

FAMOUS KANSANS CHAUTAUQUA

Medicine Lodge, Kansas

June 14-17, 2007

Medicine Lodge Middle School Grounds

100 E. First Street (First and Main)

In the event of bad weather, tent performances will be held inside Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street (intersection of First and Main)

All evening tent programs are moderated by Richard L. Johnson

For more information contact the Medicine Lodge Chamber at 620/886-3417 or visit mlchamber@sctelcom.net or www.kansashumanities.org.

LIST OF PROGRAMS AND EVENTS – MEDICINE LODGE

Events are free unless indicated by (\$)

Youth Chautauqua Camp

Monday, June 11 – Friday, June 15 2-5 PM

Location: Lincoln Library, 201 N. Main Street

5th-8th grade participants will research a historical figure and learn how to portray them under the Big Tent! Pre-registration required; call the Medicine Lodge Chamber of Commerce at 620/886-3417.

Wednesday, June 13

Meet the Chautauquans Ice Cream Social

6 PM

Location: Big Tent, Behind Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street

Join us at the tent and meet the Chautauquans, and enjoy ice cream to kick off the 2007 *Famous Kansans Chautauqua!*

Sponsored by Medicine Lodge Host Committee

Thursday, June 14

Story Hour for Children

10 AM

Location: Lincoln Library, 201 N. Main

Tapping into the Creative Power of Place: On the Road with Langston Hughes

10:30 AM

Location: Presbyterian Church, 201 N. Walnut

Charles Everett Pace will lead this adult workshop exploring the influence of Kansas on the work of Langston Hughes.

The Editor and His People: William Allen White and the Shaping of Public Opinion

1:30 PM

Location: Presbyterian Church, 201 N. Walnut

Join Frederick A. Krebs as he examines the impact of William Allen White's best-known works: *What's the Matter with Kansas*, *Mary White* and *To an Anxious Friend*.

Historic Medicine Lodge Bus Tour (\$)

3 PM

Location: Meet at Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street

Take a historical tour of Medicine Lodge, including the site of the Peace Treaty signing, the Stockade Museum, the Carry Nation Home, Box Canyon and Memorial Peace Park. Hear legends and stories of Medicine Lodge, including the stories of T.A. McNeill and The Pilgrim Bard. Free! Pre-registration required; contact the Medicine Lodge Chamber of Commerce at 620/886-3417 or mlchamber@sctelcom.net.

Kid-Tauqua Tent

5:30-7:30 PM

Location: Main Tent Site, Behind Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street

Young Chautauqua visitors and their families can explore history through dress-up areas, hands-on activities and a coloring station.

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Local Entertainment

7 PM

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Carry Nation

7:30 PM

Location: Big Tent, Behind Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street
Carry Nation (J. Karen Ray) will share stories of her barroom smashing and her crusade to end the consumption of alcohol in Kansas.

Friday, June 15

StoryCorps Door-to-Door

8:15 AM – 6:30 PM

The StoryCorps national oral history project will be on-hand conducting pre-arranged interviews of local citizens.

Story Hour for Children

10 AM

Location: Lincoln Library, 201 N. Main Street

Famous Kansans and the Search for Community

10:30 AM

Location: United Methodist Church, 108 E. Second Street

Richard Johnson and Frederick A. Krebs lead this adult workshop exploring each Famous Kansan's definition of community and their efforts to maintain community during times of change.

Meet the Chautauquans Lunch (\$)

12 Noon

Location: Leisure Time Center, 213 N. Main Street

Enjoy lunch and an opportunity to meet Charles Everett Pace and Frederick A. Krebs. Lunch cost is \$5. Pre-registration required; contact the Leisure Time Center at 620/886-3466.

The Hand that Rocks the Cradle Cradles the Rock: Radical Women in Kansas

1:30 PM

Location: United Methodist Church, 108 E. Second Street

J. Karen Ray looks at Carry Nation and Kansas' long history of advocate women in this adult workshop.

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Enjoy the Youth Camp participants' portrayals of key figures in Medicine Lodge's history.

Sing -a-long led by Youth Chautauquans**7 PM****Location: Big Tent, Behind Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E First Street****Langston Hughes****7:30 PM****Location: Big Tent, Behind Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street**

Poet Langston Hughes (Charles Everett Pace) reminiscences about writing, travel and the African-American experience.

Saturday, June 16**Story Hour for Children****10 AM****Location: Lincoln Library, 201 N. Main Street****StoryCorps Door-to-Door****8:15AM – 6:30 PM**

The StoryCorps national oral history project will be on-hand conducting pre-arranged interviews of local citizens.

Meet the Chautauquans Lunch (\$)

12 Noon

Location: Boy Scout House, 507 Jefferson (intersection of Hwy 281 & Jefferson)

Enjoy lunch and an opportunity to meet Richard Johnson, J. Karen Ray (and William S. Worley. Pre-registration required.; contact the Medicine Lodge Chamber at 620/886-3417 or mlchamber@sctelcom.net.

Dr. Brinkley and American Country Music

Saturday, June 16

1:30 PM

Location: Episcopal Church, 204 N. Walnut

William S. Worley will talk about Dr. John Brinkley's use of live country music presentations on his radio shows. Find out how Roy Faulkner's "The Strawberry Roan" almost became Brinkley's gubernatorial campaign theme song and other tales of music history.

Bingo (\$)

1:30-4 PM

Location: Heritage Center, SE US Hwy 160 (2 miles east of Medicine Lodge)

All are welcome to join in the Bingo game for \$1 per card. Not interested in Bingo? Visit the Heritage Center to escape the heat at no charge!

Red Dog Saloon Attacked!

4:30 PM

Location: Heritage Center, SE US Hwy 160 (2 miles east of Medicine Lodge)

Step back in time and watch a re-enactment of the attack on Medicine Lodge's Red Dog Saloon by Carry Nation and her followers!

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Emporia Gazette Editor William Allen White (Frederick A. Krebs) reflects on his well-known editorials and political debates of the past.

Sunday, June 17

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1-2 PM

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Local Entertainment

1:30 PM

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Dr. J.R. Brinkley

2 PM

Location: Big Tent, Behind Medicine Lodge Middle School, 100 E. First Street

Listen as Dr. J.R. Brinkley (William S. Worley) promotes his politics, controversial medical techniques and musicians, as broadcast on KFKB and XERA radio.