

Deadwood Events

Big Whiskey Festival
November 9




Thanksgiving
November 28

Holiday Ho Ho Horseshoes
November 15– December 30

Christmas
December 25

New Year's Eve
December 31

Pro Snocross Races
January 24–25

K-9 Keg Pull
January 25

Deadwood Community Holiday Gathering
February 8

Wine & Chocolate Stroll
February 14

Mardi Gras
February 28-March 1

Deadwood VFW Pancake Feed
March 9

Event dates subject to change*

2024 Wall of Fame Inductees Recognized

On Wednesday, October 23, 2024, the Historic Preservation Commission honored former Deadwood residents, Barbara Allen and Donald Clowser, as the recipients of the 2024 Deadwood Wall of Fame.

The Deadwood Wall of Fame began in 2005 to honor individuals who have made a significant contribution to the history and development of Deadwood. Recipients of this award can be classified into one or more of the following fields: Arts and Humanities, Athletics, Business & Trade, Educational & Cultural Affairs, Governmental Affairs, Historical Characters, Professional, and Unsung Heroes & Good Hearts.

Every other year (or even years) in September, Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission accepts nominations (cont. pg. 2)

Jim Williams, Executive Director of Deadwood History, Inc., accepted Don Clowser's Wall of Fame award on behalf of the Clowser family. Pictured with Mr. Williams are Historic Preservation Commissioners and Kevin Kuchenbecker, Historic Preservation Officer for the City of Deadwood



Annual Deadwood Calendar Ready for Printing



DEADWOOD & Deadwood Neighborhood Council
HISTORIC PRESERVATION
2025 Calendar

In September, members of the Deadwood Neighborhood Block Club met with city staff to discuss the 2025 community calendar. After kicking some ideas around, the members decided to use photographs from the 1892 Deadwood Board of Trade publication, Deadwood—Metropolis of the Black Hills, South Dakota. Interesting to note, the Deadwood Board of Trade was incorporated in 1881 and was the precursor to the Deadwood Business Club and eventually the Deadwood Chamber of Commerce. This particular publication was

created for distribution at the 1893 Chicago World's Fair and was described as "... a means of bringing into prominence [Deadwood] and her resources." One of the more interesting features of this publication were the numerous photographs taken by local photographers H.R. Locke (1884-1907) and C.C. McBride (1888–1907), who once operated a studio in Deadwood. As part of developing the 2025 calendar, archival staff photographed the images from the booklet rather than scanning the images. The 2025 calendar will be ready for distribution in December of 2024!

City archival staff photographing the original photos from the 1892 Deadwood Board of Trade publication, Deadwood – Metropolis of the Black Hills, South Dakota.



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Mark Your Calendars!



November 2024

Monday, November 11
Veterans Day
City Offices Closed

Wednesday, November 13
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
 4:00pm @ City Hall

Monday, November 18
Deadwood City Commission Meeting
 5:00pm @ City Hall

Wednesday, November 20
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
 4:00pm @ City Hall

Wednesday, November 26
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting
 4:00pm @ City Hall

Thursday, November 28 & Friday, November 29
City Offices Closed for Thanksgiving

December 2024

Monday, December 2
Deadwood City Commission Meeting
 5:00pm @ City Hall

Wednesday, December 4
Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting
 4:00pm @ City Hall

Thursday, December 5
Deadwood Neighborhood Council Meeting
 4:00pm @ City Hall

City of Deadwood Job Openings

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

Winter Fun at Outlaw Square

The transition from Fall into Winter has begun at Outlaw Square! Come join the fun with skating and ice bumper cars beginning on Saturday, November 16 at noon. For a complete schedule of all events planned at Outlaw Square, be sure and visit their page at OutlawSquare.com or their [FaceBook page](#).



(Cont. from pg 1) for the Wall of Fame then selects two individuals for induction to this recognition program. As of 2024, 30 individuals, including Mrs. Allen and Mr. Clowser, are now on Deadwood's Wall of Fame and will be permanently displayed at the Deadwood City Hall touch screen monitor, as well as, online on the City of Deadwood's webpage: www.cityofdeadwood.com.

Members of the Allen family attended the HP Commission meeting to accept Mrs. Allen's Wall of Fame award. Pictured with the family are HP Commissioners Williams, Deide, Santochi, Allen, and Dar and Kevin Kuchenbecker, Deadwood HP Officer.



The Origins of Veterans Day

In 1921, an unknown World War I American soldier was buried in Arlington National Cemetery. This site, on a hillside overlooking the Potomac River and the City of Washington, D.C., became the focal point of reverence for America's veterans.

Similar ceremonies occurred earlier in England and France, where an unknown soldier was buried in each nation's highest place of honor (in England, Westminster Abbey; in France, the Arc de Triomphe). These memorial gestures all took place on November 11, giving universal recognition to the celebrated ending of World War I fighting at 11 a.m., November 11, 1918—the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month. The day became known as "Armistice Day."

In 1954, Congress passed the bill that President Eisenhower signed proclaiming November 11 as Veterans Day.



News From The Neighborhood - Trunk or Treat

Representatives from the Deadwood Neighborhood Block Clubs participated in Deadwood Chamber of Commerce's annual Trunk or Treat event held on Saturday, October 26 at Days of 76 Event Complex. The event provided families with an opportunity to enjoy some early trick or treating, along with meeting unicorns, a Sasquatch, elves, and goblins. The unseasonably warm weather made it the ideal afternoon out in Deadwood.



Deadwood History, Inc.

November 7: Preservation Thursday: Two Visions of Success: Seth Bullock and J.K.P. Miller – Examine the lives of Seth Bullock and James K. P. Miller, two of Deadwood's leading citizens, with author and historian Dr. David Wolff. Both men arrived with the gold rush, ran businesses next to each other, and worked to turn the gold camp into a prosperous community. Despite having many shared experiences, they had different visions of what success meant for themselves and for Deadwood. Dr. Wolff will discuss their motivations and actions, while examining what they accomplished and how they interacted with one another. Bullock and Miller helped create a modern Deadwood but did it in very different ways. Homestake Adams Research and Cultural Center; 12:00 p.m.; free for members and \$5 for non-members.

Chamber & Outlaw Square

November 9—Deadwood's Big Whiskey: Big Whiskey participants can expect to select from more than 30 different Whiskeys including Rye, Scotch, Irish, Bourbon, Japanese, and Canadian at several different locations during the Big Whiskey Festival. Tickets are limited. Tickets get you 15 sample tickets so you can choose what you'd like to sample! Registration: 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm at the Saloon #10. Big Whiskey Festival: 4:00 – 8:00 pm at Participating Locations throughout Deadwood Main.

November 15 thru December 30—Holiday Ho-Ho Horseshoe: November 16th through December 30th, purchase a unique Deadwood holiday ornament (horseshoe) from participating locations to win great prizes! Each horseshoe has a unique number which could correspond to a winning number at participating locations. While supplies last, with multiple purchases welcome! **Locations where Holiday Horseshoes are available for purchase: Silverado, Madame Peacocks, Saloon #10 Mercantile, Mr. Wu's and The Landmark Casino.**

December 6—Community Christmas Tree Lighting & Santa: Join us in celebrating the holiday season and 5th anniversary of Deadwood's Outlaw Square! **Activities include:** Free ice skating (3-5pm) // 1/2 price bumper car rides (5-9pm) // S'mores making, holiday treats and cocoa (5-7pm) // Christmas tree lighting (6pm) // A visit from Santa himself, with gifts! (6:30pm)

City Office & 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*

10 am - 4pm (Tues - Sat)

Suggested donation: Adults \$5, Children 6-12 \$3, Children 5 and under free

The Brothel - Deadwood*

Guided Tours from

11 AM - 5 PM Daily (Wed - Sat)

Last guided tour at 5 PM

\$15 per person

(Must be at least 16 years old)

Historic Adams House*

10 am - 4pm (Tues - Sat)

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

Ages 5 and under free

Days of '76 Museum*

10 am - 4pm (Tues - Sat)

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



TROLLEY SCHEDULE - Winter 2024-25

DAYS	NUMBER OF TROLLEYS	TIME RUNNING
Sunday through Thursday	1st Trolley	10:00 am to 10:00 pm
Friday & Saturday	1st Trolley	8:00 am to 2:00 am

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

Lead/Deadwood Regional Hospital (605) 717-6000

Deadwood City Commission meets the **first and third Monday at 5:00 p.m.**

Planning & Zoning Commission 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.**

Thank You, Veterans!

Deadwood, like so many other communities across the United States, would like to acknowledge and thank all veterans who offered their service and, in some instances, gave the supreme sacrifice for our freedoms.

On Monday, November 11, 2024 at 11am, VFW Post 5969 will be hosting a Veterans Day ceremony.

All are welcome.

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www.cfvauxiliary.org
Black Hills VFW Auxiliary 5969
Deadwood, South Dakota

MAIN STREET INITIATIVE

Meets as follows:

Main Street Initiative - 3rd Wednesday - Noon - Welcome Center - Ken Gienger (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