

## DEADWOOD CEMETERY NEWS

### Spring Headstone Work Day - Saturday 5/5/18, 9am - 3 or 4 pm

*16 Headstones were placed last fall - 20 more to go!*

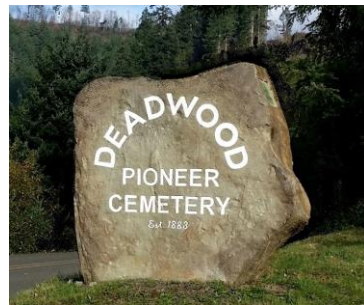
On our last work day, 9/23/17, we placed 16 of the 36 markers purchased with the generous grant for \$5,862 from the OREGON STATE PARKS' Heritage Cemeteries program, marking previously unmarked or poorly marked graves.

Please help us finish setting the rest! **BYO Gloves, cement tools, shovels, rakes, drinking water, camera, etc.**

**Lunch at the Deadwood Market & Tavern. Call Megan at [541-964-3345](tel:541-964-3345) for more information.  
We could sure use your help – thank you!**

**Please join us for our annual Spring Work Day on  
5/12/2018**

**Spring Work Day** at the Deadwood Pioneer Cemetery on **Saturday, May 12** (the week before Rhody Days), 9 am – 3 or 4 pm. Help mow and trim, and set the remaining headstones we purchased with the ORPD grant! Bring gloves, camera, drinking water and your favorite outdoor tools. Lunch at the Deadwood Market. Thank you for your support!



## Historic Event

**Deadwood Pioneer Cemetery** invites you to the 4<sup>th</sup> annual **Pioneer Heritage Day** on **Memorial Day, 5/28/2018**, approx. 12:00 – 3:00 at the Cemetery. **Potluck** will start at noon; side dishes or desserts welcome – bring a dish to share &/or your donations to support your nonprofit community cemetery. Also bring a chair to stay and enjoy the presentation!

This year's event will be highlighted by the several local pioneer characters played by the John Quay Players, presenting pioneer life in this area.

Enjoy the history, blooming flowers and shrubs in this lovely wooded setting. See the recent and upcoming improvements, including row markers and mapping, and the 36 new headstones marking previously unmarked graves, purchased with a grant from the Historic Cemeteries Division of Oregon Parks and Recreation. View the 11 black granite "art stones" that indicate unknown occupants of known graves. Honor our 34 veterans, including 2 Civil War veterans!

Please contact us if you have questions or want to be involved – 541-964-3345 / 541-999-2209 / [deadwoodcem@gmail.com](mailto:deadwoodcem@gmail.com). Thank you!