35TH ANNUAL

BLACK HILLS

DATES	LOCATION	TRAIL RATING	STYLE
SEP 23 – 25, 2027	DEADWOOD, SOUTH DAKOTA 44.3858348, -103.7181606	3 – 9	A Select Jeep Jamboree. Friday and Saturday dinners included. You are responsible for breakfast and lunch.

FOLLOW THE FLOW WHEN YOU ARRIVE

STEP 01
VEHICLE EVALUATION
Thursday at Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds

STEP 02
REGISTRATION
Bring your completed waiver

STEP 03
TRAIL SIGN-UP
First come, first served

Evaluation and registration are mandatory before sign-up. Trails fill first come, first served — your guides will match you to a trail based on your Jeep and your comfort level. Registration may open early to suit local conditions; there is no late registration Friday morning. Bring your signed waiver: link.jeepjam.com/waiver — and don't worry, there are extras at the event if needed.

THURSDAY SEP 23

4:00 p.m.	Vehicle evaluation, registration and trail sign-ups at Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds, until 7:00 p.m.
4:00 p.m.	Please join the Trail Guides in the Grandstands at the Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds to hear about the trails that will be offered this year. The guides will give you a great description of each trail offered as well as answer any questions you may have.
4:30 p.m.	Trail sign-ups open. Be sure to fill your tank for tomorrow!

FRIDAY SEP 24

8:30 a.m.	Mandatory General Attendance meeting and Vehicle Staging at the Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds.
9:00 a.m.	Trail ride until 5:00 p.m., with lunch along the trail around noon. Lunch time varies based on trail progress.
6:00 p.m.	Dinner at Deadwood Mountain Grand, until 7:30 p.m. Be sure to fill your tank for tomorrow!

SATURDAY SEP 25

8:30 a.m.	Mandatory General Attendance meeting and Vehicle Staging at the Days of '76 Rodeo Grounds.
9:00 a.m.	Trail ride until 5:00 p.m., with lunch along the trail around noon. Lunch time varies based on trail progress.
6:00 p.m.	Dinner at Deadwood Mountain Grand, until 7:30 p.m. Awards and prize drawings following dinner.

WHERE TO GO

REGISTRATION · STAGING · DINNERS

DAYS OF '76 RODEO GROUNDS / MUSEUM

50 Crescent Drive, Deadwood, SD 57732

Across Main Street from Cadillac Jack's. Vehicle evaluation, registration and trail sign-ups Thursday; General Attendance meetings and vehicle staging Friday and Saturday. Trailer parking available next to the ballfield's outfield fence.

link.jeepjam.com/daysof76

DEADWOOD MOUNTAIN GRAND, AN IHG HOTEL

1906 Deadwood Mountain Dr, Deadwood, SD 57732 · 605.559.0386

Headquarters hotel. Dinner Friday and Saturday, with awards and prize drawings Saturday.

link.jeepjam.com/deadwoodmg

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR BLACK HILLS COORDINATOR

Welcome to the magical and sacred Black Hills of South Dakota. This country is known as Land of Infinite Variety and we have the trails to prove it. From scenic overlooks to rock-filled canyons, we have trails for all to enjoy whatever your model of Jeep.

Native Indian and Old West characters Sitting Bull, Crazy Horse, Gen. George Custer, Wild Bill Hickok and Calamity Jane may have traveled these Jamboree trails. Trails may include wildlife, outstanding geologic formations, abandoned mining sites, and panoramic views of Harney Peak, the highest point west of the Rockies, Bear Butte, Galena Mining Camp and Homestake Gold Mine at one time the largest producing gold mine in North America. The Jamboree is headquartered in Deadwood. This entire town is a National Historic Landmark and named one of America's prettiest towns in 2011 by Forbes Magazine. You will feel that you're a million miles from the nearest stoplight.

People come for the camaraderie, hill climbs, rock crawling and the inspirational scenery. Whether you want to test the limits of your Jeep and your driving skills or just take a leisurely drive through some beautiful pine, spruce and aspen, this Jamboree will feed your hunger for off-road excitement and adventure.

Continually recognized by participants as "awesome, fabulous, and fantastic" our trail guides enjoy sharing their favorite Jeep trails. In fact, 99% of last year's participants would recommend the Black Hills Jamboree to a friend. You will experience the Black Hills in a way not many people will ever do.

Come early or stay late to see the many nearby attractions including Mt. Rushmore National Memorial, Badlands National Park, Wind Cave National Park and Crazy Horse Memorial. In fact, there are more parks and monuments located here than anywhere else in America with sites that span the ages from pre-historic dinosaur digs to the Sanford National Laboratory where scientists are studying neutrinos and the universe.

There simply are so many things to see and do! Come and immerse yourself in the breath taking scenery of the Black Hills and learn a little history along the way.

THE TRAILS

RATED 01 EASIEST – 10 HARDEST

All trails are subject to change depending on weather and other possible conditions.

GREEN TRAIL

Rating 3–4

See an operating Gold Mine, enjoy several scenic overlooks, and visit numerous historic sites.

RED TRAIL

Rating 4–5

This trail has it all including scenic overlooks and rock crawling opportunities.

YELLOW TRAIL

Rating 5–6

This trail also has it all with rock crawling experiences in the morning and overlooks in the afternoon.

GRAY TRAIL

Rating 5–6

A short drive south to Raspberry Ridge & several trails possibly including Jake, Cheerios & Got Milk. Stock Trail Rated Jeeps will use their skid plates & rock rails, giving you white knuckles at times, but at the end of the day you will be amazed at what you accomplished! Larger tire size with any axle locks will reduce the white-knuckle factor.

PURPLE TRAIL LIMITED TO 20 JEEPS PER DAY

Rating 7–8

You will spend the day on the Iceman Trail which is a rock-filled canyon with optional obstacles. Requires 33" tires and one locking differential.

BLUE TRAIL LIMITED TO 20 JEEPS PER DAY

Rating 8–9

You will spend the day rock crawling in the Calamity Canyon area. Requires 35" tires and two locking differentials.

BLACK TRAIL LIMITED TO 12 JEEPS PER DAY

Rating 9+

This trail will challenge even the most experienced rock crawlers, not advised for the inexperienced. Requires 37" tires, two locking differentials, and a winch. Gladiators are not allowed.

REQUIRED

Missing any of these means you are turned away at registration, without a refund.

- Tow points: frame-mounted tow hooks with grade 6 or 8 bolts, draw bars and receiver hitches, or aftermarket bumpers with a manufacturer-installed clevis or D-ring.
- A working GMRS-compatible radio. Guides call out upcoming obstacles, plus local history and wildlife.
- A full-size spare tire.
- Seat belts for all occupants, worn on the trail.
- Street legal, registered and insured, with a license plate.
- STRICTLY ENFORCED Tires no larger than 40". Suspension lift no more than 6". No exceptions.
- Roll bars on all open-topped vehicles, including CJs, Scramblers and Willys.
- A rated tree saver and soft shackle if you run a winch.
- No buggy-style Jeeps and no snowplow frames.

PACK LIST

Bring these with you — for registration, and for the trail.

- Signed waiver for every occupant; a parent or legal guardian signs for passengers under 18.
- Photo ID for the driver of record — the name must match the registration.
- Name badge, worn all weekend. It is your admission to trails and meals.
- Basic tool kit, first aid kit, tire gauge, rain jacket, clothing for all conditions.
- An ice chest of non-alcoholic drinks. Stay hydrated.
- Trail snacks and a chair or blanket for the lunch stop.
- Insect repellent, sun block, medications, hand sanitizer, flashlight, camera, binoculars.
- Toilet paper and zip-lock bags for tissue disposal.

Recommended: a tow strap with looped ends (metal hooks are not allowed), a fire extinguisher and first aid kit. Consider removing running boards and steps for higher-rated trails. Questions about your Jeep? Contact your Adventure Consultant before the event.

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Registrations, and adding, deleting or changing passengers, close 14 days before the event.
- Check a 10-day forecast for every location listed here; conditions differ sharply between them.
- Drones require permission from your trail guides, and many landowners and agencies prohibit them outright.
- Alcohol and non-prescription drugs on the trail mean immediate expulsion without a refund.
- Pets are strongly discouraged; a pet waiver is required at registration.
- Trail access may be granted to guided Jamboree groups only — returning on your own violates our land use agreements.

TRAIL RATING SYSTEM

1–2

Relatively easy terrain. In optimum conditions some trails may not require continual use of 4WD.

3–5

Moderately demanding; a challenge for novice drivers. Mud holes, boulders, streams. Requires 4-LO.

6–7

Demanding at most skill levels. Deeper mud, larger boulders, steeper climbs. Requires 4-LO.

8–9

Very demanding. Getting stuck is likely and rock climbing is arduous. Lifts and lockers help.

Ratings describe the overall trail, not one or two tough spots. Rain, even from days prior, can raise a rating one or two points, especially on street tires. All vehicles are subject to a check before trail departure, and higher-rated trails are more likely to result in vehicle damage. When in doubt, ask a guide.

LODGING & CONTACTS

HEADQUARTERS HOTEL

Deadwood Mountain Grand, an IHG Hotel	605.559.0386

1906 Deadwood Mountain Dr, Deadwood, SD 57732 · link.jeepjam.com/deadwoodmg. A special rate is available for this event. Please call and ask for the Jeep Jamboree room block before July 18th.

OTHER HOTELS / MOTELS

Spring Hill Suites by Marriott	605.559.1600
Double Tree by Hilton	605.571.1245
True by Hilton	605.559.1600
The Bullock Hotel	800.336.1876
Comfort Inn at Gulches of Fun	800.961.3096
The Mineral Palace	800.847.2522

CAMPING & RV PARKING

Days of 76 Campground	605.578.1876
Elkhorn Ridge RV Resort	605.722.1800
Steel Wheel Campground	605.578.9767

daysof76.com/days.of.76.campground · www.elkhornridgervresort.com · www.steelwheelcampground.com

THE LODGE AT DEADWOOD

The Lodge at Deadwood	605.584.4800

100 Pine Crest Lane, Deadwood, SD 57732 · link.jeepjam.com/lodgedeadwood

QUESTIONS

Trip or Jeep questions: Shawn Gulling, shawn@jeepjam.com

Registration: registration@jeepjam.com

Passengers, changes and cancellations: jeepjamboreeusa.com/my-account

Radios and gear: link.jeepjam.com/radios

SPECIAL THANKS TO

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