

February 10, 2012

**Traveling the Routes
of Energy**



Dear Region VI Members,

In April of 2010, on the way home from the 55th Annual Region VI Meeting in Great Bend, three members of the Liberal Desk and Derrick Club started brainstorming, to see if our small club of seven members could possibly put on a region meeting. As a product of that brainstorming and the addition of two new members, we along with Mark Loch, Region VI Director, are thrilled to be able to invite you to the 57th Annual Region VI Meeting April 19th – 21st, 2012 in Liberal, Kansas.

The official hotel will be Hampton Inn located at 508 Hotel Drive, Liberal, KS, phone number (620)604-0699. They offer a standard room for \$99 and suite for \$109.

Registration will be from 4:00pm to 6:00pm the 19th in the board room, located on the first floor of the hotel, as will be club sales and hospitality.

There will be a “Dutch Treat” dinner at Vargas Café located at 111 E. 15th Street between 6:30 and 8pm. After dinner, back at the hotel, we will have a “live” auction, with proceeds from this event to be split between the ADDC Foundation and ADDC Education Trust. Club presidents, please remind your members to send or bring an item they would like to donate for the auction...the more items we have, the more fun we will have, and the more money Region VI can contribute to ADDC.

Friday morning, there are two field trips to choose from. The first will be a 20-mile trip to Hooker, OK, where Tim Hedrick’s family-owned company, Earth-Tech will give a presentation on their analysis to help find production zones for a new well. Following the presentation, you will have time to lunch at an old-fashioned drug store, that has been converted to a restaurant, and do some shopping at Closet Treasures. The second field trip will be to the Conestoga Ethanol Plant, where you will learn how the plant converts 40 million bushels of grain to 110 million gallons of Ethanol per year. Please note long pants and closed toed shoes will be needed for this field trip. Included in this field trip is lunch back at the hotel and an opportunity for shopping in downtown Liberal. Or if you prefer, take a trip to “Dorothy’s House” or “Coronado Museum”, both located close to the hotel.

Friday afternoon offers three seminars to choose from – all located at Seward County Community College. The first, “Web Page Design”, given by Curtis Crawford. Second, “Internal and External Corrosion - What is it and how to prevent”, given by our very own Lonnie Broce, Fanshier Corrosion Service and Tommy Duncan, JACAM Chemicals LLC. Third seminar will be given by Ed Rutledge, Anadarko Petroleum on “One Calls”.

Friday night fun time will be at the Liberal Air Museum. We will have dinner catered by Billy’s Blue Duck BBQ, we’ll be playing a few games of “ALL AMERICAN FAMILY FUED”, so wear your patriotic best and be treated to a fun night! For an additional \$5, you will also have the opportunity to tour the Air Museum, which houses over 80 planes.

Saturday morning business meeting will be at Seward County Community College with our industry luncheon following. We have lined up another Desk and Derrick member as our speaker, Natalie Bright, from Canyon, Texas. After the business meeting, there will be an open forum to discuss possible proposed amendments to the ADDC bylaws.

Saturday evening will bring us to the conclusion of our Region VI Meeting with the AIMEE MERRIT and buffet dinner 6:30pm at the “Salty Dog”, located at 303 N. Kansas in the Landmark Center, downtown Liberal, Kansas .

We are anticipating with great joy the 57th Annual Region VI meeting, so get those registrations turned back into us by April 1st, and we will see YOU in Liberal, Kansas on April 19th – 21st! We are working hard with our preparations to ensure you will have an Oz-some time!

Sincerely,

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2012 REGION VI MEETING
April 19th – 21st, 2012
Liberal, Kansas

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Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____

E-mail: _____

Club: _____ Region: _____

Official Delegate: _____

Alternate Delegate: _____

ADDC Officer: _____ Year: _____

Office: _____

Regional Director: _____ Year: _____

Is this your first Region VI Meeting: _____

Member Registration \$85.00 \$ _____

(Includes Friday Night Function, Saturday Luncheon and Banquet)

If Mailed after 4/1/12 \$100.00 \$ _____

Thursday, April 19th (Y) or (no)

Dutch Treat Dinner (check) _____

Friday, April 20th

Corrosion Seminar \$10 \$ _____

One-Call Seminar \$10 \$ _____

Web-Design Seminar \$10 \$ _____

Ethanol Plant Tour \$20 \$ _____

Earth-Tech Tour \$20 \$ _____

Air Museum Tour \$ 5 \$ _____

Total Amount Due \$ _____

Special Dietary Requirements/Food Allergies

Please explain: _____

**** ALL MEMBERS MUST REGISTER FOR THE MEETING TO ATTEND ANY OF THE MEETING FUNCTIONS.**

To avoid late charges, registration fees must be postmarked on or before April 1, 2012.

No refunds will be made until after Regional Meeting, if funds are available. Requests for refund must be submitted in writing.

Registration form and emergency release (one release form for each person attending any function) must be accompanied with payment.

Make checks payable to:

2012 Region VI Meeting Fund

Mail to:

PO BOX 166

Liberal, Ks 67905

Questions:

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GUEST REGISTRATION

Please fill out a separate registration for each Guest.

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____

E-mail: _____

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Saturday, April 21st

Appreciation Luncheon	\$10	\$ _____
Awards Banquet	\$20	\$ _____

Total Amount Due \$ _____

EMERGENCY INFORMATION AND RELEASE FORM

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY EACH PERSON (MEMBERS/GUESTS)
PARTICIPATING IN THE 2012 REGION VI MEETING FUNCTIONS

Name : _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, PLEASE NOTIFY

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ Telephone: _____

HOSPITALIZATION INSURANCE COMPANY (OPTIONAL)

Insurance Co.: _____

Address: _____ Telephone: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

I understand that my participation in field trips and/or special events of this meeting is at my own risk. The Desk and Derrick of Liberal nor the Association of Desk and Derrick Clubs shall assume any liability.

Signature: _____

Club Name _____ Date: _____

A signed release form is required before any member or guest depart on a field trip and/or special event offered in conjunction with this meeting. The above information will be treated with confidentiality and will only be used in the event of an emergency.

Please return signed release form with your registration form.

HAMPTON INN & SUITES LIBERAL



508 HOTEL DRIVE, LIBERAL, KS

1-620-604-0699

(24 hour cancellation policy)

Block of 40 rooms have been reserved for dates of April 19-22, 2012
When calling to make reservations, ask for Claudia or Vik, and for the D & D rate.

Negotiated Rates for D & D: Standard Room \$99

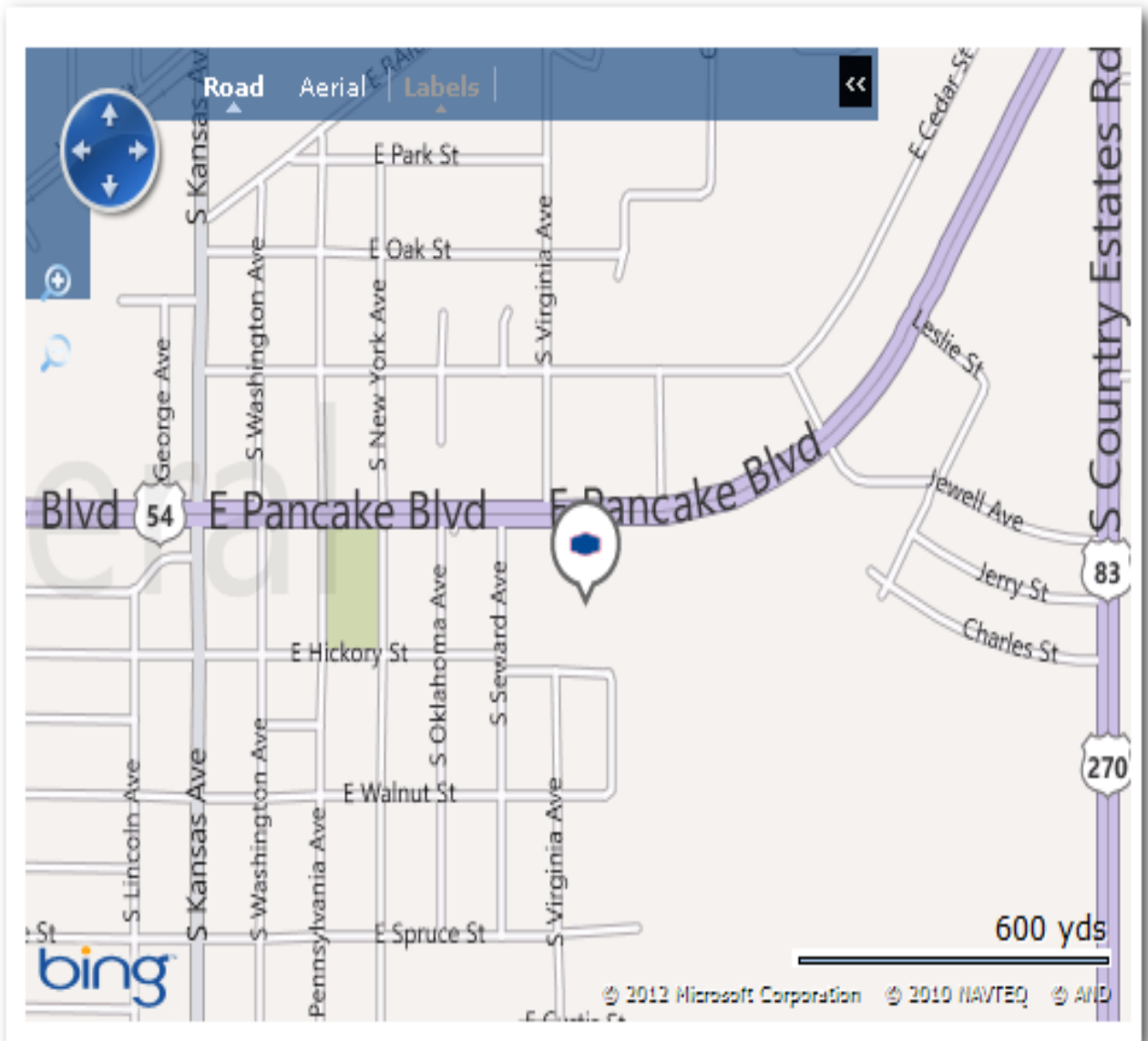
Suite \$109

Rate includes: hot breakfast, access to swimming pool, Business Center, Exercise room. Hotel also has wi-fi and high speed internet access.

Please note: Hotel is a non-smoking facility.



HOTEL DRIVING DIRECTIONS

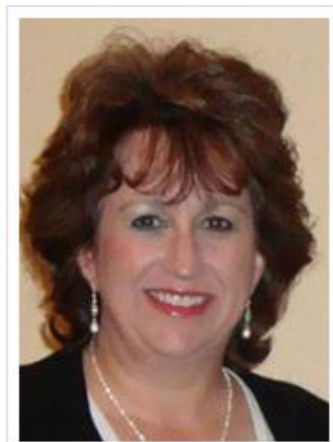


Hampton Inn & Suites
Liberal, Ks.
508 Hotel Drive
(620) 604-0699

ABOUT YOUR SPEAKER

LUNCHEON KEYNOTE SPEAKER

- **Natalie Bright** is an author, speaker, and founder of Write Stuff for Kids, which teaches creative writing to kids of all ages. Her stories and articles have appeared in numerous publications, including *Chicken Soup for the Mother's of Preschoolers Soul*, for which "The Race" was chosen. Her nonfiction book, **OIL PEOPLE**, describes the varied workforce used for exploring, drilling, and refining crude oil. She holds a BBA from WT and enjoys talking to classrooms about energy and writing. You can find Natalie on the web at Facebook/Natalie-Bright, on Twitter @natNKB, on Amazon Author Pages, or her website for recent articles, www.nataliebright.com
- She blogs at <http://wordsmithsix.wordpress.com>
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Natalie Bright

WEB DESIGN

Instructor: Curtis Crawford
Ozsome Marketing



Curtis Crawford has been building and designing websites since 1999. He started Ozsome Marketing in 2011 to help small business get in touch with their customers using both online and offline strategies. He is well versed in PHP, C++, Java, xHTML and CSS. Curtis holds an Electrical Engineering degree from Kansas State University. Before starting Ozsome Marketing, he was a Captain in the US Air Force, was awarded the Air Force Achievement Medal and served over 4 years as a Developmental Engineer. When not designing websites for small business, Curtis is working on his extensive collection of Star Wars Legos. Curtis can be contacted at [OzsomeMarketing.com]

Making Websites Easy – Guide to starting a website and keeping it functional. In this 1 hr seminar we will quickly learn how to setup a stand alone Wordpress installation, put your content onto the internet, and learn what NOT to do with your website.

Internal and External Corrosion and How to Prevent It

Instructors: Lonnie Broce and Tommy Duncan

Lonnie Broce

Foreman

Fanshier Corrosion Service

Lonnie has over 22 years experience with Fanshier Corrosion Service. He currently holds a CP-1 NACE Certification.

Tommy Duncan

Corrosion Technician

JACAM Chemicals LLC.

Tommy has 34 years of experience in the corrosion field. He currently holds a NACE CERTIFICATION AS A Technologist in Cathodic Protection and Internal Corrosion.

Corrosion costs US industries alone an estimated \$170 billion a year. The oil industry, with its complex and demand production techniques, and the environmental threat should components fail, takes an above average share of these costs. Corrosion – the deterioration of a metal or its properties – attacks every component at every stage in the life of every oil and gas field. From casing strings to production platforms, from drilling through to abandonment, corrosion is an adversary worth of all the high technology and research we can throw at it. – Corrosion in the Oil Industry, Oilfield Review



SEMINARS

One-calls

Seward Co. Community College
Cost: \$10.00/ person

3:00 pm – 3:45 pm

Ed Rutledge

Anadarko Petroleum – Operations Tech

30 years oilfield experience, 5 yrs. Mitchell Industries, 10 yrs. Diamond Shamrock and 15 yrs. Anadarko Petroleum. Ed has 5 years experience in regulatory operations as well as environmental/safety.

One-call is a legal requirement for any one who is going to excavate anywhere. By excavate we mean anything other than hand digging. Kansas generated 466,231 calls in 2010 with over 2 million notices going out for utilities to be located/flagged, with about 5,000 in southwest Kansas alone. Ed will talk about what can happen when a person or business fails to make a one-call before digging.

(Below is an example of what can happen when someone fails to make a one-call during a dig, the guy digging was never found.)



FIELD TRIPS

CONESTOGA ETHANOL PLANT

Date: Friday, April 20

Time: 8:30 am

Cost: \$20

GENERAL PLANT

- Plant produces 110 million gals of Ethanol a year.
- Plant uses approx. 40 million bushels of grain per year (corn and milo)
- Plant receives grain (corn and milo) from local farmers as well as incoming on the rail system.
- Plant operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- Plant is managed by Conestoga Energy Partners located in Liberal KS and we have a sister plant (Bonanza BioEnergy) in Garden City that began production in Aug 07.



East Highway 54

Earth-Tech Field Trip



Date: Friday, April 20
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Cost: \$20

Join us for a short 20-mile journey across the state line to the quaint little town of Hooker, Oklahoma for a presentation from Earth-Tech. Earth-Tech is a family owned and operated onsite geological laboratory company, focused on mud logging. Its state of the art technology make it one of the best in gas detection. Earth-Tech specializes in mud logging, which is the science of blending gas detection and sample examination into a professional report of oil and gas bearing zones, while drilling new wells. The company was started twenty years ago by John Hedrick. John strived for perfection in the art of mud logging. He would not settle for second best. After John's death, Tim and Parish Hedrick continue his legacy. They worked with John for ten years in oilfield gas detection and mud logging, and continue to seek that same perfection.



Tim & Parish Hedrick
Owners / Operators

At the conclusion of the presentation, we will eat at the restored Hooker Soda Fountain, and stop by Closet Treasures, both owned by the Hedrick family, before returning to Liberal.

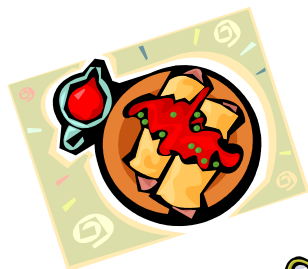
Closet Treasures



Hooker Soda Fountain



EVENING EVENTS



THURSDAY NIGHT – Dutch Treat Dinner

Hospitality and Registration will open from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm .

The night is just getting started with a Dutch treat dinner, sure to make you feel like your dining south of the border, Vargas Café 111 W. 15th . We request everyone bring an item from home to sell, because following our meal we want you to join us back at the Hampton Inn , for an auction that will have you yelling “yeeep”! There’s sure to be something for everyone.

(Proceeds will go to ADDC Foundation/Educational Fund)

6:30 pm – 9:00 pm

FRIDAY NIGHT – “ All American Family Feud”

Do you think you know how most people would answer a simple question? If so, dress in your best Patriotic attire and join us at the Liberal Air Museum 2000 W. 2nd street for our very own version of “All American Family Feud”. There will be plenty of excitement and laughs , and you’re sure to learn something about your friends you didn’t know! Dinner will be served courtesy of Billy’s Blue Duck BBQ , (included in the registration fee).

For those of you not interested in playing, a tour will be given of the Liberal Air Museum - additional \$5.00 fee.

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

SATURDAY NIGHT – Awards Banquet

Please join us for an elegant evening at The Salty Dog Restaurant , 303 N. Kansas (parking in back). Contest Committee will present nominees and winners Region VI AIMEE Awards of Merit. Also included in registration fee.

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm





CLUB SALES



Space may be limited, in the Hospitality Room for displaying of club sale items. If you would like a space, please fill in information below and return with your registration form. Deadline for club sales is April 1.

Club Name: _____

Responsible Member: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Phone: _____

Return Form To: Kay McKinley or Janet Brannan
PO Box 166
Liberal, Ks 67905

FLORIST

The Flower Basket

Orders will be accepted until Tuesday, April 10, and ready for pick-up by noon Saturday, April 21 in the hotel Hospitality Room.

(Flowers will be silk)

Prices are: Carnations \$6 - \$12.50 Roses \$6.50 - \$17.50 Boutonniere \$7.50
Mixed Flowers \$15 - \$20

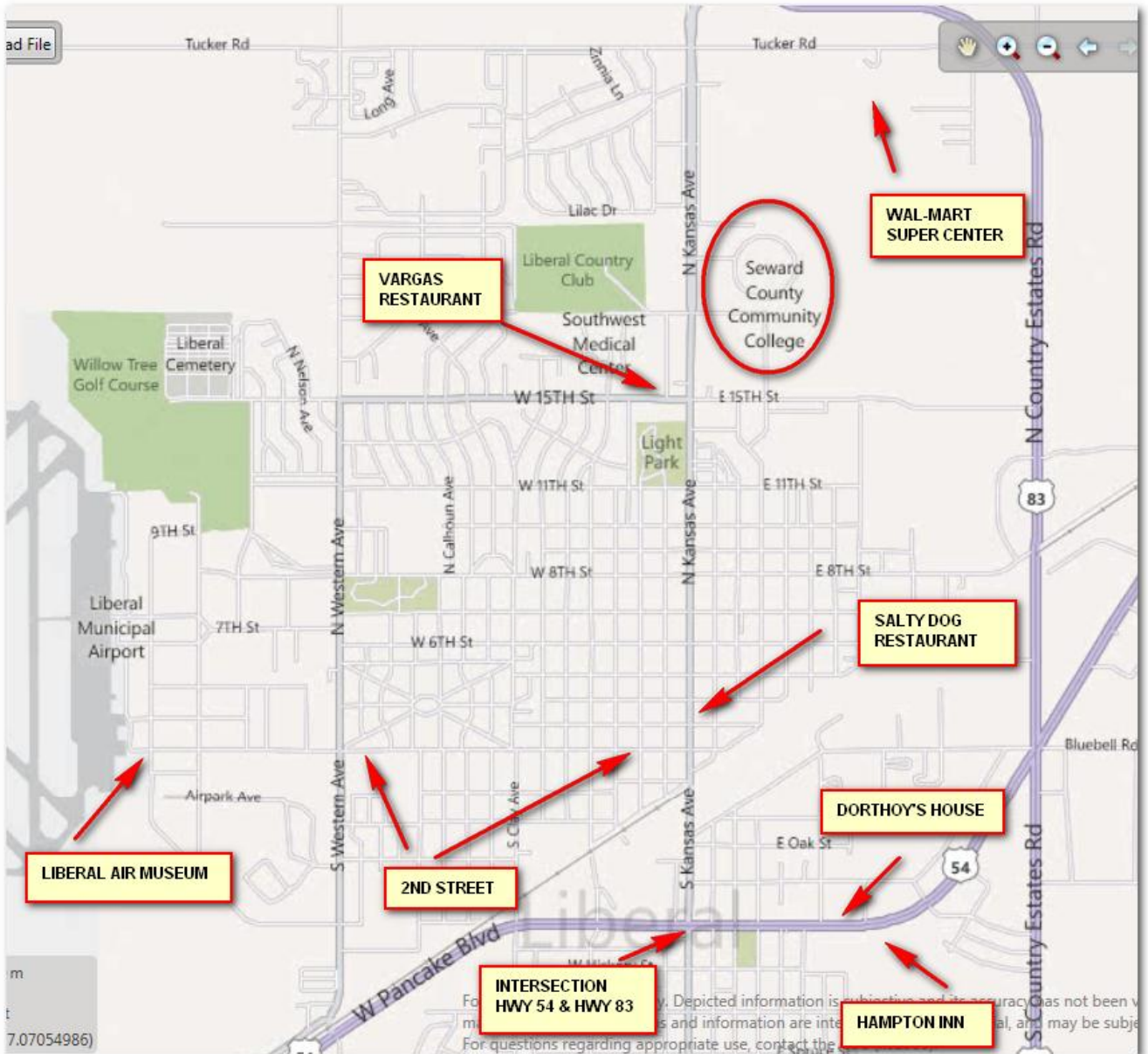
Payment is required at time of order.

To order: The Flower Basket
 212 N. Kansas
 Liberal, Kansas
 (620) 624-7049

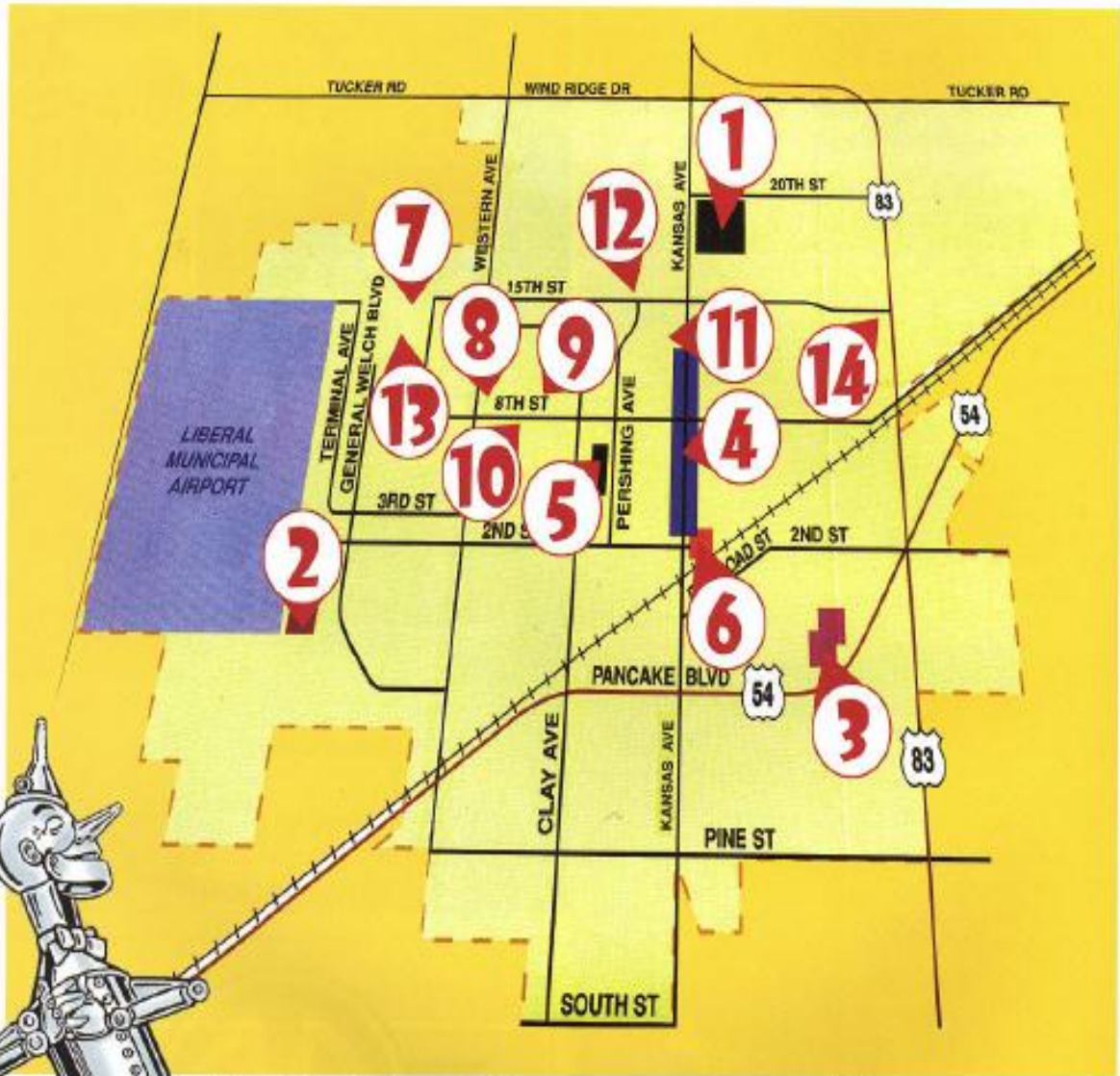




MAP DEPICTING MEETING EVENTS AND SITES IN TOWN



Area Map



1. Seward County Community College/Area Technical School
2. Mid-America Air Museum
3. Dorothy's House & Tourist Information Center
4. Downtown Liberal includes Library and Post Office
5. Baker Arts Center
6. Restored Rock Island Depot/Liberal Chamber of Commerce
7. Willow Tree Golf Course
8. Iron Mike's Batting Cages
9. Grif Golf (Miniature Course)
10. Blue Bonnet Park
11. Adventure Bay Family Water Park/Light Park
12. Southwest Medical Center
13. Seward County Activity Center/Fairgrounds
14. Soccer/Baseball Field Complex