

# 2019 NAPGA RENDEZVOUS

## JUNE 20TH- JUNE 23TH



### **Mark your Calendars, and please join us!!**

Bring the family out, including the goats of course! This area is a primitive camping area, so although portable outhouses will be available we must remember to keep the area as we found it. Saturday and Sunday morning Clay Zimmerman will be gracing us with his sourdough pancakes and coffee. Please bring additional food items to share during those mornings. We also will be having Campfire cookouts Friday and Saturday night, this is potluck style so we ask you to cook up your best campfire dish to share with others! There will be a lot of great resources, and knowledgeable people in the industry and we strongly encourage you to come check it out! There will be classes held both Friday and Saturday (Schedule attached on next page). Dogs are welcomed but they must be controlled at all times.

Location: From Buffalo, WY, take Hwy 16 west 17 miles to FSR 22. Turn left onto FSR 22 to FSR 460, then left onto FSR 372 to FSR 397.

Cost: Free!! Of course we always encourage you to consider joining the organization for 20\$. You can also sign up at [rendy!](#)

Who: Pack goat enthusiasts of all ages welcome! Bring the family there will be lots of comradery and knowledge to be shared!

\*You can preregister by contacting Desarae Starck at [starckdesarae@yahoo.com](mailto:starckdesarae@yahoo.com)

\*\*\*Please check out Rules of the Rency at [www.napga.org](http://www.napga.org)

**OTHER LODGING OPTIONS:**  
HAMPTON INN & SUITES;  
BUFFALO INN; Z BAR MOTEL;  
DEER PARK CAMPGROUND;  
BUFFALO KOA ALL LOCATED  
IN BUFFALO WY.

**GUEST SPEAKER:** NAPGA'S PRESIDENT CURTIS KING WILL BE DOING A CAMPFIRE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES DISCUSSION AND COOKOUT FRIDAY AT 6PM!

**NAPgA Country Store/Auction**—This is a good opportunity to support the biggest fund raiser for NAPgA as well as get some cool items and pack gear for a great price! Saturday we will have the Auction, and the NAPgA Store will be set up all weekend for you to browse, remember all items purchased go directly to supporting NAPgA. Donations will be gladly accepted! To donate items, contact: [starckdesarae@yahoo.com](mailto:starckdesarae@yahoo.com) OR you are welcome to mail any items you would like to donate to 121 Rustic Hills Rd. West, Rozet, WY 82727. Every donation is greatly appreciated and helps support the organization!

# 2019 NAPGA RENDEZVOUS SCHEDULE

**THURSDAY JUNE 20TH:** Arrival. Most will be traveling to, or arriving at rendezvous location. Make sure if you do not preregister you check in, at the check in station upon your arrival. We plan to have a check in station to greet you at the entrance.

## FRIDAY JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup>:

**9AM: Work Project-** The forest service is looking into a work project that we can help with we will have more details on this at a later time.

**12PM: Lunch Break**

**1PM: Pack Goat Husbandry.** Nancy Clough will be presenting a goat first aid discussion whether it's at home or out on the trail. Questions and Discussions to follow.

**2PM: Pack Goat Training 101.** You asked, we listened! We know we have a lot of new pack goat enthusiasts Marc Warnke with packgoats.com will be there to discuss the basics of pack goat training. You won't want to miss this folks! Great opportunity to ask questions and Discussion to follow.

**5:PM: Chariot Races** with Nan Hassey

**6PM: Campfire Cookout** and our **Guest Speaker NAPgA President Curtis King** will be talking about **Best Management Practices**. You don't want to miss this great campfire discussion, and a very important one! Questions and Discussion to follow. **\*\*Remember please bring a dish to share for cookouts!\*\***

## SATURDAY JUNE 22<sup>ND</sup>:

**8AM: Sourdough Pancakes and Cup of Joe with Clay Zimmerman** \*\* Please bring a dish to share\*\*

**9AM: Campsite Setups and Gear.** Matt Lyons and Marc Warnke are teaming up to present you with how they setup their campsites, and all the gear needed to hit the trail with your pack string!

**1PM: Pack Goats, Bighorn Sheep & M.o.vi- What you need to know.** FOLKS! You don't want to miss this one, Nancy Clough and Curtis King (NAPgA President) will be sharing important information regarding whats going on with Forest Service Plans regarding packgoats, How you can be aware, and covering NAPgA BMP's. Questions and Discussion to follow!

**3PM: Packgoat fun n' games + Obstacle Course** with Nan Hassey

**6PM: NAPgA Auction & Cookout!** This is a great time to bid on some auction items, remember all proceeds go to supporting the organization, and guys we have fought hard these past few years, but for a great reason! The packgoat community seizes to amaze us everytime, and we are thankful to have all our supporting members and fellow enthusiasts! **\*\* Remember please bring a dish to share for cookouts!\*\***

## SUNDAY JUNE 23<sup>RD</sup>:

**8AM: Sourdough Pancakes and Cup of Joe with Clay Zimmerman** \*\*Please bring a dish to share\*\*

**9AM: Clean Up and Farewells!** We hope 2019 Rendezvous was everything you hoped for and you walked away with more enthusiasm and knowledge for goat packing and all things pack goats! We look forward to having you the next coming year, and we strongly encourage you to support NAPgA by becoming a member!

**\*\*LOCAL HIKING TRAILS:** There are both day hikes at Elgin Park Trailhead and Circle Park Trailhead which is not far from Elgin Park Trailhead. Here is a website where you can view local trails in the area <https://www.alltrails.com/us/wyoming/buffalo>