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From the Editors:

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Cover Photo Old Stagecoach Stop volunteers pose in front of a rock cabin at Piney Beach, owned by David and Kathy Harbaugh. Piney Beach is located immediately downstream from the bridge over the Big Piney River on the 1945 pavement of Route 66 through Hooker Cut. The cabins were built in the early 1950s. The unmasked volunteers are, l-r: (front) Pam Barnabee, Kitty McKelvey, Jan Primas, Mark Zurbrick, Terry Primas; (back) Lucy Nutt, Stephanie Nutt, Dave Edie, Jeanie Porter, and Kelly Howley. Photo by Jerry Barnabee.



Welcome to Pulaski County and the 40th Annual Old Settlers Day Celebration. Take time to explore all the wonders Pulaski County has to offer.

Thank you for allowing me the honor of serving as your County Clerk and Local Election Authority.



Earl and Buster

In memory of
LTC (Ret) Earl E. Hooper
(1958-2020)

He faithfully served God, our country and his family.
Terribly missed, forever loved, he had a positively powerful impact on many and left a void in our hearts.

40th Annual Old Settlers Days Schedule of Events

Saturday, July 25th

- 8:30 a.m. — Civil War and Kickapoo Trace Muzzleloaders Camps
Open to the Public
- 10:00 — Opening Ceremony
- 10:30-4:00 — Back Porch Players at Pavilion 3
- 11:00 — First Heat of the Armed Services-YMCA Duck Race
- 11:00 — “Wire Road” Skirmish Reenactment
- 1:00 p.m. — Armed Services-YMCA Duck Race Championship Race
- 2:00 — Battle Reenactment
- 5:00-7:00 — Camps Closed to Public
- 7:00 — Period Dance with Music by the Back Porch Players open to the public
- 8:45 — Night Fire and Artillery Show

Sunday, July 26th

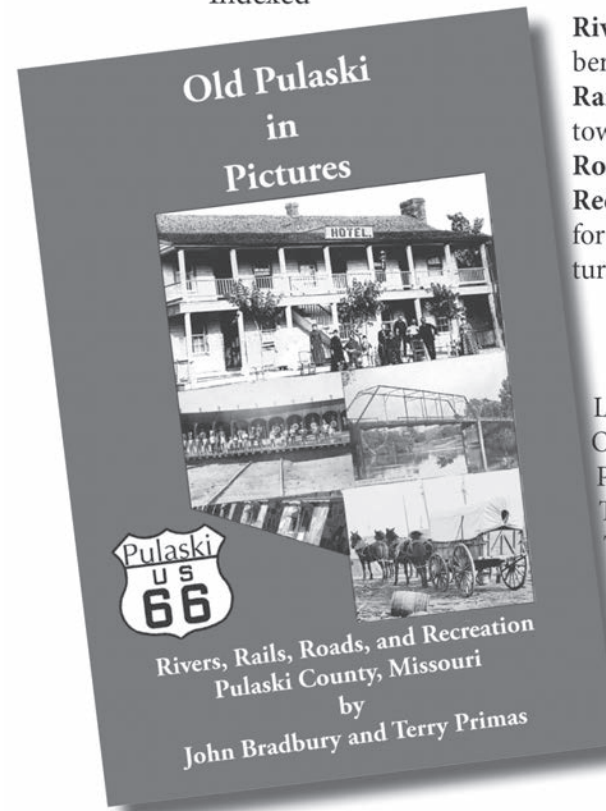
- 8:30 a.m. — Civil War and Kickapoo Trace Muzzleloaders Camps
Open to the Public
- 9:30 — Period Church Service at the Stage
- 10:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. — Gospel Music by the Back Porch Players
- 11:00 — Calvary Skirmish Reenactment
- 2:00 p.m. — Battle of Collie Hollow Reenactment
- 3:30 — Closing

(weekend schedule subject to change)

Due to Covid-19, the Old Stagecoach Stop House Museum and Old Courthouse Museum will not be open on Old Settlers Day.

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