



The Butterfield Trail Association & Historical Society of Logan County, Kansas

March 2011

Curators Andrea Plummer and Joye Rogge have resigned in order to move forward into the next phase of their lives. Andrea and her husband, Kevin, have moved to Oakley and Joye wishes to retire.

We certainly appreciate all their years of dedication and service, and thank them wholeheartedly for all they have done.

The new curator is Kathy Herschberger. She and her husband, Melvin, moved to Russell Springs from Denver and live in the former Earl Artley home.

The two curator assistants are Sandy Belton and Pat Haremza.

The Butterfield Trail Museum will open for the season on May 1st. The hours will be 9:00 to Noon, and 1:00 to 5:00 Monday through Saturday, and 1:00 to 5:00 on Sundays.

The **Annual Association Meeting** will be April 6, 2011, at 7:00 PM in the school lunchroom in Russell Springs. Election of three Board Members is on the meeting's agenda.

Persons interested in being on the Board must have been a paid-up active member for at least 6 months prior to the meeting.

The 45th Annual **Trail Ride** will be June 4th and 5th. The 4th Annual **Ranch Rodeo** will be held Sunday afternoon, June 5th. Donations taken at the start of the ride help support the upkeep of the museum and grounds.

The **Charles & Gladys Smith Memorial Scholarship** applications are due March 15th, and recipient will be determined at the April meeting.

The **museum sign** at the southwest corner of the block has blown down for probably the last time and we, of course, are accepting donations for a new sign. The one on the northwest corner is in need of repair and we may just get one two-sided sign for the center of the block, instead of replacing both. We will need to check with KDOT to see what is allowed.

Old Settler's Day will be September 4th. We invite all to enter the Parade and the Cow Chip Throwing Contest. The church service is at 8:00 AM and the hamburger feed is at noon.

Clean-up days @ the museum and Porter Park have been set for **April 16th & 17th**.