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## Wintertime Events, Programs and Workshops at National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center

Baker City, Oregon - - - The National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center has scheduled several programs, events, and workshops related to wintertime topics and indoor activities for November and December.

Connections with the Land - Native American stories and music presented by Phillip Charette, November 14, 1:00 pm in the Leo Adler Theater

Military in the West - display of 19<sup>th</sup> century frontier military equipment and uniforms, by Pete Piazza, all day November 14 and 15 in the Flagstaff Gallery

Wagons Ho! Film Festival - featuring Hollywood dramas of the westward migration story with interpretation on what happens when pop culture meets historical facts. This year's films are "Fievel Goes West", "Pillars of the Sky", and "Seven Alone", starting at 10:00 am in the Leo Adler Theater

Corn Husk Doll workshop - learn to make a historic style doll from corn husks - suitable for all ages, 1-3 pm Saturday November 28. No pre-registration required.

Holiday Open House - Sunday December 6. Free Fee Day with special activities from 1-3 pm, including door prizes, music, refreshments, Father Christmas, performances by the Bel Canto Choir and the Community Choir, Silent Auction, and Cake Walk.

Holiday Pomander Workshop - Sunday, December 13, 1-3 pm. Learn to make a historic style pomander ball. No pre-registration required.

Feed the Birds Workshop - Wednesday, December 30, 1-3 pm. Nature hike, weather permitting, or theater program if weather is inclement, discusses bird habitat and bird watching, followed by making a simple bird feeder to take home. Pre-registration required. Suitable for all ages.

For more information or updates call 541-523-1843 or check the Interpretive Center website at [oregontrail.blm.gov](http://oregontrail.blm.gov)

The National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center, operated by the Bureau of Land Management, is located 5 miles east of Baker City, Oregon on Highway 86. Take Exit 302 from I-84. The Center is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Winter Season admission for adults is \$5. Seniors are \$3.50. Children 15 and under are free. Federal passes are accepted. Visit [oregontrail.blm.gov](http://oregontrail.blm.gov) for more information about the Center, or call 541-523-1843 for updates on programs and events. For information on these and other events in Baker County, Oregon over the winter holidays, call 1-800-523-1235.

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