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Primary Election—June 26

All of the county candidates have a primary election this year. If you are undecided about who to vote for, attend one of the candidate forums being hosted here in the Wagoner area. The Wagoner Chamber of Commerce has one scheduled from 6 to 8 PM at the Wagoner Civic Center on Thursday, June 14, and the Cattlemen’s Association has one scheduled for Thursday, June 21 from 6 to 9 PM. The Cattlemen’s Association is serving hamburgers, hot dogs, chips and drinks for \$5. If you wish to attend their event, an RSVP is required to 918 486 4589.

Wagoner County Promotional Video

The National Association of County Officers has partnered with CGI Communications, Inc. to offer the development of promotional videos free of charge to their member counties. The Board of Commissioners has approved Wagoner County to participate in this program. The video will be hosted on Wagoner County’s website for all to view. We’ll keep you posted when the cameras start rolling!

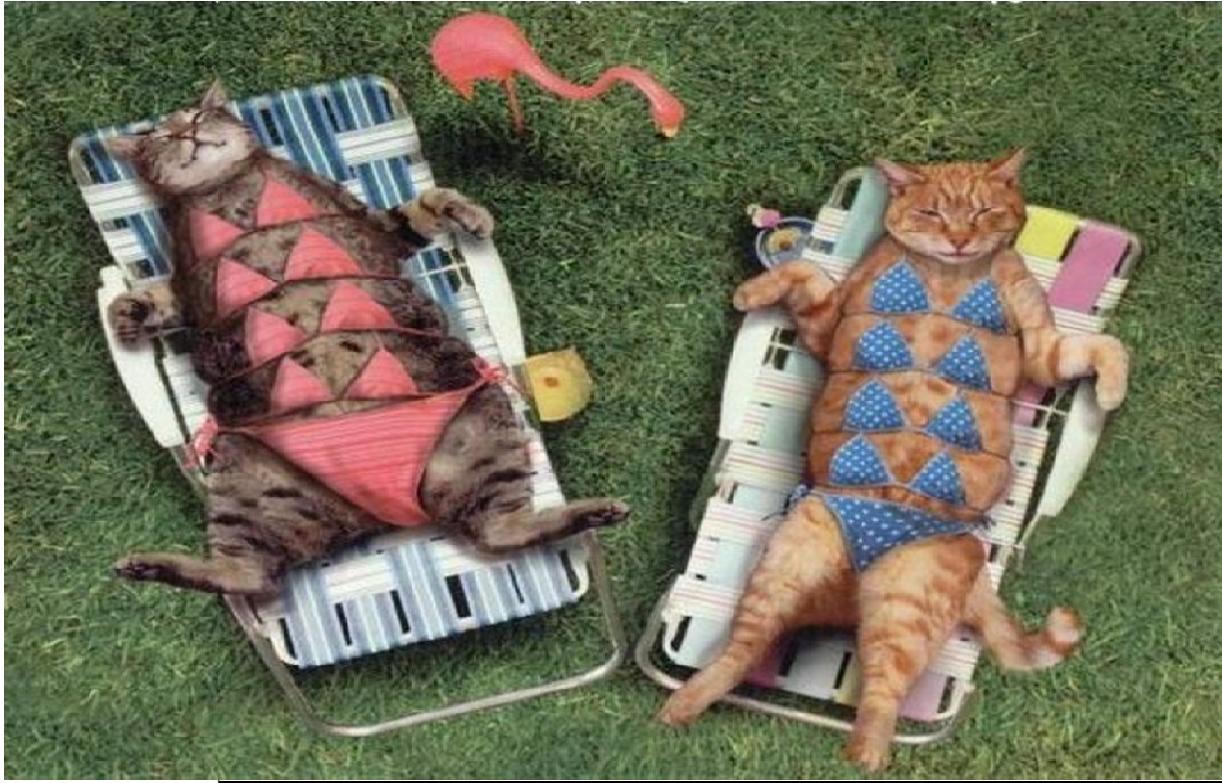
Carolyn M. Kusler

Special points of interest:

- Wellness Committee Meeting



Wagoner County—Growing from Good” to Great”!



**Safety
Training
June 6th**

During the summer months and vacation season, our pets can be exposed to special conditions such as heat. **Help prevent heat stress for your pet by:**

- providing plenty of clean, fresh water at all times
- providing shade cover when pets are outside
 - providing adequate ventilation and air circulation when pets are kept in kennels or pens
 - avoiding excessive exercise of pets during hot weather
 - **NEVER** leaving a pet in a parked vehicle



COUNTY CLERK SAFETY TRAINING

Just a reminder—The County Clerk administration offices and Land Records will be closed the first Wednesday of every month from 8:00am—9:00am.

The next scheduled training is Wednesday, June 6th.

HEAT STRESS

JUNE WEDDINGS



The spring is a popular time for getting married. In the Court Clerk's office we see all kinds of people come in that want to tie the knot. Most usually it is a joyful time. But sometime we are just not sure.

It is an exceptionally busy time in the Court Clerks' office. Reasons why....First it is June, We average around 30 Marriage Licenses in June, most months we have about 20 licenses. The completing of a Marriage License Application takes about 20 to 30 minutes. In addition, Tulsa and Rogers County Courthouses do not perform Marriage Ceremonies. So that leaves the Wagoner County Courthouse for several 100 square miles of performing Marriage Ceremonies.

The criteria for filing the Marriage Application; Both Parties must be present! Both Parties must have their Driver's License or State I.D... If either Party is under age 18, they must have a Parent here that will sign for them to get married and there is a three day waiting period before they can get married. There is also a law that states if a Boy is age 15 or under HE is FORBIDDEN from marrying.

Marriage Licenses are good for 10 days.

If a couple would like to get married here at the Courthouse. They should first call and make an appointment with Special Judge Douglas Kirkley; most of the time the Judge performs marriages on Friday's due to the large Docket load of the Courts. Then the parties can come to the Courthouse that day. Come to the Court Clerk's office about 30 minutes prior to Ceremony, so that we may have plenty of time to finish the Application before the ceremony.

Rhonda Vincent

Wagoner County Court Clerk

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A hummingbird's metabolism is roughly 100 times that of an elephant.

A hummingbird's heart beats up to 1,260 times per minute.

Hummingbirds are very smart and they can remember every flower they have been to, and how long it will take a flower to refill.

(Too bad we don't have that kind of memory!)



A MESSAGE FROM CHAR.....PLEASE ENJOY THIS JUNE ISSUE! IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE JULY ISSUE, PLEASE LET ME

Remaining

2012 COUNTY HOLIDAYS

Independence Day	Wednesday	July 4 th
Labor Day	Monday	September 3 rd
Columbus Day	Monday	October 8 th
Veteran's Day	Monday	November 12 th
Thanksgiving	Thursday and Friday	November 22 nd and 23 rd
Christmas	Monday and Tuesday	December 24 th and 25 th
New Year's	Tuesday	January 1 st (2013)

JUNE TRIVIA

- Spring ends and summer begins around June 20, 21, or 22 in the Northern Hemisphere. Gems for June are the pearl, alexandrite, and moonstone.



The rose is the flower for the month of June.

[Flag Day](#) is observed in the United States on June 14. It commemorates the day in 1777 when the Continental Congress adopted the Stars and Stripes as our flag. It then had only 13 stars, to match its 13 stripes.

It's not an official national holiday, but in Pennsylvania, it is a legal holiday. The President has proclaimed a public flag day observance every year. It was first observed to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the selection of the flag. President Harry S. Truman officially recognized June 14 as Flag Day by signing the National Flag Day Bill.

- United States declared war on Great Britain, June 18, 1812.
- Congress adopted the design for the [Great Seal](#) of the United States, June 20, 1782.
- [Eli Whitney](#) applied for a patent on the cotton gin, June 20, 1793.
- [President Andrew Johnson](#) announced the purchase of Alaska from Russia, June 20, 1867.
- [William Penn](#) signed land treaty with Indians, June 23, 1683.
- [Cyrus McCormick](#) granted patent for reaper, June 21, 1834.

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CALENDAR



June 06	Safety Mtg		
June 04	Comm Mtg	June 06	Excise Board Mtg
June 11	Comm Mtg	June 27	Excise Board Mtg
June 18	Comm Mtg		
June 25	Comm Mtg		

JUNE 08 WELLNESS COMMITTEE MEETING (At 9:00a.m. in Courtroom #3 .)

MESSAGE FROM HUMAN RESOURCES.....Dyan Marris

We have decided to make a Facebook group page so that we can communicate with our employees and each other better about our Wellness Committee and upcoming events. We will be sending out friend requests soon to employees we can find. If you would like to send us a request to make it easier that would be great as we do not know everyone's screen name. We are under Dyan Kristi HR (Wagoner Benefits). If you add us but do not want us seeing your personal posts you can go to Privacy Settings, Custom, and type Dyan Kristi HR in the hide box and save changes. We hope to get feedback, suggestions and comments on our posts from as many employees as possible for our Wellness Committee meetings and events. Please tell other employees about our page so they can add us and be up to date on our information and progress.

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MISSION A MATTER OF RIGHT

"A popular Government, without popular information, or the means of acquiring it, is but a Prologue to a Farce or a Tragedy; or perhaps both. Knowledge will forever govern ignorance: And a people who mean to be their own Governors, must arm themselves with the power which knowledge gives."

- James Madison