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### \* 2016 Deadwood Events \*

ISOC Snowcross Shootout
January 22-23

Mardi Gras Weekend January 29-30

SD's Largest Tailgate Party
February 7

St. Patrick's Day Weekend March 18-19

Forks, Corks & Kegs Festival
April 8-10

Cinco de mayo Celebration

May 7

Wild Bill Hickok Days
June 17-19

Independence Day Parade

July 4

**Days of '76**July 26-30

Sturgis Rally & Races
August 6-14

**Kool Deadwood Nites** 

August 25-28

Deadwood Jam

September 16-17

Octoberfest

September 30-October 1

Wild West Songwriter's Festival

October 6-8

<u>Deadweird</u>

October 28-29

Veteran's Appreciation Weekend

November 11-13

More event details go to <a href="http://www.deadwood.org">http://www.deadwood.org</a>

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# Deadwood's Days of '76 Wins 12th Straight PRCA Rodeo of the Year Award



That's an even dozen. Deadwood's Days of '76 Rodeo brought home its 12th consecutive PRCA Medium Rodeo of the Year award during the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association's (PRCA) National Convention Wednesday night (Dec. 2), in Las Vegas. The rodeo, billed the "Best Rodeo. No Bull." Has won the award annually since 2004. Prior to that, it had won the PRCA Small Rodeo of the Year award four times, as well as the Badlands Circuit Rodeo of the year. 2016

will mark the 94th annual Days of '76 Rodeo in Historic Deadwood. The event, July 26-30, includes five days of rodeo action along with historic parades. Days of '76 Committee members, including 2015 Chairman Jim Mattson and 2016 Chairman Ron Burns, both of Deadwood, were on hand to accept the award. Nominated alongside the Days of '76 in the Medium Outdoor Rodeo category for 2015 were rodeos in Estes Park, Colorado; Lufkin, Texas; Sidney, Iowa; and Stephenville, Texas.

### CITY OF DEADWOOD YEARS OF SERVICE



At the City Commission meeting on December 7, 2015, the following employees were recognized for their years of service to the City of Deadwood.

Left to Right: Donovan Renner (Water Dept.) 20 years, Carol Hauck (Library) 25 years, Kelly Fuller (Police) 20 years, Chuck Quenzer (Public Works) 25 years, Alex Hamann (Police) 25 years, Bill Binder (Parks) 5 years, Mayor Chuck Turbiville, Rob Lester (Police) 20 years and Sarah Solano (Police) 25 years.

Thanks for your service and dedication to the City of Deadwood.



January 1, 2016 Friday - New Years Day!!!!
City Offices Closed

January 4, 2016—Monday City Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

January 6, 2016—Wednesday Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

January 7, 2016 – Preservation Thursday: Black Hills Vigilantes and Their Victims — Local historian, Wayne Gilbert, will discuss Black Hills vigilantes and their victims. There were relatively few actual vigilante lynchings in the Black Hills during frontier days, and each one comes with an interesting back story. Starting with the infamous incident at "Hangman's Hill" in Rapid City and continuing to the lynchings at "Fiddler's Trees" in Sturgis, this presentation will provide some interesting details about the actions of the vigilance committees in the Black Hills, and the consequences of those actions. Days of '76 Museum; 12:00 p.m.; admission by donation.

January 8 & 9, 2016 Red Dirt Music Festival - Time to get down and dirty in Deadwood, as the first-ever two-day Deadwood Red Dirt Music Festival featuring Randy Rogers, Casey Donahue, Chancey Williams, Black Earth Revival (formerly Rebel Raised) and William Clarke Green, tears into town January 8 and 9, 2016, with plenty of chances to kick up a little dust at Deadwood Mountain Grand. Tickets are available at ticketmaster.com.

#### January 9 & 10, 2016

City of Deadwood Recreation Center CLOSED

January 13, 2016 —Wednesday Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

January 18, 2016—Monday
Dr. Martin Luther Kings Birthday Holiday
CITY OFFICES CLOSED

January 19, 2016—Tuesday City Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

<u>January 20, 2016—Wednesday</u> Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

January 22 & 23, 2016: Deadwood Snocross Showdown—Professional snowmobile racing is coming back to Historic Deadwood, January 22-23, 2016. More than 150 of the top professional Snocross racers will descend on the Days of '76 Sports Complex for a weekend of high-flying, high-speed, high-octane snowmobile racing. See it live! Tickets available at www.DeadwoodSnoCross.com

January 23, 2016: Stained Glass Workshop—Ever wonder how stained glass was made or what the meaning of the design might be? Learn about the history of stained glass, and make your own special design to take home. Light refreshments provided. For students in grades K-6. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.; \$6 for museum members and \$11 for non-members. Reservations required. Please call Shantel Pettit, Education Director, at 605-578-1657 for reservations.

January 27, 2016 —Wednesday Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

January 29 & 30, 2016: Mardi Gras Weekend — It's the best party north of the Bayou! Celebrate Mardi Gras in the Wild West, with a weekend full of free parades, costume contests, parties and live music.

### Ground Breaking Ceremony for the New Deadwood Welcome Center

Construction will begin with a Ground Breaking Ceremony on Monday, January 4, 2016, 4:00 p.m. at the Lower Main Street parking lot south end and the estimated completion date is May 2017. When complete, the facility will include interactive displays on Deadwood's history as well as an information center, and house the Deadwood Chamber of Commerce.

During the construction of the Welcome Center, parking will be limited and may not be available at times in the Lower Main parking lot. You are encouraged to find alternative parking during the construction.



### **Changes in Snow Removal Ordinance**

The Deadwood Public Works Department reminds you that sidewalks need to be cleared within 24 hours after the snow stops falling. If an owner of any building deliberately or intentionally places snow or ice on a public street or right of way in such a way as to obstruct the normal flow of vehicular or pedestrian traffic, the City Public Works Director may arrange for an independent contractor to remove the snow and ice. The city may also, at its discretion, remove the snow or ice if it deems such action appropriate. In either case, the city shall be entitled to a fifty-dollar (\$50.00) fee for the costs of arranging the removal plus the actual cost paid to the contractor or, in the event the removal is done by city employees, the sum of seventy one dollars and fifty cents (\$71.50) plus material per hour for each employee. Each day the owner fails to remove the snow and ice, after notice, the owner will be subject to a civil fine in an amount not to exceed one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per day for each separate violation.

Any individual or business that fails to remove snow and ice or arrange for removal of snow and ice within the period shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a maximum fine of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

The Public Works Department appreciates the cooperation of the citizens to assure our streets are passable and our sidewalks are safe. If there are questions please feel free to contact the Public Works Department at your convenience 578-3082.

### January is the Deadliest Month for Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

Consumer Reports News: January 03, 2008 12:19 PM

According to a new study by the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the first month of the year is the worst for carbon monoxide poisoning. At least two people die each day from carbon-monoxide poisoning in January—three times the fatality rate recorded in August and July. Unintentional carbon monoxide exposure accounted for 15,000 emergency room visits annually between 1999 and 2004, with an average of 439 people dying each year.

Fatalities were highest among men and senior citizens: Men because they are engaged in more high-risk behaviors such as working with fuel-burning tools or appliances and seniors because they are likely to mistake the symptoms of CO poisoning (headaches, nausea, dizziness or confusion) for the flu or fatigue. It should come as no surprise that CO deaths are the highest in winter (December is the second highest month). Cold weather increases the use of gas-powered furnaces as well as the use of risky alternative heating and power sources (portable generators, charcoal briquettes, propane stoves or grills) during power outages. It's also understandable that the highest CO death rates are in colder states: Nebraska, Wyoming, Alaska, Montana and North Dakota. By contrast, California has the lowest fatality rate.

With these sobering facts it's a good time to remember the following safety tips to prevent CO poisoning:

- Have your heating system, water heater and any other gas, oil or coal-burning appliance inspected and serviced by a qualified technician every year.
- Install battery-operated CO detectors on every level of your home.
- Don't use a generator, charcoal grill, camp stove or other gasoline or charcoal-burning device inside the home, basement or garage or outside the home near a window.
- Don't burn anything in an unvented stove or fireplace.
- Don't let a vehicle idle inside a garage attached to a house, even if the garage door is left open.
- Don't heat a house with a gas oven.

If a CO detector sounds, leave your home immediately and call 911 from outside. Seek prompt medical attention if you suspect CO poisoning and if you or someone in your household is feeling dizzy, lightheaded or nauseated.

### **Chamber Corner - Upcoming Deadwood Events & Happenings**

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January 21: 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 21.

January 22-23: Deadwood Snocross Showdown – Professional snowmobile racing is coming back to Historic Deadwood, January 22-23, 2016. More than 150 of the top professional Snocross racers will descend on the Days of '76 Sports Complex for a weekend of high-flying, high-speed, high-octane snowmobile racing. See it live! Tickets available at www.DeadwoodSnoCross.com.

January 29-30: Mardi Gras Weekend - It's the best party north of the Bayou! Celebrate Mardi Gras in the Wild West, with a weekend full of free parades, costume contests, parties and live music. Friday night at 8 p.m. join us for the Masquerade Party which includes the coronation of the King and Queen, a costume contest and over \$2,000 in cash and prizes! On Saturday, taste some of the finest Cajun food in the region at cook-off locations around town from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Then get a spot on Main Street for the annual Mardi Gras parade at 7 p.m. and collect your share of over 100,000 sets of beads! Both nights enjoy Mardi Gras music by Curley Taylor and Zydeco Trouble - straight from Louisiana's Creole country. Open containers are allowed in designated areas from 5 to 10 p.m. on Friday, January 29 and Noon to 10 p.m. on Saturday, January 30. For additional information visit Deadwood.com/events.

### **Hours of Operation**

<u>Deadwood City Hall</u> 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)

<u>Deadwood Public Works Office</u> 7:30 AM - 3:30 PM (Mon - Fri)

<u>Lead-Deadwood Landfill</u>
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 (October)
10 AM - 4 PM (Tue-Sun)
Closed Mondays
Admission by Donation

Historic Adams House (October)
10 AM - 4 PM (Tue-Sun)
Closed Mondays
Admission: Children 6 & under FREE
Adults \$5.50 Children (7-13) \$2.50

Homestake Adams Research & Cultural Center (HARCC)

10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

<u>Deadwood Visitor Info Center</u> 10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

Days of '76 Museum

10 AM - 4 PM (Tue-Sun)

Closed Mondays

Admission: Children 6 & under FREE

Adults \$5.50 Children (7-13) \$2.50

<u>Deadwood Fire Department</u> 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

<u>Deadwood Police Department</u> 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

> <u>Deadwood Courthouse</u> 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

<u>Deadwood Chamber of Commerce</u> 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)



## TROLLEY SCHEDULE FALL AND WINTER 2015-2016

DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS TIME RUNNING					
OCTOBER 5, 2015 UNTIL MAY 30, 2016						
Monday through Thursday	1 Trolley	8:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT				
Friday and Saturday	1st Trolley	7:00 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	7:00 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.

#### "ADOPT A HYDRANT":

Help the City keep fire hydrants clear of snow so firefighters can easily locate & access water; this preserves valuable time potentially save lives & structures.

Check out <u>Historic Preservation Moments</u> on YouTube!

Search deadwoodhp on YouTube. Like us on Facebook!

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

#### **Deadwood Recreational Center**

#### **Recreation Center**

Will be closed January 9 & 10, 2016

#### Fee Change

Beginning in January the fee to use the Recreation Center will increase. Please call the Recreation Center for more information.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			Cycling		
5:30am	Cycling	5:30am	6am	5:30am	9:00am
Kettlebells	6-6:40am	Kettlebells	Conditioning	Kettlebells	Yoga*
Self Taught	Conditioning	Self Taught	6:40-7:10am	Self Taught	
	6:40-7:10am				
7:00 am		7:00am	Conditioning	7:00 am	
Water	Conditioning	Water	6:30 am	Water	
Exercise,	6:30 am	Exercise, Pool	Self-taught	Exercise,	
Pool	Self-taught		group,	Pool	
	group,	8:ooam	All welcome		
8:00 am	anyone	Water		8:00 am	
Water Exer-	welcome.	Exercise,	5:15-6:15 pm	Water	
cise,		Pool	Self-taught	Exercise,	
Pool	5:15 -6:15pm		Pilates group,	Pool	
	Classroom	5:30 pm	Upper Class-		
5:15-6:00pm	Reserved,	Yoga*	room		
Self-taught	Exercise	8			
Pilates	Group		5:30pm		
group,	r		Zumba*		
Upper	5:30 pm		Lumou		
Classroom	Yoga*		Guided		
Classiooni	1084		Meditations		
5:30 pm			6:30pm-7:30pm		
Zumba*			Starting Jan.7th		
Zuillbd			Starting Jan.7th		

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

<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.