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Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad Announces Independence Day Express

Durango, CO –The Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad is offering a unique way to spend the Fourth of July holiday in Silverton. The 9:45 a.m. train on Tuesday, July 4, 2006 will go to Silverton on its regular schedule, arriving at 1:15 p.m. The train will stay in Silverton until after the fireworks display, allowing passengers the entire day and evening to enjoy the activities.

The return train will depart Silverton at approximately 10:00 p.m. and arrive in Durango at approximately 1:30 a.m. The D&SNGRR is asking everyone to use extra caution that night downtown and in the Animas Valley where there are railroad crossings.

Tickets for this special excursion are \$79 for adults and \$49 for children and include goodie bags for all passengers. For reservations or more information, please call 247-2733 or visit www.durangotrain.com.

The D&SNGRR operates authentic coal-fired, steam-powered locomotives through the remote wilderness and high-mountain landscape of the San Juan National Forest in Southwest Colorado and has been in continuous operation since 1881.

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