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**2018 Deadwood Events**

**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

**Deadwood's CodeRED Notification System**

The City of Deadwood uses CodeRED, a high-speed mass notification system, to keep residents informed. The system delivers general and emergency messages to residents via phone, text message and email.

General messages are used to communicate non-life safety matters such as community events, planned road closures, water main repairs and power service interruptions.

Emergency messages notify residents of emergencies such as an evacuation notice, utility outages, fire, floods, severe weather or other emergency situations.

Residents who have not yet registered to receive these free alerts can register by going to the City of Deadwood website, [cityofdeadwood.com](http://cityofdeadwood.com), then click the CodeRED Signup button at the top. If you do not have access to the internet you may register at the library or call 605-578-2082 and City Staff can register you over the phone. There is also a free CodeRED Mobile app for your smartphone available at iTunes or Google Play.

If you have any question regarding CodeRED Community Notification System please call 605-578-2082.



**City of Deadwood's Newest Donation**



In January of 2018, longtime Deadwood resident William "Bill" Beshera of Rapid City donated to the City of Deadwood the Eureka Safe & Lock Company safe. Across the face of this beautiful safe is painted the name "Frank S. Peck". According to a records search performed staff at the Kenton County Public Library in Covington, Kentucky, the Eureka Safe & Lock Company originated in Cincinnati, Ohio and moved to Covington, Kentucky after 1895. Based on business directories, this company manufactured the donated safe sometime between 1895 and 1897. After 1897, there were several lawsuits brought against the Eureka Safe & Lock Company. It is unknown how and when this safe made its way to Deadwood before being acquired by civil engineer, Frank S. Peck. The safe is on display at Deadwood City Hall.



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Frank S. Peck was born on December 19, 1861 in Nodaway, Missouri before moving with his family to the Black Hills in 1878. Peck received a formal education in civil engineering while working with his father on numerous projects throughout western South Dakota including subdividing government townships in Fall River County and mapping the northern state line for the newly formed South Dakota.

With the advent of the automobile in the Black Hills, Peck became instrumental in surveying roads throughout Lawrence County. In 1917, South Dakota Governor Peter Norbeck, State Engineer Homer M. Derr, and Deadwood resident and Lawrence County Highway Engineer Frank S. Peck formed the South Dakota Highway Department. Under this newly created state agency, all road and bridge construction along state highways became standardized. During his tenure, Peck became one of the foremost authorities on road construction in South Dakota. His success and life were cut short on September 6, 1926.

On September 6, 1926, an attempt on Peck's life occurred in the early morning hours. An air pump containing a stick of dynamite was placed beside Peck's Studebaker on Charles Street. Upon detonation, Peck was severely injured from the explosion. Three days later, Peck died at the St. Joseph's hospital in Deadwood resulting from the injuries inflicted by the explosion. A full criminal investigation was conducted to bring Peck's perpetrator to justice. After exhausting all potential leads, no one was convicted of Peck's murder. Today, Peck's untimely death has become one of Deadwood's unsolved murder cases.

**Frank S. Peck 1861 - 1926**





## Mark your Calendars!

**March 5, 2018 — Monday**

**City Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**March 7, 2018 — Wednesday**

**Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**March 10: Book Making Workshop** - Head to the Days of '76 Museum to learn all about books and bookmaking, as well as some famous South Dakota children's authors and illustrators. Students will write, illustrate, and create their own book about their favorite things. Light refreshments provided. For students in grades K-6. Days of '76 Museum; 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.; \$6 for members and \$11 for non-members. Reservations required. Call Amanda Brown, Education Director, at 605-578-1657 for reservations.

### March 11: Day Light Savings Time Begins

**March 14, 2018 — Wednesday**

**Historic Preservation Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**March 15: Preservation Thursday: *Mentioning the Unmentionables: A History of Women's Underwear*** - Women's clothing fashion trends are defined by the undergarments they wear. *Mentioning the Unmentionables*, presented by South Dakota Humanities Council Speaker's Bureau Scholar Phyllis Schrag, explores how fashion trends have shaped - literally and figuratively - gender roles from 1810 through the late 20th century. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 12:00 p.m. admission by donation.



### March 17: Happy St. Patrick's Day!



**March 19, 2018 — Monday**

**City Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

### March 20: First Day of Spring

**March 21, 2018 — Wednesday**

**Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**March 24: A Press Conference with the President: A lively conversation with the 26th President of the United States of America Theodore Roosevelt** - Meet the vibrant 26th president of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt. Even Roosevelt's critics admired the man who took on the corporate trusts, charged up San Juan Hill, defied the Party "bosses", built the Panama Canal, defined conservation, and won a Nobel Peace Prize. Hear his views on conservation, agriculture, and democracy, all shaped by his Western experience. Portrayed by Arch Ellwein, President Roosevelt talks of his experiences with Seth Bullock and his time in the Black Hills. Following his "press conference", the actor/historian comes out of character for further discussion. Hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; performances at 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members. Advance reservations are required. Purchase online at [DeadwoodHistory.com](http://DeadwoodHistory.com) or call 605-722-4800.

**March 28, 2018 — Wednesday**

**Historic Preservation Commission Meeting**

5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

## What Does Historic Preservation Have to Offer Me?

That is the question! The answer will be provided during a Public Information Night hosted by the Deadwood Trust for Historic Preservation, 5:30 p.m., Thursday, March 22nd, in the Deadwood City Commission room, 108 Sherman Street, Deadwood, SD. Current and prospective residents and business owners are invited to learn about Historic Preservation programs available to assist owners in keeping their properties safe and attractive. Kevin Kuchenbecker, local HP Officer, will present information on the Historic Preservation programs, many of which have been updated to better serve personal and business property owners. In addition, Mike Walker from NeighborWorks Dakota Home Resources will be informing attendees of loan program application processes and additional help available to residents. For more information, call 578-2082.



## Winter Reminder

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.

## SPRING FORWARD



**Sunday, March 11**

**Daylight Savings Time Begins**



**Passport Parking**

The City of Deadwood offers a mobile payment parking service called Passport Parking. Passport Parking works for all of Deadwood’s on and off street parking. This service allows you to pay for parking right from your phone instead of feeding quarters into the parking meter. Passport Parking will also notify you, via text message or phone call, before your parking time is up and gives you the ability to extend your parking time without having to return to the parking meter. There are three ways to register and use Passport Parking; online at [m.ppprk.com](http://m.ppprk.com), download the Passport Parking app from the App Store or Google Play, or by calling 605-231-4063. The parking meter will not show time remaining and customers will not have to display proof of payment, enforcement officers are able to view payments on handheld devices.



**OPPORTUNITIES TO RECYCLE**

**Community Recycle Bins are available at the Sherman Street Parking Lot.**

**Let’s all Pitch In !!!**



**Deadwood Comprehensive Plan Community Visioning Meetings**

Please come share your thoughts and ideas about the future of Deadwood by attending an upcoming Community Visioning meeting, being held on Tuesday, March 27th and Thursday, March 29th from 1-2 and 5:30-6:30 p.m. (same times each day) at the Days of ‘76 Museum in the Mary Adams Room. These meetings are the next step in updating Deadwood’s Comprehensive Plan and will focus on forming a collective community vision and setting goals for the future of Deadwood. Each meeting will last one hour and the meeting format will be the same for each meeting. Your input is vital for creating the best possible future for Deadwood so please plan to attend one of the Community Visioning meetings! For more information about the Community Visioning meetings, please visit: [www.deadwoodplan.com](http://www.deadwoodplan.com).

**Deadwood Comprehensive Plan Community and Visitor Survey Results**

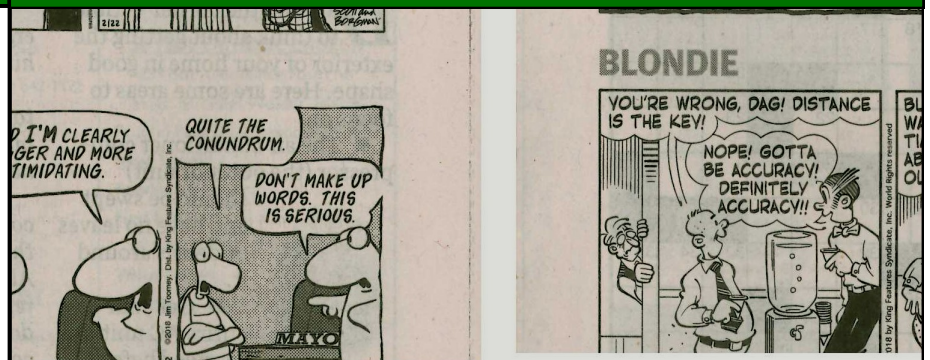
The results of the Deadwood Comprehensive Community and Visitor Survey results have been compiled and summaries of each are available for review on the Deadwood Comprehensive Plan website at: [www.deadwoodplan.com/survey](http://www.deadwoodplan.com/survey). Paper copies of the survey results are also available for review at Deadwood City Hall. Thank you to everyone who participated in the surveys, your input will play an important role in updating Deadwood’s Comprehensive Plan!

**Chamber Corner**



**St. Patrick’s Day Weekend:** Celebrate St. Patrick’s Day in Deadwood with a pub crawl, the Leprechaun Olympics, parades, music and food. On Friday, March 16, register for the Leprechaun Olympics at the Oyster Bay from 5-7pm, the games start at 6pm. There will be six locations for games: Saloon #10, Oyster Bay, Buffalo-Bodega, Bullock Hotel’s Seth’s Cellar, Gold Dust and the Eagle Bar. The awards ceremony will be held at 9pm at Paddy O’Neill’s. Open container (in official cups only), will be allowed from 5pm to 10pm in both zones on March 16. On Saturday, March 17, register for the annual Pub Crawl at the Historic Franklin Hotel from 10:30am-2:30pm. Don’t miss the group photo at 2:25pm! The Crawl takes place from 2:30-6:30pm. The day’s awards celebration is held at 7pm in the Historic Franklin Hotel. Open container will be allowed from noon to 10pm in both zones on March 17. PLEASE NOTE: The St. Patrick’s Parade will be held at **high noon**, Saturday, March 17, on Deadwood’s Main Street.

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**Mining History Association**

The Mining History Association’s Deadwood-Lead Conference is June 6-10, 2018. The conference offers options such as tours, paper presentations, receptions, and other special events. Details are available at the Mining History Association website, [www.mininghistoryassociation.org](http://www.mininghistoryassociation.org). For conference questions please contact David Wolff at 605-644-375 or at [davidwolff@spe.midco.net](mailto:davidwolff@spe.midco.net).

**Schedule and Registration Form now available**

[www.mininghistoryassociation.org](http://www.mininghistoryassociation.org)



**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, 2018**

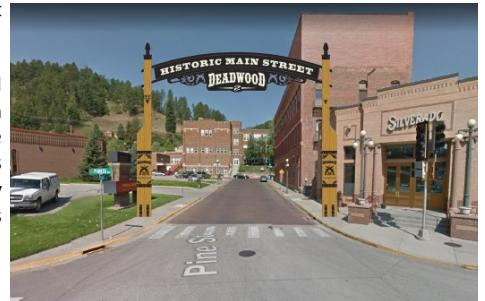
DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS	TIME RUNNING
<b>EFFECTIVE November 27, 2017</b>		
Sunday	1st Trolley	8:00 A.M. to Midnight
Monday through Thursday	1st Trolley	10:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.
Friday	1st Trolley	8:00 A.M. to 3:00 A.M.
	2nd Trolley	1:30 P.M. to 1:30 A.M.
	3rd Trolley	5:20 P.M. to 10:20 P.M.
Saturday	1st 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.
<b>THERE IS NO 24-HOUR SERVICE</b>		
Schedule will be followed as closely as possible. Delays may be caused by weather, traffic, construction, equipment failure, etc.		

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 are in the planning stages of expanding the current Craft Beer Fest to a 2 day event with a new name, "Hops and Hogs Fest". Beer and bacon enthusiasts will be able to sample the latest craft beers alongside each restaurants favorite bacon bite. Dates are set for April 20 and 21. More details of all the fun will be listed in April's newsletter. So stay tuned! If you are interested in being a part of this dynamic community committee, we'd love to include you. We meet in the City Hall Century Room every first Tuesday at 1pm. Hope to see you there.

The Deadwood Design Committee along with Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission has plans in the works for an archway over Pine Street to guide the 67% of visitors that come into Deadwood from the south to Historic Main Street. This project is currently in the design phase after being approved by Historic Preservation and City Commission. The picture below is an example of the new archway and planned location.



**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** — 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 12:30 p.m. Bill Pearson 920-1240

**Deadwood Recreational Center**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5:30 a.m. <b>Kettlebells</b> Self Taught	6:20 a.m. <b>Conditioning</b>	5:30 a.m. <b>Kettlebells</b> Self Taught	6:20 a.m. <b>Conditioning</b>	5:30 a.m. <b>Kettlebells</b> Self Taught
6:45 a.m. <b>Water Exercise</b>	5:30 p.m. <b>Yoga*</b>	6:45 a.m. <b>Water Exercise</b>	5:15 p.m. Self-taught <b>Pilates group</b>	6:45 a.m. <b>Water Exercise</b>
8:00 a.m. <b>Water Exercise</b>		8:00 a.m. <b>Water Exercise</b>	5:30 p.m. <b>Zumba*</b>	8:00 a.m. <b>Water Exercise</b>
5:15 p.m. Self-taught <b>Pilates group</b>		5:30 p.m. <b>Yoga*</b>		
5:30 p.m. <b>Zumba*</b>				

Classes may change due to instructors' availability. \*Class Fee set by Instructor.

**IMPORTANT NUMBERS**

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| Deadwood City Hall (605) 578-2600                              | Deadwood Public Library (605) 578-2821                       |
| Lawrence County Dispatch (605) 578-2230                        | Deadwood Public Works Office (605) 578-3082                  |
| Deadwood Recreational Center (605) 578-3729                    | Lead/Deadwood Regional Hospital (605) 717-6000               |
| Deadwood Planning & Preservation Office (605) 578-2082         | Deadwood Fire Department <b>Non-emergency</b> (605) 578-1212 |
| Deadwood Police Department <b>Non-emergency</b> (605) 578-2623 |  |

**Deadwood City Commission** 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.