

three historic towns to visit



Nevada City - Grass Valley Penn Valley

July – August

Every Saturday & Sunday

Gold Panning Demonstrations –
South Yuba River State Park, 17660
Pleasant Valley Rd. 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
530.432.2546.

Guided Tours, Cottage & Mineyard –
Empire Mine State Historical Park,
10791 E. Empire St. Mon. – Fri., every
hour, 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. Sat & Sun.,
Mineyard, 11 a.m., 1:30pm. & 4 p.m.
530.273.8522.

July 4

4th of July Parade, – Downtown
Historic Grass Valley at 11 a.m.
530.272.8315.

Nevada County Fairgrounds, 11228
McCourtney Rd. 10 a.m. – 10 p.m.
530.265.2692.

Music – 4th of July Parade Concert
Nevada County Concert Band.
Downtown Grass Valley, Mill Street;
(one hour before start of parade)
530.477.4787.

July

Summer Nights in Nevada City –
Nevada City Chamber of Commerce,
downtown streets of Historic Nevada
City. Wed. evenings 6 – 9 p.m.
530.265.2692.



Sutter Creek

June

Amador County Arts Council – TGIF
Series Begins at City Park

July 4th & 5th

Fourth of July Celebration & Parade
Events by Scepter, Tess & Co, Rotary &
Lyons Club.

July

Run for the Gold Street Rod Show.

August

Ragtime Festival

September

Blues & Brew Fest

December

Currier & Ives Christmas
Open House



Columbia, California State Historic Park

The Gold Rush to Columbia, California began on March 27, 1850 by a small party of prospectors. News of the discovery spread and they were soon joined by a flood of miners. Unlike many settlements that have changed with the times, Columbia, California, seems to be frozen in the 1800's. Columbia State Historic Park is the best preserved gold rush town in all of California's Mother Lode.