

**2017 Deadwood Events**

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

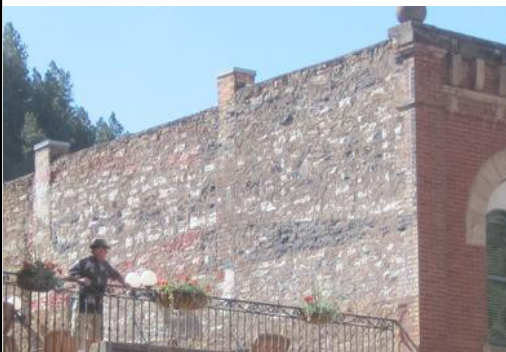
October 27-28, 2017

Veteran's Appreciation Weekend

November 10-12, 2017

More event details go to <http://www.deadwood.com>

**Bringing Ghost Signs Back to Life**



Ghost signs, also referred to faded ads and brick ads, are old hand-painted advertising signs that have been preserved on a building for an extended period and downtown Deadwood is home to many. The signs speak of the people who ran the business, shops and firms; they reflect the City's personality and speak to the present in ways that buildings themselves do not. These historic signs are archeological layers that reveal different periods of human occupancy and use and provide continuity to public spaces, becoming part of the community history.

There are over 15 ghost signs within the Downtown Core District. The Champion Spark Plug sign was selected as a pilot project, sponsored by the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission. Tim Peterson, of Flat Earth Sign Company, brought the ghost sign back to life from 15% condition to 60% restoration in the month of June. Next time you are enjoying Deadwood's Historic Main Street, be sure to take a step back into history by viewing this restoration!



Check out [Historic Preservation Moments on YouTube!](#)  
Search [deadwoodhp on YouTube.](#)  
[Like us on Facebook!](#)  
Search [Deadwood: Historic Preservation Office](#)

The **Lead-Deadwood School District** will hold two special board meetings to discuss its **long-term facility plan**. The meetings will be held on Monday, June 19th at 7:00 PM and on Thursday, July 6th at 7:00 PM. The meetings will be held in the School Board meeting room located at Lead-Deadwood High School. If you have questions, please contact Dr. Dan Leikvold at the Lead-Deadwood Schools Business Office at 605-717-3890.

**Attention Deadwood Seniors:** You can ride the Deadwood Trolley free of charge. Please visit the City of Deadwood Finance Office. To qualify for this as a Deadwood Senior, you must be 60 years of age or older.

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

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**HP Programs Review**  
In May 2017, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission approved 15 grant requests.  
*Haverberg Family Ltd Ptr - Facade Program*  
*Judy Pease - Windows and Foundation Programs*  
*Rich Turbiville - Windows Program*  
*Raven Van Tassel - Windows and Siding Programs*  
*Rodney & Claudia Howell - Windows & Doors Programs*  
*Michael Besso - Siding & Windows & Doors Programs*  
*Bonnie Fosso - Foundation Program*  
*James Herron - Foundation, Windows & Doors, and Siding Programs*  
*Celebrity Hotel - Champion Sign - Ghost Mural Program*  
**Thank you for helping preserve and maintain Deadwood's historic integrity!**

**CITY OF  
DEADWOOD  
SOUTH DAKOTA**  
**Mark your Calendars!**

**July 3, 2017—Monday**  
City Commission Meeting  
5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall



**July 4, 2017—Tuesday**  
City Offices Closed for  
Independence Day  
Happy 4th of July!

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

**July 7, 14, 21, and 28, 2017: Roaring Twenties Tour of the Historic Adams House** – The Roaring Twenties Tour focuses on the lives of the second family that occupied the Adams House: William Emery Adams, his first wife, Alice, daughters Lucile and Helen, and his second wife, Mary. Advance reservations recommended. Call 605-722-4800 for reservations or purchase online at [DeadwoodHistory.com](http://DeadwoodHistory.com). Funding provided in part by Black Hills & Badlands Tourism Association.

**July 10 – 13, 2017: Mysteries at the Museum Camp** – Campers will learn about Morse code, find secret messages written in invisible ink, and crack an enigmatic code to solve the museum's mysteries. For students going into grades K-2; Days of '76 Museum, 9:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.; \$40 for members and \$50 for non-members. Please call Shantel Pettit, Education Director at 605-578-1657 for reservations. Reservations required.

**July 12, 2017—Wednesday**  
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting  
5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**July 16, 2017 - Sunday**  
Community Wide Picnic at Gordon Park from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

**July 17 – 21, 2017: Camp Chief Eagle** – Students will learn about Native American culture, lifestyle, beliefs, art, and music during this camp. Dallas Chief Eagle will teach children a traditional Native American hoop dance and there will be a performance on the last day of camp for parents to attend. For students going into grades 3-7; Days of '76 Museum; 9:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.; \$45 for members and \$55 for non-members. Please call Shantel Pettit, Education Director at 605-578-1657 for reservations. Reservations required.

**July 17, 2017—Monday**  
City Commission Meeting  
5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**July 19, 2017—Wednesday**  
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting  
5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

**July 21, 2017: History on the Lawn: The Deadwood Fire of 1879** – Join lifelong local historian, Bill Swanson, as he discusses the Deadwood fire of 1879 and the aftermath. The lecture is based on the Black Hills Pioneer newspaper report of 1879. Bring a lunch and enjoy the Historic Adams House lawn; 12:00 p.m.; admission by donation. In case of inclement weather, the lecture will be moved to the Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center (HARCC).

**July 26, 2017—Wednesday**  
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting  
5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

Deadwood History Presents  
**ROARING  
TWENTIES TOUR**



**HISTORIC ADAMS HOUSE**

22 Van Buren St., Deadwood

Friday nights June 2 – July 28

6:00 P.M.

The Roaring Twenties Tour focuses on the lives of the second family that occupied the Adams House: William Emery Adams, his first wife, Alice, daughters Lucile and Helen, and his second wife, Mary.

**Tickets: \$15 for members ♦ \$25 for non-members**  
Advanced reservations recommended.

Call 605-722-4800 or purchase  
online at [DeadwoodHistory.com](http://DeadwoodHistory.com).

Funding provided in part by Black Hills & Badlands Tourism Association,  
Deadwood History, Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission,  
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Visitors Bureau, Spearfish Chamber,  
and Woody's Wild West Pastography.



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The Deadwood Neighborhood  
Council and the  
Young Professionals  
Invite You To the  
Deadwood Community-Wide  
Picnic on Sunday July 16, 2017  
from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.  
at Gordon Park.  
Burgers, hot dogs, & lemonade  
provided. Please bring a salad or  
dessert and lawn chairs.

## Deadwood Volunteer Fire Department - From Ken's Desk

Now that summer is here and camping is on many of our plans this summer, it may be a good time to review a little fire safety for campfires. Campfires are one of the best ways to create lasting memories; let's make sure they are fond memories. Campfires are the nation's leading cause of children's camping injuries and the leading primary catalyst for damaging forest fires. Campfire building may be safely undertaken if you practice proper burning techniques and safety measures to protect yourself and the Black Hills, State and Federal Parks and Forests

- Check the weather forecast. Weather fluctuations, such as sudden gusts of wind, could cause it to burn larger and not in the planned location.
- A safe burning site will be far away from power lines, overhanging tree limbs, building, automobiles, equipment, rotten stumps, shrubs, dry grass, leaves or pine needles. The fire will need a vertical clearance of at least three times the size of the fire flame lengths, as heat extends far past the actual flames that you can see.
- The ground around the fire or burn site should be surrounded by soil or mineral soil (dirt) for at least 10 feet in all directions. Keep the surrounding area watered down.
- Keep the fire in a contained unit such as a burn barrel, BBQ unit, hibachi or small pit with rocks around it. Building a fire directly on the ground can allow the fire to spread underground through a root system or decaying material.
- When building a fire, start with dry twigs and small sticks. Add larger sticks as the fire builds up. Put the largest pieces of wood on last, pointing them towards the center of the fire, and gradually push them into the flames.
- Never use flammable liquids to ignite or keep the fire burning. Avoid gasoline, diesel fuel, lighter fluid and other dangerous fuels.
- After lighting the fire do not discard the match until it is cold and placed in water or the campfire.
- Keep campfire small and don't let them get out of hand. A 2', X2', X2' is a manageable size.
- Stack extra firewood upwind and 10' away from the fire.
- Never allow children or pets near the fire and do not leave them unsupervised.
- Teach children to STOP, DROP, and ROLL if their clothes catch on fire.
- Keep plenty of water nearby and have a shovel for throwing sand /dirt on a fire if it gets out of control.
- Never leave a campfire unattended, even the smallest of breeze may cause the fire to spread quickly.
- When extinguishing the fire, drown it with water. Make sure all the embers, coals, and sticks are wet and cold. If you don't have water mix plenty of soil and sand with the embers. Continue adding and stirring until all material is cooled to bare hand touch.
- Do not bury your coals, they can smolder and start to burn again.



Please have a safe enjoyable summer by practicing fire safety, I THANK YOU and so does SMOKEY BEAR. Let's Keep South Dakota Green!



In 2012, the City of Deadwood embarked on a five year forensic investigation focusing on a set of unidentified remains. The information gleaned from this project was developed into an hour long documentary created by South Dakota Public Broadcasting.

To watch the documentary, please visit the City of Deadwood's webpage and click on the Mt. Moriah Tab, or use the tiny URL: [goo.gl/fTERK2](http://goo.gl/fTERK2)

## CHAMBER CORNER

**July 4, INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE:** Deadwood's annual Independence Day Parade is set for Tuesday, July 4 at 3 p.m. Main Street will be closed for non-parade traffic from 3pm to 4 pm. Fun for the whole family – get your spot early!

**July 11-16, DEADWOOD 3 WHEELER RALLY:** The 3rd annual Deadwood 3 Wheeler Rally (D3WR) takes place July 11-16. The event is hosted by First Gold Casino & Hotel, but attendees have a full Rally schedule that will put them on tour of the Black Hills and spend significant time throughout Deadwood. The 2017 schedule and registration information is available at [d3wr.com](http://d3wr.com). Traffic will be temporarily halted or diverted for the Trike Light Parade at 9 p.m. on Friday, July 14. Main Street from Lee St. to Wall St. will be closed to traffic from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 15 for the Trike Show 'n' Shine. The public is invited to attend the Show 'n' Shine and watch the parades.

**July 25-29, DAYS OF '76 RODEO AND HISTORIC PARADES:** Truly the "Best Rodeo. No Bull". The Days of '76 Rodeo has been named the PRCA Small Outdoor Rodeo of the Year four times and was named PRCA Midsize Rodeo of the Year annually since 2004, with its 13th straight award in 2016. For tickets visit [Daysof76.com](http://Daysof76.com) or call 1-800-344-8826. The 2017 Days of '76 parades on Historic Main Street are July 28 at 1:30 p.m. & July 29 at 10 a.m. For safety purposes traffic flow will be halted on Main Street, Hwy 85 and Hwy 14 (within Deadwood City limits) until the parades are complete. The parades are free, and the public is invited to attend.

**Deadwood Chamber Mixer to kick off the Days** – Hosted by SALOON NO. 10, 657 Main Street, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m., Tuesday, July 25. Please join us in kicking off the Days of '76 at the Saloon No. 10! Bring friends – hors d'oeuvres and refreshments will be served.



**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 SPRING-SUMMER, 2017**

DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS	TIME RUNNING
<b>EFFECTIVE MAY 30 UNTIL SEPTEMBER 5, 2017</b>		
Sunday through Thursday	1st Trolley	8:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT
	2nd Trolley	9:30 A.M. to 10:30 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.
<b>THERE IS NO 24-HOUR SERVICE</b>		
<p>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</p>		

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 and the Deadwood Neighborhood Council would like to thank everyone who attended the Plant-Swap Garden Party on June 1 at the new Deadwood Welcome Center. With many plants swapped, gardening tips shared and close to 100 pieces of pie consumed, we feel the event was a success.

We are now in the planning stages of a "Little Black Dress" event set for Nov. 3 which will benefit Multiple Sclerosis and the Deadwood Revitalization Committee. Other events being discussed are a Wild Bill to Wild Bill 5k run and a Fall Equinox Holistic Fair. The next meeting will be July 5 at 1pm at the City Hall Century Room.

The Design Committee would like to remind all business to make sure their storefronts and backs look as inviting and you can. The Champion Ghost Mural at the Celebrity is finished and if you have a Mural that you would like restored please contact HPC. The Design group and the Upper Main Street Block Club cleaned up the entrance to Deadwood coming off Hwy 85 on to Upper Main. Many Businesses have put flowers in front of their businesses and on the City Light poles on Main Street. Please take a good look at the Utility Boxes around Deadwood that have been wrapped with historical pictures. 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 3:30 p.m. – Bill Glover

Economic Restructuring Committee 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 a.m. – Ken Geinger 578-1909

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.

**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.