

The theme of this year's Nicodemus Pioneer Day, held on Saturday, October 13, was "It's All in the Family – Trees". The annual event was held on the grounds of the Nicodemus Historical Society Museum, and a Pioneer Family tree was planted and dedicated in front of the museum. Four family trees were on display along with historical photos of original pioneer settlers. Family bingo was played and individual quilt blocks were decorated and signed by each in attendance. The quilt blocks will be used to make a Pioneer Day quilt. Free Chili, baked potatoes and chili, and chili pie, and plenty of desserts, coffee, and punch, were served.

Four students from the University of Kansas made up a film crew that shot footage and interviews all day. The footage will be used for a class project documenting and highlighting the history of Nicodemus and the use of the Nicodemus Historical Society's archives at Spencer Research Library, KU. The weather was perfect for the event and all enjoyed the festivities.



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