

## Jefferson County Chamber Chronicles

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# President's Day – February 17

### Odd facts about our 44 Presidents

- 1. **George Washington** Thinking that shaking hands was beneath the dignity of the President, Washington preferred to bow to greet guests. To avoid being forced into a handshake he would place one hand on his sword and hold his hat in the other.
- 2. **John Adams** Adams, the second President, and Jefferson, the third, both died on the same day, July 4th 1826, exactly fifty years after the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Adam's last words, probably apocryphal, are said to be 'Jefferson survives.' when in fact Jefferson had died hours earlier.
- 3. **Thomas Jefferson** While a famous writer, the chief composer of the Declaration of Independence, Jefferson hated public speaking and avoided giving speeches. Jefferson started the tradition of delivering written State of the Union statements, which lasted until the 20th century.
- 4. **James Madison** Madison was the slightest President. Standing at five feet four inches and weighing less than 100lbs you would need three-and-a-half Madisons to make up a Taft, the heaviest President.
- 5. **James Monroe** In his re-election, Monroe ran unopposed for the Presidency. He failed to receive all the votes in the electoral college however when a rogue member cast his ballot for John Quincy Adams.
- 6. **John Quincy Adams** Adams was fond of swimming naked in the Potomac. When an intrepid female reporter wished to get an interview with the President she stole his clothes until he agreed to an interview.
- 7. **Andrew Jackson** Jackson was a noted duelist. When a man impugned Jackson's wife they dueled. The man shot Jackson over the heart. Jackson cooly took aim and killed the man. It was too risky to remove the bullet and so it remained in Jackson for the rest of his life.
- 8. *Martin Van Buren* Van Buren's first language was not English, he was raised speaking Dutch.
- 9. **William Henry Harrison** Delivered the longest inaugural address and had the shortest Presidency. His long speech in bad weather led to him developing a cold which worsened and caused his death after a month in office.
- 10. **John Tyler** Tyler was the first Vice-President to assume office after the death of a President in office. He had the most children of any President, 15.
- 11. James Polk Polk was elected on a promise not to run for a second term in office.
- 12. **Zachary Taylor** Died from contracting cholera from a bowl of cherries washed down with iced milk.
- 13. **Millard Fillmore** Fillmore refused an honorary degree from the University of Oxford on the basis that he was not classically educated and so could not read the diploma, written in Latin. He said "no man should accept a degree he cannot read."
- 14. Franklin Pierce While President, Pierce was arrested for running over an old woman with his horse.
- 15. **James Buchanan** Often rated the worst President when historians are polled. His Presidency included the secession of seven states and a major depression. Some historians believe that Buchanan was the first gay US President, he was certainly the only one to be unwed for the duration of his term of office.
- 16. **Abraham Lincoln** Lincoln was a notably ugly man in photos but people who met him described his face as intelligent and handsome. The first President to wear a beard he grew it at the suggestion of a young girl, Grace Bedell, who wrote to him.
- 17. **Andrew Johnson** Was drunk at Lincoln's second inauguration. The event was described by a senator as follows. "The inauguration went off very well except that the Vice President Elect was too drunk to perform his duties & disgraced himself & the Senate by making a drunken foolish speech. I was never so mortified in my life, had I been able to find a hole I would have dropped through it out of sight."

## Odd Presidential Facts...

- 18. **Ulysses S. Grant** Gained a reputation for drinking heavily while still a young man. When President Lincoln was warned about Grant's drinking habits during the civil war he is supposed to have responded "If it makes fighting men like Grant, then find out what he drinks, and send my other commanders a case!"
- 19. **Rutherford Hayes** The only President to be elected via a special congressional committee which ruled on various ballots contested during the election. His election is still contested by historians.
- 20. **James Garfield** Could write Latin with his left hand whilst simultaneously writing Greek with his right.
- 21. **Chester A. Arthur** Sold off all the furniture in the White House before moving in. Lots of it dated back to the construction of the White House and any such pieces would be hugely valuable today.
- 22. **Grover Cleveland** As well as being the only President to serve two non-consecutive terms Cleveland was a fan of the telephone and would personally answer the White House phone.
- 23. **Benjamin Harrison** While in office Harrison had electricity installed in the White House. Unfortunately he and his wife were terrified of it and would not touch switches for fear of electrocution and often slept with the lights on.
- 24. **Grover Cleveland** The First Democrat elected after the Civil War, Grover Cleveland was the only President to leave the White House and return for a second term four years later.
- 25. William McKinley McKinley was the first president to appear on motion picture.
- 26. **Theodore Roosevelt** Theodore Roosevelt was the first American to win a Nobel Prize, the first President to leave the country while in office, and the first to fly in an airplane.
- 27. **William Howard Taft** Taft is best known for being the fattest President but he also holds a sporting title. He was the first President to cast the opening pitch of a baseball season.
- 28. **Woodrow Wilson** Wilson was the best educated President, the only one to hold a PhD, and yet he did not learn to read until he was eleven.
- 29. **Warren Harding** Was so fond of cards that his cabinet was known as the 'Poker Cabinet' because they all played together. At his poker parties alcohol, illegal during prohibition, would flow freely.
- 30. **Calvin Coolidge** Coolidge was a man of very few words and so became known as Silent Cal. He was so taciturn that when Dorothy Parker was told he had died she replied 'How could they tell?'
- 31. *Herbert Hoover* Hoover and his wife spoke fluent Mandarin Chinese. When they did not wish to be overheard they would speak Mandarin
- 32. **Franklin Delano Roosevelt** FDR's wife was also a Roosevelt and so did not have to change her name on marriage. At their wedding the bride was given away by President Theodore Roosevelt.
- 33. *Harry S. Truman* Like the 'S' in Ulysses Grant's name the S in Truman's name meant nothing. It was only ever an S as a way of mollifying both grandfathers whose names began with S.
- 34. **Dwight Eisenhower** Eisenhower installed the putting green at the White House. When squirrels were ruining the grass he had them removed from the gardens.
- 35. **John F. Kennedy** When his ship was sunk in World War II, Kennedy swam 3.5 miles pulling a wounded crewman by a strap held in his teeth.
- 36. **Lyndon Johnson** Johnson loved the drink Fresca so much that he had a fountain of it installed in the White House.
- 37. **Richard Nixon** Nixon so enjoyed bowling that he had the White House pool replaced with a bowling lane.
- 38. **Gerald Ford** Ford was the only President never elected to either the Presidency or the Vice-Presidency, he was appointed by Richard Nixon as his Vice-President and assumed the Presidency after Nixon's resignation.
- 39. **Jimmy Carter** As a young man, Carter shot his sister with a BB gun in retaliation for her throwing a wrench at him.
- 40. **Ronald Reagan** The blueberry flavor Jelly Belly bean was created for Reagan's inauguration since he was a great fan of the sweets. A portrait of the President made of jelly beans hangs in his library.
- 41. **George H. W. Bush** While visiting Japan, Bush vomited at a banquet hosted by the Japanese prime minister. The event coined a new Japanese phrase 'Bushusuru,' literally 'to do the Bush-thing.'
- 42. **Bill Clinton** While in high school Clinton was a member of a jazz quartet who played in dark glasses. They called themselves the Three Blind Mice.
- 43. **George W. Bush** Bush is the President with both the highest and lowest recorded approval ratings. They peaked after 9/11 and slumped after hurricane Katrina.
- 44. **Barack Obama** President Obama is a well-known nerd who collects comic books. When Nichelle Nichols, Uhura from Star Trek, visited the White House Obama made the Vulcan salute in greeting.



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#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

- Community Sewing / Craft Group; 9:30am @ old Lecompton High School (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor). Bring your craft projects sewing, crocheting, knitting, crafts. Group meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month. Questions? Contact Mary Jane Hoffer at 785-393-3382 or mihoffer9@amail.com
- 2 Biscuits & Gravy BFast; 7-11am @ Firestation (7424 Ferguson Road). Free will donation benefiting Fairview Township Fire Dept.
- 2 Souper Bowl Lunch; Noon @ Perry Lecompton United Methodist Church; Free will donation that benefits summer mission trips.
- 2 Kaws for the Gold Olympic Dance Clinic; 1-3pm @ Perry Lecompton High School Gym. Open to students K-8th. Learn a dance that will be performed at the halftime varsity boys basketball game on Friday, Feb 7. \$20 which includes t-shirt at the game. For more information contact Beth Hupe at 785-633-6254 or bethhupe@yahoo.com
- 2 "Scattered to the Four Winds: General Order No. 11 and Martial Law in Jackson County, MO 1863"; 2pm @ Lecompton Constitution Hall. Speaker is Ralph A Monaco, II author and living historian, Jackson County Historical Society. Part of the Bleeding Kansas 2014 series. Suggestion donation \$3 per adult. Book signing following presentation.
- Lecture on New Zealand and the Maori Culture; 1pm @ Perry Lecompton High School Little Theater. Presented by Randy Nadler who has spent the last 30 years traveling the world, studying and photographing culture and wildlife for the purpose of sharing with students of all ages.
- Perry Pride Monthly Meeting; 6:30pm @ Perry City Hall. Open to anyone interested in the community of Perry. Visit www.perrypride.org for more information.
- Jeff Fest Meeting; 6pm @ Perry Community Building. Come be a part of the Perry Lake 4th of July event! For more information contact Brian at boomanfo1976@yahoo.com
- 6 Valley Falls Chamber of Commerce Meeting: Noon @ Kendall State Bank Community Room (Valley Falls)
- Weight Watchers Meeting;; 5:45pm @ old Lecompton High School. Contact Kim Stewart for more info 785-213-5760
- Perry Area Bereavement Support Group; 7pm @ Perry Christian Church. For more information call 785-863-2447 or <a href="mailto:sblack@jfcountyks.com">sblack@jfcountyks.com</a>. Sponsored by Friends of Hospice.
- "One Woman's Rights in Kansas"; 2pm @ Lecompton Constitution Hall. Lawton R. Nuss, Chief Justice, Kansas Supreme Court and remarks by Matt Veatch, State Archivist – Kansas Historical Society. Part of the Bleeding Kansas 2014 series. Suggested donation is \$3 per adult.
- Perry Senior Citizens Luncheon; Noon @ Perry Community Building; Jefferson County Health Department will be available at 11:30am for free blood pressure and blood sugar tests. Bring a covered dish to share, your table service and \$1.00. Lunch will be ham and beans with cornbread. For more information contact Dee Myers-Robb at 785-597-5344
- Lecompton Community Pride Meeting; 6:30pm @ Lecompton Community Pride Building. Open to anyone interested in the Lecompton community. Visit <a href="https://www.lecomptoncommunitypride.org">www.lecomptoncommunitypride.org</a> for more information
- 11 Jefferson County RWD #2 Annual Meeting; 7:30pm @ District Office (12805 Highway 24).
- Jefferson County Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting; 7:30am @ Leavenworth Jefferson Electric Cooperative (507 N. Union, McLouth). <a href="mailto:clerk@cityofmclouth.org">clerk@cityofmclouth.org</a> or <a href="https://www.facebook.com/#!/jeffersoncountyareachamber">https://www.facebook.com/#!/jeffersoncountyareachamber</a> for more info.
- Perry United Methodist Community Wide Dinner; 4:30-6:30pm @ PUMC Fellowship Hall. Broccoli and ham roll-ups, creamed peas and potatoes, strawberry pear jello salad, red hot molded hearts, rolls, pie and drinks. Everyone is welcome!
- Farm Profit Conference (in conjunction with the Meadowlark Extension District) @ Kendall State Bank Community Room; 5:30pm doors open; 6:00pm beef dinner; 6:45pm conference begins. Reservations required. **See attached flyer for additional info.**
- Weight Watchers Meeting;; 5:45pm @ old Lecompton High School. Contact Kim Stewart for more info 785-213-5760
- Breakfast at the Legion; 7am-1pm @ Perry American Legion; Biscuits & gravy, waffles, eggs and more! Free will donation.
- Bellicosity Endorsed: The 1855 Lexington Pro-Slavery Convention" 2pm @ Lecompton Constitution Hall. Timothy C. Westcott, Associate Professor of History Park University. Part of the Bleeding Kansas 2014 Series. Suggested donation \$3 per adult.
- 19 Bereavement Support Group; 10am @ Kendall State Bank Community Room (Valley Falls). 785-863-2447 for more information.
- 19 Jefferson County Health Clinic (Grantville); 10:30am-Noon @ Grantville Community Bldg. Free blood pressure/ blood sugar tests.
- 20 Meriden-Ozawkie Chamber of Commerce Meeting; Noon @ Countryside Square Community Room
- Weight Watchers Meeting; 5:45pm @ old Lecompton High School. Contact Kim Stewart for more info 785-213-5760



## VALLEY FALLS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

January 2, 2013

The Valley Falls Chamber of Commerce met January 2, 2014 at the Kendall Bank meeting room. There were 21 members present. The Kendall State Bank bought everyone's meal.

President Lucy Thomas called the meeting to order.

Becky made the motion to accept the minutes as presented; Jennifer seconded; motion carried.

#### Treasurer's Report

Leslee explained the treasurer's report along with the 2014 budget. She said we are actually a little short this year. We need to look into raising some more revenue.

Scott Stanley offered to help by donating some of the watermelon and cantelope that we provide for the 4-H fair.

Jennifer mentioned that we need to look at the cost of the fireworks. Since it is our main investment for the entire year. Lucy suggested a committee to look into a fundraising event to help offset some of this cost.

A pancake feed, similar to the one that they do in Meriden, was mentioned as one possible means to help pay for some of the fireworks. Scott, Diane, Karen and Jim all offered to be on a committee to look into this. Paul talked about seeing if we could get some monetary donations for some of the fireworks. Jayne offered to go to the City Council meeting to ask for a possible donation from the City of Valley Falls.

Becky made the motion to accept the treasurer's report and budget as presented; Jayne seconded; motion carried.

#### City of Valley Falls

The audit is coming very soon. It will be a huge help having finances brought up to date. The City has bought a newer truck for the city. There have been a few issues, so it is getting some repairs done right now.

#### **Old Business**

Hometown Christmas was discussed briefly.

#### **New Business**

None

#### **Announcements**

A very special "thank you" to the Kendall State Bank for buying everyone's meal today.

#### **Upcoming Dates & Events**

February 14 Valentine's Day

The next meeting will be Thursday, February 6th at Noon at the Kendall State Bank meeting room.









The January 8, 2014 meeting of the Jefferson County Area Chamber of Commerce was held 7:30 a.m. at the Little Red Barn in Oskaloosa. President Kim Everley called the meeting to order welcomed Stephanie Spencer, who will be filling in for Brad Hammel. There were 7 members in attendance.

**Minutes** – Kathy Youngquist made a motion to approve the December 2013 minutes as presented; Denise Spainhower seconded; motion passed.

**Financial Report** – Stephanie reported that there has been very little financial activity with the Chamber's account. Brad did sign off on a couple of gift certificate reimbursements.

#### **City Reports**

McLouth – No big changes; the cell phone tower issue did pass the city council.

Oskaloosa – There have been a few complaints that there was no Christmas tree on the square this year. It was explained during the meeting that the Chamber notified the City of Oskaloosa one year ago that it was relinquishing the tree, its decorations and organizing the lighting event to the City. The City understood at that time that to have the tree erected and decorated, it would be the responsibility of the City. Chamber members are encouraged to explain this situation to anyone in the community that may ask.

Perry Pride was successful in securing the Smithsonian Hometown Team exhibits in 2015. The event will be held in the Fall (August 15-27, 2015). There were 22 applications to host the exhibit and only 6 were selected (Ellinwood, Goodland, Greensburg, Atchison, Perry and Humboldt). The Perry Community Visioning and Planning meeting will be held on Sunday, January 26<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm at the Perry Community Building. You are encouraged to attend if you have an interest in Perry and its direction for the future. Perry Pride is encouraging local businesses, government, schools, community organizations, youth and individuals to attend. The meeting is being facilitated by Kansas Pride and will be interactive.

Schools - No report.

Old Settlers' Reunion Committee - No report. Jennifer will draft a letter to Matt Miller requesting that if a representative from Old Settlers' will not be at the chamber meeting, an update be sent to the Chamber, even if very little is going on. She will also confirm that Matt, Gus and Cathy are all on the meeting notice distribution list.

<u>The Center Place</u> - No report.

<u>Jefferson County Commerce Commission</u> - Wayne Ledbetter was unable to attend but sent an update through Kathy Youngquist. She reported that the Executive Board for the new Jefferson County Commerce Commission has been appointed. The first Executive Board meeting will be January 20<sup>th</sup>. Appointees include for a 3-year term: Becky Wise, Cole Roberts and Don Bryant; 2-year term appointees: Ramon Gonzalez, III; Pat Happer, Denise Spainhower; 1-year term appointees: Adrianne Meyer, Lucy Thomas and Brent Littleton

#### Jeff Fest (Jefferson County Fireworks Festival Association) - No report

#### **Old Business**

Historical Plaques – Jennifer is meeting with the LaserArt people tomorrow (Thursday 1/9). They have closed their downtown Topeka store and their new store is only open Thursday's, Friday's and Saturday's for limited hours. She will have additional information and hopefully some samples for the next meeting.

Membership Committee – Membership renewals will be going out shortly. Jennifer is designing a letter to go with the renewals outlining the benefits of membership. There was also a discussion about what things we could be doing to "lure" people into attending Chamber meetings. Kathy suggested offering a small door prize at each meeting. Kim suggested we could give away a free membership at the next meeting. Other suggestions included adding the member listing to the Chamber minutes to people can see who is an active member. Marilyn made a motion that the Chamber offer a free membership to an attendee of the February meeting; Becky seconded; motion carried.

Stage Trailer – An ongoing discussion was continued regarding the stage/trailer. Discussions focused around the graphics and the flooring. It was decided that George Bowen will get in touch with Gus Barnett and take some pictures and get measurements of the flooring. George will then get a minimum of two estimates on what it would cost to replace the flooring. The consensus was that the flooring should be a top priority as there are safety issues associated with that part of the trailer. George will also continue to look for someone that has the capability to paint/create graphics on the sides of the trailer. Discussions regarding paint/graphics centered around whether we just paint the entire trailer white and add the Chamber logo with simple text or try to incorporate some of the old graphics with new. No decisions were made regarding paint/graphics. Discussion to be continued.

School Scholarships – Kim notified each of the 3 school districts of the new scholarship available through the Chamber. Perry has an awards ceremony on May 16 at 9am; Oskaloosa has a ceremony on May 16 at 6:30pm and McLouth's ceremony is to be determined. Each district would like a representative of the Chamber at the ceremony.

Social Media – The Chamber has a Facebook page! You can find it at <a href="https://www.facebook.com/#!/jeffersoncountyareachamber">https://www.facebook.com/#!/jeffersoncountyareachamber</a>. The page currently has 38 likes. The plan is to start spotlighting member businesses and promoting events throughout the county.

Activities to Highlight Member Businesses (After Hours, Open House, Business Tour, etc.) – A short discussion was held on how the Chamber could assist businesses with hosting some of these types of events. One change that will be made to the membership application is having a check box asking the applicant if they would like to host an event to highlight their business. The discussion was tabled as Carol Hendrix was not in attendance and has been involved in these discussions in the past.

#### **New Business**

Authorize New Signers for Checking Account – Brad will not be around as much and recommended the Chamber add additional authorized signers for the checking account. Jennifer F. made a motion that Stephanie and Betsy (both from Brad's office) be added as authorized signers; Kathy Y seconded; motion carried.

#### **Events/Announcements**

Please provide information event information and/or flyer by the end of the month to Jennifer at <a href="mailto:jenniferf@ljec.coop">jenniferf@ljec.coop</a>.

As there was no further business, the meeting adjourned.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, February 12, 2014 at Leavenworth Jefferson Electric Cooperative (507 N. Union, McLouth) beginning at 7:30am.



#### Meriden/Ozawkie Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting January 16, 2014

#### **Christmas Lights Contest Winners**

Chamber president Scott Stanley announced this year's winners as...

Meriden: Todd & Debbie Baker – 219 Owen Paul & Donna Riggs – 410 S. Owens St

Ozawkie: Robert and Linda Simon -- 118 Goldenrod

Unincorporated: Jim & Linda Cummings – 3933 102nd St, Meriden

This year's winners each received a \$50 prize. Scott expressed the Chamber's thanks to members Jim McGrath and DeDee

Skaggs for their leadership of this year's contest.

#### **Quality Custom Cabinets Benefit**

Scott reported that \$18,452 was received and has been distributed. What a great response on the part of the community in the face of this daunting challenge! Scott also reported that cleanup of the location has begun.

#### **Chamber Board Officers**

Scott reported that the current Chamber officers have all been returned to office for 2014. The current officers are Scott Stanley, President; Chuck Wilson, Vice-President; Kent Duncan, Secretary, and DeDee Skaggs, Treasurer. Other board members include Stuart Bach, Pat Happer, Diane Shaw, Tyson Schreiner, and Alexa Surritt.

#### Save the Date!

Chuck Wilson reported that the next **Chamber Pancake Feed** has been scheduled for Saturday, March 8th at the Jeff West Elementary School. This event benefits the Chamber Scholarship Fund. Chuck distributed a signup sheet for volunteers. Stuart Bach announced that the **2014 Chamber Golf Tournament** has been scheduled for Friday, June 20th. The tournament will be held at Lake Perry Country Club and begin with a shotgun start at 8:00 AM.

#### 2014 Chamber Golf Tournament Partner Named

Dedee Skaggs reported that she and Alexa Surritt attended a meeting of the Meriden Park Project (MPP) committee last Saturday morning. Dedee reported that the MPP was very much interested in tournament partnership this year. She also reported that the committee has currently raised approximately \$9,600 toward a total project goal of \$75,000, but a "first phase" goal of \$13,000. Additionally, Dedee remarked that the committee forms a diverse and qualified team, with members proficient in park management, public relations, equipment sources, and such. After discussion, a motion was made by Chuck Wilson and seconded by Jim McGrath that the Meriden Park Project be named as the participating partner in this year's Chamber golf tournament. Motion carried unanimously.

#### 2014 Membership Renewals Due

Kent Duncan reminded those present that 2014 membership renewals are due. Timeliness is significant as a badge order will be submitted Monday and the Vindicator "Spotlight" ad will be updated with the February addition. Renewals can be submitted by mail to the Chamber's new address: PO Box 175, Meriden, KS 66512.

#### **Jefferson County Economic Development Initiative**

County Commissioner Wayne Ledbetter announced that the teering committee has met three times now, that standing committees have been formed, and that the executive board has been officially appointed by the county commissioners. That board will hold its first meeting on Monday, Jan 20th. Wayne also has had on-site visits with representatives in both Osage County and Pottawattamie County. The chamber expressed its deep appreciation for Wayne's efforts in leading toward economic development in Jefferson County.

#### Special Guests - Jeff West Middle School FCCLA

Sponsor Leslie Abbott introduced three members of the JWMS FCCLA (Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America). Collin Ellis, Justin Luttman, and Kole Davis explained that members of the local FCCLA chapter had developed a program to encourage and strengthen family relationships in Jefferson County. Based on the Monopoly game, "Famopoly" gives participants opportunities to earn chances in prize drawings through participation in activities that result in improved family and community relationships. Members of the FCCLA were welcoming donations of suitable as prizes or monetary donations of more than \$25 that would be used to purchase suitable prizes.

In conjunction with this same effort, the FCCLA chapter will also be hosting a 5K "Powder Run" on April 5th—designating that day "Celebrate Families Day." Donors who contribute \$25 or more by March 5th will have their name listed on the back of the t-shirt being provided to 5K participants. 5K registration costs \$10 in advance or \$15 the day of the event, with all proceeds benefitting "God's Storehouse." The run will begin at 9:00 AM on April 5th at the Middle School. More information will be available on the website for the City of Meriden – <a href="https://www.meridenks.com">www.meridenks.com</a>.

To provide donations or for additional information, contact FCCLA Sponsor Leslie Abbott by email at leslie.abbott@usd340.org.

#### **Next Meeting:**

The next meeting of the Chamber is scheduled for Thursday, Feb 20th at noon at the Countryside Square Community Room in Meriden.

# WIBW RADIO FARM PROFIT CONFERENCE

(IN COOPERATION WITH THE MEADOWLARK EXTENSION DISTRICT)

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2014

Kendall State Bank Community Hall • 408 Broadway • Valley Falls, Kansas

5:30 PM - DOORS OPEN

6:00 PM - BEEF DINNER

6:45 PM - FARM PROFIT CONFERENCE BEGINS



Kevin Dhuyvetter KSU Ag Economist "What You Need to Know About Leases"



Darrell Holaday Country Futures "The Other Side of the Coin?"

Meal and program are free. Please do make reservations by calling the Meadowlark Extension District office at 785-364-4125, or e-mail: kelly.lenz@morris.com. Reservation deadline is February 12<sup>th</sup>.

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