



COFFEY COUNTY MUSEUM TIMELINES

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Administrative Assistant

**Museum's
Viewing Hours:**

Monday–Friday
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Election

It is time for the 2024 Coffey County Historical Society election. The election will be cast by mail-in ballots. A ballot for each member is enclosed in this issue of the newsletter. Only current Coffey County Historical Society Members are eligible to vote in the election. If you are unsure of your membership status, please contact the museum. Once you have filled out the ballot, either mail-in the ballot or bring it into the museum during operating hours.

On the ballot this year are proposed changed to Coffey County Historical Society Constitution (found on page 2) and two Board of Directors members. The Lebo and the LeRoy positions are up for election. Roger Thomas, Lebo position, is newest member of the Board of Directors and

is running for reelection for the Lebo position. Jeri Page, LeRoy position, is also seeking reelection. Both positions are running unopposed. If you choose to write-in a candidate, the candidate has to be a current member of the Coffey County Historical Society and have an address from the place of the position, i.e. the Lebo position must have a Lebo address and the LeRoy position must have a LeRoy address.

The position on the Board of Directors is a volunteer position with no compensation. Requirements of members of the Board of Directors:

- ★ Must be a member of the Coffey County Historical Society. (Membership requires annual dues of \$5 per person. More information about memberships

can be found on page 8 of this newsletter.)

- ★ Must be from the area which you would be representing. (For the 2024, you must have a Lebo address to run for the Lebo position or you must have a LeRoy address to run for the LeRoy position.)
- ★ Attend the monthly meetings at the Coffey County Museum. The Board of Directors meet the second Thursday at noon every month. (Lunch is not provided, but members can bring their lunch to the meeting if they wish.)
- ★ Having an email address and computer access is not a requirement but preferred in order to send out board packets electronically to save money on paper and postage.

Election

Below are the Board of Directors' proposed changes to the Coffey County Historical Society Constitution. The strike through are items proposed to be removed. The bold words are items to be added to the

constitution. The question on the enclosed ballot is "Do you approve the changes to the Constitution?" Selecting "Yes" means you approve of the changes. Selecting "No" means you do not approve of the

changes. The changes to the Constitution will be made after a majority votes "Yes" and will take in effect immediately. A majority vote of "No" will result in no changes to the Constitution.

CONSTITUTION

~~Article IV~~

~~Annual Meeting~~

~~Section 1. The annual meeting of the Society shall be held the fourth Monday of September every even year.~~

Article V IV

Officers and Board of Directors

Article VI V

Election of Officers and Board of Directors

Section 1. All directors shall be elected, with the exception of the treasurer, by a plurality of votes cast by members using ballots mailed out three weeks before the fourth Monday of September and returned to the museum address on or before the date of the fourth Monday of September. Ballots shall be opened and tabulated at a special meeting called by the president before the ~~fourth Monday of September~~ **regular board meeting of the Board of Directors in October**. Those directors elected by the plurality of the valid mail-in ballots will be announced ~~at the annual meeting on even years. On odd years, the elected directors will be announced~~ in the upcoming issue of Timelines.

Section 4. Directors shall be installed at the ~~close of the annual meeting~~ **beginning of the regular board meeting of the Board of Directors in October** and shall serve until their successors have been duly elected and installed. In the event of a resignation or incapacity of any director, the vacancy may be filled by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors for the unexpired term of the director. If the treasurer resigns or is unable to fulfill his or her term, a new treasurer shall be nominated by committee and approved by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors.

Article VII VI

Amendment

This constitution may be amended at any ~~regular annual meeting~~ **mail-in election** by a plurality vote of those submitting a valid ballot by the **stated deadline** ~~date of that annual meeting~~ **on the ballot**. All proposed amendments shall be submitted in writing in order to be approved by the Board of Directors for inclusion in the annual ~~meeting~~ **election** ballot.

Judy McCurry

We are saddened to report that Coffey County Historical Society Board Member Judy McCurry has passed away. Below is her obituary from Jones Funeral Home.

Judy McCurry
(July 23, 1949 - February 14, 2024)



Judy Elizabeth McCurry of Waverly, Kansas, passed away on February 14, 2024 in Burlington,

Kansas. Judy was born on July 23, 1949 in Burlington, Ks to LB “Bud” Platt Jr. and Thressa (Mauer) Platt. She attended school in Gridley, Ks.

In 1965, Judy Platt married the love of her life, Steve McCurry in Burlington, Ks. With this union they were blessed with two children, Laura and Lance.

From 1974 to 1996 Judy and Steve owned their own business called “McCurry’s Feed and Supply”. After that Judy worked for the Ottawa Co-op until her retirement. Judy was also involved in many clubs including the Homemakers Club, Evening Stars EHU, God’s Storehouse, and was a Station #7 First Responder.

Along with Judy’s passion to help and be a part of the

community, she loved to craft, go camping and fishing, and she held a special place in her heart for all of her grandkids.

Judy is preceded in death by her parents, LB and Thressa, her brother Lowell Platt, and a grandchild, Angel McCurry.

Judy is survived by her loving husband Steve, her children; Laura (Allen) Schultz and Lance (Shani) McCurry, as well as her grandchildren; Heather (Walter) Hanks, Kalee (Lane) Ikerd, Mason McCurry, and Rylee McCurry, along with her great-grandchildren; Walter Hanks, Banner Hanks, Kennedy Ikerd, Scott Ikerd, and Nash Ikerd. She is also survived by a sister-in-law; Elaine Platt, as well as many other friends and family.

Pioneer Days

With fall right around the corner, it also means Pioneer Days is also around the corner. The annual favorite event will be held on Saturday, September 21, 2024, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Coffey County Museum.

Attendees will have the opportunity to make their own keepsakes from the event. Participants will be able to dip their own candle, create their own family tree, make rope, churn butter, create a yarn doll, and more!

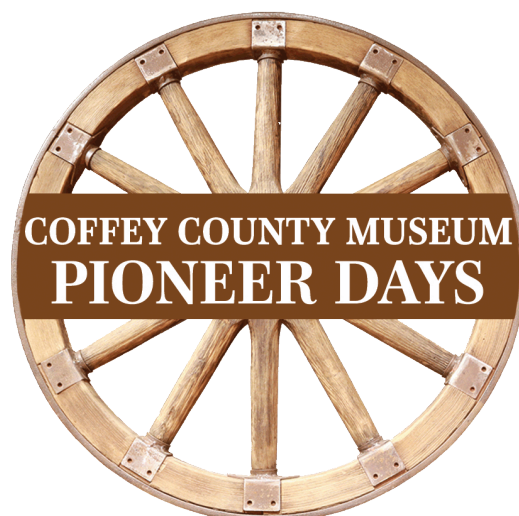
All the activities are free, but donations are greatly appreciated. Those in attendance will also have the opportunity to view the

museum’s various display including the bones of a Columbian mammoth. The extensive genealogy library at the museum will also be open for researchers during the event.

Volunteers are still needed to help with the event. If you are interested or know someone that is interested in volunteering for the day, please contact the museum.

The Coffey County Museum is a non-profit 501 (c)(3) organization committed in preserving the history of Coffey County and its people for today and future generations. For more

information about the Pioneer Days event or the Coffey County Museum, contact the museum at (620) 364-2653 or email erin@coffeymuseum.org.



Coffey County Jail

On August 2, 2022, the voters of Coffey County approved on a 1,794-1,361 vote to authorize Coffey County to issue up to \$20 million in general obligation bonds to build a law enforcement center. The project officially broke ground on January 16, 2024 and is expected to be completed in 2025.

The Coffey County Law Enforcement Center will be a two-story 38,716 square foot building housing the Coffey County Sheriff's Office, county attorney office, a reinforced concrete 911 dispatch center, and the Coffey County Jail. The jail will hold 90 inmates and includes prefabricated jail cells, dayroom, sally port, holding cells, mental health cells, booking and intake area and more.

The current jail was constructed in 1984 and was opened for business on July 19, 1985. When the jail was originally built, it had eight jail cells with a total prisoner capacity of fourteen, a dispatch center, booking room, receptionist area, jail office, sheriff offices. Over time, the jail has undergone changes to the layout to accommodate more modern necessities. The former storage areas were converted for a visitation area and for other uses. The sally port was converted into a storage area. Officers out grew the space in the sheriff's office and had to move most of their offices to the annex building located about six blocks away.

In the end, something had to be done and the voters approved

the building of a new law enforcement center. It was decided to build the law enforcement center immediately west of the courthouse with an enclosed link between the new building and the courthouse. The current sheriff's office, jail and courtroom area will be renovated for a larger magistrate courtroom, offices and storage.



Above: A sketch of the new Coffey County Law Enforcement Center currently under construction. The building should be completed in 2025.

So, how many jails has Coffey County had? Where were the other jails been located? How many jails has Coffey County had?

There is little information on Coffey County's first jail. The earliest mention of the county jail in the newspaper in January 17, 1860, "A few days ago a company of Sac Indians were observed running through the streets of Burlington, yelling in tones similar to panther screechings. Upon ascertaining the cause, it was found that they had accidentally caught sight of the jail (!) of Coffey County, the unearthly appearance of which made them believe that Old Nick had established his quarters here;

and being in nowise inclined to get into his clutches yet awhile, they vamoosed in such terrific affright." An article in 1865 gave a report from the Grand Jury who decided the Coffey County Jail is "wholly insufficient and a public nuisance." Some prisoners were being housed in the sheriff's or deputy's home due to the jail not being secure. By December 1866,

it was reported that the county had \$800 invested in the jail in repairs or a value of about \$16,300 today. In 1870, other newspapers in Kansas reported that on December 22nd or 23rd of 1870, the Coffey County Jail in Burlington was burned. The log jail only had one prisoner that was unharmed. It is unknown what the local papers reported at the time due to no copies of the newspapers for Coffey County from 1870-1873. It was unknown what they used for the jail after the fire. An 1886 newspaper reported "the county pays hundreds of dollars each year to Franklin county for the use of their jail and for the board of our prisoners." It was also reported

Coffey County Jail (continued)

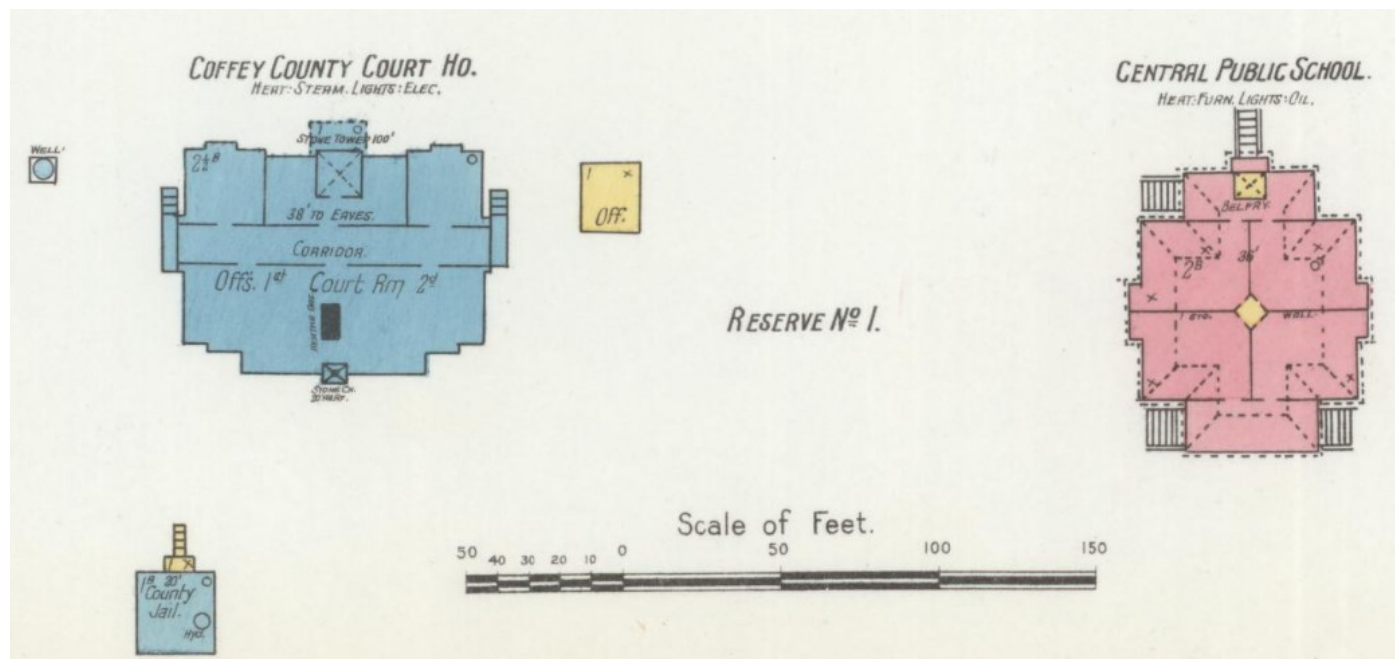
that Emporia's jail was also used to house Coffey County's prisoners.

In 1890, Ed Franklin was awarded the contract to build a new jail out of stone, corrugated iron and furnished with steel cages. In August 1890, the ground was broke for the 26ft x 26ft jail located southeast of the courthouse about one hundred feet. The jail walls were two feet thick of blue limestone bedded in cement and eight feet in the clear. There were four cells large enough to hold a steel cage and a hallway through the enter. The ceiling overhead was covered with railroad iron. The second story of the jail was the jailer's residence. There were several escapes from this jail starting just a year after it was built. The American Prison Association inspected the jail in 1908 when there were no prisoners. The

Daily Republican reported the associations findings: "There are only three cells in the building, all for men. Women are kept in the sheriff's residence and the children in the home of the jailer. The building is said to be neither strong nor safe. The cost of food is 50 cents a day, a rather high rate, and prisoners are fed three times a day. The blankets used on the iron cots are washed three times a year. Ventilation is by windows only and night buckets are used in one of the cells. One bath is provided for the prisoners who are required to use it once a week. Occupation is given to the trusties only who are allowed to carry coal and water from the outside. Aside from this, the only exercise consists of walks in the corridor." By 1912, the jail was so bad the Coffey County Commissioners put on the ballot the building of a new

jail but the voters refused to authorize the building of a new jail. In 1914, Judge Harris and County Attorney Frazier officially said the Coffey County Jail was unfit for use and is in dangerous condition but it was continued to be used. The Secretary of State Board of Health officially condemned the jail as unsanitary and unsafe for use in August of 1916. It was decided to remodel the jail. The county commissioners made arrangements with Lyon County Commissioners to keep the prisoners of Coffey County in the Lyon County Jail while the Coffey County Jail was remodeled.

In June 1917, William Vasey was awarded the contract to remodel the jail for \$1,260. A new jail would of cost \$10,000, but the voters turned it down. It took about two and half months



Above: 1901 Sanborn Fire Insurance Map of southwest corner of 6th & Neosho Streets. The current courthouse was built directly in front of the courthouse on the map which was built in 1901. The building at the bottom left was the county jail.

Coffey County Jail (continued)

to pour a concrete floor to set the old steel cages on top, install electric light and modern bathrooms, install new barred windows, new door frames, put two coats of rock plaster on the interior, a new bungalow style roof painted green and veneer with one thickness of round edged pressed red brick set in black mortar and tied to the old wall. The jail was heated with steam from the courthouse's heating plant. This jail was later razed in 1931 after a new jail building was built.

The old jail's condition started to show its age and had been outgrown; it was time for a new jail. A small amount of taxes for a few years was put into a jail fund. In 1931, the building of a new jail became a reality. The jail built just west of the 1917 jail



building. Edwin E Newcomb of Burlington was the resident architect and his partner was W. E. Glover, Topeka, who was a prominent architect. It was decided to have buff and tan bricks on the

outside to coordinated with the courthouse's color. (The courthouse mentioned was built in 1901 and torn down 1964 after the current courthouse was built.) The inside walls were glazed brick with reinforced concrete filling. The building included four regular cells with the capacity of six prisoners, two large dayrooms, detention rooms, sheriff's office, storage for confiscated property, and living quarters for the sheriff. The formal opening of the jail was held on November 28th & 29th, 1931. It was said that the jail was one of the most modern and break proof jails in Kansas. Over the years, requirements of jails changed. A committee decided that it would be better to have a new jail connected to the Coffey County Courthouse instead of trying to renovate the jail, so the



Above: The razing of the 1931 jail on April 10, 1986. According to The Coffey County Today April 11, 1986, issue of the newspaper, "The plan was to let the top story fall after moving most of the support but the old building proved tougher than some thought."

present day jail was built. On April 30, 1984, the commissioners voted to demolish the old 1931 jail as soon as the new one (being used present day) is operational. The old jail building was tougher than some thought and withstood several attacks from the bulldozer.

Some of the remains from one of the old jail cells is part of the jail display at the museum. More parts of a jail cell from one of the old jails was also uncovered along with other items during the building of the new Coffey County Law Enforcement Center. Officials are debating if and how they would display recently found artifacts from one of the old jails in the new law enforcement building.

Left: The jail display at the museum is a popular photo opportunity spot for visitors. The sections of the jail cell came from on of the old Coffey County Jails.

Digitized Newspapers

Today most people get their news and information from social media such as Facebook. In the past, everyone got their news from the local newspaper and that meant Coffey County citizens read the Daily Republican. One of the Coffey County Genealogical Society's (CCGS) goals has been to make genealogical resources, such as newspapers, available for everyone. As CCGS member, Brenda Futrell, was in a unique position to recognize an opportunity to accomplish this goal. As a newspaper employee, Brenda asked Chris Faimon, owner of Faimon Publications, LLC, to donate their microfilm collection to CCGS. This donation has contributed to a recently completed project by the CCGS which will allow history buffs, genealogists and other researchers to have free access to old editions of The Daily Republican.

It was with this goal in mind when the CCGS decided to raise the funds needed to digitize the Daily Republican newspapers.

All of the current towns in the county, except New Strawn, has had a newspaper. A Burlington newspaper has been the official newspaper of the county during most of the county's existence meaning the business and activities of the County Commissioners and other county news was published in the Burlington newspaper. So, it was decided to reach out to the Coffey County Library, Coffey County Museum and Coffey County

Economic Development for support to digitize The Daily Republican. All three organizations agreed to participate in funding the project and a partnership was formed. But where to start?

One question the CCGS membership had to answer was who had the knowhow to digitize The Daily Republican. Due to the Coffey County Library System experience using Advantage Community History Archive to digitize their newspapers and had good reviews about the company, it was decided to go through Advantage Community History Archive to digitize the Daily Republican microfilm.

Some of the newspapers in Coffey County have already been digitized by the Coffey County Library System through the Advantage Community History Archive and were already online. The Lebo Branch of the Coffey County Library had digitized their microfilm collection of newspapers. The newspapers in the collection include the July 9, 1864 issue of the Hampden Expositor, Halls Summit News from 1921-1922, Gridley Star from 1905-1907, The Allegre Capsule from 1981-1990 and several Lebo newspapers from 1884-1986. Gridley had a patron digitize physical copies of The Gridley Light from 1943-1975 and The Gridley Gleam from 1982-2008 also through Advantage Community History Archive. The link to these collections can be found on the Coffey County Library's website

in their Genealogy Resources through the Services tab.

The next question that the CCGS members had to answer was where to start with the dates. A little research determined that since 2014, the Kansas State Historical Society (KSHS) has been offering free access to their digitized Kansas newspapers at Newspapers.com. All Kansas residents can gain free access with a valid driver's license or state ID. Currently, 14,243,648 pages of newspaper are accessible for Kansans through the site and more are continuously added. A total of 125,812 pages of these pages are from Coffey County newspapers. The Coffey County newspapers available range from October 1859 to December 1922 and include newspapers from Agricola, Burlington, LeRoy, Lebo, Gridley, Halls Summit, Hampden, and Waverly. To access these newspapers, visit <https://www.kshs.org/ancestry/drivers/dlverify> and a Kansas resident can get access by entering their name, date of birth and their Kansas driver's license or state ID number. CCGS members decided to begin digitizing The Daily Republican where the KSHS collection ended for Coffey County.

The Coffey County Genealogy Society teamed up with the Coffey County Economic Development, Coffey County Library and the Coffey County Museum to digitize 45 reels of The Daily Republican from November 21, 1922, to September 16, 1949, with a gap in 1928 from July to

Newspapers (cont.)

December. Beginning on July 19, 2024, these newspapers are online and ready for viewing at www.coffey.historyarchives.online. It cost just under \$8,000 to digitized, optical character recognition (OCR) the images and index the 45 reels of microfilm. There are about 98 more reels of microfilm that still needs digitize to complete all the Burlington newspapers on microfilm up to 2008. To make this possible, Faimon Publications, LLC (The Coffey County Republican newspaper) graciously agreed to grant CCGS a copyright release for the project.

If you are interested in the digitizing project or would like to contribute towards the next step

of the project you can contact Erin Petterson at the Coffey County Museum. You can also contact Coffey County Genealogical Society members Eileen Coker or Brenda Futrell. Eileen can be reached at (620) 364-5864. Brenda can be reached at (620) 364-6725. The Coffey County Genealogical Society meets every second Thursday at 6:30 p.m. at the Coffey County Museum. There is not a meeting in December. Anyone interested in genealogy, just beginning or a pro, are welcomed to join the meetings. There are no membership dues. Updates about meetings and other genealogy related information can be found at www.facebook.com/CoffeyCountyGenealogy.

Membership

We would like to thank all of our membership for their continued support by being part of the Coffey County Historical Society. If you have not renewed your membership, please do so soon! Members will receive a yearly newsletter and the opportunity to vote in the Coffey County Historical Society elections. To renew, fill out the 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 If you would like to check on the status of your membership, please contact the museum at 620-364-2653 or by email at erin@coffeymuseum.org.

Membership Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: (_____) _____ Alt. Number: (_____) _____

Email address: _____

Would you like your newsletter emailed to you? _____ Would you like to be a volunteer? _____

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

Type of membership (please circle one):

- Individual (\$5.00 annual per person)
- Business (\$15.00 annual per business)
- Lifetime (\$100.00 one time fee per person)

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

Coffey County Museum
1101 Neosho Street
Burlington, KS 66839

If you have any questions or would like to know the status of your current membership, please call Erin at (620) 364-2653 or toll free at (888) 877-2653 or email erin@coffeymuseum.org.

Lifetime Members

Ackerman, Gayla Lonene	Ferrara, Melchoir A.	Krigbaum, Marilyn	Roth, V. Cameron
Adkins, Joan	Finkbiner, Patricia	Kunkel, Connie	Salava, Dan
Allegre, Peter	Finkbiner, Terry	Kunkel, David	Salava, Linda J.
Allen, Dan	First National Bank of Kansas	Kunkel, Opal I.	Salisbury, Florence Conrad
Allen, Linda K.	Fitch, Duane	Lifecare Center of Burlington	Sanborn, Patty A
Anderson, Mike	Freeman, Bill	Little, Charles F.	Sauder, Ray
Anliker, Tyler	Freeman, Calvin Dean	Lowman, Nadine	Schick, Donald L.
Atherly, Mary Lou DeLong	Freeman, Diane	Luke, Linda Sue	Schick, Ruth
Atkin, John D. M.D.	Freeman, Elva	Luke, Lola Mae	Schultz, Achsah Carter
Atkin, Patricia	Freeman, Jeff	Luke, Robert Standley, Jr	Sleezer, Johnnie R.
Bailey, Jerry	Freeman, Joan	Martindale, Paul	Sleezer, Retha I.
Banks, Peggy	Fulk, Doris L.	Matney, Linda J.	Smith, Darlene
Beaty, W. Jean	Futrell, Brenda	Mattox, Martha	Smith, Ivan
Bedwell, L.F.	Garrett, Emily	McAlister, M.A.	Smith, Marjorie J.
Birk, Julia Mae	Garrett, Lisa I.	McAlister, V.S.	Smith, V LaVerne
Bohrer, Paul	Garrett, Millie	McConnell, John	Spade, Sharon
Born, Linda	Geery, Barbara	McReynolds, Richard L.	Spatz, Caroline B.
Brecheisen, Betty	George, Dennis	Meador, Craig	Spatz, Robert J.
Bruce, Nellie	Graber, Kevin	Meador, Peggy	Spriggs, Judy
Bruce, Robert Lyle	Graber, Linda	Merry, Barbara	Stine, Phyllis A.
Central National Bank	Griffin, Lena	Merry, Gene	Stukey, Arthur
Citizens State Bank	Hatch, Bonnie	Montgomery, Dean R	Stukey, Kent
City of Burlington	Hatch, Homer	Morey, George	Sunseri, Carol
City of Lebo	Hayes, Edris Irwin	Muench, Cheryl	Thomas, Roger E.
Clapp, Grace (Sauder)	Herr, Bob	Muench, Rick	Trimble, Chuck
Clark, Joanna	Hess, Wayne	Neil, Eunice Johnson	Trimble, Joyce
Clark, Larry	Holderman, Jenifer	Norris, David	Trimble, Randy
Cochran, Dorothy	Holderman, Rich	Norris, Kasu Stinson	Trostle, Jerilee
Cockrell, Gilan	Hood, Betty Jo	O'Leary, Dennis	Trostle, Kerry
Coffey County Chamber of	Hood, Herbert	O'Leary, Margaret R.	TrustPoint Services
Commerce & Visitors Center	Hoover, Carlita	Oliver, Connie	Ubert, Ann
Coffey County Commissioners	Hoover, Lisa	Oliver, Kenneth	Ubert, Gary
Coffey County Council for the	Hoover, Ned	Page, Jeri	Van Horn, Keith
Arts	Hoover, Ron	Page, Kevin	Van Horn, Lila
Coffey County Honda	Hoover's Thriftway	Park, William H.	Vannocker, Rebecca Louise
Coffey County Hospital	Hoyt, Kent	Parnay, Arlene Carpenter	Varvel, Norma J
Coffey County Land Title Co. Inc	Hoyt, Lori	Payne, Janet	Veteto, Mona
Coffey County Library	Hull, Kelly J.	Ponder, Mary Lou	Watson, Irene
Coldsmith, Don	Hull, Sheldon L.	Ponder, Randy	Wildman, Kay
Coldsmith, Edna	Irey, Diana L.	Purvis, Lois Jean	Wilkinson, Al
Combes, Irene E.	Irey, Ronald W.	Raaf, Clarence	Wilkinson, Opal
Combes, Kenneth L.	Johnson, Cloyce E.	Raaf, Esther	Williams, James E., Jr.
Conrad, Mary E.	Johnson, Diane S.	Raaf, Fred A.	Williams, Kathleen (Asper)
Cordell, Larry	Johnson, Jerry D.	Raaf, Gary	Williamson, Arthur W.
Cox, Juanita	Johnson, John E.	Raaf, Harvey G.	Williamson, Bernice
Croll, Susan	Johnson, Loren E.	Raaf, James L.	Williamson, Daniel
Curtiss, Jerilyn	Jones, Carol	Raaf, JoAnn	Williamson, Mitch
Curtiss, Larry M.	Jones, Don	Raaf, Mark	Wilson, Ida M.
Danford, Charlene	Jones, Fred S.	Raaf, Ralph	Wilson, Warren D.
DeLong, Roy G.	Jones, Glenda	Raaf, Richard	Wolf Creek Nuclear Operating
Dunlap, Dr. James	Jones, Paul	Raynesford, Carolyn C.	Corporation
Dunlap, Judith	Kaufman, Helen Garn	RC Trucking, Inc	Wolken, Deanna
Eccles, Cindy	Keas, Sandy K.	Redding, Bud	Woods, Chloe
Edelman, Albert L.	Keene, Carolyn Skillman	Redding, Carol	Woods, Frank
Edelman, Victor	Kennamore, Deborah	Redding, Johnnie Jr	Worrell, Dallas G.
Epting, Gary	Kennamore, William "Pete"	Redding, Patricia	Zscheile, Lila L.
Epting, Polly	Klubek, Brenda Grace	Reeves, Glen W.	
Evans, Dean	Knapp, Bill	Reeves, Karen K.	
Evans, George	Kniss, Clarence	Reimer, Paul	
Evans, Sue	Kniss, Donna	Reisbig, Clara L.	
Evans, Terry L.	Krebs, Tammy Hoover	Robbins, Carol A.	

Upcoming Events

SEPTEMBER 2024

- 2 CLOSED— Labor Day
- 12 Board Meeting @ noon
- 12 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30
- 21 Pioneer Days 11 am – 2 pm

OCTOBER 2024

- 10 Board Meeting @ noon
- 10 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30

NOVEMBER 2024

- 11 CLOSED— Veterans Day Observed
- 14 Board Meeting @ noon
- 14 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30
- 28 CLOSED— Thanksgiving Day
- 29 CLOSED— Thanksgiving break

DECEMBER 2024

- 12 Board Meeting @ noon
- 24 CLOSED— Christmas Eve
- 25 CLOSED— Christmas Day
- 31 CLOSED— New Year's Eve

JANUARY 2025

- 1 CLOSED— New Year's Day
- 9 Board Meeting @ noon
- 9 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30

FEBRUARY 2025

- 13 Board Meeting @ noon
- 13 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30

MARCH 2025

- 13 Board Meeting @ noon
- 13 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30

APRIL 2025

- 10 Board Meeting @ noon
- 10 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30

MAY 2025

- 8 Board Meeting @ noon
- 8 Coffey County Genealogical Society Meeting @ 6:30
- 26 CLOSED— Memorial Day

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