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Deadwood Events

Wild Bill Days
June 13 -14

Classic Car Auction
June 14

Wild Deadwood Reads
June 14

Father's Day
June 15

Mickelson Trail Summer Trek
June 21

Deadwood Shrine Circus
June 20 - 22

Wong Fee Lee Statue Dedication
June 26

Monster Truck Destruction Tour
June 28 - 29

Independence Day Parade
July 4

3-Wheeler Rally
July 6 - 11

Event dates subject to change

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Charlie Struble-Mook sworn in as Deadwood Mayor

On May 5th, 2025, Charlie Struble-Mook was officially sworn in as the Mayor of Deadwood.

A 3rd generation resident, Charlie has spent her entire life in Deadwood. She has proudly served as the City's Commissioner of Public Safety, overseeing Police and Fire, and is an active force behind the Main Street Initiative Program.

Charlie comes from a family rooted deeply in Deadwood's history. Her family has owned the Saloon #10 since 1963, where she has proudly worked as the Assistant Bar Manager and Bartender. A passionate community member, she also serves as Secretary of the Deadwood Jam and has been a driving force behind many local causes.

She holds a Bachelor of Science in Education from Black Hills State University, with a focus in Chemistry and Earth Science, and a minor in Spanish.

When she's not at City Hall or out and about in Deadwood, Charlie can be found at home with her four dogs, one (very patient) cat, and her husband, Jason – owner of Deadwood Custom Cycles. Jason's motorcycles are known for turning heads, whether they're on display or rumbling down Deadwood's streets.

Mayor Charlie is equal parts trailblazer and neighbor. She leads with transparency, heart, and grit – ensuring Deadwood stays as bold, vibrant, and authentic as the day it was founded.



Charles Eagleson sworn in as Deadwood City Commissioner

On May 19th, 2025, Mayor Charlie Struble-Mook appointed Charles Eagleson to fill her recently vacated seat on the Deadwood City Commission. Prior to this appointment, Charles served as Planning & Zoning Commissioner.

Charles and his wife, Vicki, founded *South Dakota Senior*, that serves a devoted, statewide audience of South Dakotans, aged 55 and older. Charles sits on the Farmers Market Board of Directors. He volunteers weekly with Feeding Deadwood, the City of Deadwood Archives and has actively contributed to MSI Events. Eagleson is also a member of Deadwood History, Inc. and the SD State Historical Society.



Jim Williams sworn in as Deadwood Planning & Zoning Commissioner

On May 21st, 2025, Jim Williams swore in and took oath as Deadwood's Planning & Zoning Commissioner.

After 30 years of family associations in the Northern Black Hills, Jim and his wife, Helen, made Deadwood their home in 2023. Believing strongly in community service and giving back, Jim is honored to have this opportunity to give back to Deadwood!





June 2025

Monday, June 2

Deadwood City Commission
Meeting 5:00 @ City Hall

Wednesday, June 4

Planning & Zoning Commission
Meeting 4:00 @ City Hall

Wednesday, June 11

Historic Preservation
Commission Meeting
4:00 @ City Hall

Monday, June 16

Deadwood City Commission
Meeting 5:00 @ City Hall

Wednesday, June 18

Planning & Zoning Commission
Meeting 4:00 @ City Hall

Wednesday, June 25

Historic Preservation
Commission Meeting
4:00 @ City Hall

July 2025

Wednesday, July 2

Planning & Zoning
Commission Meeting
4:00 @ City Hall

Monday, July 7

Deadwood City
Commission Meeting
5:00 @ City Hall

DEADWOOD FRIDAY FARMERS MARKET

**Bakers, Makers & Farmers
in Gordon Park**

Interested in being a vendor?
call 605-655-8030

www.DeadwoodFarmerMarket.org

Deadwood Farmers Market Returns for the Season!

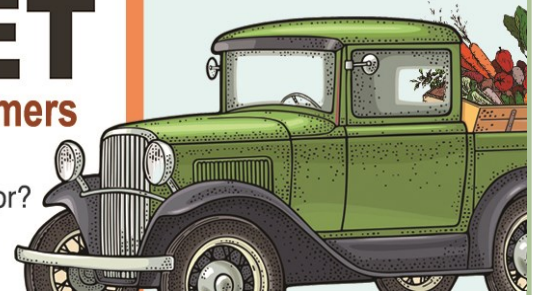
Deadwood's beloved Farmers Market is back! Kicking off Friday, June 20th, the market will be open most Fridays from 4 - 7PM in Gordon Park, next to the Rec Center at 125 Sherman St.

Visit www.DeadwoodFarmersMarket.org to keep up with what's new!

Fridays 4 - 7pm

Jun 20 • 27 Jul 11 • 18 • 25

Aug 8 • 15 • 29 Sep 5 • 12



Dedication of Wong Fee Lee (黃輝利) Statue, taking place on June 26th at 3:00 pm, at Mr. Wu's

The City of Deadwood is thrilled to dedicate a statue in memory of Wong Fee Lee. The dedication will take place on June 26th, at 3:00 pm in front of Mr. Wu's.

Wong Fee Lee arrived in Deadwood Gulch in December 1876. Like many Chinese immigrants on the Western frontier, Wong came seeking his fortune. Unlike most, he ended up making Deadwood his home. He built a business, married, raised a large family, adopted North American ways and shared his own culture with his non-Chinese neighbors. In the process, he earned the deep respect of his countrymen and the people of Deadwood.

Wong's business interests included mining, merchandise, and a number of other ventures. He was best known, perhaps, for a pair of sturdy brick buildings on Lower Main Street collectively named the Wing Tsue Bazaar. Constructed in 1885 and 1896, these buildings stood as the center of Deadwood's Chinatown community for decades.

Wong Fee Lee is remembered significantly by various names and his love for the town of Deadwood. He is well-known in the community by his long-lasting donations and invitation of the townspeople to join in events such as the Chinese New Year and the Hungry Ghost Festival. He graciously donated to the Independence Day festivities.

In 1919, Wong Fee Lee suffered a stroke during a meeting of the Society of Black Hills Pioneers, of which he was a member. He recovered enough to travel, and returned to his Chinese homeland, where he passed away two years later.

(The unveiling is part of the fourth Wong Family Reunion, which will take place from June 26th - June 28th).





THE 2025 STURGIS RALLY IS
QUICKLY APPROACHING.
RESIDENTS WHO WISH TO RENT
OUT THEIR HOMES MAY DO SO
FROM MONDAY, JULY 28 -
WEDNESDAY AUGUST 13 ONLY.
FOR QUESTIONS CALL
605.578.2082

Trial of Jack McCall

The Trial of Jack McCall is held daily and is one of the longest running stage plays in the nation having been performed in Deadwood since 1924! Admission fees are as follows: \$10 Adults, \$9 Seniors, and \$6 for children. Ages 12 and under are free.



Deadwood History Inc.

Family Fun Tuesdays! - Join us at the Deadwood Outlaw Square for A family-friendly event every Tuesday afternoon during the summer. On June 3rd, from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm, enjoy Old West Bingo - A spin on traditional Bingo with a western theme and prizes. Young explorers, get ready to dig, and uncover the mysteries of the past on June 10th, 17th, and 24th from 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm. Sift through an ancient midden to uncover hidden treasures from Deadwood's History. Afterward, grab our tools and become a paleontologist, searching for dinosaur bones, just like the experts! These events are free to all!

History on the Lawn: Frontier Doctor and Renaissance Man: June 13th - Join historian and reenactor Les Nuckles as he brings Dr. Valentine Trant McGillycuddy to life in this captivating first-person presentation on June 13th, at 12:00 pm. Experience the late 1800s through vivid stories, warmth, and humor, as Nuckles shares the doctor's adventures with legends of Wild Bill Hickock, Buffalo Bill Cody, Custer, Calamity Jane, Red Cloud, Crazy Horse and More! Please bring a lunch for the show. Free for members and \$5 for non-members. In case of rain, the lecture will move to the HARCC.

Father's Day Admission - In honor of Wild Bill Days weekend, the Adams Museum, Historic Adam's house, and the Days of '76 Museum will offer free admission to visiting dads on Father's Day, on June 15th. Show your dad how much you care by exploring all the great history from Deadwood and the Black Hills. The Adam's house is open 9:00 am - 4:00 pm. Please call (605)722-4800 or (605)578-1714.

Jr. Inventor Camp - June 9-13th, students in grades 1-3 come join in on the fun-filled week discovering inventors and their groundbreaking creations! Participants will design, build, and test their own amazing inventions. Through hands-on experimenting and teamwork, campers will learn to bring everyday items to life in thrilling, new ways.

Northern Hills Community Band Concert - On June 19th at 7:00 pm, Enjoy live patriotic music and marches, as well as world-famous show tunes on the Historic Adams House lawn. Admission is by donation and in case of inclement weather, the concert will be moved to the HARCC.

Chamber & Outlaw Square

Mr. Wu's Wong Weekend - (21+ event) - Will take place June 26th - 28th from 1:00 pm - 9:00 pm.

Month of June - FREE Monday Movie Nights - Outlaw Square is hosting Monday Movie Nights downtown! Movies go from 7:00 - 10:00 pm. It's a great time to bring the WHOLE family and what's even better, the City of Deadwood provides FREE PARKING on Monday nights from 6:00 pm - 10:00 pm in all the cities paid parking spots, EXCEPT the parking ramp.

Month of June - FREE Summer Concert Series - Outlaw Square is hosting Wednesday Night Concerts, downtown! Concerts will begin at 6:30 pm.

June Movie Schedule:

June 9th - Moana 2
June 16th - The Greatest Showman
June 23rd - Madagascar
June 30th - Wild Robot

June Concert Schedule:

June 11th - The Rathco
(Alternative/Indie)
June 18th - Maygen & The Bird Watcher
(Midwest Country Band)
June 25th - Tristen Schofield & Drive By Night
(Winner of the Wild West Songwriters Festival)

City Offices & Museum Hours of Operation

Deadwood City Hall

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)

Deadwood Public Works Office

7 AM - 3:30 PM (Mon - Fri)

Lead-Deadwood Landfill

8 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Sat)

Lead-Deadwood Sanitary District

7 AM - 3 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Recreational Center

5 AM - 9 PM (Mon - Fri)

7 AM - 5 PM (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 - 5 PM Daily (Friday- Saturday)

(daily beginning May 20)

Last guided tour at 5 PM

\$15 per person

(Must be at least 16 years old)

Historic Adams House*

10 am - 4pm (Daily)

Admission: Adults \$12, Children 6-12 \$5

Ages 5 and under free

Days of '76 Museum *

9 am - 5 pm (daily)

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

Children 5 and under free

Homestake Adams Research &

Cultural Center (HARCC)

10 AM - 4 PM (Mon - Fri)

History & Information Center (Depot)

8 AM - 5 PM Daily

Welcome Center

8 AM - 5 PM Daily

Deadwood Fire Department

8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Police Department

8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Lawrence County Courthouse

8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

Deadwood Chamber of Commerce

8 AM - 5 PM (Mon - Fri)

*Group tours available with

advanced reservations.

605-722-4800

ORDINANCE 8.20.020 REMINDER

It is the duty of the owner, occupant, or person in charge of any lot in the city to keep such lot free from weeds as defined herein or to cut such weeds at such times as may be necessary to prevent their growth. Weeds and grass left uncut cause an unsightly appearance, create a fire hazard, and offer an environment conducive to rodents and small animals.

City of Deadwood Job Openings

Recreation Center LifeGuards

Library Director

Visit <https://www.cityofdeadwood.com/jobs>
for more details on each position.

TROLLEY SCHEDULE - Summer 2025

| DAYS | NUMBER OF TROLLEYS | TIME RUNNING |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 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

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

REC CENTER ACTIVITIES

(Dates and times subject to change)

FREE CLASSES

Cycling & Conditioning (Basement)

CALL Molly Smith (605) 641-6087

* Tuesday & Thursday @ 6:00am-7:00am

Zumba (Yoga Room)

CALL Janet Holzer (605) 639-1713

* Tuesday @ 5:00pm-6:00pm

* Thursday @ 6:30am-7:30am

Wet & Wonderful (Pool)

* Monday - Wednesday - Friday @ 6:30am-7:30am

Water Aerobics (Pool)

* Monday - Wednesday - Friday @ 8:00am-9:00am



CLASSES W/ FEES (Payable to Instructor)

Taekwondo (Racquetball Court \$40/Month)

CALL Master Tom OR Master Alan (605) 520-2779

* Tuesday & Thursday -Lower Belts (5:00pm-6:00pm) -Upper Belts (6:00pm-7:00pm)

Yoga (Yoga Room)

CALL Chelsie Bauer (605) 645-7415
(\$10/member & \$12/non-member)

* Tuesday @ 12:15pm-1:00pm

* Saturday @ 9:00am-10:00am (February: 1st & 8th / March: 8th & 15th)

LYFT (Advanced Sign-Up Required!)/CALL Jami
(605) 520-3794 / (\$10/member & \$12/non-member)

* Monday @ 8:30am-9:15am

* Wednesday @ 6:45am-7:30am

Boot Camp (4-6 weeks, may vary, Session Sign-Up Required!)/CALL Jamie (605) 520-3794

Personal Fitness Trainers

* Raven Golce (605) 390-9569

* Jason Wortman (605) 431-7858

* Bob Wright (605) 580-0994

MAIN STREET INITIATIVE

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

Main Street Initiative Committee - 3rd Wednesday - 12:00 p.m. - Tom Koth (605) 530-2795

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