

Stars, Strings and Sipping

Enjoy an evening of sampling tasty morsels and wines in the Pines and symphonic music under clear skies, an impish moon and events far, far away worth viewing... Plan your fall getaway and escape to the crisp and clear days in the mountains above Lake Tahoe or the rich, history laden and beautiful Carson Valley and join us for one of our special star gazing tours this fall, led by astronomy expert and poet: [Tony Berendsen](#), the President of the Nevada Science Coalition.

Package includes:

\$549 for 2 nights, 2 people!

- * 2 nights lodging at The Avalon Lodge, or The Historian Inn
 - * Stay pre or post the tour (based on double occupancy)
- * 2 hour Guided Stargazing with a laser tour and a telescopic viewing
- * Reno Philharmonic Musicians Playing Live
- * Transportation to and from event location
- * A special wine tasting with renown wine expert (change with package dates)
 - * Includes exclusive '1 night only' special discount pricing on the wines you sample, while supplies last
- * Light gourmet refreshments including samplings by a local chef/restaurant
- * Includes a discount dining certificate to a local restaurant...
- * A keepsake memento
- * Late check out

Package dates were created around events in the sky and optimum viewing moons. There's a myriad of adventure to partake in during your stay! Your choice of hotels; each with the service and amenities Cle Hospitality is known for:

The Avalon Lodge, in South Lake Tahoe, CA boasts newly designed and spacious mountain contemporary room décor and is just steps from all things fun! Hike or play in the fall colors or first snow and enjoy all Tahoe has to offer!

The Historian Inn, in The Carson Valley, NV offers a distinctive, classic feel of the west; enriched with the colors, textures, and natural materials of the Nevada, the Sierra Nevada Mountains and reminiscent of the gold rush. Close to Genoa, Virginia City and surrounded with historic buildings – an adventure seekers paradise! There is always something brewing in the Valley.

Attendees will receive an event itinerary, pre-arrival sharing local events, stargazing areas and apps for your own adventures, attire recommendations (based on venue and weather) and the details which change with each event...

The show must go on! With the night's events – not even a winter storm can stop us! Tony's presentation is choreographed for enjoyment no matter the weather... and the food and wine and music are always in season.

Single occupancy pricing available upon request

Event Dates and Hotels: Celestial events listed are not the entire focus of the stargazing shows.

Lake Tahoe: Saturday, September 29 - URANUS AT OPPOSITION. The blue-green planet will be at its closest approach to Earth and its face will be fully illuminated by the Sun. This is the best time to view Uranus.

Lake Tahoe: Sunday, October 15 – NEW MOON. The Moon will be directly between the sun and the Earth and will not be visible... great for stargazing and clearly defining the sky!

Sold Out Event !

Lake Tahoe: Sunday, October 21 – ORINIDS METEOR SHOWER. This excellent display produces about 20 meteors per hour at peak. A great viewing event.

Gardnerville: Monday, October 22 – ORINIDS METEOR SHOWER. This excellent display produces about 20 meteors per hour at peak. A great viewing event.

Lake Tahoe: Tuesday, November 13 – NEW MOON. The Moon will be directly between the sun and the Earth and will not be visible... great for stargazing and clearly defining the sky!

Lake Tahoe: Saturday, November 17 – LEONIDS METEOR SHOWER. The Leonids is one of the best meteor showers to observe with about 40 meteors per hour at peak, this night. The crescent moon will set early this night leaving dark skies for optimum viewing.

Gardnerville: Sunday, November 18 – LEONIDS METEOR SHOWER. The Leonids is one of the best meteor showers to observe with about 40 meteors per hour at peak, this night. The crescent moon will set early this night leaving dark skies for optimum viewing.

Lake Tahoe: Tuesday, November 27 – "The Blue Snowball". The Blue Snow Ball is an NGC object that is neat to see through the eyepiece (Planetary Nebulae) and will be almost straight up.

Lake Tahoe: Sunday, December 3 – JUPITER AT OPPOSITION. The giant planet will be its closest approach to Earth and its face will be fully illuminated by the sun. This will be the best time to view and photograph Jupiter and its Moons.

Sold Out Event !

Gardnerville: Thursday, December 13th – GEMINIDS METEOR SHOWER. Considered by many the absolute best meteor shower in the heavens! Known for producing up to 60 multicolored meteors per hour. The radiant point will be coming from constellation Gemini and with a new moon and dark sky – I wouldn't miss this one!

Lake Tahoe: Friday, December 14th – GEMINIDS METEOR SHOWER. Considered by many the absolute best meteor shower in the heavens! Known for producing up to 60 multicolored meteors per hour. The radiant point will be coming from constellation Gemini and with a new moon and dark sky – I wouldn't miss this one!

We look forward to hosting you!

Deposit/Cancel Policy: 1 nights stay is charged to make the reservation. This deposit is non refundable at time of booking. Payment in full is taken 15 days prior to arrival and is non refundable at time of charging. Changing/moving dates is based on availability only. Restrictions may apply. No refunds for non-use.