



Dangberg Summer Festival

2019 Schedule

All events are free for adults 17 and older, except where noted.

All events are free for youth 16 and younger.

Please bring your own seating.

No pets are allowed at events--service animals only.

Quick Calendar

May

11-12: Fundraiser: Scatter's Attic

18-19: Special Event: Kites

June

1: Speaker, 10:00-11:00am

5: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

6: Concert, 6:30-8:00pm

13: Concert, 6:30-8:00pm

15: Special Event: Neighbor Fair

26: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

July

10: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

13: Speaker, 10:00-11:00am

18: Special Event: Movie Night

20: Special Event: Jamboree

25: Concert, 6:30-8:00pm

27: Speaker, 10:00-11:00am

31: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

August

1: Concert, 6:30-8:00pm

4: Speaker, 10:00-11:00am

8: Concert, 6:30-8:00pm

10: Speaker, 10:00-11:00am

14: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

17: Author, 10:00-11:00am

23-24: Fundraiser: Car Show

28: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

September

14: Special Event: Celtic Faire

22: Chautauqua, 6:30-8:00pm

28: Speakers, 10:00-11:00am

October

3-6 Special Exhibit: Clothing

December

14-15 Special Exhibit: Toys

Concerts ~ 17 and older \$15, Members \$10, 16 and younger free

June 6: Lacy J Dalton, 2017 member of North America Country Music Association International Hall of Fame, performing her country-western hits and more.

June 13: The Old West Trio, Recipients of the 2011 Western Duo/Group of the Year, performing classic western music. Supported by a grant from Nevada Arts Council.

July 25: Todd Morgan & the Emblems, West Coast Songwriters' "Best Song of the Year" recipients, performing modern pop/rock and roll, blues, funk, disco, hot jazz, country and early rock 'n' roll.

August 1: The Millennium Bugs, with David Bugli of the Mile High Jazz Band, performing classic jazz music.

August 8: Mo'z Motley Blues, with blues-infected rock, pop and soul.

Chautauqua ~ Supported by Nevada Humanities grant funding.

June 5: A Night with Notorious Nevadans, portrayed by members of the Friends of the Nevada State Museum, with:

Dave Pierson as Abe Curry, first superintendent of the Carson City Mint and first warden of the Nevada Territorial Prison;

Bob Nysten as William Stewart, first U. S. Senator from Nevada and author of the Fifteenth Amendment;

Ron Roberts as Roswell Colcord, seventh governor of Nevada and first Nevada governor to support Women's Suffrage; and

Myron Freedman as John Millain, convicted murderer of Virginia City's most famous prostitute, Julia Bulette.

June 26: The Young Chautauquans of the Douglas County Historical Society, portraying notable women and men from history.

July 10: Kim Harris as Lizzie A. Borden, the notorious woman accused and acquitted for the axe murders of her father and stepmother.

July 31: Doug Mishler as Duane L. Bliss: lumber and mining magnate and founder of the Carson and Tahoe Lumber and Fluming Company.

August 14: Anita Watson as Mary McNair Mathews, a widow who lived on the Comstock for ten years during the 1870s and wrote of her observations.

August 28: Sisters of the Sage, portrayed by historians, with:

Cindy Southerland as Annie H. Martin: the first woman in charge of the U.S. Assay Office at Carson City;

Kim Harris as Lillian V. Finnegan, suffragist and originator of the Genoa Candy Dance Festival; and

DebiLynn Smith as Anna N. Harris: pioneer Nevada business owner.

Speakers and Authors

June 1: Wendell Huffman: The V&T's Minden Line and the Transcontinental Railroad in Nevada.

July 13: Mark McLaughlin: Lake Tahoe and the Comstock Era.

July 27: Michael Fischer: The Nevada Buckaroo from the Ground Up: His Heritage, Gear and Traditions.

August 4: Glen Whorton of the Nevada State Prison Preservation Society: The Great State Embezzlement.

August 10: Bob Nysten of the Nevada State Museum: The History of Baseball in Nevada.

August 17: Brooke Santina, author: *Dishrags to Dirt Bags*.

September 22: Jay Topping: Chautauqua as Hiram D. Scott, pioneer of Alpine County and Scotts Valley, California.

September 28: Douglas High School Class of 1962: Remembering Carson Valley in the 1950s and 1960s.

Special Events

"Something in the Wind" Kite Flying Weekend ~ May 18-19, 10:00am-3:00pm both days. Professional kite flyer and enthusiast Cameron Kauffman with an array of colorful and fascinating kites. Giant bubbles, kite making and other crafts for children. Fun for the entire family.

The Dangberg Home Ranch Neighbor Fair ~ June 15, 11:00am-3:00pm. Musical performances by The Mylo McCormick Project and Krista Jenkins, along with book signings, food, no-host bar and more. Celebrating ten years of community events at the Dangberg Home Ranch Historic Park.

Movie Night: *The General* ~ July 18, 6:30-8:00. Join train expert Jim Clark providing an introduction and commentary for a viewing of this classic silent film. Suggested donation: \$5/person. No-host bar.

A Western Jamboree at the Dangberg Home Ranch ~ July 20, 10:00am-4:00pm, 17 and older \$20, members \$10. Musical performances by Mike Beck and The Sierra Sweethearts. Also: cowboy poet Tony Argento and The Foothill Vigilantes, a Western theatrical troupe. Come for fun, food, no-host bar and more.

The Dangberg Home Ranch Celtic Faire ~ September 14, 10:00am-4:00pm, 17 and older \$20, members \$10. Celebrating the traditions of the Irish, Scottish and Welsh people with music, dancing, games, food, no-host bar and more.

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Fundraisers

Scatter's Attic ~ May 11-12. 8:00am-2:00pm both days. Come rummage in our rummage sale. Contact the park to find out how you can donate items for re-sell to help the effort.

Minden Founders Main Street Event: A Show and Shine Car Show ~ August 23-24. Classic autos and a party in historic downtown Minden—the town the Dangbergs built. For more information and auto entry forms go to DangbergHomeRanch.org.

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