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Florissant Fossil Beds to Present Historic Homestead Open House, Saturday July 28th, 2012

Take a trip back in time and learn about the life and times of the early homesteaders of the Florissant valley. An open house is being held at the Hornbek Homestead at Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument on Saturday, July 28th from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Staff and volunteers will be demonstrating period crafts, leading pioneer games, giving tours of the historic property, and baking in an antique wood stove. The Hornbek Homestead open house is being held in conjunction with Heritage Day in the town of Florissant on Saturday July 28th, 2012. The Hornbek Homestead is located at Florissant Fossil Beds National Monument, 35 miles west of Colorado Springs and just one mile south of the town of Florissant on Teller County #1. For more information please call 719-748-3253. The regular $3.00 per adult (16 and older) admission applies. Admission should be paid at the visitor center. Federal passes are accepted.