



Park Wood Comes to 2026 Convention

Park is currently the vice president of the Bents Fort chapter of the Santa Fe Trail Association and has traveled from one end to the other of the Santa Fe Trail.

But his claim to fame is his life as a Blacksmith! For over 40 years he has plied his trade. Trained by a master smith Park volunteered at Bents Fort as THE blacksmith for many years.

Park will be speaking about Bent's Fort at our Banquet Saturday night and giving a seminar on

Blacksmithing Saturday morning!

He has the honor of smithing in many different locations. Some of his favorites are Ft. Osage at Sibley Missouri, Ft. Atkinson in Nebraska, Boggsville at Las Animas.

Park was raised in the small Eastern Colorado town of Kit Carson. The name Kit Carson got him started on a history quest of about fifty years. He still doesn't have all the answers to his questions of the fifty years.

We look forward to his talks and we thank Park for his time in the US Army and the Army Guard.

