



National Day of the Cowboy at the Historic Empire Ranch Sonoita, Arizona

photo by Cheryl Rogos

About Walter Vail

“April 14, 2018 Walter L. Vail (1852-1906) was inducted into the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum’s Hall of Great Westerners. This high honor is bestowed by the Museum “on exceptional individuals who have made an indelible impact upon the history of the great West.” Walter and partners founded the Empire Ranch beginning with 160 acres in 1876. He became one of the most prominent cattlemen in Arizona and California. His civic contributions included time spent in the 10th Arizona Territorial Legislature and Pima County Board of Supervisors.”

July 28th, 2018
9am-1pm

FREE Family Event

Special Re-enactment of the Story of Walter Vail

Demonstrations, Presentations, Ranch Tours

We welcome you, your family & friends to join us!

Empire Ranch Headquarters
Las Cienegas National Conservation Area
Located off Scenic Highway 83, East Empire Ranch Road
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