

NAPgA 2016 Rendezvous Schedule

Friday June 24

- **All Day: Registration/NAPgA membership desk open:** Please register when you enter camp. **If you aren't already a member of NAPgA, please join!** Cash, checks or credit cards gladly accepted.
- **08:00-09:00--Breakfast** On your own.
- **09:00-4:00 PM—NAPgA Service Projects—** There will be a choice of 3 projects in the local area:
 1. Clean-up trash around Twin Ponds camping area
 2. Trail clearing & clean-up on Bear Wallow Trail
 3. Trail learning & clean-up on local trail TBA
- **4PM-6PM--NAPgA Country Store open.** Stop BY and BUY some cool stuff or donate additional items. Credit cards welcome. All proceeds go to NAPgA.
- **6 PM-7:00PM--** Potluck Dinner
- **7 PM-8:00 PM** Speaker: Bonnie Sager, historian, will present stories and legends of early cultures and settlers in the local surrounding area.

Please join NAPgA today!

www.napga.org/membership/join-napga/

Memberships:

Bronze: \$20/year

Silver: \$50/year

Gold: \$100/year

Youth ages 13-18 (*non-voting membership*):
\$ 10/year



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SATURDAY June 25

- **08:00-09:00--Group Breakfast Potluck-style.** Pancakes will be provided Please bring something to contribute, e.g. sausage, bacon, fruit, yogurt, COFFEE, etc. Get creative with it!
- **09:00-12:00--Hike on your own.** Explore this beautiful area individually or with other folks. Maps and suggestions provided by our local expert, Curtis King.
- **09:00-12:00--Individual classes/one-on-one instruction.** For those who aren't hiking, here's a chance to brush up or learn a skill you have always wanted to perfect but never had the chance. Choices include map/compass & GPS navigation, leave-no-trace camping tactics, plant identification. Contact Curtis King if you have any particular request.
- **09:00-10:00--Guess the goat's weight contest, followed by Goat Weighing.** Ever wondered how much your goat really weighs? The answer might surprise you. Here's your chance to find out!
- **12:00-1:00 PM--** Lunch (on your own)
- **12:00-2:00 PM--NAPgA Country Store open.** Come in and buy some cool stuff or donate additional items. Credit cards welcome. All proceeds go to NAPgA.
- **1:00 PM-2:30 PM--Using goats for hunting and packing out Big Game.** Marc Warnke, Hunting Consultant.
- **2:30-3:00 PM—Dehydrating food for backpacking.** This is a creative, healthy alternative to freeze-dried foods and can reduce weight and bulk on longer trips. Samples will be available!
- **3:00 PM-3:30 PM--"Bonded goat contest."** Who has the most loyal goat? Goats will be separated from their owners & the winner will be the goat/owner that gets reunited the quickest!
- **3:30 PM-4:00 PM--**Making natural cordage from dogbane. The dogbane plant has fibers that make very good cordage, this demonstration will show you this ancient skill.
- **4:00 PM-5:00 PM--Goat-packing 101:** Clay Zimmerman. This will be a series of skills for folks that are unfamiliar with goat packing basics or just want to brush up on their expertise. proper packing/saddling techniques, goat first-aid general Q & A.
- **4PM-6PM--NAPgA Country Store open.** This is your last chance to buy some cool stuff or donate additional items. Credit cards welcome. All proceeds go to NAPgA.
- **5:00 PM-6:00 PM--**Potluck Dinner
- **6 PM-7:00PM--** Auction of unsold items from Country Store
- **7 PM-8:00 PM—Guest Speaker: Dr. Margaret Highland ("Maggie"), DVM, Agricultural Research Services:** Disease transmission and pneumonia in Bighorn Sheep, how to participate in a study of disease risk in packgoats.

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SUNDAY June 26

- **08:00-09:00--Group Breakfast** Potluck-style. Pancakes will be provided. One last chance to get together! Please bring something to contribute, e.g. sausage, bacon, fruit, yogurt, COFFEE, etc. Get creative with it!
- **09:00-12:00—Clean up and farewell!** Please be responsible and clean up your own campsites, leave the area cleaner than you found it. Safe travels, everyone!

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