

Sept-Oct
2019

Calendar of Events

Nevada State Museum, Carson City
Nevada Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs

FEATURED EXHIBITS

Fueling the Boom: Chinese Woodcutters in the Great Basin, 1870-1920 is open in the South Changing Exhibit Gallery. The exhibit features historical and archeological artifacts and artistic photographs illuminating the story of Chinese woodcutting camps from the Bodie Hills, Nevada area.

Mint 150: The Nevada State Museum ramps up for the sesquicentennial celebration of the historic Mint building in 2020 with programs, events, and special medallion mintings on Coin Press No. 1 throughout 2019. Check www.Mint150.com for more information.

PROGRAMS & SPECIAL EVENTS

To reserve a seat or find more information go to nvculture.org/nevadastatemuseumcarsoncity/events.

September 2019

- 6 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
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- 9 & 10 9:00 am - 4:00 pm: *New Tour Guide Training*. Learn about the museum's history and collections, find out how tour guides help the museum fulfill its mission. Advance registration required. Contact Reece Wade at Ext. 237 to sign up.
- 13 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
- 14 10:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Family Fun Saturday: Scientific Illustration*. Explore the way illustrators help scientists document and share their findings. Make your own scientific illustration journal to take home. Practice illustrating natural history specimens. Reservations not required. Everyone is welcome.
- 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
- 16 & 17 9:00 am - 4:00 pm: *Second Half of New Tour Guide Training*. Join our wonderful team of tour guides in sharing Nevada's natural and cultural heritage. Attendance on Sept. 9th and 10th required. Advanced registration required. Contact Reece Wade at Ext. 237 to sign up.
- 20 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
- 21 8:30 am - 4:30 pm: *Smithsonian Magazine Museum Day*. Free admission with Smithsonian Magazine Museum Day Ticket. Get tickets at <https://www.smithsonianmag.com/museumday/museum-day-2019/nevada-state-museum-carson-city-0C1/tickets/>. There will be behind the scenes tours and a special display celebrating the Year of Music.
- 10:00 am - 4:00 pm: *Mint 150: Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
- 11:00 am - 12:00 pm: ***Mint 150: Lecture "Play Ball! The Origins of Baseball in Carson City"*** by Robert Nylen. No reservations required.
- 26 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm: ***Frances Humphrey Lecture Series, "100 Years Later: The 1919 Transcontinental Military Motor Convoy"*** by Jim Bonar. Jim Bonar, Director and past president of the Nevada Chapter of the Lincoln Highway Association, will discuss what happened 100 years ago and how that impacted present day. Taking waitlist reservations.
- 27 10:00 am: *Behind-the-Scenes Tours* in Anthropology by Anna Camp, PhD, featuring the State's impressive basketry collection. Contact Holly Payson at ext. 222 for reservations.
- 10:00 am & 1:30 pm: *Behind-the-Scenes Tours* in Natural History by George Baumgardner, PhD, featuring the museum's expansive research collection of Nevada's plants and animals. Contact Holly Payson at ext. 222 for reservations.

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September 2019 Continued

- 27 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
- 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm: ***Encore Frances Humphrey Lecture Series, "100 Years Later: The 1919 Transcontinental Military Motor Convoy"*** by Jim Bonar. Jim Bonar, Director and past president of the Nevada Chapter of the Lincoln Highway Association, will discuss what happened 100 years ago and how that impacted present day. Seating is limited. Make reservations on museum website.

October 2019

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- 12 10:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Family Fun Saturday: Bats: Night Flyers of the Skies*. Join us to learn about these amazing mammals and make a paper one to take home. Everyone welcome. Advanced registration is not necessary.
- 11:00 am - 3:00 pm: *Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
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- 19 10:00 am - 11:00 am: *Mint 150 1870 Mint Building Tour* led by Curator of History Robert Nylen. Space limited. First come first serve tour sign up.
- 11:00 am - 12:00 pm: *Mint 150: Lecture TBA*. No reservations required.
- 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm: *Mint 150: Demonstration of Coin Press No. 1* in the Historic Carson City Mint building. For more info, contact Robert Nylen at ext. 245.
- 1:30 pm - 2:30 pm: *Mint 150: 1870 Mint Building Tour* led by Curator of History Robert Nylen. Space limited. First come first serve tour sign up.
- 24 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm: ***Frances Humphrey Lecture Series: "One Gold Rush Immigrant's Trail to Comstock Silver"*** by Paul Franklin. Paul Franklin, an author of western mining history, will share the story of Harvey Harris. Harris was a Danish immigrant and assayer who worked for the U.S. Mint. He eventually opened his own assay office in Sacramento and other cities in California. In 1860 he followed the rush to Washoe and moved his operation to Nevada. Seating is limited. Reservations will be available Sept. 27th.
- 25 8:30 am - 4:30 pm: *Nevada Day*: Free admission all day.
- 26 8:30 am - 4:30 pm: *Nevada Day Parade*: Free admission all day. Anthropology and Natural History behind the scenes tours offered throughout the day. Space limited. First come first serve tour sign up.
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Unless otherwise indicated, Admission Fee: \$8 adults, children 17 and under & museum members are admitted free of charge.

*The museum is open
Tuesday – Sunday,
8:30 am – 4:30 pm
(closed Mondays).*

*Programs are subject to
cancellation or changes;
please call 775/687-4810 to
confirm dates and times.*

[www.nvculture.org/
nevadastatemuseumcarsoncity](http://www.nvculture.org/nevadastatemuseumcarsoncity)

Location:
600 N. Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada.

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