



NATIONAL HISTORIC
OREGON TRAIL
INTERPRETIVE CENTER



BAKER CITY, OREGON

February 2016 Calendar of Programs & Events

Seasonal Schedule:

through February 10
Open Thursday – Sunday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Beginning February 11

Open Daily, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 Films available upon request	5 An Evening Chat 11:00	6 Surviving the Oregon Trail 11:00
7 Films available upon request	8	9	10	11 Wagons Ho! Exhibit Opens The Parting 11:00	12 Windows in Time 11:00	13 Free Admission Black Powder Demo 11:00
14 Free Admission Films available upon request	15 Free Admission Films available upon request	16 Films available upon request	17 Films available upon request	18 The Parting 11:00	19 Campfire Conversations 11:00	20 Lost Gold! 11:00
21 Equine or Bovine 11:00	22 Films available upon request	23 Films available upon request	24 Films available upon request	25 Campfire Conversations 11:00	26 An Evening Chat 11:00	27 A Visit With Joe Meek 11:00
28 The Ghost of Whiskey Davis 11:00	29 Films available upon request	<p>Programs are subject to change as well as presented upon request depending on staff availability.</p> <p>Additional programs may be added.</p>				

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

An Evening Chat: Share an evening chat with Interpreter Susan Kolb, recalling the highlights and hardships of one woman's Oregon Trail experience. (20 minutes)

A Visit with Joe Meek: Ranger Jeremy Martin portrays the colorful mountain man and fur trapper Joseph Meek. Listen to some of Meek's most infamous adventures and the occasional tall tale in his own words. (30 minutes)

Campfire Conversations: Join Interpreter Cheri at the Blue Mountain Camp for conversations about the Oregon Trail.

Black Powder Demo: Living historian Jeremy Martin demonstrates how to properly load and fire the typical black powder weapons used on the frontier. (20 minutes)

Equine or Bovine: Join Staff Interpreter Calvin Henshaw in the Leo Adler Theater as he portrays a pioneer pondering the pros & cons of different draft animals. See how he made the choice of which animal to use to power his wagon across the country. (20 minutes)

The Ghost of "Whiskey" Davis: Interpreter Calvin tells this haunting narrative of hardship and loss on the Oregon Trail.

Lost Gold: Ranger Jeremy explains why people came back on the "Old Emigrant Road."

The Parting: Staff Interpreter Rachael Nickens portrays a woman who journeys to Oregon with her husband and children, but must leave her sisters, childhood home, and friends behind. (20 minutes)

Surviving the Oregon Trail: Do you think you have what it takes to survive the overland journey to the Oregon Country? Park Ranger Jeremy discusses what it would take for you to make it across the Great American Desert. (20 minutes)

Flagstaff Gallery

Wagons Ho! An Interactive Oregon Trail Experience

February 11 – July 4

This popular hands-on exhibit returns! Test your pioneering skills by packing a full-scale replica wagon and see what you look like in a pioneer's clothes. Spin the wheel of fortune and see how you would fare by walking the Oregon Trail. Write some pioneer poetry; find out what wildlife you might have seen along the way. An interactive experience for visitors of all ages.