



National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center Baker City, Oregon

Calendar of Programs & Events November 2008

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Programs are subject to change as well as presented upon request depending on staff availability. Please call 541-523-1843 for further information or contact our website at oregontrail.blm.gov</p>						<p>1 The Original Meals on Wheels @ 10AM Women on the Trail @ 2PM</p>
<p>2 Albert Fenner @ 11AM & 2PM</p>	<p>3 Mountain Man @ 11AM Women on the Trail @ 2PM</p>	<p>4 All About Oxen @ 11AM Preparing for the Trail @ 2PM</p>	<p>5 Albert Fenner @ 11AM Buffalo @ 2PM</p>	<p>6 Preparing for the Trail @ 11AM Geology @ 2PM</p>	<p>7 Mountain Man @ 11AM Albert Fenner @ 2PM</p>	<p>8 Women on the Trail @ 11AM The Original Meals on Wheels @ 2PM</p>
<p>9 Albert Fenner @ 11AM & 2PM Velveteen Poinsettia Workshop and Tea</p>	<p>10 Mountain Man @ 11AM</p>	<p>11 Videos Veteran's Day Free Fee Day</p>	<p>12 Videos</p>	<p>13 Mountain Man @ 11AM Albert Fenner @ 2PM</p>	<p>14 Albert Fenner @ 11AM & 2PM</p>	<p>15 Women on the Trail @ 11AM Military Exhibit</p>
<p>16 Mountain Man @ 11AM @ 2PM Frontier Crafts</p>	<p>17 Women on the Trail @ 11AM The Original Meals on Wheels @ 2PM</p>	<p>18 Videos</p>	<p>19 Videos</p>	<p>20 Mountain Man @ 11AM Albert Fenner @ 2PM</p>	<p>21 Tall Tales 9:30-11:30 Mountain Man @ 2PM</p>	<p>22 The Original Meals on Wheels @ 10AM Women on the Trail @ 2PM</p>
<p>23 Albert Fenner @ 11:00AM Women on the Trail @ 2:00PM</p>	<p>24 The Original Meals on Wheels @ 10:00AM Women on the Trail @ 2:00PM</p>	<p>25 Videos</p>	<p>26 Videos</p>	<p>27 Holiday Center Closed</p>	<p>28 Wagon's Ho! Film Festival</p>	<p>29 The Original Meals on Wheels @ 10AM Mining History of Eastern Oregon @ 11AM Women on the Trail @ 2PM</p>
<p>30 Albert Fenner @ 11:00AM Women on the Trail @ 2:00PM</p>						



Program Descriptions:

- Where the Buffalo (Bison) Roam:** This PowerPoint presentation looks at the quintessential American icon, how the animal was brought to the brink of extinction and where it stands today.
- Geology, Climatology, & its Effects on Plant Communities:** Accompany an Interpreter on a walk around the grounds or relax in the Leo Adler Theater for an interpretive presentation on the geology of Oregon and its effects on climate and the corresponding plant communities.
- All About Oxen:** Take a look into the most prominent beast of burden on the Oregon Trail.
- The Varied & Startling Adventures of a Mountain Man:** Find out the story of "Probably" George Malvern in this adventurous living history program.
- Preparing for the Trail:** There were many decisions involved in making the choice to start a new life in Oregon. Explore some of the options, alternatives, and judgments the pioneers faced.
- Women of the Oregon Trail:** Explore the role of women on the Oregon Trail.
- Tall Tales:** Experience pioneer tales from the trail along with music, coffee, & more at the Blue Mountain Encampment in the Interpretive Center.
- The Original Meals on Wheels:** Explore the methods in which Pioneers preserved, prepared, and partitioned food on the Oregon Trail.
- Albert Fenner - Supplier to the Compleat Miner:** Meet Albert Fenner, Mining Supplier, and find out what the life of a mid 19th century business man was like.
- Velveteen Poinsettia Workshop and Tea:** Learn how to craft typical 19th century fabric flowers for Victorian style holiday decorations. \$15 fee includes all supplies and includes fee for visiting the Interpretive Center. Tea will be provided by a costumed interpreter sharing some of the social customs of the Victorian era. Registration required; please call 541-523-1843 for more information or to register.
- Frontier Crafts:** A drop-in workshop from 9:30AM to 1:30PM for all ages. Learn to make simple holiday crafts similar to what Oregon settlers might have made during winters on frontier homesteads, or simple decorations from natural materials found in eastern Oregon. All supplies provided; standard fee for visiting the Interpretive Center required. Call 541-523-1843 for more information.
- Wagons Ho! Film Festival:** Our annual salute to the Western Experience through film. This year we will be showing a children's movie "**An American Tail: Fievel Goes West**", at 9:30AM, "**Bend of the River**" starring Jimmy Stewart, 91 minutes long at 12PM and "**Canyon Passage**" starring Dana Andrews, 92 minutes long, at 2PM. Trail Tenders will be providing food; \$5 will purchase Bratwurst, chips and a drink of choice. For more information please contact the Center at 541-523-1843.
- Military Exhibit:** The military played an important part in the history of the Oregon Trail. Come and learn about the history of the Cavalry from the Revolutionary War to the present with this one day exhibit of original artifacts, clothing and accoutrements.
- Mining History of Eastern Oregon:** Author Howard Brooks will share the fascinating history of Mining in Eastern Oregon in this presentation. He will sign copies of his book "A Pictorial History of Gold Mining in the Blue Mountains of Eastern Oregon" immediately afterwards in the lobby.

In the Leo Adler Theater:

Special interest videos on historical subjects, regional interest topics, and natural history shown daily.

Flagstaff Gallery:

"Strength in Perspective: Eastern Oregon & the Blue Mountains" See Baker County and the Blue Mountains through the eye of a camera lens in this professional photography display by Paul and Marilyn Peck beginning September 9th, 2008. The cultural, natural, and human footprints made across this land are visible through these beautiful pictures and provide any viewer with insight into the Eastern Oregon way of life!

- Open daily except Christmas Day, Thanksgiving, and New Year's Day.
 - 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. - April 1 through October 31
 - 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. - November 1 through March 31