



A Note from members of the Robinson Lions Club: The 4th of July is rapidly approaching! The Robinson Lions Club is preparing for its annual Ice Cream and Cake Social and Fireworks display. The Club is very appreciative of the wonderful response last year from the community in helping with the event by volunteering help setting up tables, helping with the serving and cleanup, and bringing cakes. Because the Club is very small in membership, if any of you feel led to help again this year, it would be greatly appreciated. We want this to be another memorable 4th of July celebration in Robinson.

If you can make a cake or volunteer your help in any way, please call either Dorothy BeDunnah at 544-6606 or Judi Bruning at 544-7739 (Home) 741-2282 (Cell). Thank you in advance for any consideration you can give to this request.

Congratulations to Sydney Campbell, Jessica Geiger, and Kendra Overdick for their selection and participation in the 2016 Sunflower Girls State which was held on the campus of the University of Kansas June 5-10. One of the reminders that they received prior to Girls State was to "Be ready to learn what it really means by 'Pride in thy Country, Faith in thyself.'" Following the week of general sessions learning activities, Sunflower Girls State visited the State Capitol and Justice Center. Thank you to the Hedrick-Moll Post 148 of the American Legion for sponsoring the local participants.

Congratulations to all Robinson area graduates!

Kara Geiger graduated from pre-school and is looking forward to Kindergarten in the fall!

July 3, First Sunday Dinner—Community dinners are held the first Sunday of each month at the Robinson City Hall Community Center. Free-will donations support community projects. Serving from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Note from the coordinator: "We work at serving local and quality food. Bring a friend to Sunday dinner and meet your neighbors"—striving to support our rural communities.



Robinson United Methodist Church—

Regular church service is at 9:30 a.m.

Zion United Methodist Church—

Regular Sunday school is at 9:30 a.m., followed by worship service at 10:45 a.m.

Upper Wolf Lutheran Church—

Upper Wolf is 4½ miles southeast of Robinson. Pastor Steve Evans' cell phone—741-2564
Beginning July 3, Sunday worship changes to 9:00 a.m. Regular Sunday worship is at 9:00 a.m. with Holy Communion the first Sunday of each month
Donut Sunday—2nd Sunday of each month
Bible Study—9:15 a.m. on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at the church
Quilt Tying—8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on the first, second, and fourth Wednesday of each month at the church.
For confirmation of the schedule, you may call Denise at 785-741-3142.

Bellevue United Methodist Church—

July 23—Church breakfast, 8:30 a.m., Highland Sr. Ctr.
July 31—Joint worship, 10:30 a.m., Denton UMC, potluck luncheon following service
Sundays: Bible School—10:00 a.m., Worship—11:00 a.m.
Evening worship—6:30 p.m. at Two Timbers
Wednesdays:
Spiritual Wellness—Highland Care Center, 7:00 p.m.



Memorial Day Dinner
May 29, 2016



The City of Robinson would like to ask its citizens to please be aware of the items they are flushing down their toilets. The north lift station motor has burned out and will have to be replaced. When the repairman took apart the lift station, there were several items caught inside. The main item not to flush is the "flushable" wipes that are now being sold. Although they advertise these as being biodegradable, they do not break down prior to reaching the lift station. Grease was another item that was prominent in the clog. Residents are asked to please not put cooking oil or any other forms of grease down the drains or the toilet. The residents giving consideration to this request to prevent the occurrence of future problems is appreciated.

Reminders—

- July 5—Robinson City Council meets at 7:00 p.m.
- The Robinson Parks and Recreation Committee meets at 7:00 p.m. Sunday, July 17 at the City Hall.

It is time to start thinking ahead for the Hwy 36 Treasure Hunt the third weekend in September (16th, 17th, and 18th). Several families and the Robinson Community Church School have participated in the past. Plans are to have an Open House at the Robinson Bank again this year on Friday and Saturday during the Hwy 36 Treasure Hunt. Last year volunteers served as hosts at the Bank allowing visitors to have a feel for “yesteryear” while sharing some Robinson hospitality along with cookies and cider. Once again having Gertrude, Marge, and Sharen among the volunteers brought back some treasured memories. Robinson residents are encouraged to participate in providing “treasures” for visitors to purchase and/or see as they travel the route. To see “what it is all about” the following website can be visited to explore the possibilities: <http://www.uswy36.com>. Angie Muckey will be the Robinson area contact and coordinator again.

The Voice editors had a delightful visit with Sarah and Rob who are on an adventure—a bicycle tour from “Delaware to As Far As We Get” (April – September 2016). Desired destination is Seattle. Their daughter Cedar started the trip and managed to pedal all the way to St Louis before deciding to return home. (Sarah flew with Cedar to connect with Sarah’s mother, then returned to St Louis in a one day round trip.) One will just have to check Sarah’s and Rob’s blog to see if the family joins together in their pedal power adventure en route. Their adventures and many great photos can be experienced at the website crazyguyonabike.com/doc/sixmonthssixwheels.

Locally, Lancaster, Everest, Robinson, and Hiawatha made it in their itinerary. In their blog Sarah and Rob noted



A few minutes later we arrived in downtown Robinson, where we found the Community Store. It's been volunteer-run since it began in 2000. Hundreds if not thousands of towns throughout the Midwest are emptying out, and keeping even one village store open can be a big deal for quality of life. So the occasional town has found the wherewithal to launch a volunteer store, and Robinson is one of them.

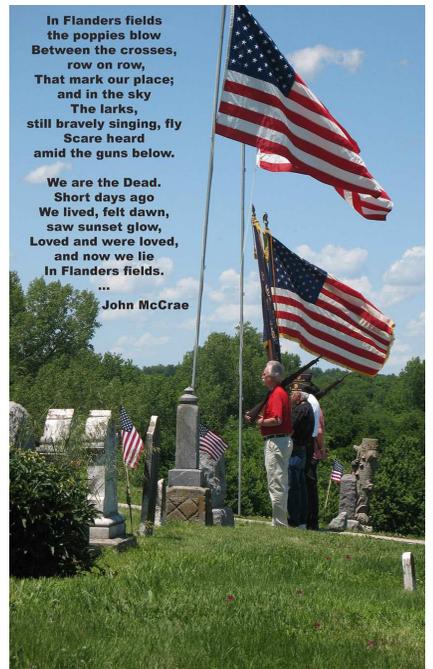


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Thank you to those who arranged their time Memorial Sunday to honor loved ones, veterans, and those who continue to serve. Also, thank you to Hedrick-Moll Post 148 of the American Legion for the memorial service at Rose Hill. Next year’s Memorial in Robinson—a time for remembering and giving thanks not only to those who have given their lives in serving, but to all those who have served or continue to serve—will be Sunday, May 28, 2017. Anyone



*In Flanders fields
the poppies blow
Between the crosses,
row on row,
That mark our place;
and in the sky
The larks,
still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard
amid the guns below.

We are the Dead.
Short days ago
We lived, felt down,
saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved,
and now we lie
In Flanders fields.
...
John McCrae*

having photos to add to the presentation of those who have served is invited to contact Betty and Robert at 544-7707. Photos, not only of those who lived in the Robinson area, but those who are close in heart (family members and special friends “from away”) are welcomed.

Correction—Madison Gilbert graduated from 8th grade at Hiawatha Middle School. The editors apologize to Madison for incorrectly identifying her last month.

Milestones—

Births: Waylon Wayne Grady, April 26, son of Ariel Teeters and Josh Grady, grandson of Becky Morey, and great-grandson of the late Charles and Cathy Sherman

Declan Hebert, May 19, son of Brianna and Brandon Hebert, grandson of Connie and Dean Miller, great-grandson of the late Charles and Cathy Sherman

Evangaline May Allison, May 19, daughter of Catherin Adams and Lloyd Allison

Evelyn Jane Weber, May 26, daughter of Scottee and Ryan Weber, great-grandniece of the late Charles and Cathy Sherman

Deaths:

Katherine L. (Kaye) Starkson, June 8

Sarah M. (Kleppe) Clemmons, June 10
1956 graduate of Robinson High School

Dickie Ray Adkins, June 15

Wayne Edwin Monaghan, June 20
father of Brenda Winters

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Robinson's 4th of July

7:00—11:00 am Robinson Fire Department
Pancake Feed

10:00 Nail Keg Derby registration

11:00 Robinson Parks & Recreation
serving Sno Cones during Derby

11:00 Robinson United Methodist Church
serving lunch during Derby
(Hotdogs & Chili Dogs)

12:00 Nail Keg Derby Races Start

3:00 Boy Scouts
serving concessions at the Park

4:00 Parade (following the finish of the
Derby)

5:30 Robinson Lions Club
Ice Cream & Cake Social

Dark Fireworks presented by the
Lions Club & Fire Department

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Saturday, July 2 the air conditioned Veterans Memorial Center at 214 Main in Robinson will be the location for the Robinson Alumni Reunion. Lunch will be at noon followed by a short program. Please contact Dorothy at 785-544-6606 with any questions regarding the reunion.

The BeDunnah Guest House will be open July 4th during the Derby races. Those interested in stopping by may view the various Military items that will be on display or go back in time visiting the Barber Shop. There will also be a "Free" Face Painting booth on the Guest House Porch for the youngsters to participate in and enjoy!