



Volume 2, Issue 10 October 2015

### \* 2015 Deadwood Events \*

Oktoberfest
October 2-3

Wild West Songwriter's Festival

October 8-10

Deadweird

October 30-31

Veterans Appreciation Weekend

November 7-9

#### \* 2016 Deadwood Events \*

ISOC Snowcross Shootout
January 22-23

Mardi Gras Weekend January 29-30

St. Patrick's Day Weekend March 18-19

Forks, Corks & Kegs Festival April 8-10

Wild Bill Hickok Days
June 17-19

Independence Day Parade

July 4

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

Sturgis Rally & Races
August 6-17

Kool Deadwood Nites August 25-28

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

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## A String of Pearls

## Revitalization Plan called a "Game Changer" for Deadwood



The Chamber's Revitalization Committee conducted a series of community meetings, including one at the VFW during "burger night". Following these meetings the Deadwood Chamber Board, BID District Board 1-6, and the Deadwood Business Club all have unanimously voted to support the Main Street

Project plans presented in the public meetings. The Revitalization Committee continues their work exploring acquisition options, financing opportunities and overall operations discussions between all interested parties. The master plan was also presented to Jim Hagen,

Secretary of the Department of Tourism, who voiced his enthusiasm and support for the plan. The finance committee is working hard on the CenturyLink acquisition and a financing plan for the project!

Follow our progress on line at: <a href="www.plandeadwood.com">www.plandeadwood.com</a> or view the plans at the Celebrity Hotel. Over the next month, more Deadwood storefronts will have the plan on display.



#### A String of Pearls

Not one "plaza" but a "String of Pearls:" Different public assets with different roles, all connected together.

#### 1 85/14A Junction

Initial orientation point

#### 2 Rodeo Grounds

- Large outdoor event space
- Planned events
- · Community life
- Significant traffic

#### 3 Visitors' Center/south lot

- A "just right" taste of Deadwood
- Parking/transit-trail interface

## 4 Main Street Confluence

Arrival at core district

## 5 Winery

Special place at the elbow

## 6 CenturyLink Site

- Strategic outdoor "room"
- Planned or impromptu events, including winter events
- Main Street oriented
- · Active all the time
- Adaptable to street closures for special events

#### 7 Silverado and Depot Sites

- Midsize outdoor event space
- Planned or impromptu events
- Linked to nature and Sherman Street
- Winter venue

#### 8 Mickelson Trailhead

Regional destination

## **PUBLIC NOTICE: Hwy 85 Reconstruction Progress**

Upcoming work on the reconstruction project is as follows: Curb & Gutter Stewart St. to Walnut St.; Approaches Harrison St. to Walnut St.; Placing Base Course Deadwood Home Center to Stewart St.; Electrical from Lead Deadwood Regional Hospital to Walnut Street. The contractor will be laying asphalt September 28 through October 2, 2015, up to Mollman's Southside Service.

Weekly public meetings will continue to be held at Deadwood City Hall every Tuesday at 11am unless otherwise noted. Being open to the public, all are welcome and encouraged to attend.

The Project Team appreciates the Deadwood business owners and residents for their efforts in communicating openly with the team; input from the community has helped resolve traffic issues and mitigated many of the side effects often occurring throughout the reconstruction activities. Thank you for your patience!

For further information feel free to contact Project Solutions at (605) 718-4046 or view notices online at the City's website homepage <a href="https://www.cityofdeadwood.com">www.cityofdeadwood.com</a> under <a href="https://www.cityofdeadwood.com">Hwy 85 Project</a>.



October 5, 2015—Monday City Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

October 7, 2015—Wednesday Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

October 12, 2015—Monday CITY OFFICE CLOSED in honor of Native American Day.

October 14, 2015—Wednesday Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

October 15, 2015—Thursday Preservation Thursday: Poets of the Park Local historian, Richard Fisher, will discuss Peter Norbeck and Badger Clark, two men born in the 19th century who fell in love with the Black Hills. Days of '76 Museum 12:00 Noon; admission by donation.

October 16-17 and 23-24, 2015—Friday and Saturday A Paranormal Investigation of the Historic Adams House—Join the Adams House staff and Black Hills Paranormal Investigations (BHPI) for an exclusive 90 minute paranormal investigation of one of Deadwood's most haunted sites. Tours are offered at 6:00, 7:30, 9:00, and 10:30 PM. Tickets are \$30 for members, \$35 for non-members, and prices include a T-Shirt. You must be at least 12 years old to participate. Ages 12-16 must be accompanied by an adult. Call 605-578-3724 for reservations and more information.

October 17, 2015—Saturday Dinos at the Days Workshop—Students are invited to study dinosaur fossils. We will talk about the study of paleontology and examine fossils found in the museum. Light refreshments provided. For students in grades K-6. Days of '76 Museum; 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM; \$6 for members and \$11 for non-members. Reservations required. Please call Shantel Pettit, Education Director, at 605-578-1657 for reservations.

October 19, 2015—Monday City Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

October 20, 2015—Tuesday One Book Discussion—Deadwood History will host the One Book Discussion featuring Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger. Books will be available at the Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center library to borrow and return after the discussion. The discussion will be led by Dr. Joanna Jones at the Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 6:00 PM; admission by donation.

October 21, 2015—Wednesday Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

October 27, 2015—Tuesday Black Hills Storytellers: Tales of Terror and Trickery—Join the Black Hills Storytellers for a scary evening of contemporary and traditional ghost stories. This spooky event is recommended for individuals of high school age and older. Reservations strongly recommended; please call 605-722-4800. Adams Museum, Pioneer Room; 7:00 p.m.; admission by donation.

October 28, 2015—Wednesday Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 5:00 PM @ Deadwood City Hall

#### **SECOND ANNUAL STATION TO STATION WALK**

Saturday, October 10, 2015 10:00 a.m.

Enjoy the beautiful downhill 6.5 mile walk starting at the Lead Fire Hall, 622 Hearst Avenue following the Mickelson Trail to the finish at the Deadwood Fire Hall, 737 Main Street.

All proceeds go to the Lead and Deadwood Volunteer Fire Departments. There is no registration required. Walk begins at 10:00 a.m.

Donations are welcomed; T-Shirt available for \$15.00. Food and drinks will be provided at the finish line.

There is no better time than now to start living healthy!

Sponsored by the Lead-Deadwood Volunteer Fire Departments

## Back to School - Signs of Summer's End

As the school year has begun, you can't help but notice the yellow buses that are hauling loads of kids into hallowed halls of lockers and lost math notes. The morning routines of many have changed, either getting the kids ready for the day as we prepare ourselves, or to avoid the extra traffic of buses and carpools that concentrate on school zones. With the sudden influx of traffic and pedestrians, let's take a moment to refresh ourselves on the signs of the season – school signs.



Crossing signs for schools are essential for drivers to pay attention to this time of year, especially in the morning and afternoon hours. These yellow / green — fluorescent signs alert drivers to crosswalks, playgrounds, and school zones where children are likely to be. With cell phones, books, backpacks, and new classmates all on the minds of students, drivers should remind themselves to take extra care in these areas.

In-street crossing signs often supplement the posted school signs on the road, adding more visibility to the crossing area. Depending on your state's laws, these in-street crossing signs may remind you that it is the law to either yield to pedestrians or come to a full and complete stop for pedestrians in a crosswalk.

Federal law and often state and local laws increase penalties for illegal drug-related activity in school zones. Drug Free School Zone signs are posted around schools both to remind students that drug use is a danger, and to warn potential offenders that these types of activities have no place in our communities.

No bullying signs have become an important sign to school districts in the last few years. Bullying, including cyber-bullying, has become the center of national attention, and because of this, school districts take bullying very seriously. These signs are posted both in and outside of schools, in cafeterias, hallways, and by playgrounds.

These aren't the only school signs you'll see, but at least this refresher will help to ease the transition into the school year and, gasp, the end of summer. http://www.safetysign.com

Check out <u>Historic Preservation Moments</u> on YouTube!
Search deadwoodhp on YouTube.
Like us on Facebook!
Search <u>Deadwood: Historic Preservation Office</u>



# **Century Award Program**



On October 28, 2015 at 5:00 p.m., at the Deadwood City Hall, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission will recognize three commercial buildings as part of the Deadwood Century Awards. This event is open to the public. The Century Awards program recognizes commercial buildings within Deadwood one hundred years of age or older. Since its beginning in 1992, the Historic Preservation Commission has recognized sixty-six (66) commercial buildings over a century in age.

This year, the Cudahy Packing Plant located at 8 Lee Street, the Deadwood Public Library located at 435 Williams Street, and the Heffron Building located at 627 Main Street will be included in the Century Awards Program.

Please plan to join the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission in celebrating the achievement of these historic resources.

For more information on the Deadwood Century Awards, please visit the webpage at: <a href="www.deadwoodcenturyawards.com">www.deadwoodcenturyawards.com</a> and the video on the Century Awards on our YouTube channel (search deadwoodhp)

The Twin City Animal Shelter reminds you to spay or neuter your animals. Contact Sarah at 578-3918 or 584-2480 for further information.

#### **VACANCY NOTICE Planning & Zoning Commission**

The City of Deadwood has one (1) vacancy for the Planning and Zoning Commissioner, with a term expiration of December 2016. Pick up an application at the Department of Planning and Zoning, 108 Sherman Street between the hours of 8am-5pm (MST). For any questions, please call Bob Nelson, Jr. at 605-578-2082.

"Hear the Beep where you Sleep!" Fire Prevention Week October 4 through 10, 2015

The Deadwood Fire Department is honored to have the Lead-Deadwood Elementary School to come and learn about this years safety program.

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

October 2-3: Join us as we celebrate Oktoberfest in the Wild West. Enjoy live German music, the annual Tour de Oktoberfest, free food and dancing. Bring the whole family and join us for the now famous "Wiener Dog Races" and Beer Barrel Games! Businesses and residents should be aware of street closure on Saturday, October 3 on Main Street between Wall Street and Deadwood Street. Oktoberfest is an open container weekend, event cups will be allowed in designated areas from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. on Friday, October 2 and Noon to 10 p.m. on Saturday.

October 8-10: The Wild West Songwriters Festival is a rare, behind-the-scenes look at the lyrical creation of some of today's hit songs, and the writers who penned them. Up to 20 of the best songwriters from around the United States gather in Deadwood, South Dakota each October to perform their hit songs "In the Round" the way they were originally written. Spectators are welcomed and encouraged to attend. There is no charge to attend the Writers Rounds and a schedule can be found at WildWestSongwriters.com. The event kicks off with a Thursday, October 8th Old Dominion concert and opening act The Farm. Friday night's concert is TBD and Saturday's concert is a Songwriter's Jam featuring the festival participants. All concerts are held at Deadwood Mountain Grand and are ticketed. Tickets to the concerts are available at TicketMaster.com or by calling 605-559-0386.

October 30-13: Don't miss Deadwood's famous Halloween celebration! Make plans to attend the Monster Ball on Friday, Oct. 30, 2015 with a live band, dancing and prizes. The annual Costume Contest features more than \$8,000 in cash and prizes for the best costumes on Saturday, Oct. 31, 2015. Both of these events are FREE, so come in costume or just come to watch - it is quite the sight! Must be 21 to participate. This event is an open container weekend, event cups will be allowed in designated areas during posted times. Host properties for this popular event will soon be determined and posted at Deadwood.com/events/deadweird.

## **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

<u>Historic Adams House (October)</u> 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)

<u>Days of '76 Museum (October)</u> 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)

**Deadwood Courthouse** 

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 OCTOPER 5 2015 UNTIL MA	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.

#### CITY OF DEADWOOD—PUBLIC WORKS:

As snow and cold rolls back into the Black Hills, City Departments ask residents and property owners to be proactive in protecting their property by taking measures to winterizing. Frigid temperatures can lead to frozen water pipes and costly plumbing repairs; heat loss due to open crevices; and the obstruction of fire hydrants due to heavy accumulation of snow.

To help in your winterization checklist, follow these helpful tips:

- If property is vacant, either shut off water and flush pipes OR leave heat on to prevent pipe bursts;
- Detach outdoor hoses from faucets & drain hoses; insulate pipes or faucets in unheated areas;
- Seal off access doors, air vents and cracks; cover unused windows to prevent drafts;
- Know where the master shutoff water valve is located in case of an emergency water burst;
- Keep fire hydrants clear of snow to help firefighters easily locate and access water; this preserves valuable time to potentially save lives and structures.

Taking the time to do these simple steps will save you costly repairs and assist the City in serving you.

#### **Deadwood Recreational Center**

Daily Class Schedule and Program Schedule

Monday 6:00am	Tuesday	Wednesday 6:00am	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Kettlebells	Conditioning	Kettlebells	Conditioning	6:00am	
Self taught	6:30	Self taught	6:30	Kettlebells	9:00am
	Self-taught group,		Self-taught group,	Self taught	Yoga*
7:00 am Water	anyone welcome.	7:00am Water	anyone welcome		
Exercise, Pool		Exercise, Pool		7:00 am Water	
	5:15 -6:15pm			Exercise, Pool	
8:00 am Water	Classroom	8:00am Water	5:15-6:00pm		
Exercise, Pool	Reserved, Exercise	Exercise, Pool	Self-taught Pilates	8:00 am Water	
	Group		group,	Exercise, Pool	
5:15-6:00pm		5:30 pm	Upper Classroom		
Self-taught Pilates	5:30 pm	Yoga			
group,	Yoga		5:30pm		
Upper Classroom			Zumba*		
5:30pm					
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

<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 5:00pm