

ATTENTION

Rediscover Robertson County for the First Time (Part 3)

Robertson Countians, in celebration of our county's sesquicentennial. Here is a second list of ten (10) items to help you:

1. Have fun with family
2. Become more familiar with your county
3. Have fun with friends

As you locate/participate in any of the following 10 adventures, check them off. Try not to use GPS. The fun is being with family and friends; driving around locating these area; talking with fellow Robertson Countians, while visiting with them; and engaging in a fact-finding mission in order to check off your 10 boxes.

Ready? Buckle your seatbelts!! Here we go again.

21. How are you doing locating out county roads? Here are 10 more of these roads. You might consider motorcycling some of them. Try locating 5 of these. 10.
 - a. Gayle's Gorge
 - b. Hieatt Bottom Road
 - c. Old Pinhook Road
 - d. Wards Ridge
 - e. Shepherd Road
 - f. Orchard Avenue, which turns into Brierly Ridge
 - g. Ashcraft Road
 - h. McDowell Road
 - i. Crescent Hill
 - j. Crockett Lane, which runs into Five Lick and Old Five Lick
22. In Blue Licks State Park visit the monument commemorating the casualties of the Battle of Blue Licks. Why is this battle significant? This Park is also considered a Kentucky State Resort Park. How many state resort parks does Kentucky have?
23. Visit Sunflower Sundries, a Kentucky Proud farmer/producer. Sunflower Sundries is located on Dividing Ridge (Myers Lane) which is a section of the Old Buffalo Trail.
24. Hike the trail in Blue Licks State Park from the boat landing around the fort at Tanners Station. Did you know that this park is one of Kentucky's 42 state park?
25. Eat at Pizza and More. This Building was first used as a meat processing plant. Farmers would kill their meat and take it there to be processed and stored, making this building a community freezer. It was known as The Locker. This building later became a grocery store run by Mr. and Mrs. Hord Case.
26. As you were visiting some previously mentioned communities, did you notice the old store buildings? These stores served their communities well for a long time. If you noticed any of these store buildings, check them off.
27. Black Hill Hatchery was located on Thomas Pike. Over the years this hatchery supplied many surrounding counties with baby chickens. The chickens were hatched in either a 400-egg incubator or a 7200-egg incubator. Mr. and Mrs. Omar C. Burns owned and operated this hatchery. Locate the site of the hatchery.
28. The Houchens Store Building at one time was the William Brayfield Building. Mr. Brayfield ran 7 huckster trucks from this building. These trucks served several surrounding counties. Some of the trucks drivers were Calvin Henson, Herbert Sandifer, Russell McCord and Leroy Garrison. Locate the Houchens Store building. What is a huckster truck?
29. As you pass the Family Dollar Store, pause and reflect. The store is built on the site of Deming School. A lot of good times were shared by many who attended and/or worked at Deming. We were blessed to have been associated with a great small school. Great things do come in small packages. If you have counted your blessings today. Check the box.
30. Have you found all the churches in the county? Their histories are amazing. Visit another one this week.

Have fun!! From The Rediscover Robertson County First Timers— The Meachams