

# Deadwood DITTO 2013 December

"THIRD SATURDAY" DEC. 21, 2013  
A Winter Solstice of Live Music, Dinner, and Dance

WITH  
**STEEL WOOL**



*Tim Mueller: songwriter, lead vocalist and guitar player*  
*TR Kelley: bass and vocals*  
*Nel Applegate: mbira, percussion and vocals*  
*Randy Hamme: drums*

DINNER FOR SALE STARTS 6:30 \* MUSIC STARTS 7:30

Sliding scale donation appreciated at the door for the band

**DEADWOOD CREEK COMMUNITY CENTER**

4.3 miles up Deadwood Creek Rd. off HWY 36

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### DECEMBER

- 08--Lion's Club Breakfast 7:30-10:30am  
@ Mapleton Lion's Club
- 12--Mapleton Food Box 10am-2pm  
@ West of SV Bank on Highway 126
- 20--Triangle Food Box 11am-3pm  
@ Triangle Grange
- 20--Deadline-Priority Request for Native Plants
- 21--Winter Solstice
- 21--**THIRD SATURDAY ~ Music & Dance**  
Dinner 6:30pm ~ Music 7:30pm  
@ Deadwood Community Center
- 25--**Christmas Day**
- 28--Mapleton Food Box 10am-2pm  
@ West of SV Bank on Highway 126
- 26--DITTO DEADLINE
- 31--NEW YEARS EVE

### UPCOMING

- Jan 9--DNW Meeting @ 7:00 pm  
@ Deadwood Community Center
- Feb 8--Native Plants Distribution Day

### ONGOING

- Mondays--Al-Anon Meetings 6:30pm  
Call for location and/or info 964-3038



*Enjoy Singing?*

*Carolers will meet @ 5:00 pm  
Wednesday, December 18th  
at the Blue School House  
no matter what the weather...  
Have questions, contact  
Mary Lou @ X5691*



### Serious virus warning:

With the holidays coming up, I can see where this could be a real problem. The newest virus circulating is the UPS/Fed Ex/USPS Delivery Failure. You will receive an e-mail from UPS, Fed Ex, or USPS along with a packet number. It will say that they were unable to deliver a package sent to you on such-and-such a date. It then asks you to print out the invoice copy attached. **DON'T TRY TO PRINT THIS. IT LAUNCHES THE VIRUS!** Pass this warning on to all your PC operators at work and home. This virus has caused Millions of dollars in damage in the past few days. Snopes confirms that it is real.

<http://www.snopes.com/computer/virus/ups.asp>

*Deadwood Country Market*

Open Hours: Tuesday thru Saturday 8:00am - 8:00pm  
Sunday & Monday 8:00am - 6:00pm



**DEADWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH – DECEMBER, 2013**

There were reports concerning a poaching incident, on private property, Wednesday, November 6, at 6:45 p.m. The Sheriff and Game Warden were called, and appropriate action taken. West Fork Rd.

Reports were made of a man brandishing a firearm in downtown Deadwood and Highway 36 E Deadwood the week of November 10.

To report incidents, call Maryanne (3099), or Marina (3497)

The next meeting of DNW members will be the second Thursday, January 9, 2014, at 7 p.m. at the Community Center, Deadwood.



Hello friends of the Siuslaw,

Thank you for your involvement in the Siuslaw Watershed Council (SWC). We are excited to announce the 15th annual Native Plant Distribution! We are now accepting landowner requests for free plants and trees for planting on lake and stream banks. Respond to this email directly or call our office to get your order in today.

The SWC gives away thousands of free trees and shrubs to riparian landowners in the Siuslaw watershed and Coastal Lakes areas. To view a map of the Siuslaw and Coastal Lakes region, click here. To find out more about the Native Plant Distribution, check out the attached brochure or click here.

Distribution Day will be **Saturday, February 8, 2014**. Please submit your requests ASAP by contacting Kiira Siitari at 541-268-3044 or email [nativeplants@siuslaw.org](mailto:nativeplants@siuslaw.org). Priority request deadline: December 20, 2013. Requests will still be taken after 12/20, however, due to limited supplies, preference is given to requests placed on or prior to this date.

Dear Friends:

The shooting incident involving a buck that occurred Friday night, November 8, has been extremely upsetting to everyone within earshot. Moreover, considerable time and energy have been spent in trying to clarify and resolve this issue. As owners of the property where the shooting took place, we are naturally concerned—not merely about the obvious trespass that took place, but more importantly about the potential danger to people and livestock that are regularly present in our pasture, both during daylight hours and in the evening. Violation of the law is one thing; but the larger issue for us is the carelessness and arrogance that leads a person to fire a gun without regard to those living here, including wildlife. This is a community-wide issue, and anyone possessing a gun must know that he or she has a responsibility not to trespass, hunt, or engage in target practice within range of people.

The undersigned neighbors join us in expressing these concerns.

- Mel and Jodi Gurtov
- Craig Carlton
- Marina Saltzman
- Cathy Barr
- Les Benscoter
- Nancy Nichols
- Tom Steinberg
- Michelle Holman
- Linda Kanter
- Mary Lou Goertzen
- Elaina Bailey
- Carina Robicheaux
- Maryanne Fazio-Fox
- George Oldershaw
- Ray Kinney
- Brian Hodgson
- Jesse and Elaine Pattison

**Deadwood Raincheck**

Nov. 1—26, '13	5.8
Nov. 1—30, '12	17.4
Nov. 1—30, '11	11.6
Nov. 1—30, '10	23.4
Nov. 1—30, '09	8.4
Nov. 1—30, '08	12.7
Nov. 1—30, '07	11.1
Nov. 1—30, '06	37.2
Nov. 1—30, '05	13.5
Nov. 1—30, '04	4.8
Nov. 1—30, '03	11.4
7 year average—	17.4
Sept. 1—Nov. 26, '13	20.0
Sept. 1—Nov. 23, '12	28.5
Sept. 1—Nov. 30, '12	31.7
Sept. 1—Nov. 30, '11	17.9
Sept. 1—Nov. 30, '10	28.1
Sept 1—Nov.30, '09	18.7
Sept 1—Nov. 30, '08	18.7
Sept 1—Nov. 30, '07	22.1
Sept 1—Nov. 30, '06	39.2
Sept 1—Nov. 30, '05	24.3
Sept 1—Nov. 30, '04	19.8
7 year average—	25.2
Days w/ at least some Sunshine so far	19

**BINGO ~ \$15.00 for Packet**  
 Where ~ Triangle Grange  
 When ~ December 14th & 28th  
 Time ~ Bingo Starts @ 7:00PM  
       ~ Dinner & Desserts @ 6:00pm  
       *(Sold separately)*

**FOR SALE**  
**Brand New Log Splitter**  
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Deadwood Dump Run  
December Reminder

12/7 Saturday include Upper Deadwood  
12/21 Saturday Lower Deadwood  
1/4 Saturday include Upper Deadwood  
Keith -3502



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is his little, nameless, unremembered  
acts of kindness and love."

William Wordsworth

## TUNNELVISIONS

By Mark XPG

*Over the years, I've been accused of being a bit odd. Well, its time I dispelled this notion.*

*After a particularly rotten night of paper delivery through the snow and ice, I was having coffee with Jim at the Deadwood store, when in walked a rather bleary-eyed young lad. He looked as though he had been up misbehaving all night. He bought a handful of candy bars, went and sat down outside and began munching away. He had overheard me telling Jim about a rather large herd of elk I'd seen earlier. So, when I went to head home, this young lad asked me if I'd ever seen any giraffes on my run.*

*Well, being one who likes to mess with a messed up mind, I put on my best poker face and said no, no giraffes. But, right down the road, I did see 2 large, dark aardvarks! I heard they were missing from the zoo. Fish and Wildlife had been looking high and low but they had not seen them. Have you? Why did they go? Oh, I'll tell you the reason. It's because it is aardvark mating season! When those aardvarks made their date, they slipped right through that old zoo gate?*

*So, if you see 2 aardvarks down in Indiola Park, don't upset their applegart. Why not? Well, do not be a spy; You are not the FBI, and you would only break those aardvarks hearts! With that, he picked up his candy bars, muttered "that's so not right," and walked away. I never saw him again.*

*I did not get the part of Romeo down in talent. Darn, I thought I was a shoe-in... but I had better prioritize my bucket list. I'm going to work all winter at trying not to be so odd!*



Christmas is celebrated on the 25th of December and commemorates the birth of Jesus Christ. The word Christmas is derived from the Old English word "Cristes maesse" which literally translates to Christ's Mass. Although no one knows for sure the exact date of Christ's birth, the date chosen to celebrate it is related to the Roman Saturnalia festival that lasted from the 17th -21st of December. This date was chosen somewhere during the 4th century AD by the heads of the church. The date became widely accepted by most branches of Christianity with the exception of the Armenians who reserved the 6th of January for Christmas celebrations.

During the reformation of the 19th century there was some disfavour with Christmas and its associations with paganism. Many protestants distanced themselves from the tradition. However, by the latter part of the 19th century the celebration of Christmas grew wide spread. It was around this time that the modern Christmas tree was introduced in Britain. The 20th century brought a general acceptance of the tradition despite the criticisms that were originally set against it.

According to the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), there are 2,106 million children under age 18 in the world. If there are on average 2.5 children per household, Santa would have to make 842 million stops on Christmas Eve, traveling 221 million miles. To reach all 842 million stops, Santa would need to travel between houses in 2/10,000 second, which means he would need to accelerate 12.19 million miles (20.5 billion meters) per second on each stop. The force of this acceleration would reduce Santa to "chunky salsa."

The December Neighborhood Watch update is now posted.

<http://www.deadwoodtradingpost.com/>

Karl DTP Adm.

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Looking for a feel good story? Check ESPN's E60 recent piece on last years' Mapleton Basketball team:  
<http://espn.go.com/video/clip?id=9898489>  
submitted by Michelle



~ Greetings Authors, Writers ~

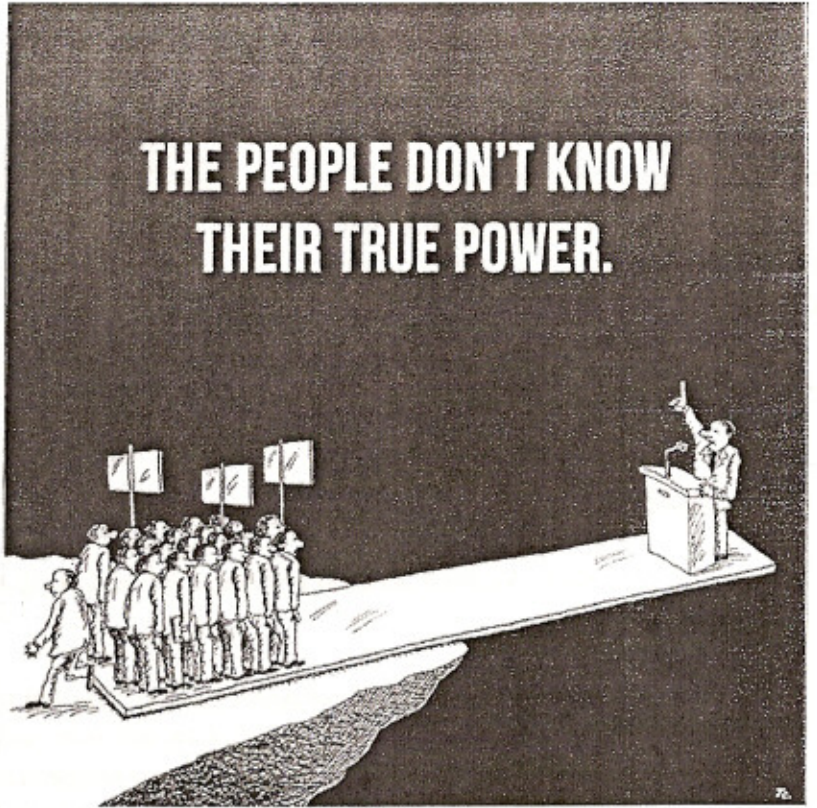
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There are approximately 21,000 Christmas tree farms in the United States. In 2008, nearly 45 million Christmas trees were planted, adding to the existing 400 million trees.<sup>b</sup>



Withdrawing consent is the most powerful response to tyranny

Credits: Image: Unknown

Submitted by Richie

"Power is the alignment  
of your personality  
with your soul."  
Gary Zukav

**"Third Saturday", December 21, 2013  
Winter Solstice Dance with Steel Wool**

On December 21, 2013 the Steel Wool band will once again offer their powerfully energetic, creative, and danceable music at the *Deadwood Creek Community Center's "Third Saturday"* Live Musc, Dinner, and Dance. We will warm up the Center on the longest night of the year, with a Winter Solstice Party, welcoming this talented band, always a special treat at the Center. They love us and we love them!

Steel Wool features Tim Mueller as songwriter, lead vocalist and guitar player;  
TR Kelley on bass and vocals, Nel Applegate on mbira, percussion and vocals, and Randy Hamme on drums. This band, local to Swisshome and Eugene, Oregon brings their excellent three part harmonies, inventive bass lines, exceptional rhythm guitar, great drumming and percussion accents, sweet love songs, call-to-action songs, rockin' songs and "hey let's dance now" songs. You will love it!  
Expect a delicious dinner and desserts for sale starting at 6:30 and the music starts at 7:30. A sliding scale donation is appreciated at the door for the band and the Center is located 4.3 miles up Deadwood Creek Rd. off hwy 36. Call 541-964-5031 for more information.