

Town Crier

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CITY OF KOSSE NEWSLETTER

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Homecoming 2015

Here is the schedule of events for Homecoming weekend June 12&13
Come Out and Enjoy

Friday - June 12th

1:00PM-6:00PM - BBQ Cookoff Check-in @ Old Kosse School Site

5:00PM - Community Center Open to Public

8:00PM-UPRA/CPRA Rodeo @ Kosse Roping Pen

Saturday - June 13th

8:00AM - 9th Annual Kosse Greyhound 5K Run/Walk @ Kosse City Park

10:00AM - Downtown Parade -

Call Kelly @ 254-645-0199 to enter

11:00AM Kosse VFD BBQ Lunch @ Community Center

1:00PM - 3:00PM - Open House @ Kosse Heritage House

2:00PM - BBQ Cookoff Judging

1:00PM-6:00PM - Family Waterslide Fun @ Kosse City Park

8:00PM-UPRA/CPRA Rodeo @ Kosse Roping Pen

9:00PM - 1:00AM - Street Dance Featuring

THE BELLAMY BROTHERS

with JEFF WOOLSEY & THE DANCE HALL

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Gates Open at 8:00PM

The City is working hard to clean up around town and abandoned properties in town. Please join in our efforts and get Kosse cleaned up for Homecoming.

The city will be sprayed for mosquitoes the week of homecoming. The spraying will occur late at night, and for three nights in a row. It is recommended that you do not go outside and play in the vapor cloud as the truck passes by your home. The mosquitoes are very bad this year.

Please check your property and make sure there are no containers or tubs holding water that mosquitoes can use as a breeding grounds. We understand that drainage of the ditches is an issue in some places and plans are being made to work on the trouble areas to enable better drainage.

Water Well Project

All parts of the planning and design phase have now been completed and approved by the Water Development Board. We are a few months ahead of schedule and are pushing as much as we can push to keep the progress moving. The engineers on the project have been given the go ahead to begin the test wells. This will be put out to bid. The test wells should be completed in the next couple months. Test wells are a crucial step in determining if there is adequate quantity and quality water at the proposed well sites. The next step in this process will be to apply for the construction phase of the Water Well Project, which has already begun.

Phone & Internet Service

Soon there will be another choice for phone and internet service in Kosse. AMA/TechTel Communications came to the City explaining that they could offer the City another option for phone and internet service. They will use our water tower as a base by hanging an antenna to broadcast to the town. The City Council has approved a contract with AMA/TechTel. AMA Techtel reported the average cost for residential high speed internet and phone service is approximately \$50.00, and \$35.00 for senior citizens. Groesbeck and Thornton have also approved and have AMA/TechTel coming into their towns. Bremond is also in talks to join.

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