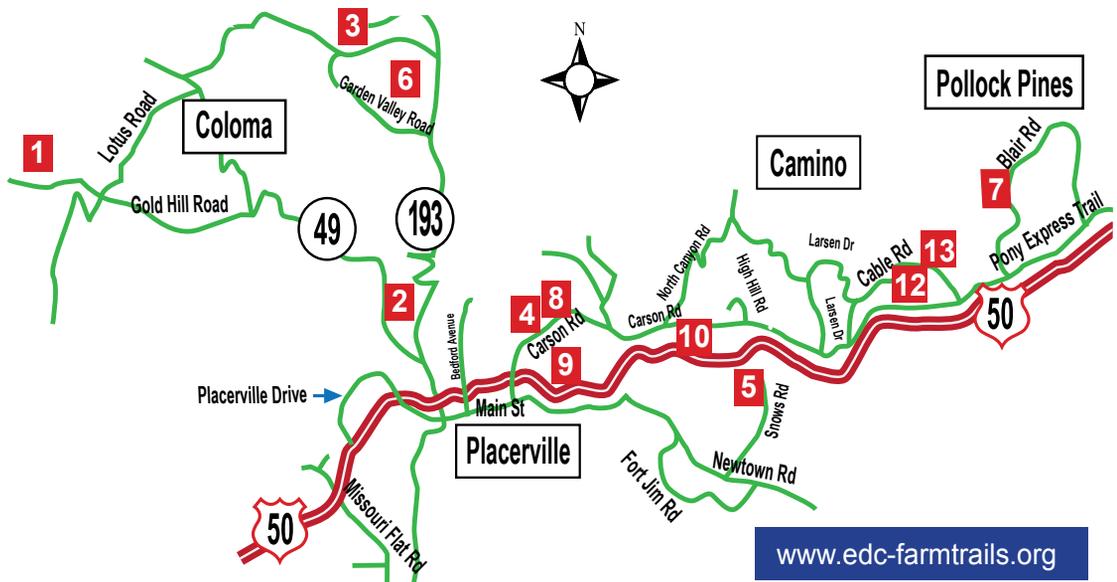
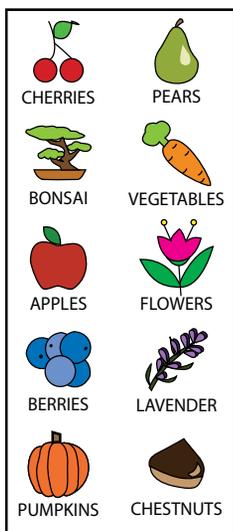
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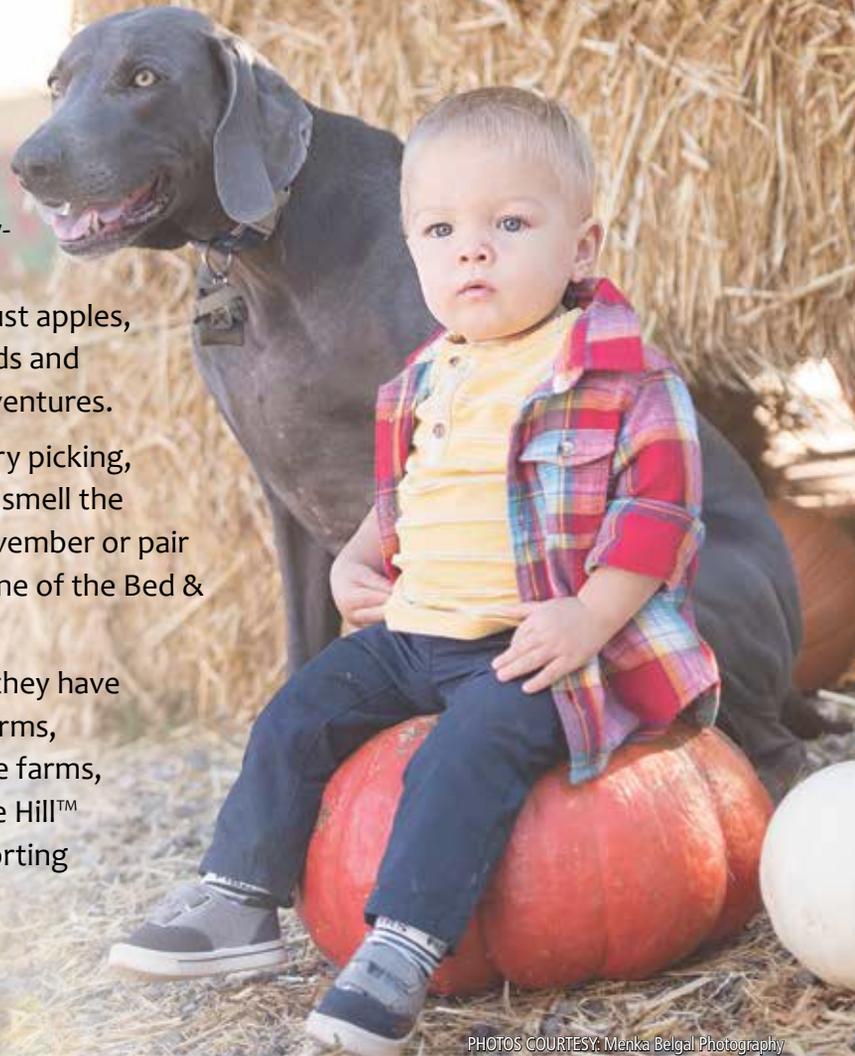
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Spring & Summer is the perfect time for berry picking, choosing farm fresh produce, and stopping to smell the flowers. The Christmas Tree Farms open in November or pair your wine experience with overnight stay at one of the Bed & Breakfast Inns any time of year.

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WHERE TO FIND FALL COLORS AROUND EL DORADO COUNTY

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Leaf peepers, social media rock stars, and anyone looking for Mother Nature's annual show of colors will find that in spades in and around El Dorado County during the autumn, where the trees explode in color from late September through early December.

Those looking for the first colors of the season should head to the Carson Pass, Hope Valley and Monitor Pass regions, accessible via state highways 88 and 89. Here, expansive hillsides of quaking aspen flame brilliant gold, with occasional hints of orange. The dark blue high-elevation skies, craggy snow-dusted peaks, and greenish-black conifers are a dramatic contrast – and ensure your Instagram photos will pop!

The high country doesn't have all the fun. Fall colors are everywhere at lower altitudes, too. The native black oak, found throughout the Sierra Nevada foothills between elevations of about 1,000 and 5,000 feet, boasts leaves that turn a brilliant gold. If you happen to be traveling on Highway 50 through Placerville in El Dorado County, you will also see fiery-red pistache trees.

Here are a few of our favorite places to spot fall at its best:

Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park –

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Recreational Gold Panning - Gold panning is allowed during park hours on the east side of the river across Mount Murphy Bridge. Hands and Pans only! No other mining equipment is allowed to protect historic resources in the park. Park visitors need to provide their own pan from home, or pans can be purchased in the Marshall Gold Mercantile in the museum building.

Gold Bug Park & Mine

Gem Panning - Gem panning is a fun alternative to traditional gold panning. Gem panning is often more fun for kids because the gems stand out more than tiny gold flakes! Everyone loves the chance to pan for gems and as in the old days, some get lucky! Panning at the trough is available for \$5.00 for an hour which includes rental of pans.



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WINE COUNTRY IN EL DORADO COUNTY

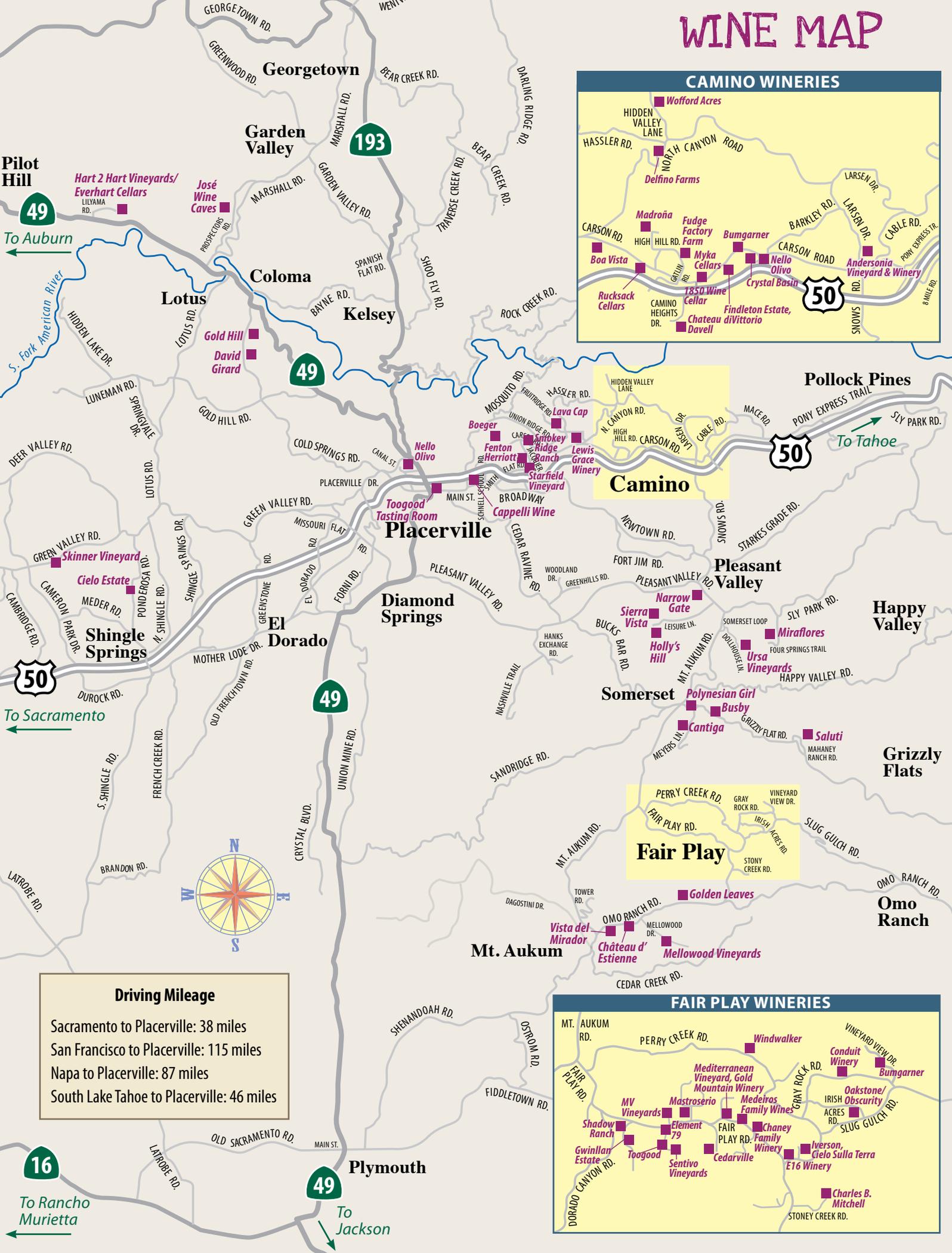
EL DORADO WINE TRAILS

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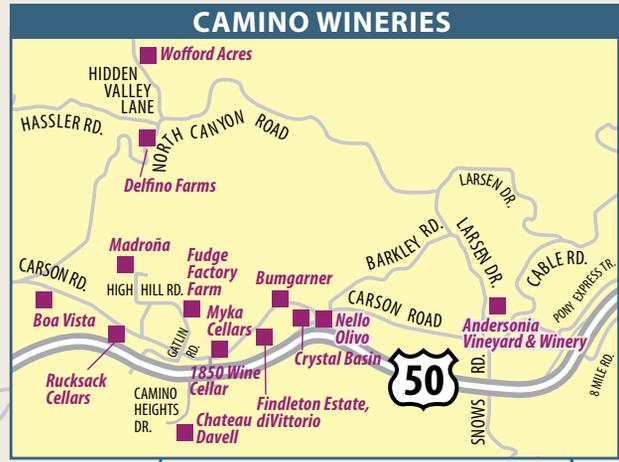


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WINE MAP



CAMINO WINERIES



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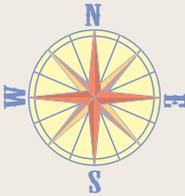
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Fri - Sun 11 - 5

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fentonherriott.com
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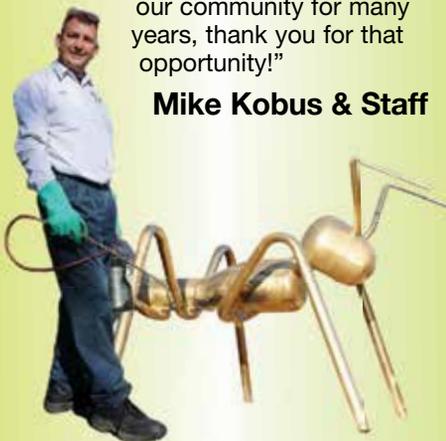
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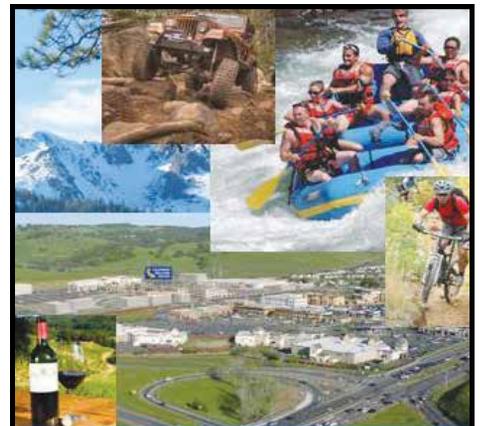
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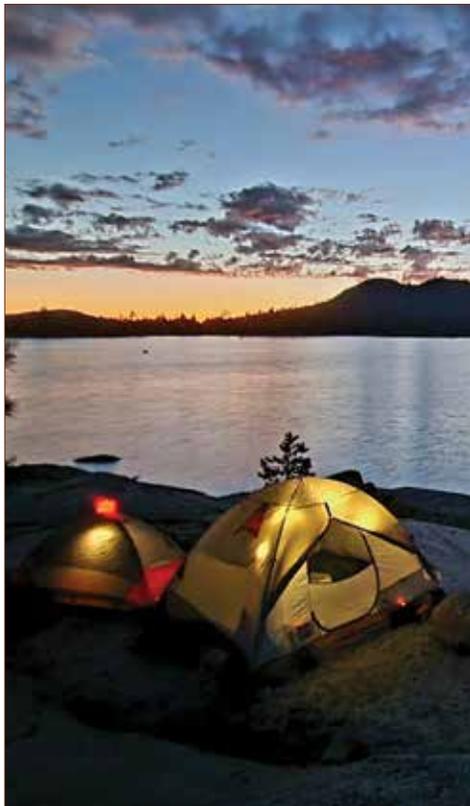
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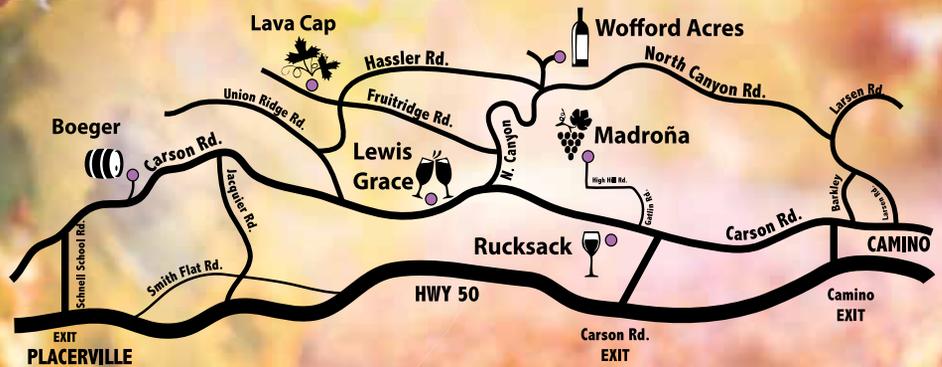
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