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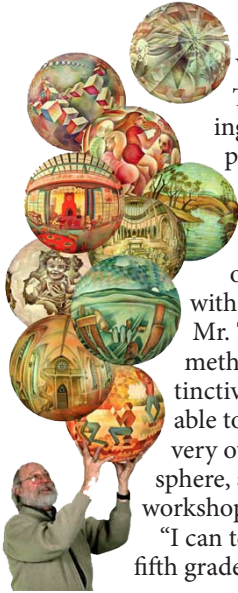
HOW TIME FLIES...

Monthly News & Events

HIGH PLAINS WESTERN HERITAGE CENTER ~ SPEARFISH, SD



Termes Art Workshop Coming to HPWHC



World famous artist Dick Termes will be teaching his unique six-point perspective of painting on spheres during a pair of workshops at HPWHC this June. This is a rare opportunity for anyone with an artistic flair to learn Mr. Termes' one-of-a-kind method of creating these distinctive pieces. Students will be able to take home one of their very own creations, a four-inch sphere, at the end of the second workshop session.

"I can teach this to anyone from fifth graders to college students

all the way to senior citizens," Termes said. "It's a bizarre little world of three dimensional geometry that I use in putting together the structure for my spheres. It's really what nature uses to build things and it's fun to share it with people."

The day will be split into two morning class sessions. Students can sign up for either one or both.

The first session is a focus on 3D structures. This workshop shows the importance of Regular Polyhedra in creating wonderful sculptures, architecture, and how nature uses them in many of its creations found in biology and chemistry. Most three dimensional geometries are based on them. Magnet stick and ball sets are provided by Termes to help the students each create around 20 different polyhedra. Students see the world in a whole different way when they are done with this

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Shred It! During our May Fundraiser

Shred your past and build our future during this unique HPWHC fund raiser. Badger State Recovery will be on hand Tuesday, May 30, beginning at 9am to shred your old documents, securely and conveniently. Clean out your closets, grab those boxes hidden next to your Corvette in the garage and Badger will take it from there. When you drop off your boxes or bundles make a donation to HPWHC and we'll be one step closer to the vision of building our east wing. That's May 30th beginning at 9am.

Gary Mule Deer to be Inducted to SD Hall of Fame

It's been quite a year for our favorite son Gary Mule Deer. The nationally-known comedian and country musician was inducted into the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville in March. His feature-length documentary will begin streaming on a national platform in September and now comes word he's been inducted into the South Dakota Hall of Fame.



Gary Mule Deer addresses board members and volunteers during our annual meeting in late April.

year for Gary."

"I tell people that I wish this had all happened to me in my 40's," Mule Deer told the crowd gathered at last month's annual HPWHC meeting. "They said it did, you just weren't paying attention!"

Mule Deer's father Bruce Miller was a HPWHC founder. Our theater bears his name. And Gary has been a long-time supporter, having donated his time to several of our annual fund raisers.

"We are just so blessed to have Gary as part of our family here at the Western Heritage Center," said Karla Scovell, HPWHC Ex. Director. "We are so proud that he's finally being inducted into the South Dakota Hall of Fame, it's been quite a

Gary and his wife Nita were on hand for the HPWHC Annual Meeting on April 24th greeting board members and volunteers. He was one of several who were presented with a clock in honor of his years of support.

"I travel all the time. I've been on the road for sixty years. I've been to lots of museums in lots of places and really, there's nothing any nicer than this place right here." "This is as good as it gets, and we're very lucky to have this."

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!

"Home Sweet Home" a Civil War Era Musical
Featuring "Charles & Kathryn Farrugia

High Plains Western Heritage Center

PRESENTS

HOME Sweet HOME



A dramatic and heart-rending journey through music and drama that explores the mysteries of the heart during the tragic years of the Civil War.

**SUNDAY,
MAY 21
1:30-3:30PM**

\$15 for reserved seating
\$10 general admission

Reservations strongly suggested.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY

Summer hours begin May 1
Open: Mon-Sat 9-4 / Sun 1-4

Sunday May 21 1:30-3:30pm
High Plains Live! Returns
"Home Sweet Home"

A musical journey of Civil War era stories
with Charles & Kathryn Farruggia
Reserved seats \$20 (recommended)
General admission \$15

Tuesday May 30 9:00 - 4:00pm
Shred It! Fundraiser

For a donation of your choice, bring your boxes
and bundles of old documents for secure and
convenient shredding - provided by Badger
State Recovery services.

JUNE

Saturday June 17 9:00 - Noon

Dick Termes Art Workshop
Class 1: 9-10am \$20
Class 2: 10am - Noon \$30
Both classes \$40 Limit 25 students

Sunday June 18 2:00pm

Author Presentations
Chris Enss: "An Open Secret: The Story of
Deadwood's Most Notorious Bordellos"
Preston Lewis: "History of Cats in the Old West"
FREE ADMISSION

Tuesday June 20 5:30pm

Cowboy Supper Show
\$35 Adult / 6-17 \$17.50 / 5-Under free
Seating Limited

JULY

Saturday July 1 1:30pm

Joey Leone and his band return!
Featuring "AM Radio & One Hit Wonders"
Tickets are \$10 at the door
Sponsored by the
South Dakota Arts Council

Saturday July 22 1:00pm

"Day of the American Cowboy"
Join us for this annual celebration
with Paul Larson & Yvonne Hollenbeck
Cowboy music & cowgirl poetry

*Coming in August be watching for details as
HPWHC hosts a 6-week class (with field trips)
on Black Hills Ghost Towns and Gold Mines with
Bill Swanson.*



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workshop.

The second session is dedicated to spherical art from geometry. After exploring the different structures that come out of the Platonic Solids with the magnetic tools Termes hands out small sphere to the students. Before anything is done to the sphere, they explore many of their own designs on triangles, squares and if it is older students, the pentagon. They then pick one of their designs to draw onto the sphere. Once they get their design on the sphere they use black permanent pens to outline it and colored permanent pens to fill in the patterns. Every sphere ends up totally different.

"There's a lot to it and it's really fun," Termes said. "And if nothing else, next year

you can make some great easter eggs!"

The classes will be offered on Saturday, June 17th from 9am until 12 noon, but may last a bit longer if students need to complete projects. The first session lasts about an hour with the second session taking around two hours. There is a limit of 25 students. Cost will be \$25 for the first class, \$30 for the second, or \$40 for both. Please call the HPWHC to make your reservation. The classes will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

The Dick Termes Art Workshop is being sponsored by a generous grant from the South Dakota Arts Council.

(Left to right) At the annual meeting Gary (and Nita) Mule Deer, Merle Bierschenk of Merle's Lawncare and volunteer Don Petersen were presented timepieces for giving us the gift of their time and services. Thank you!

