Virginia City, MT NSFWA Annual Conference June 20-23rd, 2024

Thurs June 20th, 2024

3:00-7:00pm – Welcome Reception at the Bale of Hay Saloon in Virginia City

- Packet pick up and informal gathering - enjoy seeing old friends and explore the town

Friday June 21st, 2024

Nevada City Tour Day

8:30 am – Meet at front gate of Nevada City Open Air Museum

- Tour of town and historical talk by Harland/Joel Olson

------ 11-12:30 -Lunch (on your own) ------

12:45 – 4pm -Tour of Wagons/Vehicles housed at Nevada City

-Blacksmith demonstration from Jem Blueher

4:45-7:30pm – Meet at Discovery Park in VC for Chuckwagon Dinner (5pm)

-Full dinner with all the fixin's!

-Tour of VC via Wagon from Matt Clover

*** Sign Up for Chuckwagon Dinner/History Tour on Registration Form- this is an additional cost**

Sat June 22nd, 2024

Presentation Day

8:30am - Noon – Presentations, Speakers, Programs, Vehicle display(s) - TBA -hosted by the Ruby Dell Ranch in Alder, MT – at their historic barn

------ Lunch/Drinks Provided by NSFWA -----

1:00-3:00pm – NSFWA Directors Monthly Meeting – Open to the Members/Public

-Open to comments and input from YOU! Regular business meeting will be held first and then flow into public input

------- TBA - Unscheduled Time 3pm – 5:30pm ------

5:30pm – <u>**Saturday Soiree!**</u> - Public needs to RSVP by Saturday morning - \$30 attendance

We will have a brief presentation/talk from the NSFWA board, prior to food.

- -Period Clothing encouraged!!
 - -all folks in costume will be eligible for the drawing, to win free (1) year membership to NSFWA
- -Social event with hot/cold food in Appetizer-fashion, drinks available
- -Old Red Barn Ruby Dell Ranch in Alder, MT

Sun June 23rd, 2024

<u>Option 1)</u> **10:00** - Cowboy Church Service (nondenominational service by local pastor, Tom Luksha) -Held in NC

<u>Option 2)</u> 8am-Noon – Self-Auto Tour of Alder Gulch or Sweetwater Station
-Drive up (weather permitting) TBA



The National Stagecoach and Freight Wagon
Association will be hosting their annual
Conference in Virginia City, MT. This event is
The primary fundraising event for the
NSFWA, a 501(c)3 organization.
The event will include speakers, displays, a
Special tour of Nevada City, social hour(s),
Board Meetings, and more!
For more information - please contact:
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