

# Talmage Historical Society

Museum & Library Newsletter

#### Calendar

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### Car Show

Sept 16 2pm-7pm

# School Reunion Sept 17<sup>th</sup> at the Event Center 12:30

**Taylor Family Reunion** (at museum)
Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>

Oliver Tractor Parade in Talmage Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> 2pm

1963 DCCHS Class Reunion October 13 (at museum) 6pm-?

**Tombstone Talks Prairiedale Cemetery**Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> 6-6:30 & 7-7:30

#### In Memoriam

**Jesse Anguiano** 12/26/1931- 8/17/2023

**Kyle Chase** 12/26/1970- 8/04/2023

**Jeff Coulson** 9/09/1961 - 6/19/2023

**Christine Enger** 9/16/1956 - 7/19/2023

**Sandra (France) Murnahan** 4/18/1943 - 7/18/2023

**Roy Travelute** 7/28/1930 - 8/07/2023

### New at the Museum

The Eldon & Betty Noel Family has made a contribution to the Talmage museum. The contribution was used to install new flooring in the display rooms. The old flooring was carpet and was installed 42 years ago. Both Eldon and Betty were very involved in the museum and were down to earth people. I have no doubt that they would greatly approve of the new floors. A BIG thanks to their children Marie, Joan, Betsy, and Kelly. What a wonderful way to leave a family legacy.



# Talking History with Verl Coup...

found it while digging potatoes. We estimated that the dog tag

had been buried for about 80 years.

I recently was part of a feel good story. Bob Anderes was having coffee at the grain elevator in Carlton, when a gentleman from Burlington, KS stopped by and said he had a dog tag he found with the name of J. Herman. On the dog tag it stated that in case of emergency notify A. Herman of Carlton, KS. No one there knew any of these people. Bob knows that I like this sort of stuff, so he gave me a call. We found out that the dog tag belonged to Jerome Herman of the Talmage Community. We notified his daughter Rosemary of Concordia and she called the gentleman. He has sent it to her and said he

# TALMAGE MUSEUM CAR SHOW

Sponsored by Farmers Insurance, Abilene, KS

Saturday, September 16, 2023 *Evening* 2:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Registration by Donation to the Museum
2:30 to 4:00 pm

Awards and Raffle give away at 6:30 pm



Dash plaque to first 50 entrants

Raffle with proceeds going to the Talmage Museum

Raffle - One ticket \$1.00 or Six tickets for \$5.00

HOMEMADE ICE CREAM, sponsored by the Talmage Community Church will be served in the Senior Center across from the park

There will be entertainment in the park, food trucks and the museum will be open for visiting

Bring your lawn chairs and enjoy the show

For More Information, email:thsoc@live.com

# The Museum Now Has a Handicap Entrance

The museum now has a handicap entrance at the back door. The ramp is a gift from the Ledy Family in memory of Marvin. The concrete was donated by Martin Schneider, in memory of his parents Jack & Betty Schneider. The work was done by Casey Collins and Kalib Buckanan and the dirt work was done by Gregg Noel. This was truly a community effort.



### **Did You Know?**

By Kathy Marsteller Coup

The museum now has four military uniforms to display. Clare Knerr's (WWI); thanks to Joan (Holt) Hettenbach. Bernard Veltman's (WWII) thanks to Jennifer Smidt; Virgil Marsteller's (WWII) thanks to the Marsteller families and Don Moyer's (Korean) thanks to the Moyer Family. All have their unit patches and medals still on them.



#### TALMAGE MUSEUM

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Saturday & Sunday, 2-4 p.m.
or by appointment.
Call 785/200-0214.
Closed Monday, Tuesday & Thursday

#### A Hot Day in Talmage!



### **Around Town**

# **Industry Quilt**



In 2009 Judy Shorman found this quilt in an antique store in Wichita. It is a 1980 Industry Church quilt. Many names are on the blocks. The quilt is on display at the museum. We are open Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday from 2pm to 4pm.

## Talmage School 50 Years Ago



# TALMAGE LIBRARY & EVENT CENTER

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