

*** 2016 Deadwood Events ***

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

Deadweird

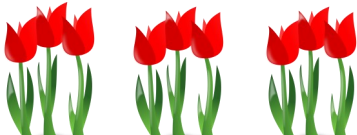
October 28-29

Veteran's Appreciation Weekend

November 11-13

More event details go to

<http://www.deadwood.org>



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

HP Moment: 2015 Chinese Textile Conservation Project

After more than a year of waiting and anticipation, the City of Deadwood received the cleaned and stabilized clothing unearthed during the 2001 Deadwood Chinatown archaeological investigation. In January of 2015, the City of Deadwood hired the Midwest Art Conservation Center (MACC) located in the Minneapolis Institute of Art in Minneapolis, Minnesota to hydrate, clean, and flatten a large clump of fabric associated with a Daoist death ritual known as "shao hua". In the Chinese language, "shao hua" is defined as the cremation or burning of objects as an offering to the dead. The ceremony is performed within the first few hours after a person's death. Upon its arrival at the MACC, textile conservators began the daunting task of rehydrating fabric and flattening out the garments. During the course of the project, emails and digital photographs were periodically sent to City Staff. One of the more fascinating discoveries during the conservation was the intricate floral embroidery on one of the garments. In addition to the clothing, an assortment of personal possessions, food offerings, Chinese currency, and opium and smoking paraphernalia were found wrapped inside the textiles at the time of discovery by South Dakota State Archaeologists. This project is just one of several conservation projects to be funded by the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission and City of Deadwood in recent years.



Upon completion of this project, the clothing and associated artifacts will provide a unique glimpse into 19th century traditional Chinese clothing and mortuary rituals. A detailed account of this project will be featured on Deadwood's Historic Preservation YouTube channel.



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Deadwood's Residential Spring Clean-up Week is May 16-20, 2016

The Tri-City Rubble Site will be open for free dumping from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. May 16-20, 2016. All Deadwood residents may use the rubble site free of charge during this time. If you have large objects you are physically unable to move please contact Deadwood Public Works, (605) 578-3082, to schedule removal. Some items will not be accepted. For a complete list of what is or isn't accepted please go to the City of Deadwood Website, www.cityofdeadwood.com, call Deadwood Public Works at (605) 578-3082 or the Tri-City Rubble Site at (605) 920-8957.

Highway 85 Construction

Weekly meetings are held every Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. in the City Hall Commission Chambers. **Please Note: The Weekly Public Meeting scheduled for May 10 has been rescheduled to May 11, 2016 at 11:00 a.m.** For further information feel free to contact Project Solutions at (605) 718-4046 or view notices online at the City of Deadwood website homepage www.cityofdeadwood.com under **Hwy 85 Project**.

CITY OF DEADWOOD
SOUTH DAKOTA
Mark your Calendars!

May 2, 2016—Monday
City Commission Meeting - 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 3, 2016: Kids Summer Recreation Fair - Come to the fair and learn what recreational activities are available in the area this summer to keep your child occupied, engaged and active. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.; free admission.

May 4, 2016 —Wednesday
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting - 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 8, 2016: 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. Please call 605-578-3724 or 605-578-1657 for more information.

May 11, 2016—Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting - 5:00 p.m. Deadwood City Hall

May 12, 2016: Preservation Thursday - If you Have to Grow Up, it Might as well be in a Small Town –Growing up in a 1950s small town has some unique advantages that modern children will never experience. This storytelling type lecture, presented by South Dakota Humanities Council Speaker's Bureau Scholar, Phyllis Schrag, is sure to delight audiences as it explores commonalities found in most regional small towns. Details of lessons learned from a child's point-of-view will evoke many individual memories among audience members. Days of '76 Museum; 12:00 p.m.; admission by donation.

May 15, 2016—Sunday
Lawrence County Historic Society Spring Meeting — 12:00 p.m. @ HARCC

May 16, 2016—Monday
City Commission Meeting - 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 16-20, 2016 — Spring Clean Up

May 18, 2016 —Wednesday
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting - 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 21, 2016: Static Electricity Workshop – Students are invited to the Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center (HARCC) to learn about static electricity. They will do experiments and other activities to test how static electricity works. For students in grades K-6. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.; \$6 for museum members, \$11 for non-members. Reservations required. Please call Shantel Herman, Education Director, at 605-578-1657 for reservations.

May 25, 2016—Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting - 5:00 p.m. Deadwood City Hall

Memorial Day **May 30, 2016—Monday** **Memorial Day**
City Offices Closed
in Honor of
Memorial Day

Join the VFW Post 5969 on **Monday, May 30 at 9:00 a.m.** for the **"MEMORIAL DAY" program**. This program will be to honor those who paid the ultimate price for our freedoms. For questions please call (605) 722-9914

Housing Study
The Deadwood/Lead Economic Development has completed a housing study. To view the study please go to <http://www.deadwoodleadedc.com/>

CODE RED

By now you should be familiar with the City of Deadwood's new high-speed mass notification system to keep our residents informed. CodeRED provides two important notification services: **General** and **Emergency** messages.

- **General** messages will be received from **855-969-4636**, which are used to communicate non-life safety matters, such as community events, planned road closures, water main repairs, and power service interruptions.
- **Emergency** messages will be received from **866-419-5000** and will keep citizens informed of emergencies such as an evacuation notice, utility outages, fire or floods, severe weather, or other emergency situations.

You are encouraged to program these numbers into your cell phone so the phone number will be easily identifiable. If you need to replay the message again, simply dial the number and you will be able to hear the message again.

The City of Deadwood encourages citizens to stay informed by signing up for CodeRED. If you have already signed up for CodeRED and would like to modify which messages you receive, simply go to the City of Deadwood website, www.cityofdeadwood.com, and select the CodeRED signup on the upper right of the homepage. You are asked to fill in the required information again. Under "Phones" you will see check boxes for Alert Types and you are able to select or

Alert Types

- Emergency Notifications
- General Notifications

deselect the notifications you wish to receive. If you do not have internet or would like assistance modifying your notifications, please call (605)578-2082. There is also an app called **CodeRED Mobile Alert** that can be downloaded onto your smartphone for free from iTunes or Google Play which will allow you to modify your notifications and settings as well.



CODE RED Mobile Alert app

ecnetwork.com/coderedmobilealert/

Lawrence County Historical Society Spring Meeting at the HARCC

DEADWOOD – The Lawrence County Historical Society will host their spring meeting at the Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center (HARCC) on Sunday, May 15, 2016, at 12:00 p.m. The cost, including lunch is \$15.00 per person. Please call Donna Watson at 605-578-9770 for reservations or more information.

The spring meeting will focus on the Botanical Legacy of Deadwood's Chinatown District. Archaeological excavations from 2001-2004 revealed several major structures in Deadwood's Chinatown District. Also noted were privies and a ceremonial pit that was probably used for disposal of personal items. The Black Hills State University (BHSU) herbarium – a plant research facility located in Spearfish, South Dakota – has recently analyzed materials collected from the site.

The presentation will introduce the BHSU herbarium and its botanical research projects, summarize the known history of Deadwood's Chinatown District, report on the composition of plant specimens recovered to date from the study site, and offer preliminary insights on uses of plants by the Chinese population.

City of Deadwood Pet Registration - May 7, 2016 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. During Cinco de Mayo Festival:

Please bring current rabies vaccination. License for neutered male or spayed female dog or cat is \$5.00. License for unneutered female dog or cat is \$10.00. Licenses are valid from the first day of May until the 13th day of April of the following year.



Deadwood Spring Community Event

Starbucks at Tin Lizzie is partnering with the City of Deadwood for a Spring Community Event.

On Saturday, April 30, 2016, a community of volunteers will gather for a day of cleaning and landscaping a few of Deadwood's cherished locations in town. From 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m., volunteers will clean up the George S. Michelson Trail Head, landscape Deadwood City Hall and the Deadwood Recreation Center. Participants will meet at Deadwood City Hall by 9:30 a.m. at 108 Sherman Street.

To thank those that participate, Tin Lizzie Gaming Resort will host a BBQ lunch immediately after the community event. Want to take part? Contact Rocky Fishman, Tin Lizzie Starbucks Store Manager, at 605-787-3912 or visit Tin Lizzie Gaming Resort or Hotel Alex Johnson Starbucks locations.



May Safety - Electrical Safety and Bicycle Safety



ELECTRICAL SAFETY



May is National Electrical Safety Month. It's a good time to look around your home and eliminate overloaded electrical outlets, worn or damaged electrical cords, and appliances that spark. Children don't always know -- or remember -- what can be dangerous, so it's up to adults to watch out for their safety.

Electricity and toddlers don't mix. Help protect your child by placing protective covers on all unused outlets within the child's reach.

The number one electrical safety rule for anyone to remember is this: Don't touch a power line or anything that's touching the power line such as a tree limb, kite string, or model airplane. No one can tell by looking at a line whether it is energized or not, and contact with a power line can be deadly. Summer activities include tossing footballs and playing badminton. Teach your children the importance of getting help from adults if they need to retrieve balls or anything from a power line.

Keep liquids, such as soft drinks, away from electrical items, including TVs, VCRs, and computers. They could spill and cause dangerous shocks and fires.

When there is lightning, stay away from trees and get inside.

Help children learn to stay away from transformers and other ground-mounted electrical equipment.

Remember; keep power tools and electric lawn tools away from swimming pools and sprinklers. Water and electricity don't mix!

Power tools should never be used when children are in, or are around, the area.

Keep children well away from lawnmowers, weed-eaters, and other products that may throw objects, such as rocks and sticks.

Little boys love tree houses. Remember; don't build tree houses in trees near electric lines. Never allow your children to climb trees growing near power lines.

Kids and Bicycle Safety



Over 800 people die in the U.S. from bicycle crashes, mostly from head injuries.

Studies show wearing a helmet can prevent injuries more than 85% of the time. May is Bicycle Safety Month, and this is a good time to fit your whole family with bike helmets!

No helmets on playgrounds! Kids have died from strangulation on monkey bars when their helmets got caught. Remind your children to take their helmets off when getting off their bikes.

Nearly 1/3 of car-bike crashes occur when a child rides a bicycle down a driveway, into the path of a car. Teach your kids how important it is to stop, look left, look right, look left again and

listen to be sure no cars are coming, before entering a street.

Be bright...dress right! Bright clothing can double the distance from which a driver sees a child during the day. Children who can be seen are less likely to be hit by a motor vehicle.

Chamber Corner - Upcoming Deadwood Events & Happenings

May 7, 2016 - Deadwood's 5th Annual Cinco de Mayo Festival

Join the fun on Saturday, May 7 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Main Street! The outdoor family activities include free rides on the miniature train, youth bike safety check, bouncy house & slides fun, and summer youth program sign up stations. New this year is a free ice cream cone social at 2:00 p.m. Kids can register for their chance to "Break the Piñata" at 3:00 p.m. and win a youth bike at 3:30 p.m. Don't forget to be on Main Street at 10:45 a.m. for the Shriner's parade! All proceeds will benefit the Northern Hills Alliance for Children preschool and daycare. The Cinco de Mayo Fiesta from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. is open to the public and includes live music, silent auction items, and an all you can eat taco buffet for \$10 at the Bodega. Many thanks to the City of Deadwood and BID7 for being co-sponsors of this fun family friendly community event!

TROLLEY SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 5, 2015—MAY 30, 2016

DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS	TIME RUNNING
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. Fourth trolley will run during special events. Thank you.

Historic Preservation Paint Grant Program

The Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission recognizes pride of ownership is a valuable resource and improves the quality of life in this community and has established the Paint Grant Program, for up to \$500.00, to inspire property maintenance and improvement of Deadwood's historic neighborhoods and commercial district. To be eligible for the Paint Grant Program, a property must meet the following qualifications:

- The property must be located within the Deadwood city limits
- The property, commercial or residential, must be at least 20 years or older
- The property must not have used the Program in the previous five years
- The Paint Grant Program is only available for exterior surfaces

Please contact the Historic Preservation Office at 605-578-2082 or visit www.cityofdeadwood.com for more information!

HP Programs Review

In March 2016, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission approved one grant request. Dale Berg, 650 Main Street, received the Façade Program. Thank you Mr. Berg for helping preserve and maintain Deadwood's historic integrity.

Deadwood Recreational Center

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5:30 a.m. Kettlebells Self Taught	Cycling 6-6:40 a.m. Conditioning 6:40-7:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m. Kettlebells Self Taught	Cycling 6:00 a.m. Conditioning 6:40-7:10 a.m.	5:30 a.m. Kettlebells Self Taught	9:00 a.m. Yoga*
7:00 a.m. Water Exercise, Pool	Conditioning 6:30 a.m. Self-taught group, anyone welcome.	7:00 a.m. Water Exercise, Pool	Conditioning 6:30 a.m. Self-taught group, All welcome	7:00 a.m. Water Exercise, Pool	
8:00 a.m. Water Exercise, Pool	5:15-6:15 p.m. Classroom Reserved, Exercise Group	8:00 a.m. Water Exercise, Pool	5:15-6:15 p.m. Self-taught Pilates group, Upper Classroom	8:00 a.m. Water Exercise, Pool	
5:15-6:00 p.m. Self-taught Pilates group, Upper Classroom	5:30 p.m. Yoga*	5:30 p.m. Yoga*	5:30p.m. Zumba*		
5:30 p.m. Zumba*			Guided Meditations 6:30p.m.-7:30p.m.		

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

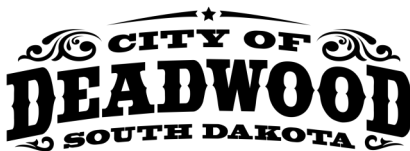
IMPORTANT NUMBERS

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.



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

Admission by Donation

Historic Adams House

9 AM - 5 PM Daily

Admission: Adults \$6; children 7 - 13 \$3; and children 6 and under are 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: Children 6 & under FREE
Adults \$5.50 Children (7-13) \$2.50

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)