

# WAGON WHEEL

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## DUVALL HERITAGE FESTIVAL SPECIAL EDITION

### Come Celebrate Our Heritage!

Saturday, September 29

10am to 4pm

At the Historic Dougherty Farmstead

26526 NE Cherry Valley Road, Duvall, WA 98019

Bring your friends and family to Duvall for a day of hands-on fun, learning, music, and reminiscing at the Duvall Heritage Festival. Co-sponsored by the Duvall Cultural Commission and the Duvall Historical Society, this event is FREE for the entire family. Read below to find out what's in store.

**Parking:** Complimentary parking will be available at the Holy Innocents Catholic Church next door, handicapped parking on site, and a free shuttle will transport people between the Heritage Festival and the Quilt Show on Main Street.



#### Before Tractors, There Were Mules

Long before John Deere, mules were used to plow the fields at planting time. Come see these miniature mules at work.

There will be tractors and antique tools, too!



**CULTURE**

*We are grateful to 4 culture, the King County Cultural Services Agency, for their support in the preservation of our heritage.*

#### Kick Up Your Heels!

Early 1900's Duvall had all types of entertainment. From imaginative kids staging plays on tree stumps, to the annual Chautauqua (a traveling tent show) that stopped in the Snoqualmie Valley each year, there was plenty to do.

At the festival, we'll have our own stage with acts like the Novelty Hill Ramblers playing popular songs from early America, and Tinker's Dram, a group performing traditional dance music.

Bob Antone will also take the stage, sharing his songs and stories from early Duvall.



#### Be a Pioneer!

Life wasn't easy in early 1900's Duvall.



Settlers arriving from distant places found that there was butter to churn, corn to grind, rope to make, and clothes to wash by hand on the scrub board.

On Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, you (and your kids), can do it all.

**Learn About Logging**

The logging industry was booming in early Duvall. James Duvall was one of the first loggers, followed by many, including the loggers that Kate Dougherty boarded in the Dougherty Farmstead bunkhouse.

At the Heritage Festival you'll hear stories about the loggers, see their belongings, view their tools. You'll even be able to saw a log with your own two hands.

**View an Antique Car**



Former mayor Lon Brown mounted a calliope on his Model T and drove it around Duvall, advertising the town's theater.

Get a closer look at an antique car, thanks to Duvall's True Value Hardware. They'll have theirs on display at the Festival.

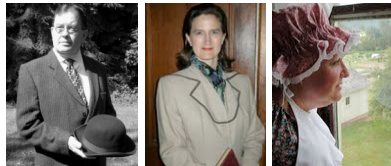
**Watch Wool Demonstrations**

Long before thread and yarn were mass-produced, wool was prepared,



carded, and spun, often on a spindle. Watch a demonstration and learn how wool was spun in the "Good Old Days".

**Speak to Duvall's First Mayor, a Beloved Librarian, and Kate Dougherty Herself**



*Lon Brown will be played by actor Ron Tuck, Rose Norenberg by Michelle Tuck, and Kate Dougherty by Kris Wylie*

**There will also be quilts, scarecrows, and more!**

**Listen to the Snoqualmie Tribe**

One of the earliest groups to inhabit the Puget Sound region, the Snoqualmie Tribe is an important part of the history of the Valley.

Come listen as they share traditional drumming on the 29<sup>th</sup>.

**Take a Bird Walk, Browse Booths!**

The Eastside Audubon Society will provide information on the birds that call this Valley home. They'll guide guests on a bird walk along the Snoqualmie Valley trail, and will make bird masks with the kids.



Other groups will provide resources on items of historical importance in our area, including the Tualco Grange and their display on food preservation and canning.

**Current Officers**

- Mike Reid, President
- Ruth Bellamy, Vice President
- Mary Lampson, Secretary
- Connie Zimmerman, Treasurer

The **Duvall Historical Society** is located at the Dougherty House at 26526 NE Cherry Valley Road, Duvall, WA 98019

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