

PLACER HISTORY PRESS

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Mark your calendars!

Heritage Trail Museums

28 museums open free of charge

For the full schedule see

<https://theheritagetrail.blogspot.com/>

It starts June 1 and runs through the end of August.

June 8th

Benton Welty Classroom

Bernard Museum

Gold Rush Museum

June 14th

Western States Trail -
The Sierra Gem

Presentation at the Odd Fellows Hall

Tickets available at the State Theater website:
auburnstatetheater.org



Did you happen to see any of these characters in Central Square on May 20th? The Placer County Docent Guild did a "Walk on History" for their members showcasing the granite marker tiles along Central Square. They had re-enactors playing the part of the people featured on the tiles. It was a fun and educational event. We hope they will do another one and open it to the public.

History News

The Joss House Association held a Ching Ming celebration at the Chinese Cemetery last month. It was the first time in many years. It is great to see this group becoming active again.

The Summit Tunnel Project is moving forward

The Union Pacific legendary Big Boy No. 4014, the world's largest operating steam locomotive built to conquer mountains is making a five state tour this summer.

The schedule for the BIG BOY is out. This is a Don't Miss Event a Once in a Lifetime Event!

July 12-24 Public Display in Roseville

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

July 14 Whistle Stop in Colfax
11:15 - 11:30

The Domes nomination to be placed on the National Register of Historic Places is still stalled at the State level.

The Foundation is still working with the U.S. Forest Service to get permission to use ground penetrating radar at the Deadwood Cemetery.

The Summit Camp Archeological District at Donner Summit is still under consideration by the U. S. Department of Interior for National Landmark status.

Saving history takes patience!



Supporters of the Hammond Rock House proposal: L-R: Kally Keding-Cecil (County Planner), Donna Howell (Placer County Historical Foundation), Dennis Dong (owner) Patty Pieropan Dong (owner), Patsy Lynch (Placer County Historical Foundation) and Mike Lynch (Placer County Historical Advisory Board).

After three years of hard work, the Hammond Rock House has finally been listed on the Placer County "Official Register of Cultural and Historic Resources."

Congratulations to Mike and Patsy Lynch and Donna Howell for pursuing this project. They found a great supporter at the County level with County Planner Kally Keding-Cecil assisting them.