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2018 Deadwood Events

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

Deadweird

October 26-27, 2018

Veteran's Appreciation Weekend

November 10-11, 2018

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Prohibition.....Deadwood Style

On January 16, 1920, the Eighteenth Amendment, prohibiting "the manufacture, sale, or transportation of intoxicating liquors" went into effect across the United States. As America became a "dry" nation, the illegal manufacture and distribution of alcohol became a prosperous enterprise for those willing to take a risk. In Lawrence County, there were numerous bootlegging operations that once operated in the Northern Black



Hills. The surrounding national forest provided the perfect backdrop to hide distillers from local and federal authorities. Businesses such as the Fairmont Hotel, located at 624 Main Street, once operated a "speakeasy" in this building.

In 1993, while rehabilitating the basement of the Fairmont Hotel, construction workers discovered six, five gallon Red Wing jugs cemented in the basement floor with only the spouts exposed. These crocks were manufactured by the Red Wing Union Stoneware Company in Red Wing, Minnesota from 1906 to 1936. This style of jug was manufactured in 3, 4, & 5

gallon sizes and sported three distinct hallmarks: the size number, famous "red wing" logo and company manufacturer mark. One of the six jugs was successfully removed and donated to the Adams Museum by building owner Ronald Russo.

In 2017, the Deadwood Historic Preservation office received permission from Deadwood History, Inc. to reconstruct this jug and place it on exhibit at City Hall. Prior to the exhibition, city staff, using recommendations from the Maryland Archaeological Conservation Laboratory in St. Leonard, Maryland, reconstructed the fragmented crock.



The mystery surrounding the use of the crock jugs was later explained during an oral history from the late Willis Steinlicht, Sr., longtime resident of Deadwood during an oral history collected by Raul Ponce de Leon in the 1990s. Illegal moonshine was distilled and brought to Deadwood. The spirits were then stored in the crock jugs and syphoned off using straws. The opening of the jugs could quickly be concealed in the event of a raid. We would encourage the general public to stop in and see the restored jug and other displays at the Deadwood City Hall.

Healthy Hometown

The City of Deadwood is considering the Healthy Hometown Program powered by Wellmark. Healthy Hometown wants to help us identify ways that will create positive and lasting changes in our community. In our recent history we've seen some pretty staggering changes. These changes to our surroundings and daily activities is affecting our health.



- The average person consumes 600 more calories per day than in 1970.
- Only 27% of high school students meet the Surgeon General's recommendation for physical activity.
- Cities and suburbs have been designed to accommodate cars, not people.
- Children and teens spend six to eight hours a day on screen time.
- Since 1960, there has been a 60% reduction in jobs requiring moderate physical activity.

One of the projects being considered is a Walking Audit of Deadwood. A Walking audit looks at the community's ability to easily walk or bike for both recreation and transportation. The audit will identify areas where improvements can be made to the built environment that will benefit both residents and businesses. As a result, the community is left with opportunities to enhance its livability.

We would like the community's feedback on this program and we are looking for interested volunteers to participate in the projects. Please contact us at 605-578-2082 or hpadmin@cityofdeadwood.com





Mark your Calendars!

April 1: Easter

April 2, 2018 — Monday
City Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

April 4, 2018 — Wednesday
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

April 11, 2018 — Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

April 12: Preservation Thursday: *The Quips of Governor Tom Berry: Laughing through the Dust Bowl* – Author and historian Paul Higbee presents the story of South Dakota Governor Tom Berry. As South Dakotans endured the Great Depression and developing Dust Bowl in 1932, they elected a cowboy as their governor. Tom Berry rode in the iconic 1902 cattle roundup ordered by President Theodore Roosevelt. He established the successful Double X Ranch next to the Badlands. Big voiced and tireless, Berry commanded the attention of all, including President Franklin Roosevelt, who broke protocol and called him “Tom” or “Cowboy” in White House meetings. Berry faced bitter political rivalries and weather that threatened to blow South Dakotans off their land, but he is remembered for his humorous wit throughout. Author Paul S. Higbee traces the history of South Dakota and its governor. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 12:00 p.m.; admission by donation.

April 16, 2018 — Monday
City Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

April 18, 2018 — Wednesday
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

April 19: *A Night at the Brewseum* – This new Deadwood History event is modeled after Comedy Central’s popular series *Drunk History*. Enjoy a social sponsored by Crow Peak Brewing Company, tour the Carriage Gallery, and enjoy beer drinking entertainment by Deadwood Alive’s Calamity Jane and Con Stapleton. Days of ‘76 Museum; 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.; \$15 per person includes two beers, snacks, and entrance to the museum. Advance reservations are required. Purchase online at DeadwoodHistory.com or call 605-722-4800. Must be 21 or over.

April 21: Elk Workshop – Students are invited to learn about elk, one of the largest species within the deer family. Participants will discover where elk live, what they eat, and why they are an important part of the environment. Children will also make an elk collage and a paper elk mount. Light refreshments will be provided. For students in grades K-6. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.; \$6 for members and \$11 for non-members. Reservations required. Please call Amanda Brown, Education Director, at 605-578-1657 for reservations.

April 25, 2018 — Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

April 28: Patsy’s Day – Attention dog and cat lovers! Share in this annual celebration honoring Patsy, the beloved terrier of William Emery Adams. Guests who make a donation of dog/cat food will receive free admission to the Historic Adams House. Tours for Patsy’s Day are hourly; the first tour leaving at 10:00 a.m. and the last tour of the day leaving at 4:00 p.m. Photos of cats and dogs available for adoption will be on display. All donations benefit the Twin City Animal Shelter. For more information, please call 605-578-3724.

K-9 Keg Pull

The Deadwood Main Street Imitative Promotion Committee was excited to hold its First Annual K-9 Keg Pull in front of the Silverado Hotel on Main Street on January 20, 2018. A total of 32 dogs of all weights and sizes brought in \$320 which went to the Twin City Animal Shelter.



Pictured left to right: Melody Dennis, Organizer, Teah Pray, Twin City Animal Shelter, and Sharon Martinisko, Promotions Committee member.

West River Jacks Food Drive

The West River Jacks are hosting a food drive for Feeding South Dakota from March 24 - April 7. The donation drop off points for Deadwood and Lead are at Lead-Deadwood Regional Hospital and Sanford Homestake Visitor Center.

All donations go to our local food pantry Lord’s Cupboard in Lead.

Thank you for helping feed South Dakota!



Easter Candy Trivia

- Americans buy 700 million Marshmallow Peeps during Easter
- In 1953, it took 27 hours to create one Marshmallow Peep. Today it takes six minutes.
- 90 million chocolate bunnies are produced each year
- 89% of Americans eat chocolate bunnies ears first
- 81% of parents will steal candy out of their children’s Easter basket
- 16 billion jellybeans will be consumed at Easter
- Over 180 million Cadbury’s Cream Eggs are sold between January and Easter each year

HP Programs Review

In February 2018, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission approved two grant request.

Pauline West – Elderly Resident Program
Pauline West - Siding Program

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

City of Deadwood - 2017 Drinking Water Report

Secretary's Award: The City of Deadwood has supplied seventeen consecutive years of safe drinking water to the public it serves and has been awarded the Secretary's Award for Drinking Water Excellence by the South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources.

Water Quality: The following is a snapshot of the quality of the water you were provided last year in Deadwood. Included are details about where your water comes from. What it contains, and how it compares to Environment Protection Agency (EPA) and state standards. We are committed to providing you with information because informed customers are our best allies.

Water Source: We serve more than 1,270 customers an average of 382,000 gallons of water per day. Our water is surface water that we purchase from another water system. The state has performed an assessment of our source water and they have determined that the relative susceptibility rating for the Deadwood public water supply system is medium. For more information about your water and information on opportunities to participate in public meetings, call 605-578-2600 and ask for Mary Jo Nelson.

Additional Information: The sources of drinking water (both tap and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm-water runoff, and residential uses.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm-water runoff, and septic systems.
- Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.



In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in Water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environment Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants can be obtained by calling the Environment Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791.

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The City of Deadwood public water supply system is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing, methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

Detected Contaminants: To receive a copy or view a table which lists all the drinking water contaminants detected during the 2017 calendar year, contact Randy Rfarr with the Deadwood Public Water System at 605-578-2600.

The presence of the contaminants in the water does not necessarily indicate the water poses a health risk. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in this table is from testing done January 1 - December 31, 2017. The state requires us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year. Some of the data, though representative of the water quality, is more than one year old. For further questions or information, you may contact us by calling 605-578-2600 or by writing us at: City of Deadwood; 2017 Drinking Water Report; 102 Sherman Street; Deadwood, SD 57732

Chamber Corner

Forks, Corks & Kegs, Food & Wine Festival: If you love fine food, wine and distinctive brews, don't miss the Forks, Corks and Kegs, Food and Wine Festival, April 6 and 7 in Historic Deadwood. Sample a variety of beer and wine from all across the country, and your Black Hills favorites, as you make your way to various tasting venues across town during the Appetizer Crawl and Deadwood Dine Around. Each location will feature their chef's finest culinary creation paired with the perfect complimentary beverage. Saturday evening head to the grand daddy finale, a Grand Tasting, featuring dozens of beer, wine and spirit varieties, light hors d'oeuvres, and even dessert samples! Festival tickets can be purchased by calling 605-559-1188, or on ticketmaster.com Visit www.deadwoodwinefest.com for a detailed schedule and a list of perks included with the festival pass.



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
EFFECTIVE November 27, 2017		
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.
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.		

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 sponsoring a two day Hops and Hog Fest April 20 and 21st. Tickets are \$25 for both days and may be purchased in advance through the Deadwood Chamber. Friday night event is from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. with craft beer samples at *Paddy O'Neil's, *Nugget Saloon, Wild Bill Bar, Deadwood Tobacco Bar, *Bullock, *Mustang Sally's, *Bloody Nose Saloon, *Deadwood Social Club, *Buffalo, Sick & Twisted, Elk's Club, Hickok's, *Franklin, and *Deadwood Mountain Grand. Saturday's event is from noon to 6:00 p.m. with craft beer samples at *Mineral Palace, *Oyster Bay, *Celebrity Hotel, Happy Days, *Saloon No. 10, Madame Peacock's, Bodega, *Gold Dust, *Silverado, *Martin Mason, *Deadwood Dick's Baja Grill, *Harry's Spaghetti Western, *Mind Blown Studio, and Kodiak's Arcade. Locations with an * will also have bacon samples. Pick up your registration credentials and other goodies at the Deadwood Welcome Center from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Friday and from noon to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday.

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. Kettlebells Self Taught	6:20 a.m. Conditioning	5:30 a.m. Kettlebells Self Taught	6:20 a.m. Conditioning	5:30 a.m. Kettlebells Self Taught
6:45 a.m. Water Exercise	5:30 p.m. Yoga	6:45 a.m. Water Exercise	5:15 p.m. Pilates Group Self Taught	6:45 a.m. Water Exercise
8:00 a.m. Water Exercise		8:00 a.m. Water Exercise	5:30 p.m. Zumba*	8:00 a.m. Water Exercise
5:15 p.m. Pilates Group Self Taught		5:30 p.m. Yoga		
5:30 p.m. Zumba*	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 Non-emergency (605) 578-1212 |
| Deadwood Police Department Non-emergency (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.**