

Hoxie plans its first Rod Run event June 16-17

By Jan Katz Ackerman
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An 18-year-old Hoxie woman's love for vehicles prompted her to start a rod run for her hometown. "Dad and I started this," Renee Mullins said about her dad, Bob Mullins.

"We go to car shows year round and we thought it would be neat to get Hoxie out in the world and be more than just a dot on the map."

Mullins said the Hoxie Hot Rodders Rod Run will take place June 16 and 17 in downtown Hoxie as a way to promote the town's businesses.

"The biggest emphasis has been to help the businesses, have a car show and have a little fun," Mullins said.

Calling themselves the Hoxie Hot Rodders, Mullins has solicited the help of not only her dad, but Hoxie residents Jerry and Diane Bull, Troy Dewey and Barb Knoll to organize what they hope will become an annual event.

Mullins, who will start college at Colby Community College one week after the rod run takes place, plans to become a nurse and practice nursing in northwest Kansas. Like the personalized plate on the front of her 1967 Chevy Camaro, Mullins has proven she's "1TUF GAL."

On May 29, Mullins started her sixth year as a survivor of synovial cell sarcoma, also known as tissue cancer, which claimed the ring finger of her right hand.

But the loss of a finger has not dampened Mullins' spirit or her love for cars.

It is that love for cars which has driven her to invite others to attend Hoxie's first rod run. Featured event of the rod run will be a drag race at 4 p.m. on Saturday.

"We are using a one-eighth mile run and it will take place at the airport north of town," Mullins said. "The drag race is open to anyone."

Mullins said participants of the rod run will be allowed to enter the race and their registration fee will cover the race entry fee.

Early registration for the rod run



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Renee Mullins, 18, of Hoxie lets the personalized license plate of her red 1967 Chevy Camaro say it all about her spirit and drive which as a six year cancer survivor has prompted her to sponsor Hoxie's

first rod run which will feature a drag race. The two-day event will take place in downtown Hoxie and at the airport north of Hoxie on K-23 Highway on June 16-17.

is \$25; however, registration the day of the show will be \$30. Mullins said the drag race is open to those vehicle enthusiasts not participating in the rod run and the race entry fee will be \$15.

Rod run awards will be given out for the top 10 vehicles, the best Ford, best Chevy, best Mopar, best motorcycle and best vehicle of the show.

"We'll also be giving away a 350 Chevy engine and tickets for the engine are \$10 each," Mullins said.

"Each early entrant will receive two free tickets for the motor."

Registration for the rod run begins at 8 a.m. on Saturday and the registration booth will be on Sheridan Avenue which is the major street bisecting K-23 highway that runs through Hoxie.

"Just follow the arrows to register," Mullins said.

Other events scheduled for Saturday include a Show 'n' Shine from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and a Fun Walk from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Games for youth such as a starter throw and tire burnout will begin at 1 p.m.

Saturday evening will include a dinner from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at the 4-H building located just north of Hoxie on K-23 highway. A dance featuring Anthony and the Anamals will take place at the same location from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Sunday morning's events will start off with a breakfast catered by the R and R Youth Group, a group of teens who gather for Christian

fellowship under the direction of Janelle Cooper.

The breakfast will be from 7 a.m. to 8 a.m. at the 4-H building.

Anon-denominational church service will take place in downtown Hoxie starting at 8:30 a.m.

Following the church service, there will be a poker run from 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. and an awards ceremony in downtown Hoxie will conclude the rod run.

For information or to register call Mullins at (785) 675-8639.

Fort Riley soldiers killed in Iraq named

FORT RILEY (AP) — There have been 102 soldiers killed who have either been assigned to Fort Riley or who mobilized there for deployment to Iraq since 2005. The following are the names of the fallen in chronological order.

2005

— Spc. Jeffrey S. Henthorn, 25, Choctaw, Okla. 24th Transportation Company. Died Feb. 8 from non-combat injuries in Balad.

— Spc. Colby M. Farnan, 22, Weston, Mo. Battery B, 4th Battalion, 1st Field Artillery, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Feb. 25 in a bomb attack in Taji.

— Spc. Jason L. Moski, 24, Blackville, S.C. Battery B, 4th Battalion, 1st Field Artillery, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Feb. 25 in a bomb attack in Taji.

— Spc. Matthew A. Koch, 23, West Henrietta, N.Y. Company C, 70th Engineer Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed March 9 in a bomb attack in Taji.

— Cpl. William D. Richardson, 23, Moreno Valley, Calif. Company A, 1st Battalion, 41st Infantry, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed April 3 when he came under enemy attack and fell into a canal in Baghdad.

— 1st Sgt. Timmy J. Millsap, 39, Wichita, Kan. Company A, 70th Engineer Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed April 25 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle in Taji.

— Spc. David L. Rice, 22, Sioux City, Iowa. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Battalion, 5th Field Artillery, 1st Brigade, 1st Infantry Division. Killed April 26 when the vehicle he was riding in rolled over in Muqdadiyah.

— Pfc. Wyatt Dale Eisenhower, 26, Pinckneyville, Ill. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2nd

Battalion, 70th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed May 19 when a bomb exploded near his vehicle in Mahmudiyah.

— Sgt. Kenneth J. Schall, 22, Peoria, Ariz. Company A, 2nd Battalion, 70th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed May 22 when the vehicle he was traveling in was involved in an accident in Yusafiyah.

— Spc. Christopher Wayne Dickison, 26, Seattle. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 34th Armor, 1st Brigade, 1st Infantry Division. Killed July 5 when a bomb exploded while on patrol in Baqubah.

— Pvt. 2 Anthony Michael Mazarella, 22, Blue Springs, Mo. Company B, 1st Battalion, 13th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed July 5 when his vehicle rolled over in Taji.

— Staff Sgt. Tricia L. Jameson, 34, Omaha, Neb. 313th Medical Company, Nebraska National Guard. Killed July 14 while responding to a casualty call when a roadside bomb exploded near her ambulance in Trebil.

— Spc. Jared D. Hartley, 22, Newkirk, Okla. Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 125th Forward Support Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed July 15 when a bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol near Taji.

— Spc. Seferino J. Reyna, 20, Phoenix. Company A, 70th Engineer Battalion, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Aug. 7 when a bomb exploded near his vehicle near Taji.

— Sgt. Lorenzo Ponce Ruiz, 26, El Paso, Texas. 24th Transportation Company. Killed Oct. 12 when his vehicle rolled over near Balad.

— Sgt. Donald D. Furman, 30, Burton, S.C. 24th Transportation Company. Killed Oct. 12 when his

vehicle rolled over near Balad.

— Sgt. Luis R. Reyes, 26, Aurora, Colo. 947th Engineer Company, Colorado National Guard. Killed Nov. 18 when a bus he was riding in rolled over on the way to Ali Al Salem, Kuwait.

— Sgt. Dominic J. Sacco, 32, Albany, N.Y. Company A, 1st Battalion, 13th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Nov. 20 when attacked by small-arms fire.

— Spc. Jerry W. Mills Jr., 23, Arkansas City, Kan. Company A, 1st Battalion, 13th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Nov. 29 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol in Taji.

— Sgt. Donald J. Hasse, 28, Wichita Falls, Texas. Company A, 1st Battalion, 13th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol in Taji.

— Spc. Peter J. Navarro, 20, Wildwood, Mo. Company A, 2nd Battalion, 70th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Dec. 13 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol in Taji.

— Spc. James C. Kesinger, 32, Pharr, Texas. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 70th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Dec. 13 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol in Taji.

— Staff Sgt. Michael S. Zyla, 32, Elgin, Ore. Company A, 2nd Battalion, 70th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Dec. 13 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol in Taji.

— Sgt. Brian C. Karim, 22, Talcott, W. Va. Company A, 2nd Battalion, 70th Armor, 3rd Brigade, 1st Armored Division. Killed Dec. 13 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle on patrol in Taji.

2006:

— Pvt. Alva L. Gaylord, 25, Carrollton, Mo. 110th Engineer Battalion, Missouri National Guard. Killed May 5 when a roadside bomb exploded near his vehicle during a combat clearing operation in Qasr Ar Riyy.

— Spc. Michael L. Hermanson, 21, Fargo, N.D. 164th Engineer Battalion, North Dakota National Guard. Killed May 23 when his vehicle came under bomb, small arms and rocket-propelled grenade attack while clearing a route during combat in Abayachi.

— Pvt. Benjamin J. Slaven, 22, Plymouth, Neb. 308th Transportation Company, Army Reserves. Killed June 9 when a roadside bomb detonated near his vehicle on patrol in Diwaniyah.

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IRS Public Auction



Pursuant to an Order of Sale entered in *United States vs. Donald W. Dawes; Phyllis C. Dawes; and David Larry Smith and Derek Dane Dawes as Trustees of the Plainsman Property Trust also known as Plainsman Property Company* defendants, Civil Action No. 03-1132-JTM, United States District Court for the District of Kansas, the United States will offer to sell at public auction, to advertise and sell, without appraisal and subject to any unpaid real property taxes or special assessments, to the highest bidder, according to law and pursuant to the terms and conditions set in herein, the real properties in which Donald W. and Phyllis C Dawes have an interest.

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In the Matter of the Estate of
Lloyd G. Lunsway,
Deceased

Case No. 07-PR- 15

NOTICE OF HEARING AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The State of Kansas To All Persons Concerned:

You are hereby notified that on May 11, 2007, a Petition was filed in this Court by Lile H. Lunsway an heir, devisee and legatee, and Executor named in the Last Will and Testament of Lloyd G. Lunsway, deceased, dated January 4, 200 1, praying that the Last Will and Testament filed with the Petition be admitted to probate and record, and that he be appointed as Executor to serve without bond, and that he be granted Letters Testamentary.

You are required to file your written defenses thereto on or before June 13, 2007 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. of such day, in this Court, in the City of Colby, in Thomas County, Kansas, at which time and place the cause will be heard. Should you fail, judgment and decree will be entered in due course upon the Petition.

All creditors are notified to exhibit their demands against the estate within four months from the date of first publication of this Notice, as provided by law, and if their demands are not thus exhibited, they shall be forever barred.

Lile H. Lunsway, Petitioner

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