

# Citizen of Year winners feature local notables

The Hoisington Dispatch has recognized a Hoisington Citizen of the Year since 1963 for outstanding service to the city.

Nominations for this honor can be made to the Hoisington Dispatch office. All nominations must include the name of nominee along with reasons for nominating him or her. All nominations must be received by 5 p.m. on Dec. 30. The winner will be announced in the January 13 issue of the Hoisington Dispatch.

A list follows of the past winners who have been recognized during the Hoisington Chamber of Commerce's annual meeting. Past winners are not eligible to win again.

2017: Richard Neidhart  
 2016: Jan Morgenstern  
 2015: Teddy Williamson  
 2014: Robin Durrett  
 2013: Darlene Stoss  
 2012: Bill Lowry  
 2011: Patricia Horton  
 2010: Duane & Debbie Reif  
 2009: Karen Van Brimmer  
 2008: Dick Stanley  
 2007: Dakota Meyers  
 2006: Gene Manweiler  
 2005: Rod Harms  
 2004: Dolores Deutsch  
 2003: Boyd King  
 2002: Clayton Williamson, Tom Van Brimmer  
 2001: Hoisington volunteers, tornado victims  
 2000: Jim Turnbull  
 1999: Randy Deutsch

1998: Calvin Finn  
 1997: Gwen Christy  
 1996: Phil Taylor  
 1995: Bob Glynn  
 1994: Leon and Becky Steiner  
 1993: Randy Willis  
 1992: Rev. Gary Dassow  
 1991: Lee VanScyoc  
 1990: Bob Turpin  
 1989: John Sjohom  
 1988: Alan Charles  
 1987: Glen Brack

1986: Don Boese  
 1985: Angie Deutsch  
 1984: Don Dodrill  
 1983: Bonnie Smith  
 1982: Bob Vohs  
 1981: Dave Hollis  
 1980: Floyd Rich  
 1979: Lee Dicks  
 1978: Robert Hoyt  
 1976: Roy Erlich  
 1975: Glenda Jahnke  
 1974: Mary Ann Mausolf

1973: Harold Lueker  
 1972: Bob Landis  
 1971: Harold Marcotte  
 1970: I.C. "Ike" Walter  
 1969: Dr. Robert Moore  
 1968: Lewis Tindall  
 1967: Grant Lane  
 1966: Alice Jonas  
 1965: Ray Smith  
 1964: Dr. Dan Hedge  
 1963: Jean Logue

## Thursday, Sept. 2, 1943, 75 Years Ago

### EVERYTHING IS READY FOR A BIG LABOR DAY

Carnival Company Free Acts on Main Street, and Big Parade and Horse Show  
 Buy your provisions Saturday for a two-day holiday as next Monday is Labor Day, when Hoisington will be the center of attraction for this part of the state. Better provide some eats for Labor Day, as the eating houses will be unable to cope with the crowd that attends Hoisington's Labor Day Programs.

Central States Carnival Co. will be here with a variety of attractions in the way of rides, shows, acts, contests, etc., They will be ready to entertain the public any and all hours of the day.

At 1:30 p.m., the big parade starts and by the way, the committee has Coca Cola tickets for those who take part in the parade and red and blue ribbons for the prize winners besides the other prizes.

The parade will terminate in the high school athletic field where the horse show will be staged

for men and women riders in different gaits, cowboy, cowgirl, oldest and youngest rider, trick horse, best driving horse, draft team, colts, stallions, etc. and the horse show will be interspersed with band numbers.

Then there will be the potato race, stake race, egg race, roping from horse, roping from ground, etc.

There will be free shows on Main street afternoon and evening, featuring Claude Enslow with his entertaining magic, the Flying McBrides on Roller Skates and Nelson Thomas in a hand Balancing Act. The Great Bend Air base band will help provide music.

In the evening there will be the annual Labor Day Dance in the City Auditorium. Tickets can be secured at any of the Hoisington drug stores at \$1.00 per couple plus tax and 50c per extra lady plus tax. Music was by Keith Curtis and his New Orchestra.

The parade alone will be worth coming miles to see and the shores show is a specialty that always makes a hit, now that autos have so largely been

displaced with automotive power. Older people are glad to see the return of the horse even for only a day and to the younger people that are something new.

The committees are providing seats on Main street, tables and seats in the park and other conveniences for the public that day.

### THE LABOR DAY CROWD WAS LARGE AND HAPPY

Parade and Horse Show Was a Fine Feature, Record Crowd Danced Until 1 o'clock A.M.

Hoisington was crowded with sightseers and fun makers for the Labor Day celebration which terminated about 1 o'clock the following morning, when the last dancers were ready to call it a day.

The carnival company set up on lower Main street and Broadway early in the morning and the airbase band entertained with a dandy concert on the platform at the corner of First and Main until shortly before noon.

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