

# National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center

## Baker City, Oregon



### Calendar of Programs & Events February 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Video Presentations Mountain Men & Explorers	2 Video Presentations Early Settlers	3 Video Presentations Westward Expansion	4 Video Presentations Gold Mining	5 Video Presentations Westward Expansion	6 Women of the Oregon Trail 1:00
7 Equine or Bovine? 1:00	8	9	10	11	12 Video Presentations Gold Mining	13 A Burning Issue 1:00
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21 Equine or Bovine? 1:00	22 Video Presentations Westward Expansion	23 Video Presentations Early Settlers	24 Video Presentations Gold Mining	25 Video Presentations Mountain Men & Explorers	26 Video Presentations Early Settlers	27 The Original Meals on Wheels 1:00
28 Equine or Bovine? 1:00	<p>Programs are subject to change as well as presented upon request depending on staff availability. Additional programs may be added.</p> <p>Please note: severe winter weather may result in unscheduled closure of the site or cancellation of workshops due to hazardous conditions. If planning to travel for a visit, please call ahead for an update on current conditions.</p> <p>Please call 541-523-1843 for further information or visit our website at <a href="http://oregontrail.blm.gov">oregontrail.blm.gov</a></p>					



## PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

**A Burning Issue:** Join interpreter Rachael Nickens for a 25 minute interpretive talk on the Bureau of Land Management's use of fire to heal the sagebrush prairie at the Interpretive Center and restore it to what the pioneers saw as they entered the Powder River Valley.

**Equine or Bovine:** Interpreter Calvin Henshaw portrays a pioneer pondering the pros and cons of different draft animals. See how he made the choice of which animal to use to power his wagon across the country.

**The Original Meals on Wheels:** NHOTIC Interpreter Rachael Nickens presents a 30 minute program in the Leo Adler Theater exploring the methods by which pioneers preserved, prepared, and partitioned food on the Oregon Trail.

**Women of the Oregon Trail:** Join Interpreter Rachael Nickens for a 40 minute interpretive talk on the roles of women traveling the Oregon Trail.

**Moccasins Workshop:** Learn how to make your own moccasins! This workshop goes from 11AM-3PM with a 45 minute lunch break (please bring your own). Space is limited to 10 participants, and registration closes February 14th. There is a \$30 fee which includes supplies and entrance to the Interpretive Center. You may bring your own embellishments and decorations if you so choose. For more information and to register, please call 541-523-1843.

**Video Presentations:** *For days designated with a theme, special films will be shown these days along with "West to Oregon".*

**Mountain Men and Explorers:** "Lewis and Clark: Confluence of Time & Courage", "Mountain Men", "Lewis and Clark at Fort Mandan"

**Gold Mining:** "The Gold Rush" "Oregon Ghost Towns"

**Westward Expansion and Pioneer Lifeways:** "The Oregon Trail", "The Donner Party" "How to make a Wooden Bucket" "Daily Pioneer Life (for youngsters)"

**Early Settlers in Oregon:** "Abigail Scott Duniway"

**In the Leo Adler Theater:** Special interest videos on historical subjects, regional interest topics, and natural history are shown daily.

- Open daily except Christmas Day, Thanksgiving, and New Year's Day.
- 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. – April to October ● 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. – October to April