

Plastic, Light and Sound Pollution

The Smog of the Sea short film chronicles a 1-week journey through the remote waters of the Sargasso Sea to assess the fate of plastics in the world's oceans. As the crew sieves the water they find a fog of microplastics permeating the world's oceans. Following the movie screening, Dr. Will Richardson of the Tahoe Institute for Natural Science (TINS) will briefly discuss how excess light and sound can affect people and wildlife. Learn about the impacts of these less-considered forms of pollution on animal species and what can be done to prevent them. Lastly, learn how you can help monitor pollution, local species, and water quality at our local beaches using the Citizen Science Tahoe app. A signed Jack Johnson CD and Kleen Kanteen products will be raffled off as door prizes to those who attend this fun and engaging event.



COMMUNITY PRESENTATION

July
13

5:30 – 7 p.m.

Tahoe Center for Environmental
Sciences, 291 Country Club Dr.,
Incline Village, Nevada

\$5 suggested donation,
refreshments and no-host bar 5:30
p.m., presentation begins at 6 p.m.

Please register for your seat at
<http://tahoe.ucdavis.edu/events/>



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