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## Redneck in Ramona — July 4th

Ramona Festivities begin on Saturday, July 4, with the popular Redneck Run in downtown Ramona. The 10-K runners will start at 7:30am, followed by a 2-mile fun run at 8am. A country breakfast, featuring biscuits and gravy and other “fixins” will be held at Ramona City Hall (302 D) from 8-10am; donations go to the 4th of July Fireworks Fund.

The 2nd annual Ramona Youth Council’s Lawn Art Contest begins at 10am. Kids ages 8-18 are invited to create a design and spray paint it on a 6’x6’ area of grass. Stellar cash prizes—sponsored by TCT—will be awarded. Pre-registration is required by June 26 to secure a spot in the contest—the contest is limited to 30 teams. Registration is free for teams with a Ramona kid as team leader, OR if you bring your own spray paint. Otherwise, registration is \$10 for ages 8-12 and \$15 for ages 13-18, and spray paint will be provided for the team. Cash prizes will be awarded for both levels of competition with \$100 first prize for ages 13-18 and \$50 for 8-12 year-olds. Registration form and details at [www.Ramona.KS.com](http://www.Ramona.KS.com).



Concessions will open at noon with the Flame Chaser BBQ, Brasch’s Bratwurst, and The Snow Cone Shack.

At noon, registration opens for the popular James Weber Memorial Basketball Competition at the City Park. The 3-on-3 competition begins at 1pm. Entry fee is \$15 for three players; 50% of the funds are paid in prizes and 50% benefits the James Weber Memorial Scholarship Fund. Competition levels: 1-6th grade, 7-9th, high school, and adults. This competition is coordinated by James’s mother, Lisa Hanschu.

At 4pm, the popular Lawnmower Obstacle Course races with cash prizes, will commence.

The Redneck Parade is at 6pm on D Street (Ramona’s main street.) The Redneck theme began 7 years ago, and the funny parade entries just keep it going. Event organizers are seeking parade entries with \$600 in prizes to be awarded. Come on folks, be in the parade—Redneck is easy! Parade entries are free and registration begins at 5:00pm, at the City Park on 4th Street.

The Kid’s Tractor Pull follows the parade, along with contests for every age—pie eating for kids, Spam carving for the artistic, and the Ramona Fire Department’s Tug-o-War, which is oh-so-muddy, but great fun!

The Clearview Band will delight and entertain, beginning at 7:30pm, performing until the fireworks finale lights up the sky at dark.

Everything you need to know about Ramona’s 4th of July, is on the City of Ramona website—[www.RamonaKS.com](http://www.RamonaKS.com)—or Like us on Facebook at Redneck in Ramona. You can also call the City Clerk, Jessica Gilbert, 785-965-7110.

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5-9PM COUNCIL GROVE KANSAS

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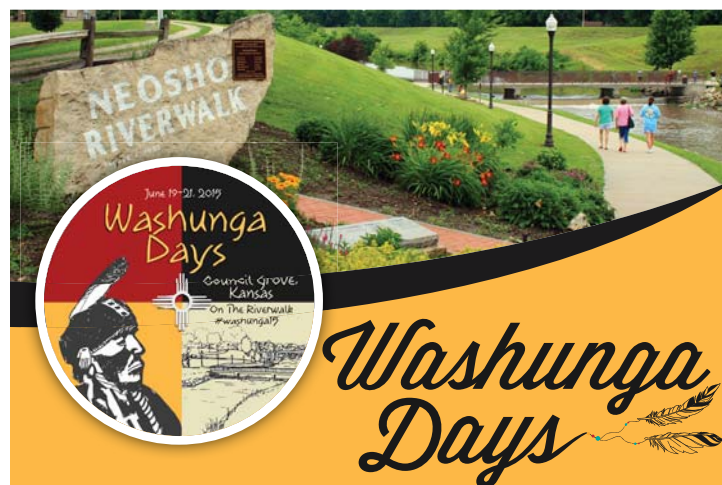
## SYMPHONY IN THE FLINT HILLS PATRON PASSES

TCT is offering an opportunity to win **Patron Passes** to the **Symphony in the Flint Hills** on June 13, 2015 at the Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve

All donations will go toward Dickinson County Heritage Center Projects and the Council Grove Riverwalk Expansion Project. To obtain tickets please stop by either of the TCT Solutions Center locations; 120 NE 14th, Abilene or 923 W Main St, Council Grove. Tickets are also available at the Dickinson County Heritage Center, 412 S Campbell St, Abilene.

DONATION - \$10 for one ticket or \$40 for 5 tickets. Patron Passes include 2 tickets for reserved seating, parking passes for reserved section, pre-concert reception and dinner, retail tent gift certificate and on site hospitality tent access. Patron Passes valued at \$1,200.

For more information please email [publicrelations@tctelco.net](mailto:publicrelations@tctelco.net).



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Boat Regatta, Council Grove Lake • Independence Day Celebrations, Council Grove & White City  
Ladies Night Out • Morris County Fair • AUGUST Youth Rodeo  
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Join us in Council Grove — June 20!



This year RunShunga 5K proceeds will go to area school districts!

USD 397– Centre, USD 417 – Morris County, and USD 481– Rural Vista

To find out more about RunShunga please go to our website and click on the RunShunga icon!

### White City Trunk Sale

Join us downtown on Hwy 4 at the White City Community Building on Saturday, June 6, from 8am — 4pm (and the 1st Sat. of each month thru October). The Christian Church ladies will be serving a breakfast of biscuits & gravy or pancakes & sausage from 8—10am and a lunch from 11am—2pm. We will have a Silent Auction with the bidding open 8am to noon, as well as a door prize each month. Sit for a quick portrait by Terra Coons. Shop for handmade jewelry and crafts, homemade jelly, baked goods, farm fresh eggs, produce, vegetable plants, perennials and much more. Come and join us for breakfast, lunch, shopping or just to visit.

### Washunga Days Food Booth

CG/D United Methodist Church will have an “Ice Cream Social” food booth on Saturday, June 20. Stop by for homemade pies, ice cream, cake, or an ice cold tea. Look for (767-6868) our booth in front of Rerun Consignments. All proceeds will go towards the fellowship hall/west wing remodeling project.

### Independence Day Activities in White City

The Jeremy Hopper Memorial Ball Tournay will be held on Friday, July 3. A 5K run and 1 mile fun walk will take place at 8am on Saturday, July 4. The flag raising ceremony will be held at 9am and the parade is scheduled for 4pm. Old-fashion children’s games will immediately follow the parade. The “Best Show in the Area” Fireworks Display will take place at Dark! For more information call the City Office at 785-349-2228.

### Woodbine Fireworks

The Woodbine Lions Club in co-sponsorship with Citizens State Bank & Trust Co., City of Woodbine, KVK Inc., and TCT; will be hosting a Fireworks show on July 4 (rain date — Saturday, July 5). W.O.W. concession stand will open at 7pm with proceeds going to support the Halloween supper and Easter egg hunt. Come for hamburgers, hot dogs, beans, chips, cookies, pop and water. The Jolly Jayhawkers 4-H club will have kids games and train rides at 7:30pm. The fireworks show will start at dusk.

### Council Grove’s Old Fashioned 4th of July Celebration

Council Grove’s Old Fashioned 4th of July Celebration will be held on Friday, July 3, at the Swimming Pool Park. Join in on a Free Swim, Live Music, and a Community Cook-Out. For more information call Council Grove City Hall at 620-767-5417.

We are pleased to serve our local communities and would like to include your Community Events in our newsletter.

Submission for this section is the 10th of the previous month.

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## Council Grove Pride 2nd Saturday CELEBRATION

June 13 — Ranching & Rustics

9a–12p — North Neosho & Main Streets  
Council Grove, KS

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## NEW LISTINGS

Balboa Marcelo & Kristina .....	620-767-5100
Callaham’s Bar & Grill .....	785-349-2017
Davis Floyd & Ruthy.....	785-497-2007
Edwards Construction .....	620-767-5820
Edwards Stacy & Genna.....	620-767-5820
Grimmett Olen & Amber .....	620-767-5078
Kuntz Shari and Tyler.....	785-598-2007
Leathers H.....	785-482-3004
Mascote Augustine.....	620-767-6010
Milton Joshua.....	785-349-2012
Moore Hayley .....	620-767-6017
Pope Gary & Alberta.....	620-767-7635
Ryff Mike .....	785-949-2000
Shaver Jesse .....	620-767-5085
Slawson Lisa Darlene .....	620-767-5075
Vonpertz Karl .....	785-482-3002
Wilmore Mart.....	785-349-2007

## WINNERS CIRCLE

Congrats to our  
May winner(s):

Gary Diepenbrock

Doris French

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### Access Recovery Charge

Effective next month, the amount of the Access Recovery Charge appearing on your bill may increase as permitted under the FCC’s rules. This factor may change annually. The Access Recovery Charge enables your telephone company to recover from end user customers a limited portion of revenues lost due to FCC mandated reductions in intercarrier payments.