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2017 Deadwood Events

Cinco de Mayo Celebration

May 6, 2017

Wild Bill Days

June 16-17, 2017

Independence Day Parade

July 4, 2017

3-Wheeler Rally

July 11-16, 2017

Days of '76 Rodeo & Parades

July 25-29, 2017

Sturgis Rally & Races

August 5-13, 2017

Kool Deadwood Nites

August 24-27, 2017

Deadwood Jam

September 15-16, 2017

Oktoberfest

September 29-30, 2017

Wild West Songwriter's Festival

October 12-14, 2017

Deadweird

October 27-28, 2017

Veteran's Appreciation Weekend

November 10-12, 2017

More event details go to

<http://www.deadwood.com>

Check out *Historic Preservation Moments* on YouTube! Search *deadwoodhp* on YouTube. Like us on Facebook! Search *Deadwood: Historic Preservation Office*

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC BROADCASTING PRESENTS PREVIEW SCREENING OF LOCAL DOCUMENTARY "DEADWOOD PIONEER: A FACE FROM THE PAST"

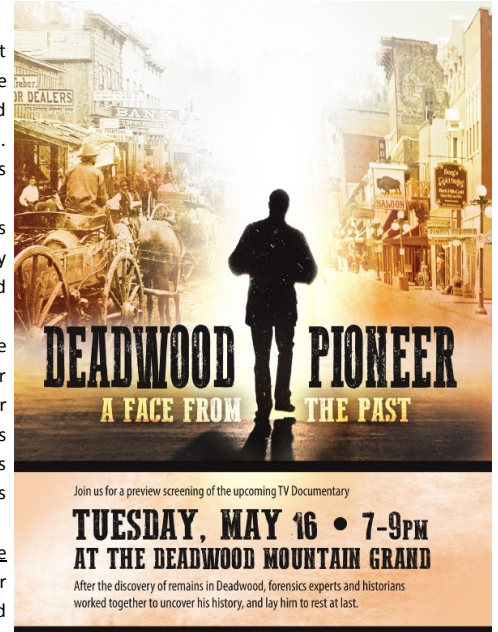
The public is invited to a special preview screening of SDPB's latest documentary project, Deadwood Pioneer: A Face from the Past. The free screening will be held Tuesday, May 16, at 7pm at the Deadwood Mountain Grand in Deadwood, SD. A panel discussion and Q&A follows. The evening includes music provided by The Center of the Nation Brass Quintet.

In the five years since skeletal remains were uncovered in Deadwood's Presidential Neighborhood, historians and scientists have worked avidly to compile a social and genetic background on the individual unearthed during a home construction project.

Deadwood Pioneer: A Face from the Past chronicles the work of the archeologists, historians, and forensic experts who have pieced together the short life of a man whose skeletal remains were unearthed near what is now the intersection of Jackson and Taylor streets. The remains were left behind when the original cemetery was relocated to the hills above Deadwood in 1878. The remains were reinterred at Deadwood's Mount Moriah Cemetery in a 2016 ceremony.

A fascinating blend of science and history, Deadwood Pioneer: A Face from the Past reveals the likely history and ancestry of a young pioneer and puts a face on Deadwood's hardscrabble beginnings. Deadwood Pioneer: A Face from the Past premieres on SDPB TV on Monday, May 22 at 8pm (9 CT).

The program is made possible, in part, with support from the City of Deadwood; Deadwood Historic Preservation; the South Dakota Dental Foundation, and the Friends of SDPB. Thank You to our sponsors:



Historic Preservation Archives Moment: Solder Dots




Over the past few years, the Maryland Archaeological Conservation (MAC) Laboratory has steadily built a partnership with the City of Deadwood while conserving a variety of historic artifacts from their archaeological collections. In September of 2016, the City of Deadwood sent three metal solder dot cans with paper labels to the MAC Laboratory for conservation treatment. The cans were discovered beneath the Fountain House in March of 2015 at the time the house was being moved and relocated. The cans had a corroded, rusty metal surface and dirt partially obscured the fragmentary and delicate paper labels that were still attached. The artifacts presented a unique conservation challenge, as the paper and metal

required a different approach to stabilize and clean the materials. Last week, a presentation was given at the Middle Atlantic Archaeology Conference in Virginia about the conservation treatment of the solder dot cans. The presentation discussed the unusual experience of using paper and metal conservation techniques in the same artifact and showed the step-by-step process used to carefully remove the paper labels from the cans so that each material could be stabilized and cleaned separately. The conservation treatment is still ongoing; the paper labels have been stabilized by adhering a thin Japanese tissue to the back and the cans are still in a desalination solution to remove the harmful salts present in the metal. By the end of the treatment, the paper and metal will be clean and the labels will be reattached to the cans. My thanks to the City of Deadwood for the opportunity to share and present this information at the conference.

Francis Lukezic, Conservator
Maryland Archaeological Conservation Laboratory




Mark your Calendars!

May 1, 2017—Monday
City Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 3, 2017—Wednesday
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 10, 2017—Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 13, 2017: Magnet Workshop – Feel the pull and learn about magnets. Participants will discover what a magnet is, how magnetic fields work, which metals are magnetic and which ones are not, and much more. Students will perform activities and complete craft projects using magnets. 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.


May 14, 2017: Mother's Day Tours – In honor of Mother's Day, the Historic Adams House and Days of '76 Museum will offer free admission to visiting mothers. Show your mom how much you love her by sharing a tour of the beautifully restored Victorian home and explore vintage wagons and carriages in Deadwood's newest museum. The museums are open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Please call 605-578-3724 or 605-578-1657 for more information.

May 15, 2017—Monday
City Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 17, 2017—Wednesday
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 18, 2017: Spearfish Electric Light and Power Company: Pioneering Hydroelectric Power in the Black Hills – A full decade before the legendary Homestake Mining Company built its first hydroelectric plant at the mouth of Spearfish Canyon in 1904, earlier entrepreneurs had put together the funding to build the Spearfish Electric Light and Power Company. It began operation in 1894, providing Spearfish and its residents with electric service until the plant was destroyed by the massive Black Hills flood of 1904. The story of Spearfish Electric Light and Power will be presented by local historian, Larry Miller. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 12:00 noon; admission by donation.

May 24, 2017—Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall


May 29, 2017—Monday
City Offices Closed
 In Honor of Memorial Day

Lead-Deadwood School District Public Meetings
Future of School District Facilities

April 24	10:00 AM at Lead City Hall and 4:00 PM at Deadwood City Hall
April 25	10:00 AM at SLHVC and 2:00 PM at SLHVC and 7:00 PM at SLHVC
April 26	10:00 AM at Deadwood City Hall; 2:00 PM at Deadwood City Hall; and 7:00 PM at Deadwood City Hall
May 9	5:00 PM at LDHS and 7:00 PM in at LDHS
May 10	10:00 AM at SLHVC and 2:00 PM in Lead at SLHVC
May 11	7:00 PM Deadwood Elementary School

May is National Water Safety Month



As the weather warms up, pools are preparing to open and crowds are gearing up to head to the beach. National Water Safety Month is the perfect time to ensure you and your family are prepared to spend a fun, safe day by the water. And the American Red Cross can help! Contact your local aquatic facility to find Lifeguarding and Swimming classes provided by Red Cross instructors, including:

- Learn to Swim Course
- Preschool Aquatics (Swimming Course for Children)
- Parent and Child Aquatics
- Home Pool Essentials
- Safety Training for Swim Coaches and Instructors

Swimming is the most popular summer activity. While the best thing you can do to help your family stay safe is to enroll in age-appropriate swim lessons, it is also important to follow these water safety tips whenever you are in, on or around water:

- Swim in designated areas supervised by lifeguards.
- Always swim with a buddy
- Never leave a young child unattended near water
- Have young children or inexperienced swimmers wear U.S. Coast Guard-approved life jackets around water, but do not rely on life jackets alone.
- Establish water safety rules for your family and enforce them without fail.
- If you go boating, wear a life jacket! Most boating fatalities occur from drowning.
- Avoid alcohol use. Alcohol impairs judgment, balance and coordination; affects swimming and diving skills; and reduces the body's ability to stay warm.

Take a minute today to sign up for a swimming course and review water safety tips before summer arrives.

Shop Local.....That Means Deadwood!!

How many times have you needed a birthday or anniversary present? How many times have you wanted a special wine or beer? How many times have you wanted to give someone that special something? MANY! But the big question is how many times did you acquire all that in Deadwood without going anywhere else? Deadwood is our town and it has MANY opportunities for locals, as well as visitors, to shop, eat and enjoy entertainment. If you haven't traveled downtown, you probably don't know you can eat at over 30 restaurants in town, buy incredible art and jewelry, purchase a new outfit for that special occasion or just enjoy a variety of incredible shopping experiences. Deadwood is NOT just a souvenir town, our shops offer a huge variety of clothing, shoes, hats, candles, soaps, picture frames, and MORE! Next time you are thinking of going out of Deadwood to shop, take time to wander downtown and really check out all we have in our own front yard!

Deadwood Volunteer Fire Department - From Ken's Desk

Recent events have raised some questions on smoke detectors: How many? Placement? Type? Special features?

How Many?

National Fire Protection recommends that smoke detectors be installed:

- In all sleeping areas
- Outside of all sleeping areas, within 21' of any door to a sleeping room
- On every level of the residence including the basement
- In living areas

Types of detectors?

Two Basic types - Ionization and Photoelectric

- **Ionization Smoke Alarms** are best at detecting the small partials of fast, flaming fires, but tested poorly for detecting smoky, smoldering fires. Ionization detectors are prone to false alarms from burnt food and steam, so do not install near bathrooms or kitchens. Standard ionization alarms have been found to react much slower, if at all, at elevations above 3,500 feet. They are less expensive to purchase.
- **Photoelectric Smoke Alarms** are best at detecting large particles typical of smoky, smoldering fires, but poor at detecting fast, flaming fires. They are less prone to false alarms from steam and burnt food, so these are recommended for kitchen and bathroom areas.
- **Dual-Sensor Smoke Alarms** combine ionization and photoelectric technology to detect fast, flaming fires and slow smoldering, smoky fires. Generally one of the sensors is more sensitive than the other and consumers do not know if the ionization or the photo-electric.

Features to Consider

- **Power source:** hardwired require an electrical professional to install. Battery only alarms are simple to install and they work when power fails, but need batteries changed on a regular basis unless they are new ten-year lithium batteries that last the life of the detector. Plug-ins are available, but generally do not allow proper placement.
- **Battery back-up:** A battery back-up for hardwired smoke alarms offers security if power fails, as long as the batteries are working. Battery operated have a warning that batteries are getting low and need serviced
- **Interconnectability:** You can link all smoke detectors so that if one sounds they all sound. Hardwired homes are generally wired for interconnectability. In home without wiring alarms can be purchased that are wireless interconnected.
- **Hush Buttons:** Most detectors have a hush/test button that will silence a nuisance smoke alarm without disabling the alarm.

Special Types alarms

- **Strobe lights alarms:** Some smoke alarms have integral strobe lights and some have add-on strobes lights for the hearing impaired.
- **Voice alarms;** many pre-teenagers who slept through a tone alarm awoke to a pre-recorded message from loved ones.
- **Safety lights:** some alarms are equipped with a light that lights the exit path for help in exiting.

Now you can go home and decide if you have the adequate fire protection for your family within your residence. Next time we will visit proper placement and maintenance of smoke detectors, but if you have any questions feel free to contact Ken at the Fire Hall, 578-1212. Remember to check the batteries on your detector at least 2 times a year and test your detector once a month.

Railroad Street Parking Lot

The parking plan for the Railroad Street Parking Lot is as follows:

- The Southeast side of the parking lot will be used for Charter Busses only
- The Northwest side of the parking lot will be available for vehicle parking

Effective May 1st through October 31st



Burn Permits are REQUIRED for Outdoor Fire Pits. They are Free.
Please contact the Fire Department at 578-1212 for more information.

HP Programs Review

In March 2017, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission approved nine grant requests.

Margaret Sulentic - Foundation and Elderly Programs

Ron Russo - Foundation Program

Robert & Mary Sjomeling - Foundation Program

Joe & Gwen Martin - Siding and Windows Programs

Troy Gorons - Foundation, Windows, and Siding Programs

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

CHAMBER CORNER

Deadwood Cinco de Mayo Celebration - Saturday, May 6

Come to Deadwood to celebrate Cinco de Mayo! This FREE event is fun for the whole family. All Main Street activities are FREE!

Noon - 6 p.m.: Main Street activities - Kid's Bounce Castles, Gigantic Darts, Petting Zoo, Ride the Train, Games, Prizes, Treats & more!

4 p.m. - 7 p.m.: Taco & Nacho Bar - Buffalo Bodega Complex; Cost is \$10 for the bar, all you care to eat. Proceeds to benefit local charities. Included in your meal ticket is a raffle ticket; your meal ticket could be worth a great prize, like hotel stays, Chamber Bucks, gift certificates and more!

5 p.m. - 8 p.m.: FREE entertainment - Live band at the Stockade at the Buffalo Bodega Complex (in case of inclement weather, band will play inside the Buffalo-Bodega)

Noon - 8 p.m.: Margarita March - For \$15, sample more than 10 margaritas at different locations throughout Deadwood! Buy your Margarita March ticket at the Bodega Bar. Locations TBD.



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

9 AM - 5 PM Daily

Suggested donation: \$5 for adults, \$2 for children.

Historic Adams House

9 AM - 5 PM Daily

Admission: Adults \$10, Children 6-12 \$5, Children 5 & under free

Homestake Adams Research & Cultural Center (HARCC)

10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Visitor Info Center

10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

Days of '76 Museum

9 AM - 5 PM Daily

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)

Deadwood Courthouse

8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Chamber of Commerce

8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)



TROLLEY SCHEDULE

FALL AND WINTER, 2016-2017

DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS	TIME RUNNING
EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 5, 2016 UNTIL MAY 30, 2017		
Monday through Thursday	1 Trolley	8:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT
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.
Sunday	1st Trolley	8:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT
	2nd Trolley	1:30 P.M. to 9:30 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. Thank you.

Fourth trolley will run during special events.

As of September 6, Deadwood Trolley will no longer be doing North/South bound split- schedule, we will be running the whole route with one trolley as in the past. Brochures will be made available.

MAIN STREET INITIATIVE UPDATE

The Deadwood Revitalization, Main Street Initiative Promotions Committee, and the Deadwood Neighborhood Council will be hosting a **Plant-Swap Garden Party** on **Thursday, June 1 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the new Deadwood Welcome Center, 501 Main Street.** Never been to one? The basics: Bring plants divided from your garden and additional container plants to share. If you'd like, bring gardening books you've read or tools you no longer need. Bring your garden tips, too!

Local restaurants will be providing free pie and coffee for all to enjoy. While you are there, be the first to preview the new Welcome Center. You do not have to have plants to participate. Hope to see you there!

The Design Committee would like to encourage all of the businesses in Deadwood to take this time to repaint the front entrances to your business and to paint or stain any benches that are in front of your business. Paint grants are available at the City of Deadwood Historic Preservation Office for the exterior of your business. Last year we had a great assortment of flower planters in front of businesses and we want to ask you to do that again this year.

The Deadwood Revitalization and Main Street Initiative committees meet in the Century Room of City Hall, 108 Sherman St.

ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

The Committees meet as follows:

Promotions Committee meets 1st Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. – Louie Lalonde 578-3346

Design Committee meets 2nd Tuesday 10:00 a.m. – Ken Geinger 578-1909

Economic Restructuring Committee 3rd Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. – Dale Berg 381-1855

Organization Committee meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. Bill Pearson 920-1240

Ad Hoc Committee meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesday – call for time – Susan Johnson 717-7000

Watch for monthly updates from the committees regarding the Main Street Initiative.

Join Us June 1 from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the new Deadwood Welcome Center for a Plant-Swap Garden Party!

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. Self-taught Pilates group	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. Self-taught Pilates group		5:30 p.m. Yoga*		
5:30 p.m. Zumba*				

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

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

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.**