



Gober Memorial Day

May 20, 2018

10:30 a.m.

Proposed Slate of Officers for 2018/2019

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Gober Community Center

Program: 10:30 a.m.

Business Meeting: 11:40 a.m.

Covered Dish Lunch: 12:00 noon

Accomplishments Over the Past Year,

- The new chairs for the tabernacle were purchased and delivered this past fall. They are stored in the locked cabinets at the tabernacle and have already been used for Easter sunrise service this year.
- The tabernacle received a paint touch up.

Projects being considered for the coming year,

- The Board has purchased "Wet and Forget" which will be sprayed on the monuments that are being covered by lichen.
- Locate and record names of gravesites where the stones are so eroded that information cannot be read. Consider metal name markers in these areas?
- Identify curbs that need to be removed and contact family members for permission.

If any of you have expertise in the above areas, or would just like to volunteer to work with others, please let us know.

For your consideration...

The cemetery is mowed on a regular basis. It is difficult to maintain the grass/weeds close to the monuments when there are flowers or various types of pipes to hold the flowers buried in the dirt next to these monuments. The Board asks you to consider placing stone/concrete planters next to your loved ones' markers to make the care of the cemetery a more productive task. These planters can usually be found at Walmart, Lowes, Home Depot or through funeral homes. We would appreciate your consideration of this request.

In October of 2010, the Board voted to no longer allow curbs around plots. This decision was made because the shifting ground had resulted in the uneven lay of the curbs. Erosion around the curbs has also occurred. Some of the curbs have eroded to the point that they have become eye sores. Mowing has become very difficult. In addition, much weed eating is required which is very time consuming in such a large area. We respect the fact that families paid for the curbs to be installed and feel that we cannot make the decision to have them removed without permission. We will identify the curbs that are in immediate need of removal and contact family members.

Remember.....we are a member of the **Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program**. If you shop at Tom Thumb, you can link your Reward Card to the Gober Cemetery Association organization, number 9926. A percentage of what you spend will periodically be sent to the cemetery association.

Need to locate a loved one's burial location in the Gober Cemetery? Take a look at our website: Go to www.gobercemetery.org. Click on the "Interments" tab and then scroll down the page to "Plot Burial Guide". Click on this guide and find an alphabetized list (by last names) of those who are recorded as being buried in the Gober Cemetery.

Contributions are always appreciated and can be mailed to:

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If you would like a detailed copy of the financial, go to www.gobercemetery.org. Click on the tab "Newsletters and Reports". Click on the applicable report. After the report opens, print the document by clicking on the print icon. If you prefer a copy mailed to you, contact Joetta Wallace. Copies will also be available on Gober Memorial Day.

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