

South Pass City

STATE HISTORIC SITE, WYOMING

Events 2015

Catch the Night Shift

Scotch Tasting & Lantern Tour
June 20th, 6:30 pm

The Flora & Fauna of South Pass City

A guided Hike with John Mionczynski
June 26th, 12:30 pm

Gold Rush Days

July 11th & 12th

www.southpasscity.com/events.html

Tours 2015

Carissa Tours

Memorial Day thru Labor Day
Thursday-Sunday
2 p.m.

www.southpasscity.com/tour.html

Flood & Hindle Ming Trail Guided Walk

July & August
Saturdays
11 a.m.

www.southpasscity.com/walks.html

Gold Rush Days 2015 July 11th & 12th

Each year South Pass City & the Friends of South Pass host Gold Rush Days, a celebration of all things South Pass. The South Pass was an incredible cross road in the history of America. The trails brought emigrants to the west, while the mines at South Pass & Atlantic City heralded the first mining boom in the state of Wyoming. Gold Rush Days explores all that history with diverse events, entertainments & reenactments.



“What the heck is *salix bebbiana*?”

The Flora & Fauna of South Pass City

Well here is your chance to find out. On July 31st world renowned Biologist & avid naturalist John Mionczynski will lead a walk along South Pass City's Flood & Hindle Mining Trail & discuss the flora & fauna of Willow Creek & the larger South Pass area. John's walking tours of the Red Desert are famous for their voluminous information & humor.

The walk begins 12:30 pm, July 31 at the Dance Hall at South Pass City State Historic Site. The event is sponsored by the Friends of South Pass & donations are greatly appreciated.



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It is your Last Chance to Catch the Night Shift

A few years ago when South Pass City opened the Carissa Mine to the public the Mill boasted replica lights like those used by miners in the 1940s.



The Carissa Head Frame



Barbara & Bob Townsend



Visitors on Catch the Night Shift

Historically the Mill would run 24 hours a day in three shifts. SPC Staff & the Friends of South Pass were excited to showcase a rarely seen side of South Pass City, what the place looked like at night. So Catch the Night Shift, a lantern tour of the town & tour of the mill, was developed.

A natural partner for this event was the Two Bit Saloon at the Miner's Delight bed & Breakfast Inn. Bob & Barbara Townsend have built a very unique business around rare & wonderful single malt scotches. The Two Bit Saloon has garnered a national recognition & the Townsends were very generous to share that reputation & experience with SPC, pouring scotch for Catch the Night Shift.

The Townsends are retiring this summer & this will be your last chance to sip scotch in the Miners' Exchange Saloon. SPC will be host two events this summer June 20th & August 22nd. Tickets are \$40 & include the scotch tasting, hors d'oeuvres & tour of the Carissa. Call 307-332-3684 for tickets. This is the last chance & tickets will go fast!

