

# NHS Calendar of Events

May - June 2024

1904 – 2024 Enriching Lives Through History 120 Years

## Admission Fee:

Adults—\$6

Children 17 and under—Free

Members—Free

## New Hours of Operation: Museum & Museum Store

Wed—Sat 10:00am–4:00pm

## Research Library

Thurs—Sat 12:00pm–4:00pm

### \*Reservation Required

[form available on website.](#)

## Free parking spaces available

NHS is located on the UNR

Campus, across from the

Fleischmann Planetarium

## Sign up for our e-blasts

## Don't forget to check out:

[NHS Facebook](#)

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Become a member of NHS and enjoy our in-person and virtual programs while supporting the Society.

Limited seating is available in our Event Space, make sure to come early to get a seat.

*NHS is part of the Nevada Dept. of Tourism & Cultural Affairs, Division of Museums & History.*

## Newest Exhibition

"Beautiful Nevada and The Sierra"

Watercolors by Vicki Curwen

February 28 - June 1, 2024

## May 2024

**2nd** 10:30-12 pm—**Docent Council Lecture & Meeting**—Tami Force, *Ghost Towning, Ghost Towns & Beyond*— In person meeting

**4th** 10am-3pm—**NHS 120th Birthday Celebration**— FREE EVENT, **Schedule**

10:00-3pm Living History Demonstrations, outside

10:00-3pm Educational Community Groups, outside

10:00-3pm NHS Gallery Guides, NV& Reno Galleries, inside

11:00-12:00pm OLLI Ukulele Musical Group, outside

12:00-12:45pm Birthday Celebration, Speeches & Proclamation

12:45-1:15pm Birthday Cake, no party is complete without cake!

1:45-2:45pm Lecture, *The Woman Who Saved History: Jeanne Wier and the Nevada Historical Society*, Dr. Su Kim Chung, Historian

**8th** 5-6:30 pm—**Writers' Wednesday**—Sandra McGee and Peggy Wynne Borgman, have a great program called *What Was Really Going on at Those Nevada Divorce Ranches? Fact and Fiction*. Their books are *The Divorce Seekers* and *The Better Half*.

**16th** 12-1:30 pm—**High Noon**—Alicia Barber, Ph.D., writer and historian, *The Reno Historical Website and App*. Virtual Program. Register.

**18th** 1-2:30pm—**Exhibition Lecture**— Vicki Curwen and two other artists, panel discussion, *Watercolors*. Vicki will talk about what inspires her artwork.

## June 2024

**1st 10-4pm** 10:30-12 pm—Last Day of Exhibition—**Beautiful Nevada and the Sierra: Watercolors by Vicki Curwen**. Don't miss your chance to view this wonderful exhibition.

**8th** 10:00-12 pm—**NEW Docent Orientation Session**

**12th** 5-6:30 pm—**Writers' Wednesday** —Steven H. Provost, author, *Lincoln Highway in Nevada*,

**15th** 1-2:30 pm—**Nevada History Lecture**—Dr. Diana Ahmad, Curators' Distinguished Teaching Professor Emerita of American history at MUSL&T, *Smoking-Opium and Opium Dens in Nevada and the American West*.

**21st** 12-1:30 pm—**High Noon**—Joseph F. Dutra, owner, *The Story of Kimmie Candy*. Virtual Program. Register.

## July 2024

**FREE Artown programming - Saturday lectures & gallery guides in July. Make sure to check out our website for our amazing lectures.**

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