

NEVADA NORTHERN RAILWAY

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TWO FREE TRAIN RIDES FOR MOMS ON MOTHER'S DAY **Sun., May 12**

Ely, NV--- Take Mom for a free ride this Mother's Day and celebrate her special day. There will be two trains offered at Nevada Northern Railway on Sun., May 12th – with free rides for all mothers.

The 9:30 a.m. steam train takes the Keystone Route toward Ruth and passes through two tunnels. Rumor has it this train is being eyed for robbery by the illustrious Ghost Riders of Old Ely. This group of desperadoes gallantly volunteers their time for passengers' enjoyment, so don't be afraid to pony up. It helps the Ghost Riders continue the traditional Cowboy action of the Old West; adding special excitement to this ride.

The 1 p.m. diesel train takes the new-this-season Adverse Route toward McGill. Passengers aboard this train will enjoy a relaxing and scenic ride through the northern countryside. A free, guided tour of the Enginehouse will be included after each train ride. Prices for these and other regular excursions are \$27/adults (13+), \$16/children (4-12); and always free for toddlers. White Pine and Eureka residents receive a \$6/per ticket discount. Discounts are also available for members, military and AAA.

Of course, a real treat for Mom would be an evening dinner ride on an historic train. The first dinner train of the season is the Rockin' & Rollin' Geology Dinner Steam Train on May 18; followed by the Wild West Dinner Steam Train on May 25. With limited capacity, early reservations are suggested for all dinner trains. These take place Sat. nights at 6:30 p.m. from May 18-Sept. 14; and are all powered by steam.

The new Star Train debuts on Fri., May 24 at 7 p.m., featuring telescope viewing of the stars and planets, guided by Great Basin National Park rangers. Memorial Day Weekend, May 24-27 features the annual Members Open House, including free excursion rides for members and a host of other activities and demonstrations. Memberships start at just \$30 and offer a variety of benefits. For more information, please contact the Nevada Northern Railway Museum at 1-866-407-8326 or 775-289-2085. The train schedule is available online at www.nnry.com. Become a friend and "like" us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/nnry1 and watch train videos at www.youtube.com/nnry1. Follow us on www.twitter.com/nnry1.

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