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2018 Deadwood Events

ISOC Deadwood Shootout January 19-20, 2018

> Mardi Gras February 9-10, 2018

St. Patrick's Weekend March 16-17, 2018

Forks, Corks and Kegs April 6-7, 2018

Cinco de Mayo Celebration May 5, 2018

Wild Bill Days
June 15-16, 2018

Independence Day Parade July 4, 2018

> Days of '76 July 25-28, 2018

Kool Deadwood Nights August 23-26, 2018

> Octoberfest October 4, 2018

Wild West Songwriters Festival
October 11-13, 2018

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Another Historic Discovery in Deadwood



In June of 2017, construction workers discovered an archaeological feature associated with an early placer mining operation along lower Main Street at the Cadillac Jacks construction site. Upon close inspection, the feature was a partial adit (mine tunnel) that ran on the north/south axis along the western edge of Cadillac Jacks Gaming resort. At the time of discovery, this feature

was buried 14 feet beneath Williams Street and was approximately four feet from the building foundation. This unexpected discovery occurred when part of the hillslope caved in exposing an eight foot void. Upon close inspection of the void, city staff discovered two vertical timbers partially buried in the cavity supporting a horizontal timber. City officials recognized the cultural significance of this discovery and notified archaeologists from Quality Services, Inc. of Rapid City who recorded the feature. In the fall of 2017, Liv Hospitality, LLC. Donated the logs and associated archaeological collection from the Cadillac Jacks monitoring

project to the City of Deadwood. This winter, city staff will perform a detailed analysis of the logs to determine weight, length, historic cut patterns, functionality and age through dendrochronology. Upon completion of this mini winter project city staff will present its finding at the 2018 Mining History Conference scheduled for June 7-10, 2018 at the Lodge in Deadwood.



Check out the documentary video commemorating the 30th anniversary of Deadwood's Syndicate Fire on *YouTube!*

Search **Deadwood's New Gold Rush** on YouTube.

Like us on Facebook!

Search <u>Deadwood: Historic Preservation Office</u>



January 2, 2018 — Tuesday **City Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

January 3, 2018 — Wednesday Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

January 10, 2018 — Wednesday **Historic Preservation Commission Meeting** 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

> January 16, 2018 —Tuesday **City Commission Meeting** 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

January 17, 2018 — Wednesday Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

January 18: Preservation Thursday: Sanford Lab: Science Today and into the Future—The Sanford Lab has active science experiments installed and operating nearly a mile underground. The Lab's future is very bright with plans for physics experiments studying neutrinos and dark matter. Executive Director of the South Dakota Science and Technology Authority, Mike Headley, will outline the Lab's current activates and future construction plans for one of the largest mega-science projects ever to be attempted on United States soil. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 12:00 p.m. admission by donation.

> January 24, 2018 — Wednesday **Historic Preservation Commission Meeting** 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

Deadwood's First



Saturday, January 20th

In front of the Silverado and Franklin Hotel

A 100-foot snow runway set the stage for this winter doggie Olympics. Dog owners register their pups in a variety of weight divisions, which will dictate what size keg their pooch will pull.

Even Details:

- \$10 per dog. Pre-registration will guarantee your dog a spot in the race
- Registration is from 11 a.m. 1 p.m.
- Owners register their pups in a variety of weight divisions to dictate what size "keg" their pooch will pull
- · Races begin at 1:00 p.m.
- Owners are encouraged to bring their own harnesses. If you do not have one, one will be provided at the race
- Dog owners participate by encouraging their dog down the length of the course
- Awards will be given to the fastest dog in weight category after the last race





Half of all proceeds will benefit the Twin City Animal Shelter



Hosted by the Deadwood Revitalization & Main Street Initiative Promotions Committees

Utility Rate Changes

The following utility rate changes will be effective January 1, 2018

Water: Residential minimum demand charge is \$24.85 monthly for all accounts, whether on or off, regardless of water usage; water usage charged as follows:

Water Usage	Water Rate
0 - 4,999 gallons	\$1.82/1,000 gallons
5,000 - 9,999 gallons	\$2.21/1,000 gallons
10,000 - 19,999 gallons	\$2.75/1,000 gallons
20,000 - 49,999 gallons	\$3.31/1,000 gallons
50,000 and over gallons	\$4.41/1,000 gallons

Commercial accounts: Monthly minimum (demand) charge for all accounts, whether on or off, based upon meter size, per meter, as follows:

Meter Size	Cost	
1 inch or less	\$36.23	
1.5 inch	\$48.51	
2 inch	\$72.77	
3 inch	\$109.15	
4 inch	\$145.53	
6 inch	\$218.30	

With commercial water usage rates as follows:

Water Usage	Water Rate	
0 - 9,999 gallons	\$3.31/1,000 gallons	
10,000 - 49,999 gallons	\$3.86/1,000 gallons	
50,000 and over gallons	\$4.41/1,000 gallons	

Waste Water:

Residential.....\$4.00 per month Commercial one (1) inch or less meter.....\$10.00 per month Commercial meter greater than one (1) inch....\$20.00 per month

HP Programs Review

In October 2017, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission approved four grant requests.

Joette Johnson - Foundation, Siding and Wood Windows & Doors Grant **Programs** John Walsh - Retaining Wall Program

Thank you for helping preserve and maintain Deadwood's historic integrity!

Chamber Corner

January 12-13: Red Dirt Music Festival – Time to get down and dirty in Deadwood, as the third annual Deadwood Red Dirt Music Festival featuring the Casey Donahue Band, Josh Abbott Band, Chancey Williams and the Younger Brothers Band, Troy Cartwright and Brock Finn rolls into town January 12-13. You'll have plenty of chances to kick up a little dust at Deadwood Mountain Grand. Tickets are available at TicketMaster.com.

January 18: Deadwood Chamber Mixer/Snocross Kickoff Party – Join the Deadwood Chamber for a Mixer and Snocross Kickoff Party at the Deadwood Elks Lodge on Main Street from 5 to 7 p.m., January 18.

January 19-20: Deadwood Snocross Showdown & Snowmobile Rally — Professional snowmobile racing is coming back to Historic Deadwood, January 19-20. More than 150 of the top professional Snocross racers will descend on the Days of '76 Event Complex for a weekend of high-flying, high-speed, high-octane snowmobile racing. See it live! Tickets start at \$20 and two-day passes start at \$40. Tickets are onside now at www.DeadwoodSnoCross.com.

January 20: Deadwood's First Annual K-9 Keg Pull – Calling all K-9s! Dogs of all shapes, sizes, kinds and colors are invited to test their muscles on the snowy cobblestones of Main Street Deadwood. Man's best friend will be assigned a division depending on their weight. Dogs will wear a harness attached to an appropriate sized keg. The fastest dogs in each class win! Registration is at 11am and racing starts at 1pm. Main Street will be closed from 9am to 6pm for the event. Open container is allowed in designated areas from noon to 10 pm.

Community Holiday Mixer

The First Annual Community Holiday Mixer held on December 1 was a big success. Thank you to those who participated. This event was made possible by the dedicated Deadwood Revitalization and Main Street Initiative Promotions Committee. The Committee's support of events for Deadwood residents is definitely appreciated.



Winter Reminders

The Deadwood Public Works Department reminds you cars need to be removed from the street during snow removal. The streets will be posted one day in advance. If your car is not removed prior to snow removal it will be ticketed and towed. Sidewalks need to be cleared within 24 hours after the snow stops falling. Failure to clear your sidewalk will result in it being completed by the City. A fee of \$71.50 per man hour will be charged if the City is required to clear the sidewalk. Snow should not be shoveled or blown into the street after the street has been cleaned. Thank you for your cooperation.

Different New Year's Resolutions to Try in 2018

Most people make New Year's resolutions, but most of us don't keep them. Some of our resolutions are too unrealistic to actually reach; some of us just give up too easily, and sometimes it's because our resolutions just aren't fun. Here are a few different resolutions to try this year that may be easier and more fun to keep.

1. Get Your Photo Taken in Five Interesting Places

Make a New Year's resolution to visit five interesting places. It could be someplace nearby that you have never been to or someplace far off. Go visit and have a picture taken at each place.

2. Break a Record

You don't have to try and break a world record, start with a small personal record. Breaking that record will boost your confidence. Be sure to reward yourself when you do break it.

3. Develop a Good Relationship With Your Body

Instead of focusing on the parts of your body you don't like and want to change, make a resolution focusing on the things you like. This will boost your self-confidence and make you feel better about yourself.

4. Learn Something You Never Learned as a Child

Do you have something you never learned to do as a child like, riding a bike or swimming? Make a resolution to learn something you always wanted to. This way you will have the gratification of mastering something new.

5. Try a New Food Each Week

Instead of making a resolution to not eat specific foods try making a resolution to try a new food or recipe each week. Maybe you need more fruits and veggies in your diet so each week pick a new fruit, veggie or recipe you've never had before and try it. You never know you may find something you really like.

6. Do Something Nice for Others Everyday

Make a resolution that focuses on making the world a better place. Each day do something nice for someone else. It can be as small as paying a compliment or bigger like providing a meal to someone in need. Even the smallest act of kindness can change someone's day.



Hours of Operation

Deadwood City Hall 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Public Library 10 AM-7 PM (Mon - Wed) 10 AM — 5 PM (Thurs - Fri) 12 PM - 4 PM (Sat)

Deadwood Public Works Office 7:30 AM - 3:30 PM (Mon - Fri)

Lead-Deadwood Landfill Winter: 8 AM - 4 PM (Thurs - Sat) Summer: 8 AM - 4 PM (Tues - Sat)

Deadwood Recreational Center 5 AM - 9 PM (Mon - Fri) 7 AM - 5 PM (Sat)

Adams Museum 10 AM - 4 PM Tuesday—Saturday Suggested donation: \$5 for adults, \$2 for children.

Historic Adams House

Closed November-March Group tours available with advanced reservations

Homestake Adams Research & **Cultural Center (HARCC)** 10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

History &Information Center (Depot) 9 AM - 5 PM Daily

Welcome Center

8 AM - 5 PM Daily Days of '76 Museum

10 AM - 4 PM Tuesday—Saturday Admission: Adults \$8, Children 6-12

\$3, Children 5 & under free **Deadwood Fire Department** 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Police Department 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Lawrence County Courthouse 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Chamber of Commerce 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

TROLLEY SCHEDULE Winter, 2017

NUMBER OF TROLLEYS DAYS TIME RUNNING

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Sunday through Thursday	1st Trolley	10:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.		
Friday and Saturday	1st Trolley	8:00 A.M. to 3:00 A.M.		
	2nd Trolley	9:30 A.M. to 1:30 A.M.		
	3rd Trolley	5:20 P.M. to 10:20 P.M.		

THERE IS NO 24-HOUR SERVICE

Schedule will be followed as closely as possible. Delays may be caused by weather, traffic, construction, equipment failure, etc. A fourth trolley will operate during special events. Thank you

Schedule may be changed due to construction at any time. Notifications issued as soon as possible

MAIN STREET INITIATIVE UPDATE

The Deadwood Revitalization and Main Street Initiative Promotions Committee will be hosting Deadwood's first K-9 Keg Pull on Saturday, January 20th in front of the Silverado and Franklin Hotel. A 100 -foot snow runway sets the stage for this winter doggie Olympics. Dog owners register their pups in a variety of weight divisions, which will dictate what size "keg" their pooch will pull. Each participant will be timed and prizes awarded for each weight category. Proceeds benefit the Twin City Animal Shelter. For more information check the Chamber of Commerce website, www.deadwood/events.com.

ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The Committees meet as follows:

Promotions Committee —1st Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. – Louie Lalonde 578-3346 Design Committee — 2nd Tuesday 3:30 p.m. – Bill Glover 578-2116/641-4001 Economic Restructuring Committee — 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. – Ken Geinger 578-1909 Organization Committee — 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. Bill Pearson 920-1240

Deadwood Recreational Center

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5:30 a.m.	6:20 a.m.	5:30 a.m.	6:20 a.m.	5:30 a.m.
Kettlebells	Conditioning	Kettlebells	Conditioning	Kettlebells
Self Taught		Self Taught		Self Taught
	5:30 p.m.		5:15 p.m.	
6:45 a.m.	Yoga*	6:45 a.m.	Self-taught	6:45 a.m.
Water		Water	Pilates group	Water
Exercise		Exercise		Exercise
			5:30 p.m.	
8:00 a.m.		8:00 a.m.	Zumba*	8:00 a.m.
Water Exercise		Water Exercise		Water
				Exercise
5:15 p.m.		5:30 p.m.		
Self-taught		Yoga*		
Pilates group		-		
5:30 p.m.				
Zumba*				
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Classes may change due to instructors' availability. *Class Fee set by Instructor.

Rec Center News

The Rec Center will be closed January 6-7, 2018 for a swim meet.

The Rec Center is participating in Silver Sneakers fitness program and is getting new equipment for the weight and cardo rooms.

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Deadwood City Hall (605) 578-2600 Lawrence County Dispatch (605) 578-2230 Deadwood Recreational Center (605) 578-3729

Deadwood Planning & Preservation Office (605) 578-2082

Deadwood Police Department Non-emergency (605) 578-2623

Deadwood Public Library (605) 578-2821 Deadwood Public Works Office (605) 578-3082 Lead/Deadwood Regional Hospital (605) 717-6000

Deadwood Fire Department Non-emergency (605) 578-1212

<u>Deadwood City Commission</u> meets the first and third Monday at 5:00 p.m. Planning & Zoning Commission meets the first and third Wednesday at 5:00 p.m. Historic Preservation Commission meets the second and fourth Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.