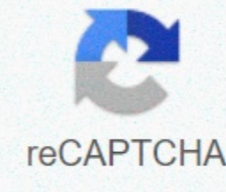




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## Black diamond cemetery

The city-owned Black Diamond Cemetery, founded in 1884, sits on Hill Road Cemetery, hidden by a row of trees and marked with a wooden sign erected by local scouts. The cemetery has more than 1,200 graves, giving visitors a sense of cultural diversity and tragedy that existed in the Black Diamond when coal mining was at its peak. The tombstones mark the graves of residents who came from Wales, Italy, Australia, Russia, Germany and many other countries. Mayor Howard Botts says the Civil War veteran is buried there, as are many children who died in the early 1900s in epidemics of smallpox and flu. At least half a dozen graves mark the graves of mining workers who died in explosions in 1902, 1910 and 1915. The cemetery was added to the National Register of Historic Places in April 2000. (Atricle by Dana Blozis SE Life -2007) Posted in Washington October 20th, 2020 Jessica Wick Cemetery is not inherently a scary place. In fact, some of them can be quite peaceful. But if you've ever walked past Washington's Black Diamond Cemetery, you might have felt that something was a little off. And you wouldn't be the only one. This cemetery has a pretty haunted history. We are aware that these uncertain times limit many aspects of life. While we continue to feature destinations that make our state wonderful, please take appropriate action or add them to your bucket list to see later. If you know of a local company that could benefit from any additional support in these times, please nominate them here: [onlyinyourstate.com/nominate](https://onlyinyourstate.com/nominate) Black Diamond is a small town in King County that is located near Enumclaw. While Black Diamond Cemetery is by far its only attraction, it is certainly the most notorious place. The history of the site dates back to 1884 and the cemetery now has more than 1200 headstones. It is even entered in the National Register of Historic Places. Many of the first graves belong to immigrants who came to the area as miners. One grave contains the remains of eight miners who were killed in the Lawson mine explosion in November 1910. Reports of paranormal activities here range from strange smells to terrifying sights and sounds. Some visitors reported seeing a white phantom horse and squeaky lanterns, while others claim to have heard whistling from miners' spirits. The most common phenomenon here is to see floating fog, which usually occurs after dark. And it's hard to deny that you experience the feeling of being watched as you walk around the property. There were quite a few paranormal investigations at Black Diamond Cemetery. And although no concrete evidence has ever come from them, investigators have experienced enough strange phenomena to assume that this cemetery is certainly haunted. Black Diamond Cemetery was founded by Black Diamond Coal Mining Company as both a company and a Cemetery. Whether you believe or believe in paranormal phenomena, this is still a fascinating place to explore. Address: Black Diamond, WA 98010, USA United States historic siteBlack Diamond CemeteryU.S. National Register of Historic PlacesBlack Diamond CemeteryShow map of Washington (state)Show map of the United StatesLocationCemetery Hill Rd., Black Diamond, WashingtonCoordinates47°18′39″N 122°0′55″W﻿ / ﻿47.31083°S 122.01528°W﻿ / 47.31083; -122.01528Coordinates: 47°18′39″S 122°0′55″W﻿ / ﻿47.31083°S 122.01528°W﻿ / 47.31083; -122.01528Area3.5 acres (1.4 ha)Built1886 (1886)NRHP reference No.00000406[1]Added to NRHPApril 21, 2000Black Diamond Cemetery located in Black Diamond, Washington listed in the National Register of Historic Places. [2] Founded in 1884 by the Black Diamond Coal Mining Company as both a company and a community cemetery, it was originally lined with a wooden fence with a double entrance to the burial facility and a pedestrian stile. The fence has since been replaced with a chain fence. [2] The cemetery contains more than 1200 graves, many of them immigrants who came to the area as miners. [3] One grave contains the remains of eight miners killed in the Lawson mine explosion in November 1910. [4] The oldest gravedigger after the founding of the townspople is a high marble mark, near the west side of the central road and gate, from March 25, 1886. [2] Funds for the administration of the cemetery were originally obtained by deducting the cemetery fee from the miners' payouts. Since 1977, the City of Black Diamond has been responsible for the maintenance and operation of the cemetery. [2] See also National Register of Historic Places Listings in King County, Washington References ^ National Registry Information System. National Register of Historic Places. National Park Service. 9 July 2010. ^ a b c d Kathryn Krafft (15 December 1999). National Register of Historic Places Inventory/Nominations: Black Diamond Cemetery. National Park Service. February 17, 2019. With eight accompanying images ^ Cemeteries: Historical Lessons in South Sound. South Sound Magazine. February 2019. ^ Jensen, Ken. Black Diamond Historical Society; Remembering the 1910 Lawson Mine disaster. Reporter Covington-Maple Valley-Black Diamond. Obtained from Black Diamond Cemetery is a cemetery located in Black Diamond, Washington listed in the National Register of Historic Places. Founded in 1884 by the Black Diamond Coal Mining Company as a company and community cemetery, it was originally a closed wooden fence with a double-gate funeral entrance and stile for pedestrians. Village Black Diamond is a city in Washington, United States. Let's improve OpenStreetMap together. 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Marine Corps Res BALZARINI, Ernesta, Birth: 28-June-1873, Death: 5-Apr-1962 BALZARINI, John, 9-October-1859, Death: 2-November-1921 BALZARINI, Joseph, Birth: Birth: Death: 1909 BANCHERO, Angelo, Birth: 1903, Death: 1929 BANCHERO, Carolina, Birth: 1877, Death: 1962 BANCHERO, Delina, Birth: 1884, Death: 1961 BANCHERO, Edith, Birth: 12-Feb-1921, Death: 12-Sep-2016 BANCHERO, Fred, Birth: 1903, Death: 1996 BANCHERO, John, Birth: 1871, Death: 1959 BANCHERO, John X, Birth: 1875, Death: 1948 BANCHERO, Rena Shelton, Birth: 1907, Death: 1986 BARCLAY, John, Birth: 1860, Death: 1947 BARCLAY, Sarah Ann, Birth: 1862, Death: 1955 BARNES, Ann C, Birth: West Cornwall England, Death: 17-Nov-1902, Age: 54years BARNTON, Jonas, Death: 27-Jan-1918, Age: 84years 11months 27days BARSOTTI, Frances Niemczyk, Birth: 1910, Death: 1983 BARSOTTI, Henry A, Birth: 1924, Death: 1990 BARTHLOMEW, Charles L, Birth: 1883, Death: 1967 BARTHLOMEW, Gerald W, Birth: 1912, Death: 1977 BARTHLOMEW, Ira Arnold, Birth: 1-Mar-1908, Death: February 23rd-1987 BARTHLOMEW, Leon g, born: 1924, Died: 1986 BARTHLOMEW, Lois K, Born: 1917, Death: 2013 BARTHLOMEW, Martha A, Born: 1884, Death: 1962 BARTOLUZZI, Margherita, Birth: 1875, Death: 1911 BARTOLUZZI, Santo, Birth: 1864, Death: 1920 BARTOLUZZI, Walter, Born: 1903, Death: 1956 BASSINGER, Mike F, Birth: 1871, Death: 1951 BASSINGER, Sarah N, Birth: 1874, Death: 1949 BECKER, Amanda, Born: 1889, Death: 1987 BECKER, Henry, born: 1887, Death: 1925 BECKER, Henny, Born: 1899, Death: 1988 BECKER, Fred J, Birth: 1902, Death: 1948 BENEDETTI, Fred L, Birth: 1902, Death: 1956 BENEDETTI, Rose m, Birth: 1881, Death: 1979 BERGMAN, Albert, Born: 1903, Death: 1915 BERGMAN, Clara, Born: 1865, Death: 1914 BERGSTROM, Enabell, Birth: 1885, Death: 1918 BERGSTROM, Joseph B, Born: 1881, Death: 1948 BERTOUX,  ?, Death: 2-Dec-1930 BERTOUX, Annie, Death: 18-Feb-1912, Age: 35years BERTOUX, Baby, Death: 18-Feb-1912 BEVILACQUA, Andrew, Born: 7-July-1876, Death: 29-Feb-1952 BIRCHALL, Ellen H, Born: 1880, Death: 1968 BIRCHALL, John T, Birth: 1885, Death: 1976 BITTAN, Frank, Born: 1899, Death: 1988 BLACKLEY, Linda L, Birth: 1883, Death: 1990 BRADY, Ida Mae, Born: 1909, Death: 1979 BRADY, John Christopher, Born: 1912, Death: 1977 BRADY, John Joseph, born 1886, died: 1972 BRESNIK, Louis, born 1861, died: 1945 BRESNIK, Susana, born 1866, died: 1942 BREZONIK, Cecelia Remshe, born: 1891, died: 1891 942 BROWN, Louise B, born: 19 11, Died: 1982 BROWN, W Clark, Born: 1908, Death: 1987 BRUNI, Giovanni, Born: 1901, Death: 1902 BRUSCHI, Peter, Born: 1882, Death: 1955 BRYAN, Robert Jay , Births: 26-Apr-1952, Death : June 7, 1956 BRYANT, Maxine B, Birth: 12-August-1923, Death: 12-Sep-1991, Married January 31, 1942, w/o William BRYANT, William R, Birth: 6-July-1920, Deah: 15-Apr-2008, Married January 31, 1942, h/ o Maxine BRYANT-KINGSTON, Terrie L, Birth: 19-Mar-1946, Death: 29-Apr-2006 BURDITT, Janie H, Birth: June 29-1877, Death: 4-April-1903, w/o H. H. Burditt BURKELCA, John, born: 1880, Death: 1947 BURKELZA, Frank, Born: 1900, Death: 1957 BURKELZA, Joey, Birth: 1910, Death: 1914 BURKELZA, Joseph, Birth: 1871, Death: 1929 BURKELZA, Louisa, Birth: 1866, Death: 1941 BURRIS, Palmer Earl, Births: 14-July-1907, Death: 12-Apr-1999 BURRIS, Vefena Evelyn Long, Birth: 3-November-1908, Death: 19-Jan-2005 BUSTI, Casilda, Birth: 1916, Death: 1918 BUSTI, Esther, Birth: 1883, Death: 1917 BUSTI, Reino, Birth: 1914, Death: 1918 BYRES, Esther M, Birth: 1891, Death: 1969 BYRES, Thomas g, Birth: 1892, Death: 1975 CALE, Evan, Birth: 8-May-18??, Death: 13-Dec-1910 CALLERO, Andrew, born: 1902, Death: 1985 CALLERO, Clara, Births: 1905, Death: 1952 CALLERO, Domenico, Birth: 1876, Death: 1965 CALLERO, Rosa, Birth: 1879, Death: 1945 CALLERO, Ruth s, Birth: 1906, Death: 1968 CAMPBELL, Thomas, Birth: 1908, Death: 1992 CAMPBELL, Violet, Born: 1907, Death: 1995

