

Coffey County Historical Society & Museum

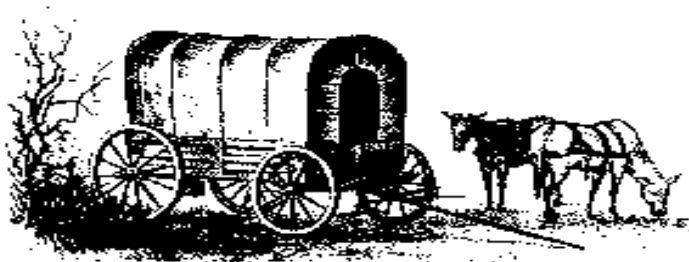
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Ham & Bean Feed 2009

Saturday, January 31st, 2009

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

At the Coffey County Museum

1101 Neosho Street

Burlington, KS 66839

Coffey County Historical Board of Trustees:

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Coffey County Historical Museum Staff:

Executive Director:

Deborah Stinson Kennamore

Curator : Shirley Gorge

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Office Staff: Leticia Werner

Lunch:

The "Celebrities" of Coffey County will serve the public at the Coffey County Historical Museum's Ham and Bean Feed on January 31, 2009 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Prices will be as follows: Ham and Beans with cornbread—\$3.00; Elephant Soup with cornbread—\$3.00; Hot Dog with chips—\$2.00; Homemade pie (by the slice) - \$1.00; water or coffee—Free. The museum will sell any remaining food or pie after 2:00 p.m.

Enjoy an Old Fashioned Lunch at Old Fashioned Prices!

All ages welcome!

January 2009



| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | | | 1 New Year's Day Museum Closed | 2 | 3 Tony McClafin - Volunteer |
| 4 Daniel Kennamore - Volunteer | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 Board of Trustees Meeting | 9 | 10 Andrea Schiffelbein - Volunteer |
| 11 Darlene Smith - Volunteer | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 Bob & Darlene Crouch - Volunteer |
| 18 Mona Veteto - Volunteer | 19 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Museum Closed | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 Tony McClafin - Volunteer |
| 25 Mary Ann McAlister - Volunteer | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 Ham n' Bean Feed 11 am - 2 pm |

Membership Dues

Membership in the Historical Society is a wonderful way to be part of and show support in your community. Annual membership is \$5.00 per person/ per year. You will receive a quarterly newsletter and invitations to all upcoming grand openings. LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP is our best value; with a donation of \$100 or more you no longer have to pay the \$5 annual dues. As a lifetime member your name will be put on a plaque at the entrance of the museum. A lifetime

membership also qualifies you for the quarterly newsletter and invitations to all upcoming grand openings.

Please take a minute to fill out and mail back the membership form below and return to the museum with your payment. If you prefer, come by the museum to update your membership. We would love to see you!

We are open from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday—Friday and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Saturday and

Sunday. We must receive your payment by September 19, 2008 in order for you to be eligible to vote at the Annual Meeting or by mail in ballot.

If you would like to check on the status of your membership, please contact Deborah or Shirley at 364-2653 or toll free at 1-888-877-2653 or by email at:

director@coffeycountymuseum.org.

Membership Form

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number(____) _____

Email address _____

Birthday ____/____/____ Anniversary ____/____/____

Type of membership (please circle one):

Individual (\$5.00 annual), **Lifetime** (\$100.00 one time fee)

Name(s) as you would like it to appear on membership: _____

*Please mail completed form and check or money order to:

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If you have any questions or would like to know the status of your current membership, please call Deborah or Shirley at 364-2653 or toll free at 1-888-877-2653 or email Deborah at director@coffeycountymuseum.org.

From the Director.....

Deborah Stinson Kennamore

Happy New Year! I for one am glad to see 2008 leave....it was a tough year for almost every one I know...so bring on all the happiness in 2009. Did you know that 2009 will have THREE Friday the 13ths? Very unusual! And two of those are in consecutive months...February and March! So according to some this should be a very lucky year for all of us! I'm ready.

Our Board decided to try something new in celebration of Kansas Day activities here at the Museum. This year we are having the Ham and Bean Feed on January 31st with music and celebrity servers. The activities (Pioneer days of old) is being offered for individual and group tours. Why? Well, we have been frustrated with our inability to teach the children why we do the hands on activities. With so many children coming in all at one time and the Ham and Bean feed on the same day the museum has been so crowded that education was tossed out the windows. This will enable us to educate and enjoy the children. Additionally, in years past the museum was so crowded on Pioneer Days visitors were unable to view any new exhibits and move comfortably around the museum. Hopefully we will have a successful Old Fashioned Ham and Bean Feed, give group tours on other days of the year, and allow our visitors a much more calm and relaxing visit. Please come join us. The Ham and Bean Feed is "old fashioned" prices and we need your support to make this day a success!

The HVAC project is 90% complete and we can already see that our humidity and temperature control is CURED. So thanks again to the county commissioners for helping us to upgrade our system.

The basement of the church was repaired and is ready for our harsh winters. The outside of the school and church were painted right before winter so we have prepared for winter the best we can.

I do hope everyone has a blessed and happy new year.....

Sincerely,
Deborah Stinson Kennamore

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