



Dear Kool Deadwood Nites Enthusiast:

Thank you very much for your interest in Kool Deadwood Nites, August 24-28! We can't wait to welcome you KDN veterans back and meet the "freshmen" too! This year's fun starts Wednesday, August 24 featuring Surfin' Safari. Music starts at 6pm at Outlaw Square. We'll also begin registration on Wednesday from noon to 8 p.m. at the Deadwood Welcome Center, so feel free to come early!

Our 13th annual Sock Hop and "People's Choice Awards" at the History and Information Center Parking, Lower Main Street Parking Lot located at the Deadwood Welcome Center lot and portions of Historic Main Street will be Thursday, August 25. Vote for your favorite classic car before getting a spot-on Main Street to take in the free entertainment on the Main Street stage, featuring The Grass Roots. You can also register your car for the event Thursday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Deadwood Welcome Center in the lower Main Street Parking Lot.

Friday, August 26 registration continues from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Register your beauty, pick up your goody bag and talk to other car owners arriving in Deadwood. The 13th annual Rod Run will again feature two runs this year. Check out the flyer in the registration packet. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. with the Lodge at Deadwood offering free breakfast from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. to all Rod Run registrants prior to the start of the event. Rod Run departs the Days of '76 Event Complex (Rodeo Grounds) at 10 a.m.

Starting Friday at 5 p.m., get ready to rock and roll with the third night of free concerts on the Main Street stage, featuring some big-time bands, including Ronnie and the Rip Tones and Hotel California, an Eagles' endorsed tribute band!

The fun continues Saturday, August 27 – starting with car judging at the Deadwood Days of '76 Event Complex and a Poker Run through the Black Hills. Great sounds will fill the air from the Main Street stage again, featuring Revisiting Creedence and Million Dollar Reunion.

It's time to really show off your pride and joy on Sunday, August 28 with the annual parade in the morning before the Show and Shine and awards. Come and relive the coolest days of summer in Deadwood!

This year, plan to extend your Kool Deadwood Nites trip and enjoy a mega concert on Sunday, Aug. 28 at the Deadwood Mountain Grand will host the Happy Together Tour featuring six bands of the 60's and 70's that helped to shape the rock and roll world. The Sunday concert is a ticketed event through Ticketmaster.

To check on room availability and we suggest you do it early, call 1-800-344-8826 or go to www.deadwood.com. We look forward to seeing you in August!

Sarah Anderson
Event Coordinator

2022 Kool Deadwood Nites

... changes and new stuff to be aware of!

- Registration for 2022 Kool Deadwood Nites will again be held at the **Deadwood's Welcome Center!** 501 Main Street, Deadwood, S.D. 57732. It's located in the Lower Main Street Parking Lot, across from Tin Lizzie.
- Registration will begin on **Wednesday, August 24** for those that want to come early and get settled in!
- **All of** the Lower Main Street parking lot (location of the **Welcome Center**, where registration will be held) will be available to registered cars only Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 24-27. Of course, registrants can continue to park throughout the event at the History and Information Center too. **Please note these is no trailer parking in the Lower Main Street Parking lot.**
- There's a shuttle being offered for parking again this year, from Akela Spa outside of town to Deadwood. This is a free service to all of our guests for Kool Deadwood Nites, and it runs from 4 p.m.-11 p.m. Thursday, August 25 and from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. both Friday and Saturday, August 26 & 27.
- Get on the **Deadwood Trolley System for FREE!** During Kool Deadwood Nites, rides on the public transit are FREE.
- The City of Deadwood Police Department asks that you please refrain from doing **Burn-Outs** during the parade on Sunday, August 28.
- The Main Street Entertainment this year includes the Grass Roots, Thursday, August 25; Ronnie and the Rip Tones and Hotel California on Friday, August 26; and Revisiting Creedence and Million Dollar Reunion on Saturday, August 27! Surfin' Safari plays at Outlaw Square on Wednesday, August 25 too.
- The official online home for Kool Deadwood Nites **merchandise** is www.kooldeadwoodnitesofficial.com – see what's in stock, because there's A LOT! Merchandise options have expanded to include customizable items such as lettermen jackets, polo shirts, hoodies, sew-on patches and MUCH MORE! Head to the website and see what's available!
- This year, plan to extend your Kool Deadwood Nites trip to the Happy Together Tour Sunday, August 28 at the Deadwood Mountain Grand. The Sunday concert is a ticketed event through Ticketmaster.

Please be aware of summer road construction projects.

Visit www.sddot.com. for more information.

KOOL DEADWOOD NITES - 2022 Summary of Events -

**Locations and Times Subject to Change*

Wednesday, August 24, 2022

Noon-8pm: Car Registration –Lower Main Parking Lot @ Deadwood Welcome Center

Noon: Early Car Auction Check-in – Call McPherson Auction at 605-348-1369 for more info

6pm: Free Concert begins at Outlaw Square

Thursday, August 25, 2022

9am-8pm: Car Registration –Lower Main Street Parking Lot @ Deadwood Welcome Center

4pm-9pm: People's Choice Awards & Voting – Live DJ and games from 4pm-6pm – History and Information Center Parking Lot and portions of Deadwood Main Street

6pm: Memorabilia & Classic Car Auction – Held in the Deadwood Mountain Grand Event Center. Call McPherson Auction at 605-348-1369 for more info

7pm-9pm: 13th Annual Sock Hop – Featuring the Grass Roots on Main Street

Following The Grass Roots concert: People's Choice Award Results – Main Street stage

Friday, August 26, 2022

9am-7pm: Car Registration –Lower Main Street Parking Lot @ Deadwood Welcome Center

10am-2pm: 13th Annual Rod Run

9am: Classic Car Auction – Deadwood Mountain Grand. Call 605-348-1369 for more info

5pm: Free Concerts – Music starts on Main Street – Featuring Ronnie and the Rip Tones and Hotel California

Saturday, August 27, 2022

8am-noon: Classic Car Competition/Judging - Days of '76 Event Complex

9am: Classic Car Auction – Deadwood Mountain Grand. Call 605-348-1369 for more info

10am-4pm: Poker Runs – throughout the Black Hills

5pm: Free Concerts – Music Starts on Main Street – Featuring Revisiting Creedence and Million Dollar Reunion

5pm: Poker Run Awards party at Mr. Wu's – lower Main Street

Sunday, August 28, 2022

7am: Parade Line-up – Rodeo Grounds/Ferguson Field

9am: Parade - Main Street, continues through Central City & Lead.

10am-2pm: Show and Shine – Main Street – immediately following the parade until 2pm.

11am: Awards - Parking lot at the History and Information Center

8pm: Happy Together Concert at Deadwood Mountain Grand (Ticketed through Ticketmaster)

***All cars must be off Main Street by 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 28, 2022! Thank you.**

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KOOL DEADWOOD NITES

14th Annual Rod Run

TWO routes again this year!!

Join us Friday, August 26 for our 14th Annual Kool Deadwood Nites Rod Run. There are two options again this year:

- Enjoy an escorted tour through beautiful Spearfish Canyon with a stop at Carsten's Cottages.
- OR head through Boulder Canyon, including a trip to the drag strip in Sturgis, with a chance to run the NAPA track!

-Each Rod Run will begin from The Days of 76 Event Complex. Line up begins at 9am.

-The Rod Runs will run from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

-Enjoy food and refreshments upon arrival at each location.

-If you want to run your "rod" on the Sturgis drag strip, the Boulder Canyon run will allow all participants one free 1/8th mile pass on the track with an old-fashioned hand drop. There will also be other races offered at the drag strip with a timer and lights.

*****Please Note*****

-For those wanting to run the drag strip, helmets will be provided and required. You must be a participant and traveled the Rod Run Route. If you brought a helmet, please bring it on the trip!

-If you are taking the Spearfish Canyon route, there is a very small amount of gravel as you pull into the final stop at Carsten's Cottages. They will have food and drinks available when you arrive.



Kool Deadwood Nites: Tips on Classifying Your Car

Stock – which includes Stock Muscle, Stock Truck, and Stock Tri-Five and the 54' – 73' Stock class: must be as close to manufacture as possible including paint, interior, engine compartment so on and so forth. However, 3 small changes are allowed before deductions are added. Such as but not limited to chrome air cleaners, chrome valve covers, aluminum intakes, steering wheels, and things of that nature. We understand that rims can be ruined and hard to find so major changes like that may be accepted as long as they are era correct. So be aware of what style of rims were made in these years. It is your responsibility to know these details.

Modified – which includes Modified Muscle, Modified Truck and Modified Tri-Five: unlimited amount of changes can be done as long as the body is not altered or changed in any way.

Customs – (49' – 59' and 60' – 73'): a custom is when a body has been altered such as but not limited to shaved drip caps, door handles, French bumpers, and any body alterations of this nature from which the manufacture has produced your car.

Pro Street – a pro street car must have a larger than normal engine and tire configuration which would make the car above and beyond to be considered a normal street rod or muscle car.

Street Rods – (Pre 49') Street rod is usually ground up restoration with numerous alterations with the intent to make the car to be restored to modern conveniences.

Truck – Truck class may fit 4-wheel drives or 2-wheel drives. Some cars may look like trucks such as El Caminos, Rancheros and larger trucks that may have duals would all fit in this class.

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Kool Deadwood Nites

CLASSIC CAR JUDGING VEHICLE CATEGORIES

Please find the category that your vehicle fits and write the category on the enclosed registration form. If you have a question about what category you fit, we will have judges on site at registration to assist.

Divisions include:

Street Rods – Pre '49 ('48 and older)

- A. Coupe
- B. Sedan
- C. Roadster/Convertible
- D. RAT Rods

Customs

- A. Early '49 to 59'
- B. Late '60 to 73'

Muscle Cars '64 – '73

- A. Stock
- B. Custom

Pro-Street

- A. All – '73 & earlier

Stock

- A. '54 & older
- B. '55 to '73

Truck Class '73 & earlier

- A. Stock
- B. Custom – '73 & earlier

Tri-Five '55 to '57

- A. Stock
- B. Custom

Special Awards include: Committee's Choice, Best Use of Color and Design, Best Interior, Best Motor, Best Street Rod, Best Custom, Best Stock, Best Truck, Best General Motors, Best Ford, Best MoPar, Chamber Choice and Honorable Mentions.

Call the Deadwood Chamber at 1-800-999-1876 for more info.



Kool Deadwood Nites Official Entry Application

Classic Cars and Classic Music – Deadwood's Own Classic Party

August 24-28, 2022

Complete and mail with correct amount to us at the Deadwood Chamber of Commerce, 501 Main Street, Deadwood, South Dakota 57732. A confirmation of entry will be furnished. **Please choose one:**

☐ Email ☐ Postcard

1 Shirt Per Registrant

T-shirt size(s): _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL

Indicate the size you want to order on the line. Each registration is entitled to one shirt. **Additional shirts will be available for purchase at registration.**

ENTRANT NAME: First _____ Last _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

ADDRESS: Street _____ City/State/Zip _____

AUTOMOBILE: Year _____ Make _____ Model _____

EMAIL: _____ CLUB: _____

JUDGED CLASSES: 1973 MODEL YEARS AND EARLIER ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE.

Please check the appropriate category for your vehicle. **Note: Each vehicle must be entered on a separate entry form.**

Street Rods – Pre-'49 ('48 & older)

☐ Coupe

☐ Sedan

☐ Roadster/Convertible

☐ Rat Rod

Customs

☐ Early '49 -'59

☐ Late '60 -'73

Pro-Street

☐ All '73 & earlier

Muscle Cars – '64-'73

☐ Stock

☐ Modified

Stock

☐ '54 & older

☐ '55 -'73

Truck Class – '73 & earlier

☐ Stock

☐ Modified – '73 & earlier

Tri-Five – '55-'57

☐ Stock

☐ Modified

ENTRY AND ADVERTISING RELEASE: In consideration of this entry, car owner, entrant and spouse or guest(s) agree to permit Kool Deadwood Nites to use their names and pictures, and pictures of the car, for publicity, advertising and commercial purposes, including newspapers, magazines, and radio during and after the event and do hereby relinquish any rights whatsoever to any photos taken in connection with the event, and give permission to publish or sell photographs to the Deadwood Area Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau. All publicity and advertising rights reserved by Kool Deadwood Nites.

OPERATION: Event Management reserves the right to restrict entrants to acceptable behavior during any and all activities of the Kool Deadwood Nites. Open headers and unnecessary tire spin, or any other reason an entrant's or his vehicles appearance or conduct are deemed objectionable by Event Management, entrant and his vehicle will be subject to eviction from the event. Any poor behavior during the events will be reason for denying admittance of vehicle and entrant to listed events. This reservation includes persons, things, conduct, printed matter, or any act or item of poor character which the management considers to be objectionable to the event's well-being. In case of any eviction or restriction, the Kool Deadwood Nites is not liable for refunding entry fees except at its own discretion.

LIABILITY: In consideration of the acceptance of the right to participate by the undersigned entrant, participants, and/or spectator(s), the undersigned does by execution of this entry form, hereby release and discharge Kool Deadwood Nites, Deadwood Area Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau, the City of Deadwood and any of their officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, servants, and any one else connected with the management or presentation of Kool Deadwood Nites of and from any and all known or unknown damages, injuries, losses, judgments, claims, or liabilities of any kind or character or from any cause whatsoever that may be suffered by the undersigned to his person or property. Further, the undersigned expressly agrees to indemnify Kool Deadwood Nites, the Deadwood Area Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau and the City of Deadwood, their officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, servants, etc. for any sums of money which may have to be paid to any persons for any loss, damage, costs and expenses including attorney's fees, personal injury, property damage or any other claim resulting from or occasioned by the conduct or act of the undersigned entrant or any participant assisting or cooperating with entrant or under the direction or control of entrant. Entrant acknowledges the risk of damage to his person or property by reason of participation in Kool Deadwood Nites and expressly agrees to assume all such risk.

Registration Fee \$80.00 in advance *, \$100.00 if postmarked after August 1

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE DEADWOOD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. Thank you!

Each entrant receives: Car Judging, KDN Poster, Goody Bag, T-Shirt, Poker Runs, special parking FCFS, free meal coupons and more, including entry into drawings for great prizes!

* Refunds will be offered if event is cancelled.

Show & Shine limited to available space.

Total Enclosed \$ _____ Signature of Entrant _____ Date _____

(and guardian if under 18)

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KEEP PINK COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS; RETURN ORIGINAL AND ADDITIONAL COPIES WITH REGISTRATION FEE.



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ALL WEEKEND: Stop at the NAPA Auto Parts Tent (501 Main Street) to see all the latest tools and gadgets!

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The 2021 Committee's Choice winner was a '58 Chevy Yeoman owned by Derek & Eileen Eisenbeisz. It is pictured at the Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds. The Days of '76 is celebrating 100 years in 2022. Photo by Brittany Schoenfelder.

REGISTER YOUR CLASSIC CAR!

Your vehicle must be a 1973 or older.
Walk-up registration available at the event.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24

- **Car Registration** - Noon-8pm - Deadwood Welcome Center - 501 Main Street - RESERVED PARKING ALL WEEKEND for registered cars in adjacent parking lot, first come-first served.
- **Free Concert at Outlaw Square** - starting at 6pm - The Surfin' Safari Band
- **Early Car Auction Check-In** - Contact McPherson Auction at 605-348-1369 for more information

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25

- **Car Registration** - 8am-8pm - Deadwood Welcome Center - 501 Main Street
- **People's Choice Awards Voting, Live DJ & Games** - 4-9pm - History and Information Center Parking Lot, portions of Deadwood Main Street and the Welcome Center Parking Lot
- **Memorabilia & Classic Car Auction** - 6pm - Deadwood Mountain Grand. Contact McPherson Auction at 605-348-1369
- **14th Annual Sock Hop** - Featuring The Grass Roots - 8pm - Main Street

- **People's Choice Awards Results** - Following the Concert - Main Street

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26

- **Rod Run Breakfast at The Lodge at Deadwood** - 7am-9:45am, for registered car owner's only, three shifts available, pick your time at Registration, first-come-first-served.
- **Car Registration** - 8am-7pm - Deadwood Welcome Center, 501 Main Street
- **Classic Car Auction** - 9am - Deadwood Mountain Grand. Contact McPherson Auction at 605-348-1369
- **Kool Deadwood Nites Rod Run** - 10am-2pm - Escorted tour through Spearfish or Vanocker Canyon, Vanocker itinerary includes time at Sturgis Dragway running the track sponsored by NAPA. Rod Run leaves from the Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds.
- **Free Concerts** - Featuring headliners **Ronnie Riptide and the Rip Tones** followed by **Hotel California** - Music starts at 5pm on the Main Street Stage

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27

- **Classic Car Competition/Judging** - 8am-Noon - Days of '76 Event Center Grounds/Ferguson Field
- **Classic Car Auction** - 9am - Deadwood Mountain Grand. Contact McPherson Auction at 605-348-1369

- **Poker Runs** - 10am-4pm - throughout the Black Hills - Walking & driving routes available - Awards party at Mr. Wu's - Lower Main Street, beginning at 5pm
- **Free Concerts** - Featuring headliners **Revisiting Creedence** followed by **Million Dollar Reunion** - Music starts at 5pm on Main Street Stage
- **Poker Run Awards Party** - 5pm - Mr. Wu's, 560 Main St.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

- **Parade Lineup** - Begins at 7am - Event Center Grounds/Ferguson Field
- **Parade** - 9am - Main Street Deadwood - Continues through Central City & Lead via HWY 14a
- **Show and Shine** - Main Street, immediately following the parade until 2pm
- **Kool Deadwood Nites Car Show Awards** - 11am - Parking lot at the History & Information Center
- **Happy Together Tour** - Turtles, Chuck Negron, formerly of Three Dog Night, Gary Puckett & the Union Gap, The Association, The Vogues and The Cowbells - Deadwood Mountain Grand - Tickets at Ticketmaster.com

RIDE THE TROLLEY FOR FREE:

August 24-28, 2022, sponsored by:
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FREE PARKING AND SHUTTLE

At Akela Spa on Hwy 14a, only 1 mile from town! Pickup/Drop off at the Lower Main Welcome Center in Deadwood. Shuttle Hours - (buses run continuously):
Thurs., Aug 25: 4pm-11pm; Fri., Aug. 26 and Sat. Aug. 27: 9am-11pm

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