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#### **Deadwood Events**

Plant Swap Garden Party May 25, 2023 **Back When They Bucked** May 28, 2023 All-In Freestyle Motocross June 2-3, 2023 **Deadwood PBR** June 9-10, 2023 Wild Bill Days June 15-17, 2023 **Wild Deadwood Reads** June 17, 2023 **Shrine Circus** June 24, 2023 **Monsters of Destruction** June 30-July 1, 2023

Independence Day Parade
July 4, 2023
3-Wheeler Rally
July 9-14, 2023
Days of '76
July 23-29, 2023
Sturgis Rally
August 4-13, 2023
Kool Deadwood Nites
August 23-27, 2023
All-In Freestyle Motocross,
September 8-10, 2023
Deadwood Jam
September 15-16, 2023
Hops & Hogs: Craft Beer Fest

**September 22-23**, 2023

Event dates subject to change'

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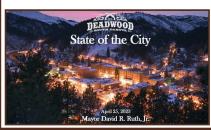


# **State of the City**



On April 25, 2023, Mayor David R. Ruth, Jr. provided the State of the City address. The Mayor provided an overview of projects in the works and completed since the last State of the City held in 2016.

The State of the City presentation is available on the City of Deadwood website at www.cityofdeadwood.com for viewing.







# 2023 Deadwood Historic Preservation Scholarship Awards

The Historic Preservation Commission presented three Deadwood Historic Preservation Scholarship Awards on April 26, 2023.



Cody Rogers and Jagger Livengood each received a \$1,000.00 scholarship.

Emily Thomas received a \$500.00 scholarship.

Front Row: Cody Rogers, Jagger Livengood, and Emily Thomas

Middle Row: HP Commissioners Trevor Santochi, Robin Carmody, Tony Williams, Bev Posey, Leo Diede, and Vicki Dar

Last Row: Planning, Zoning and Historic Preservation Officer Kevin Kuchenbecker

# **Police Chief Ken Mertens Retires**

On April 14, 2023, Chief Ken Mertens retired from the Deadwood Police Department after 27 years of service.

Chief Mertens was awarded the Spirit of Service Award by the Police Department staff for his years of service and dedication to the department.

Thank you and Congratulations Chief Mertens for your service and dedication! You will be missed!





### May

May 1, 2023 - Monday City Commission Meeting 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 3, 2023 - Wednesday
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting
4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 10, 2023 - Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall



# Mother's Day

May 14, 2023



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

May 17, 2023 - Wednesday
Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting
4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

May 24, 2023 - Wednesday Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall



## **Memorial Day**

May 29, 2023 City Offices Closed



#### June

June 5, 2023 - Monday City Commission Meeting 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

June 7, 2023 - Wednesday Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting 4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

June 14, 2023 - Wednesday
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall



# Father's Day

June 18, 2023



June 19, - Monday City Commission Meeting 5:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall



# First Day of Summer

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June 21, 2023 - Wednesday Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting 4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

June 28, 2023 - Wednesday Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 4:00 p.m. @ Deadwood City Hall

# **Spring Cleanup Week**

Deadwood's residential spring cleanup week is **May 8-13, 2023.** The Tri-City Rubble Site will have free dumping during this time. Maximum allowed are pickups.

If you are elderly or disabled and have large objects you are physically unable to move, please contact Deadwood Public Works at (605) 578-3082 to schedule removal.

Some items will not be accepted. Please call the Tri-City Rubble Site at (605) 920-8957 for a complete list of accepted or not accepted items.

#### **Rubble Site Hours of Operation:**

Monday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**LAST LOAD AT 3:30 PM** 

#### **Rubble Site Rules:**

- Prior to entering the rubble site, all loads must be checked by site attendant and the proper fee paid.
- Items must be separated by plain wood, buryables, rubble, metal
- Buryables are furniture, shingles, mattresses, carpets, treated and/or painted lumber/wood.
- Tires, household garbage, plastics and older cathode ray tube (CRTs) televisions will be charged a fee.
- Tires MUST be removed from rims.
- Metal and electronics (other than CRTs) are free year round.
- ONLY pickup loads of trees/branches/bushes are free year round, contractor loads are NOT free at any time.
- NO SALVAGE WILL BE ALLOWED.
- All vehicles will be required to stop at the attendant's building prior to leaving the site.

**PAYMENTS ACCEPTED: CASH AND CHECK** 



# **Arbor Day Celebration**

May 12, 2023 9:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.

Tree planting at City of Deadwood Parks Shop

## PET LICENSING DAY

\*Veterinarian Onsite to Provide Vaccinations\*

(Rabies - \$8.00 Per Pet, Other Vaccinations Available Upon Request)

**Coincides with the Plant Swap** 

MAY 25, 2023 - 3:00 P.M.-6:00 P.M.

DEADWOOD WELCOME CENTER 501 MAIN ST, DEADWOOD, SD 57732

Reminder: According to Deadwood City Ordinance 6.08.070, you are required to license your dog/cat yearly. Licenses will be issued with proof of vaccinations.

Pricing is as follows: PET LICENSE FEES WAIVED ON MAY 25, 2023

### **Yard Waste Dumpster**

The yard waste dumpster is now available at Deadwood Public Works located at 67 Dunlop Avenue. Yard waste consists of grass clippings, hedge trimmings, leaves, and twigs. Branches and household garbage are not allowed in the dumpster.

Branches and larger pieces of wood need to be dropped off in the designated area. Signs are posted to direct you to the proper drop off location.

Contact Public Works at (605) 578-3082 should have any questions or you need additional information.



### Women's Basic Self Defense Class

Deadwood Rec and Aquatics Center

- Part One, May 16, 2023 (6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.)
- Part Two, May 17, 2023 (6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.)
- Cost to attend both nights is \$20.00
- 13 and older

Taught by Taekwon Do instructors
Master Alan and Master Tom



Register at the Deadwood Rec Center, 105 Sherman Street. For more information, call (605) 578-3729.



### **Deadwood Chamber and MSI Promotions Committee Plant Swap**

On May 25, 2023, the Deadwood Chamber and Main Street Initiative Promotions Committee present the Plant Swap! This year the event will take place at the Deadwood Welcome Center, located at 501 Main Street, from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Bring anything gardening or plant related to participate in the swap. Items often swapped include, but are not limited to: plant starters, clippings, seeds, gardening tools, books, recipes, etc. All are welcome.



### **Deadwood History Inc. Events**

May 4: Preservation Thursday: Alice Roosevelt Longworth – What They Say About Me is True! – Have an encounter with Alice Roosevelt Longworth. Audience members will be involved as reporters at a press conference in Alice's home. As members of the press, the audience gets to ask predetermined questions. Via a PowerPoint™ presentation, the answers will give an account of Alice's colorful life, her relationship with her father, stepmother, and other family members as well as the times in which she lived. Audience members will learn about this lively, witty, clever, acerbic, and delightfully rebellious daughter of Theodore Roosevelt, the 26<sup>th</sup> President of the United States. Presented by Phyllis Schrag an accomplished actor and living history performer from Ames, Iowa. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 12:00 p.m.; free for members and \$5 for non-members.

May 14: Mother's Day Tours – In honor of Mother's Day, the Historic Adams House and the 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 Queen Anne-style home and explore vintage wagons, carriages, and stagecoaches from 1875-1910. 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.

#### Chamber Corner

May 23 – Main Street Initiative Butt Brigade – On Tuesday, May 23rd, volunteers will work together to clean up Main Street and surrounding areas. This "Butt Brigade" meets at 3:00 p.m. at Tin Lizzie to begin picking up cigarette butts and trash as they move up Main Street. We invite the community to help; volunteers are welcome and needed!

May 24 – Employee FAM Tour – This employee FAM (familiarization) Tour is FREE and designed for frontline Deadwood area employees to learn about attractions in our area, so they can help visitors more thoroughly enjoy their time in the area! This tour is FREE and is open to all Deadwood Chamber member employees. Early registration is required, and space is limited. Call Ingrid at (605) 578-1876 to reserve your spot. Lunch will be provided to participants at no charge. The 2023 FAM is scheduled for Wednesday, May 24th from 7:30 a.m. to 2:55 p.m.

May 25 – Deadwood Chamber Mixer at the Deadwood Badlands & Brothel Bar and the Railroad Museum - Join the Deadwood Chamber for an after-hours mixer at the Deadwood Badlands & Brothel Bar and the Railroad Museum at 614 Main Street from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Thursday, May 25th. All are welcome!

May 26 & 27 — Summer Kickoff: \*FREE\* Memorial Weekend Concerts in Outlaw Square — Deadwood Mountain Grand is partnering with Deadwood's Outlaw Square to present free concerts by 2021 American Idol winner Chayce Beckham on Friday, May 26th and legendary rockers Big Head Todd and The Monsters on Saturday, May 27th on the outdoor Sue Lundberg Memorial Stage at Outlaw Square. One of the fastest growing country artists in the country will be kicking off the events on Friday night as Chayce Beckham headlines the 8:00 p.m. show with Colorado natives Big Head Todd and The Monsters headlining Saturday night at 8:00 p.m. The Rathco opens at 6:30 p.m. on Saturday. Open container is allowed in designated areas from 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on Friday and Noon to 10:00 p.m. on Saturday in zones one and two. Businesses and residents should be aware of a street closure on Deadwood Street starting at 8:00 a.m. on Friday, May 26th through Sunday, May 28th at 1:00 a.m.

### **Hours of Operation**

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

Deadwood Public Library

10 AM - 6 PM (Mon - Thu) 10 AM - 5 PM (Fri) 12 PM - 4 PM (Sat)

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

> <u>Lead-Deadwood Landfill</u> 8 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Sat)

<u>Lead-Deadwood Sanitary District</u> 7 AM - 3 PM (Mon - Sat)

**Deadwood Recreational Center** 

5 AM - 7 PM (Mon - Fri) 7 AM - Noon (Sat) (Closed Sundays)

Adams Museum
9 AM - 5 PM Daily\*
Suggested donation: Adults \$5,
Children 6-12 \$3, Children 5 and
under free

**The Brothel - Deadwood** 

Guided Tours from 11 AM - 6 PM Daily Last guided tour at 6 PM \$15 per person (Must be at least 16 years old)

**Historic Adams House** 

9 AM - 4 PM Daily\*
Last guided tour at 4:00p.m.
Admission: Adults \$12, Children 6-12
\$5, Children 5 & under free

Homestake Adams Research & Cultural Center (HARCC)
10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

<u>History & Information Center (Depot)</u> 8 AM - 5 PM Daily

> Welcome Center 8 AM - 5 PM Daily

Days of '76 Museum

9 AM - 5 PM Daily\*

Admission: Adults \$10, Children 6, 12

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

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

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

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

Deadwood Chamber of Commerce 8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

\*Group tours available with advanced reservations

TROLLEY SCHEDULE - Winter						
DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS		TIME RUNNING			
EFFECTIVE: October 17, 2022						
Sunday through Thursday	1st Trolley		10:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.			
Friday	1st Trolley		8:00 A.M. to 2:00 A.M.			
	2nd Trolley		1:30 P.M. to 12:30 A.M.			
Saturday	1st Trolley		8:00 A.M. to 2:00 A.M.			
	2nd Trolley		9:30 A.M. to 12:30 A.M.			

#### THERE IS NO 24-HOUR TROLLEY SERVICE

Schedule will be followed as closely as possible. Delays may be caused by staffing issues, weather, traffic, construction, equipment failure, etc. A third and fourth Trolley will operate during special events. Thank you!

TROLLEY SCHEDULE - Summer 2023					
DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS		TIME RUNNING		
Effective: May 26, 2023					
Sunday through Thursday	1st Trolley		8:00 A.M. to Midnight		
	2nd Trolley		9:30 A.M. to 10:30 P.M.		
Friday & Saturday	1st Trolley		8:00 A.M. to 2:00 A.M.		
	2nd Trolley		9:30 A.M. to 12:30 A.M.		
	3rd Trolley		5:20 P.M. to 10:20 P.M.		

#### THERE IS NO 24-HOUR TROLLEY SERVICE

Schedule will be followed as closely as possible. Delays may be caused by weather, traffic, construction, equipment failure, etc. A third and fourth Trolley will operate during special events. Thank you!

### **IMPORTANT NUMBERS**

Deadwood City Hall (605) 578-2600
Deadwood Planning & Preservation Office (605) 578-2082
Deadwood Public Library (605) 578-2821
Deadwood Public Works Office (605) 578-3082
Deadwood Recreational Center (605) 578-3729
Deadwood Fire Department *Non-emergency* (605) 578-1212
Deadwood Police Department *Non-emergency* (605) 578-2623
Lawrence County Dispatch (605) 578-2230
Lead/Deadwood Regional Hospital (605) 717-6000

<u>Deadwood City Commission</u> meets the first and third Monday at 5:00 p.m.

<u>Planning & Zoning Commission</u> meets the first and third Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

Historic Preservation Commission meets the second and fourth Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.

### **MAIN STREET INITIATIVE**

Meets as follows:

Main Street Initiative - 3rd Wednesday - Noon - Welcome Center - Ken Geinger (605) 639-3004

The Committees meet as follows:

Promotions Committee - 1st Tuesday - 1:00 p.m. - Desirae Van Roekel (605) 222-1354

Design Committee - 2nd Tuesday - 3:30 p.m. - Kevin Kuchenbecker (605) 578-2082

Economic Restructuring Committee - Tuesday Before MSI Meeting - 9:00 a.m. - Emma Garvin (319) 540-0083

Organization Committee - 3rd Wednesday - 12:00 p.m. - Ken Gienger (605) 639-3004

Recreation Committee - 1st Wednesday - 3:00 p.m. - Kevin Wagner (605) 645-8789

**ALL MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**