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Author Jim Burnett to Sign *Hey Ranger!* Books at Mount Rushmore National Memorial

The Mount Rushmore History Association at Mount Rushmore National Memorial will host author Jim Burnett for a book signing on Monday, June 23 from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Lincoln Borglum Museum and Visitor Center. He will be signing his book *Hey Ranger! True Tales of Humor and Misadventure from America's National Parks*.

After a thirty-year career as a park ranger at eight national parks, Jim Burnett has collected some classic examples of vacation miscues in his two books. The veteran ranger describes his stories as family-friendly examples of what can happen to ordinary people when “they head west but their trip goes south.” Chapter titles such as “Don’t Feed the Skunks” and “It Seemed Like a Good Idea at the Time” provide a hint of the entertaining and informative stories found in the book.

The author has been a guest on National Public Radio’s “Talk of the Nation,” ESPN Radio’s “The Outdoors Show” and a number of other radio and TV programs. His books have also been featured in a variety of print media, including *Yellowstone Journal*, the *Miami Herald*, *The Salt Lake Tribune*, and *The Dallas Morning News*.

The Mount Rushmore History Association operates three bookstores at the memorial as a cooperating association with the National Park Service. For more information on the book signing event, please contact the Mount Rushmore History Association bookstore at (605) 574-3142.

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