

Tioga's Western Trade Days!

July 2010

Dear Western Trade Day vendors,

Wow, this month is getting away from me! I've been busy with dental problems and an out-of-state wedding. In checking the calendar today, I've realized that the fourth Saturday is NOT the last one this month. This means our July Trade Day will be July 24th!

No significant changes to report on our goals and plans. There are still some electricity lots available along Donation Street. Advertising continues to help us spread the word about our Trade Day. If you don't get Channel 12 in your area, you can view our television ad on our website homepage.

Vendors sometimes ask about setting up the day before. Vendors who want to arrive the night before to be ready for an early set-up can stay at Tioga's hotel and resort -- Spirit of the West. Our website homepage has a link to theirs where you can get rate information. Spirit of the West also has a fine dining restaurant called Diverso's you will enjoy. And campsites are available at nearby Lake Ray Roberts. Vendors are also welcomed to camp Friday night in their vendor space at no additional charge. Just let us know if you plan to do that.

Breakfast items in July and August will be available at the Museum's drink station. So come by and see what we have!

The Tioga School Band lunch will again be grilling hot dogs and hamburgers with all the fixings and toppings. And they will have potato salad, chips and nachos, too!

Keep cool by drinking fresh blueberry lemonade! You know where to find it -- at the Museum's drink station on the front porch wagon.

Tioga shops -- Pink Spur Trading Company and Tioga Mercantile -- will be open for business on Trade Day Saturday as well as the famous Clarks Outpost BBQ and hopefully The Mexican Grill will be ready for business soon.

The Museum office will open at 6:30 AM on Trade Day Saturday and walk-in vendors are welcomed as long as we have spaces available. If you're not signed up for July, we hope you will! As you all know, you can register and pay online at www.westerntradedays.com or mail in your registration and payment. Hope to see you on July 24th!

The Tioga Museum & Heritage Association