Walnut Hill Cemetery Association

Armstrong, MO

2016 Memorial Day Weekend

YOUR CEMETERY BOARD

Your board consists of:

President: Woody Hammons

Sec/Treas: Alex Fife

Members: J.Y. Miller, Tony Noll, Ovid Lyons, Scott Bartholomew.

We meet as needed to discuss cemetery business. We are all involved in the board because we "inherited" our positions from our fathers or grandfathers. We consider our service to be a memorial to our family members who are at rest in Walnut Hill Cemetery

DECORATIONS, FLOWERS, ETC

As always, we ask that all decorations other than flowers be placed ON the stones so that mowing is easier and more efficient. We also ask that nonfloral decorations be used in moderation.

We also ask that no shrubs, etc be planted in the cemetery. This is also to make mowing easier and to improve the overall look of the cemetery.

When floral decorations wilt or begin to be weather beaten, they will be removed and disposed of.

Burial Rule

The board has voted to require that all burials at Walnut Hill use either a vault or a "concrete box". This will minimize the sinking in of graves over time. It will make mowing easier and improve the appearance of the grave site and the whole cemetery.

MOWING & OTHER CONCERNS

We keep the cemetery mowed as neatly as possible during the summer months. It is an expensive undertaking. Increased fuel costs make it more expensive every year.

We also keep the brush and trees around the fences trimmed. We are proud of the way the cemetery looks and hope you are pleased on any of your visits.

Donations are always welcome to help us support the cemetery. We recently learned about a family (not one that has family in our cemetery) that "passes the hat" at their annual family reunion with the proceeds going to their family cemetery. We think this is a great idea!

IF you think the cemetery looks nice, consider donating to help us keep it that way.

You may send any donations to the treasurer: Alex Fife 100 County Rd 263 Armstrong, MO 65230.

Make checks payable to Walnut Hill Cemetery.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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WEBPAGE--

We have created a web page for those with internet access. The web page will contain news about the cemetery and photos of the cemetery. You can download this newsletter from the webpage.

For those who provide us with their E-mail addresses, we will send update information from time to time. We will also provide photos on request of your loved one's resting place.

The URL of the web page is <u>http://</u>jymiller.net/whcemetery.html.

The web page contains a link to a searchable data base of the graves in Walnut Hill Cemetery.

THE ACCESS ROAD

We know that the steep road up the hill into the cemetery has a tendency to wash. We grade it regularly and apply additional gravel from time to time. We ask that you drive into and out of the cemetery slowly and with care.

LOTS AVAILABLE

Lots are available for purchase. A full lot (8 graves) is \$600 and a half lot (4 graves) is \$300. Contact a board member for more information. The price includes perpetual care.

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