

## CONTRIBUTORS



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**Wyatt Haupt Jr.** is the managing editor for the Sierra Sun and the North Lake Tahoe Bonanza. He was born and raised in Los Angeles. He has worked for a number of newspapers in his 22-year career, including the Aspen Times, Los Angeles Times, North County Times, Ontario Daily Bulletin, Appeal-Democrat, and Grants Pass Daily Courier.



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**Kayla Anderson** moved to North Lake Tahoe in December 2006 to be a snowboard bum and never left. With over 11 years of experience in marketing and journalism, Kayla enjoys sharing about what is happening in her tight-knit community and is eternally grateful for being able to reside in a place like Lake Tahoe.



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