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TWELFTH ANNUAL  
SIGNATURE EVENT

*June 10, 2017*

*The Chisholm Trail*

DEER HORN RANCH  
GEARY COUNTY

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*Thank you for joining us as we observe the 150th anniversary of  
the Chisholm Trail and the history, culture, and landscape of the  
American West and the Great Plains.*

KANSAS GOVERNOR SAM BROWNBACK

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*The American Cowboy was born in the dust of the old Chisholm Trail.*

JIM HOY



FENCE SUNSET  
*Don Wolfe*

## WELCOME

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Welcome to Deer Horn Ranch and the Twelfth Annual Symphony in the Flint Hills Signature Event. Through captivating sights, sounds, and experiences, we celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Chisholm Trail. Explore the prairie as it appeared in 1867, when nutrient-rich grasslands fueled a cattle migration that transformed the sleepy, fledgling town of Abilene to a cowtown where drovers clashed with a growing number of settlers attracted by the Homestead Act.

Like the Leithoff family that first settled the Deer Horn Ranch, my ancestors, who hailed from Germany, Switzerland, and Sweden, were among the first farmers and ranchers to settle in Geary County in the 1860s and 1870s. I am grateful to landowners John and Mary McDonald for hosting us in this place that holds so many memories for me.

We are pleased to once again feature the Kansas City Symphony, which will be performing songs from the Old West with special guest artist Michael Martin Murphey. The founder of the Murphey Western Institute and lifelong advocate for western culture and grasslands conservation will draw from his love for the Flint Hills and the Old Chisholm Trail in his performance.

Today's presentations and performances, designed to inform, entertain, and enlighten you, are made possible by the generosity of donors and volunteers whose commitment brings to life our mission to *heighten appreciation and knowledge of the Flint Hills tallgrass prairie*. Thank you for joining us for today's event and for our programs and activities throughout the year.

*Virginia Moxley*  
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SOJOURNER'S HOME ON THE RANGE (DETAIL)  
Chiyoko Myose

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BISON  
Matt Regier

## SYMPHONY IN THE FLINT HILLS, INC.

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### OUR MISSION

*Heighten appreciation and knowledge of the Flint Hills tallgrass prairie*

Symphony in the Flint Hills, Inc., works to build awareness for the tallgrass prairie, an ecosystem that once covered 170 million acres of North America. Through year-round programming, we celebrate the history, ecology, and culture of the Kansas Flint Hills. Each June 7,000 kindred spirits gather for our signature event, which includes heritage and culture presentations and a world-class symphonic concert in an inspirational prairie setting.

In the past year, we have expanded our education programming. Articles from past Field Journals are now available to anyone at any time in a searchable online database. As part of our year-long celebration of the 150th anniversary of the Chisholm Trail, we partnered with Flint Hills Design in North Newton, to produce a traveling exhibit entitled *The Chisholm Trail: Driving the American West*. As it travels to cultural institutions throughout Kansas and beyond for years to come, the exhibit will share both the story of the Texas cattle trails and our mission with thousands of visitors. We are proud to participate in the creation of the documentary *Prairie Suite: Symphony in the Flint Hills*, which debuted in August 2016. You can learn more about our programs at [symphonyintheflinthills.org](http://symphonyintheflinthills.org).

Our work is possible with the support of our donors, volunteers, and friends. Thank you for your commitment to Symphony in the Flint Hills.



CATTLE-FENCE  
*Don Wolfe*

## DEER HORN RANCH

*We are honored to be the stewards of Deer Horn Ranch and to share the beauty and history of our piece of the Kansas Flint Hills.*

JOHN & MARY MCDONALD, LANDOWNERS

While Joseph McCoy was laying plans for stockyards at the end of the Chisholm Trail, Lebrecht and Henrietta Leithoff were blazing a different trail toward economic success in the cattle industry. In the early 1860s, the young couple was living in Kothen, district capital of Anhalt, Germany, known for both its fertile farmland and its rich classical music heritage. After five years of marriage, they immigrated to the United States in 1868, living in Providence, Rhode Island, for a short time before moving to Geary County in 1870.

In eastern Geary County, the Leithoffs joined a thriving community of German natives. In 1865, five years before their arrival, more than 10 percent of the county's population were natives of Germany. Just east, in adjacent Wabaunsee County, 70 percent of the population was German-born.

In the span of a few short years, the resourceful immigrants from Kothen leveraged \$500 and a job at a local furniture store into a successful farming and ranching operation. By 1875, two years before becoming naturalized citizens, they had amassed property valued at \$4,000, including "700 acres of good land, provided with plenty of wood, water, barns, sheds, windmill, yards, and pastures; twenty head of good horses, one hundred head of cattle well graded, and one hundred head of hogs." In the words of the local newspaper, "Mr. Leithoff [was] another illustration of what industry, perseverance and good management will do on a Kansas farm."

German industry was on full display in the ranch's stately buildings. The vernacular traditions of their homeland are particularly evident in their first home, built in 1873, just three years after their arrival in

Geary County. Although their second home, a \$2,000 stone building constructed in 1890, featured common American Victorian elements like bay windows and spindled porches, its symmetrical façade and banked siting, or nestling into a hill, was decidedly German.

Despite an economic downturn and an 1894 lightning fire that damaged their home, the Leithoffs continued to invest in their Geary County property. When Lebrecht Leithoff added a “new Ideal wind mill steel tower, tank, pipes, etc., to his farm equipments,” the local paper quipped that “Leithoff is another one of those farmers who isn’t going to the poor house.”

Although the Leithoffs leased their ranch and moved to town in 1899, Lebrecht remained active for a few more years, shipping cattle to Kansas City, commissioning the construction of a large pond, and dabbling in winemaking. In 1900, two decades after Kansas adopted prohibition, Leithoff surprised a gathering at Fort Riley with “a case of his best vintage.”

By the time Lebrecht Leithoff sold the ranch to his son Charles in 1904, he had left an enduring legacy in eastern Geary County. However, it was a legacy Charles was unable or unwilling to steward. Within a year Charles had auctioned off the remainder of the stock, sold the property to Pomeroy Powers for less than \$15 per acre, and moved his family to town. In 1909, two years after his father’s death, Charles moved his family to Nebraska.

Pomeroy Powers (1852–1915) bought the Deer Horn Ranch from Charles Leithoff in 1905, apparently for his son Hale Powers (1875–1946). In 1915, the year Hale Powers formally inherited the property from his father, he was maintaining 1,710 acres of ranchland with 272 head of cattle, sold \$1,200 in dairy products, and grew one hundred acres of winter wheat, fifty acres of corn, twenty acres of oats, and twenty acres of rye. Although some accounts suggest that Hale and his wife Lula Pierce Powers lived at the ranch, census records indicate that they were living in Junction City in 1920.

Business was good in the early 1920s, when the local paper reported that the ranch had nearly tripled in value in the two decades since the Powers

family purchased it from the Leithoffs and declared it “one of the finest cattle farms in this part of the state.” Hale Powers seemed to relish his role as a cattleman. In 1922, when children were getting their first big-screen dose of cowboy culture, Powers put the ranch on public display, inviting area boys to spend the morning riding and watching local bronco busters, “saddle the mustangs and show the boys how it is done in Eastern Geary.”

Census records indicate that Hale and Lula Powers were living in Junction City in 1930, by which time son Pierce Powers (1906–1986) had joined Hale in the livestock trade; other accounts suggest that Hale moved to Los Angeles in 1928. Regardless, Hale and Lula’s marriage did not survive the Great Depression. By 1940 Lula was living in Junction City, and Hale was remarried and living in San Bernardino. Although the ranch went into foreclosure in 1932, Hale and Lula’s son Pierce Powers was still living there with his wife Margaret and their young family in 1940.

Although the Deer Horn Ranch has passed through many hands since the mid-twentieth century, its owners’ dedication to the tallgrass prairie and ranching traditions kept its legacy alive. Among the better-known owners was Winton Winter, an Ottawa, Kansas-based attorney, judge, oilman, politician, and serial entrepreneur whose vast business empire included two ranching operations. During his tenure of operation, which stretched from 1965 until he sold the property to Joe Edward Cooper in 1978, Winter worked to promote Simmental cattle, a Swiss breed that gained popularity in the United States in the late 1960s. Pratt, Kansas-based cattleman John Dauner, who purchased the property from the Larry Cory family in 1993, took steps toward preserving the ranch’s rich heritage by placing the ranch buildings and surrounding grassland on the National Register of Historic Places.

John and Mary McDonald, who purchased the ranch in 2015, are continuing the tradition today. Their business, Rawhide Portable Corral, Inc., has been manufacturing portable cattle pens and livestock equipment in their hometown of Abilene, Kansas, for sixteen years.

## PRAIRIE ART

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Juror Henry Adams has selected fifty-two paintings for the Prairie Art Exhibit and Auction. This year's winning piece is Clive Fullager's *Sundial*, which, in Adams' words, "nicely captures the scale and mystery of the Flint Hills." "Most of my paintings are done in the 'Golden Hour'—the time when the sun is setting," says the artist, "The effects of light on the land at that time are magical and very brief." Visit the artists, bid on their work, and purchase a limited-edition commemorative print of the winning painting in the Prairie Art Tent.

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### 2017 ARTISTS

|                   |                   |                    |
|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Patricia Adams    | Lisa Grossman     | Marilee Means      |
| Cris Chapin       | Dana Hassett      | Gary Ozias         |
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| Alan Collins      | Cher Heller Olson | Deb Schroer        |
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| Mike Flora        | Mike Livingston   | Chun Wang          |
| Clive Fullagar    | David Lytle       | Julie Wiegand      |
| Sue Godwin        | Judith Mackey     | Chris Willey       |
| Hugh Greer        | Gweneth McClain   |                    |



SUNDIAL  
*Clive Fullager*

## 2017 SYMPHONY IN THE FLINT HILLS FIELD JOURNAL, VOLUME IX

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This year, we're tackling the theme of the Chisholm Trail in a way only Symphony in the Flint Hills can. Historians, folklorists, journalists, and conservationists explore the worlds that collided in the years following the Civil War when the largest migration of cattle in recorded history gave way to the westward march of settlers. In carefully researched and written articles, these authors examine the birth of cowboy culture, the dawn of the cattle industry, and the reason that the Flint Hills hold a special place in the hearts of those who still value wide-open spaces.

# SYMPHONY IN THE FLINT HILLS, INC.

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*Twelfth Annual Signature Event*

# CHISHOLM TRAIL

## SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

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### HIGH NOON

Site Opens

### AFTERNOON

Beverage & Food Tents

Flint Hills Store

Musical Instrument Petting Zoo

Music in the Beverage Tent

Horse-Drawn Covered Wagon Rides

Prairie Walks & Interpretation

Prairie Art Silent Auction

Presentations, Prairie Pavilions (page 15)

Roving Music

### CONCERT

6:45

20-minute intermission

Prairie Art Silent Auction closes at end of intermission

### AFTER CONCERT

Beverage & Food Tents

9:30–Dance, Hot Club of Cowtown, Beverage Tent

Cowboy Poetry, Stories & Music, Story Circle

Flint Hills Store

Stargazing, Prairie Pavilions

*Stay for after-concert activities. Enjoy night skies on the prairie.*



JESSE'S HANDS INSTALLATION (DETAIL)  
Gesine Janzen

## THE CHISHOLM TRAIL

### PRAIRIE PAVILIONS

#### SUNFLOWER TENT—LIFE ON THE TRAIL

- 1:30 JACK BAILEY  
Troy Nordman, Butler Community College
- 2:00 LONGHORNS  
Josh Hoy, Flying W Ranch
- 2:30 JAMES R. MEAD  
Schuyler Jones
- 3:00 COWBOY LIFE ON THE TRAIL  
Jim Hoy, Emeritus Professor of English, Emporia State University
- 3:30 FUELING THE DRIVE  
Tom Eddy, Emeritus Professor of Biology, Emporia State University
- 4:30 CHISHOLM TRAIL & ITS HISTORY  
Jim Gray, Ellsworth  
Dennis Katzenmeier, Chisholm Trail Association  
Gary & Margaret Kraisinger, Chisholm Trail Association
- 5:00 TRAIL FOOD  
Jane Marshall, Manhattan  
Bonnie Lynn-Sherow, Chapman Center for Rural Studies

#### BLUE WILD INDIGO TENT—DON'T FENCE ME IN

- 1:30 RANCHING—THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
Todd Leahy, New Mexico Wildlife Federation
- 2:00 MINORITY DROVERS  
Special Guest Presenter
- 2:30 WOMEN ALONG THE CHISHOLM TRAIL  
Farrell Hoy Jenab, Kansas Studies Institute
- 3:00 LIFE & TIMES OF JOSEPH MCCOY  
Jim Sherow, Kansas State University
- 3:30 MINORITY DROVERS  
Special Guest Presenter
- 4:00 RANCHING—THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES  
Todd Leahy, New Mexico Wildlife Federation
- 4:30 WOMEN ALONG THE CHISHOLM TRAIL  
Farrell Hoy Jenab, Kansas Studies Institute
- 5:00 THE RAILROAD'S CONNECTION TO THE TRAIL  
Jay Price, Wichita State University

#### BUTTERFLY MILKWEED TENT—LEGACY OF THE TRAIL

- 1:30 CHISHOLM TRAIL IN POP CULTURE  
Shan Jabara & Gretchen Mitchell, Tallgrass Film Association
- 2:00 CHISHOLM TRAIL SPRAWL  
Brian Obermeyer, The Nature Conservancy's Flint Hills Initiative
- 2:30 GERMANY'S FASCINATION WITH THE AMERICAN COWBOY  
Jeremiah Ariaz, Louisiana State University
- 3:00 OLD ABILENE TOWN  
Michael Hook, Dickinson County Historical Society
- 3:30 DRIVING THE AMERICAN WEST (EXHIBIT)  
Nathan Bartel & Anthony Esau, Flint Hills Design
- 4:00 PRESIDENT EISENHOWER & ABILENE  
Tim Rives, Dwight D. Eisenhower Presidential Library & Museum
- 4:30 THE COWBOY HAT  
Jack Kellogg, Hatman Jack's
- 5:00 THE BEEF INDUSTRY  
Tracy Brunner, National Cattlemen's Beef Association

#### PURPLE CONEFLOWER TENT—EAST OF THE LINE: THE FLINT HILLS

- 1:30 HARVEY HOUSES  
Robert Harris, Florence
- 2:00 HISTORY OF THE DEER HORN RANCH  
John & Mary McDonald, Deer Horn Ranch
- 2:30 PLANTS ALONG THE TRAIL: TODAY & YESTERDAY  
Jim Mason, Great Plains Nature Center
- 3:00 KONZA PRAIRIE  
John Briggs, Konza Prairie
- 3:30 HOME ON THE RANGE (FILM)  
Ken Spurgeon, Lone Chimney Films
- 4:00 WOODFEST  
Ken Wold, Camp Wood YMCA  
Susan Mayo, WoodFest
- 4:30 PLANTS ALONG THE TRAIL: TODAY & YESTERDAY  
Jim Mason, Great Plains Nature Center
- 5:00 HOME ON THE RANGE (FILM)  
Ken Spurgeon, Lone Chimney Films

#### STARGAZING—PRAIRIE SKIES

- 1:30 – 5:30 EXPLORING THE STARS, PLANETS, & MOON  
Kansas Astronomical Observers & Salina Astronomy Club
- 1:30 LIFE IN THE UNIVERSE  
Paul Ramirez, Kansas Astronomical Observers
- 2:30 TONIGHT'S CONSTELLATION TOUR  
Dorothy Hanna, Salina Astronomy Club
- 3:30 SPACE ROCKS  
Jerelyn Ramirez, Kansas Astronomical Observers
- 4:30 2017 GREAT AMERICAN ECLIPSE  
Jeffrey Kasoff, Salina Astronomy Club

#### AFTER THE CONCERT—VIEW THE SKY THROUGH TELESCOPES



SEASONAL SHIFTS-EAGLES NEST  
*Chris Edmonds*

*Symphony in the Flint Hills*  
**THE CHISHOLM TRAIL**  
 MUSICAL PROGRAM

Featuring KANSAS CITY SYMPHONY

Conducted by

JASON SEBER, Assistant Conductor, David T. Beals III Chair

Guest Artist: MICHAEL MARTIN MURPHEY

Master of Ceremonies: DAVE KENDALL

American Sign Language Interpreter: KIM BATES

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|------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>An Outdoor Overture</i>                     | COPLAND                |
| <i>Suite of Old American Dances</i>            | BENNETT                |
| I. "Cake Walk"                                 |                        |
| III. "Western One-Step"                        |                        |
| V. "Rag"                                       |                        |
| "Cowboy Overture" / "Backward, Turn Backward"  |                        |
| CANSLER / BRINNINSTOOL / MURPHEY               |                        |
| "Cowboy Logic"                                 | COOK / RAINS / MURPHEY |
| <i>Variations Along the Old Chisholm Trail</i> | HUDIBURG               |
| I. "A Glorious Day on the Trail"               |                        |
| VI. "An Unsettling Encounter"                  |                        |
| IX. "Drivin' 'Em into Caldwell"                |                        |
| X. "Farewell-Goin' Home to the Family-Alone"   |                        |
| "The Old Chisholm Trail"                       | TRADITIONAL / MURPHEY  |
| "Buckaroo Holiday" from <i>Rodeo</i>           | COPLAND                |

## INTERMISSION

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|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| "The American Dream" from <i>Night Visions</i>     | BECKEL                  |
| "Rawhide" theme from <i>Rawhide</i>                | TIOMKIN / PALMER / RUSS |
| "Dartmoor, 1912" from <i>War Horse</i>             | WILLIAMS                |
| "Storm on the Prairie" / "Ghost Riders in the Sky" |                         |
| HOFFNER / JONES / MURPHEY                          |                         |
| "Wildfire"                                         | CANSLER / MURPHEY       |
| "Suite" from <i>Wyatt Earp</i>                     | HOWARD                  |
| "Happy Trails"                                     | EVANS / MURPHEY         |
| "Home on the Range"                                | TRADITIONAL / MURPHEY   |

Keith Burditt, harmonica performance after concert

## PROGRAM NOTES

### *An Outdoor Overture* (1938)

AARON COPLAND

This piece was commissioned by New York's High School of Music and Art to launch its "American Music for American Youth" campaign. Copland was asked to consider "a single movement composition... between five and ten minutes... an overture or rhapsody... optimistic in tone," with "a definite appeal to adolescent youth of this country." The open-air quality speaks to the Flint Hills.

### *Suite of Old American Dances* (1949)

ROBERT BENNETT

Bennett's inspiration for this classical American suite was a performance by the Goldman Band at Carnegie Hall. The original title was "Electric Park," named after the amusement park in Kansas City, and each movement was based on a twentieth-century dance. Bennett was born in Kansas City, where his father played violin in the Symphony. After directing the 70th Infantry Band at Camp Funston, Kansas, Bennett moved to New York, where he orchestrated over 300 scores for stage and film.

### *Variations Along the Old Chisholm Trail* (2017)

HOWARD HUDIBURG

Commissioned by Michael Martin Murphey for the 2017 Symphony in the Flint Hills concert, this piece transports the listener to the Old West and into the heart, soul, and mind of a cowboy on a cattle drive along the mighty Chisholm Trail and across the expanse of grass and plain, rolling hills, hidden valleys, and winding rivers. The work is based on the experiences, both devastating and glorious, of two teenage cowboys, as they risk their lives riding in open range country from Texas to Kansas. Hudiburg is a Professor Emeritus at Texas State University where he was Director of Orchestral Studies.

### "Buckaroo Holiday" from *Rodeo* (1942)

AARON COPLAND

Choreographed by American ballerina Agnes de Mille, this playful and bold western ballet deals with a problem that confronted many Pioneer women: how to find a suitable man while staying true to yourself—played out in the experiences of a tomboyish Cowgirl. "The Saturday afternoon rodeo," said de Mille, "is a tradition...done for an audience of...fellow workers, women-folk and...nearest neighbors who can make the eighty or so mile run-over." Often a Ranch House dance followed.

### "The American Dream" from *Night Visions* (1992)

JAMES BECKEL

A graduate of Indiana University School of Music, Beckel has been the principal trombonist with the Indianapolis Symphony since 1969. *Night Visions* was commissioned by Price Waterhouse as a tribute to CEO Charles O'Drobinak. The piece includes four movements, each dedicated to a particular dream. This movement, the last of the four, reflects the great freedoms and opportunities that America affords.

## PROGRAM NOTES

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### “Rawhide” from *Rawhide* (1958)

DIMITRI TIOMKIN

Tiomkin’s iconic Western theme from the TV series of the same name (1959–62), *Rawhide* evokes the energy and excitement of a nineteenth-century cattle drive. Originally sung by Frankie Laine, the lyrics by long-time Tiomkin collaborator Ned Washington describe riding the range in the Wild West with picturesque references to “dogies” (motherless calves) and “vittles” (the folk spelling for prepared food). The song remains among the most-recognized western themes. (Patrick Russ.)

### “Dartmoor, 1912” from *War Horse* (2011)

JOHN WILLIAMS

Directed by Steven Spielberg, the movie *War Horse* tells the story of an animal that touched many lives before and during World War I. Composer John Williams says, “Edward Elgar, Ralph Vaughn Williams, Frederick Delius,...and others all contributed to a rich literature that I’ve loved and admired for a long time. In a very real sense, “Dartmoor, 1912” was written as an homage to these great men.” The music is expansive and reminiscent of the wide-open rolling landscape of the Flint Hills.

### “Suite” from *Wyatt Earp* (1994)

JAMES NEWTON

*Wyatt Earp* is a fictionalized biographical film about the legendary Earp’s life as a wagon driver, bison hunter, and lawman in the American West. Grammy-award-winning composer James Newton Howard was trained in the arts of both orchestral and electronic music. He has scored over sixty feature films. The material for this work has been called “consistently strong...distinct and memorable: of modern Western genre.”

### “Home on the Range” (1930)

GUION/MURPHEY

This classic western tune started as a poem entitled “My Western Home,” published by Smith County pioneer Dr. Brewster M. Higley in 1876. It was Dr. Higley’s friend Dan Kelly who first set the poem to music. “Home on the Range” soared to nationwide popularity in the early 1930s after Texan composer David W. Guion published a new arrangement. It became the favorite song of many Americans, including President Franklin D. Roosevelt, and in 1947 it became the Kansas State Song. For the first time, the Kansas City Symphony will perform an arrangement by special guest artist Michael Martin Murphey.

## GUEST ARTIST

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MICHAEL MARTIN MURPHEY— As a singer, songwriter, and producer, Michael Martin Murphey has contributed some of the most beloved songs of his generation, recording more than thirty-five albums in a four-decade career.

Murphey remains a passionate and outspoken advocate of the American West, chronicling the lifestyle in both his music and personal life. He celebrates the men and women who love dirt, grass, and water—those who love the land responsibly and ensure its health for generations to come.

Murphey’s desire to protect the American West led him to create the Murphey Western Institute, whose goal is to protect the life-sustaining mountain, prairie, and plains landscapes that continue to inspire his music.

Murphey has commissioned a new arrangement of the ever-popular *Old Chisholm Trail* folk song. Murphey, along with the Kansas City Symphony, will premiere this piece during tonight’s musical program.

## CONDUCTOR

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**JASON SEBER** – We are pleased to welcome Jason Seber in his Symphony in the Flint Hills debut. Seber is celebrating his first season as the David T. Beals III Assistant Conductor of the Kansas City Symphony where he leads the Classics Uncorked, Pops, Family, and Screenland at the Symphony and Education series, as well as a multitude of other programs.

Prior to his Kansas City Symphony appointment, Seber served as education and outreach conductor of the Louisville Orchestra. He also had an eleven-year tenure as Louisville Youth Orchestra music director during which membership grew from 200 to more than 350 members in nine orchestras and ensembles.

Previously, Seber served as assistant conductor for the Cleveland Pops Orchestra and the National Repertory Orchestra. He also has guest conducted the Charleston (S.C.), Colorado, Houston, Indianapolis, Mansfield (Ohio), National and Windsor symphonies, as well as the Cleveland Pops and the Denver Young Artists Orchestra. He earned his master's in orchestral conducting from the Cleveland Institute of Music and his bachelor's degrees in music and music education from Baldwin Wallace University.

## KANSAS CITY SYMPHONY

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Founded in 1982, the Kansas City Symphony is a major force in the cultural life of the community. Praised for performances of uncompromising standard, the orchestra is the largest in the region, with eighty full-time musicians, and enjoys a national reputation under the artistic leadership of Music Director Michael Stern. Presenting more than one-hundred concerts annually in a forty-two-week season, the Symphony also performs for the Kansas City Ballet and Lyric Opera of Kansas City. Every season comprises an impressive variety of programs that collectively reach more than 200,000 people, including the Symphony's annual Bank of America Celebration at the Station concert held each Memorial Day weekend. For more information or tickets, visit [kcsymphony.org](http://kcsymphony.org) or call (816) 471-0400.

*Sound that embraces you, music that inspires you.*

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### MASTER OF CEREMONIES – DAVE KENDALL

A documentary filmmaker and former host of *Sunflower Journeys* on public television, Dave Kendall grew up on a family farm along Clark's Creek not far south of this year's concert venue. His family's roots in this area date back to 1857. He now serves as managing producer of Prairie Hollow Productions.

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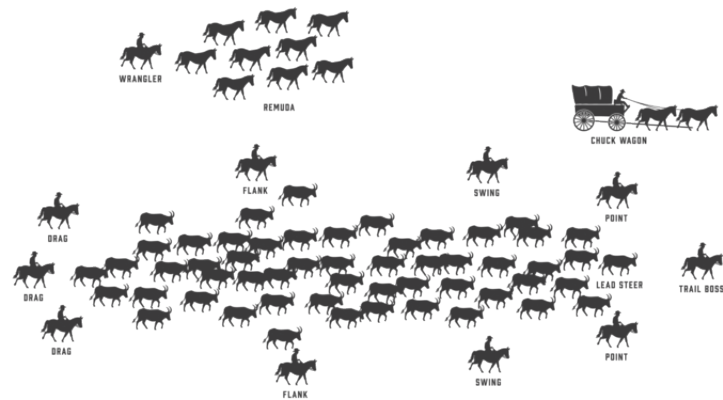
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| 2011 | Schultz Family   Thierer Family   Meseke Family               |
| 2010 | Edward P. Bass                                                |
| 2009 | Randy & Judy Mills   Troy & Sara Dawson   Frank & Mary Harper |
| 2008 | John & Marty White   John & Linda Cosgrove                    |
| 2007 | Joe & Izora Schwarting                                        |
| 2006 | Tallgrass Prairie National Preserve                           |



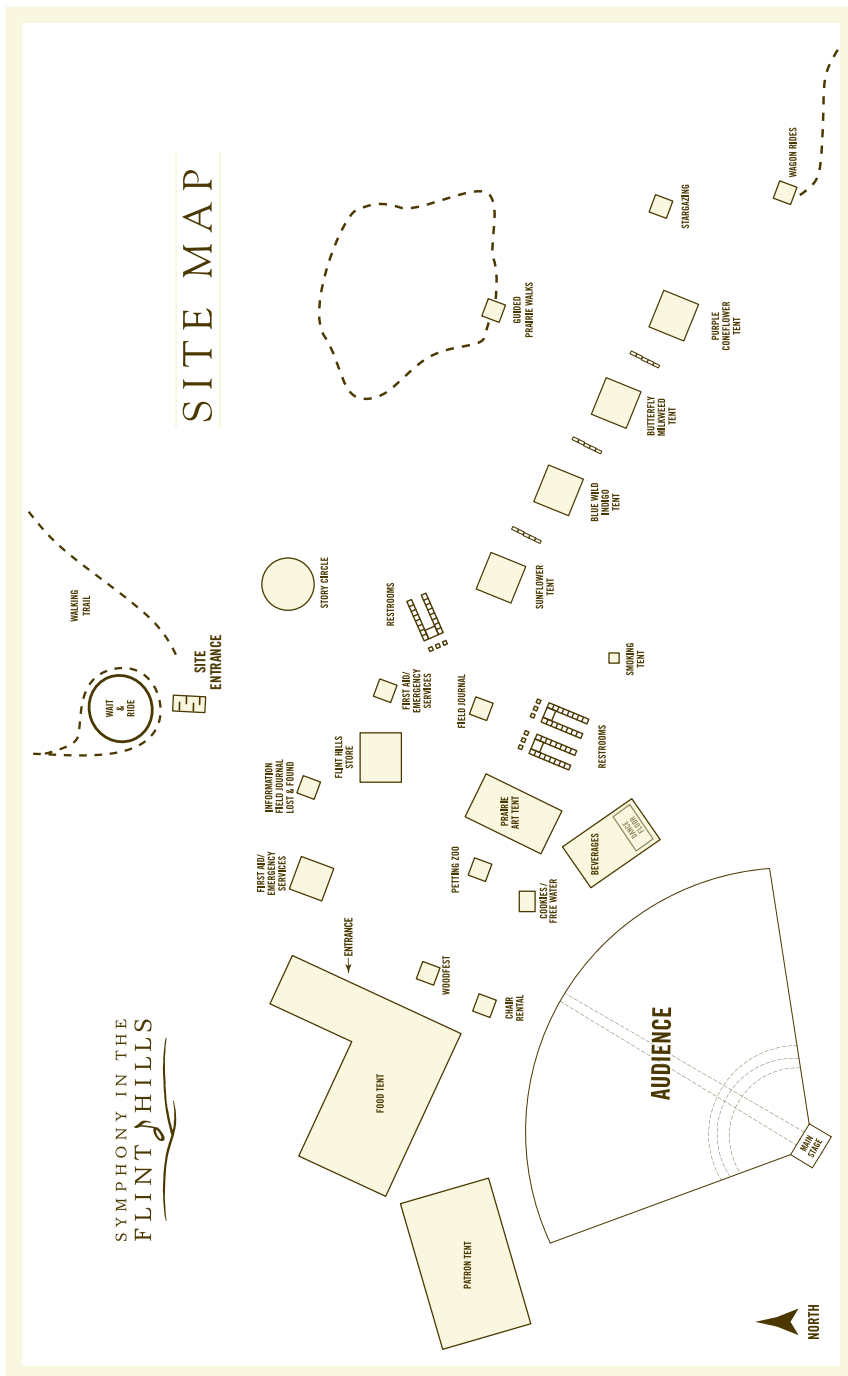
### CHISHOLM TRAIL PACK

*The Chisholm Trail: Driving the American West*, a traveling exhibit that is a joint project of Symphony in the Flint Hills and Flint Hills Design.  
*Anthony Esau*

## SPECIAL THANKS

### SITE SERVICES

|                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| SITE COORDINATOR     | Bill Hartnett, Harvest Productions                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| SITE ARCHITECT       | Tom Nelson, BNIM                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| SITE ENGINEER        | Steve Brosemer, GeoTech, Inc.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| SITE SUPPORT         | John Wilson                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| SITE SAFETY/SECURITY | <i>Parking:</i> Garry Berges, Geary County CERT<br>Don Smith, Butler County CERT<br><i>Flint Hills Outriders:</i> Braxton Burgett, Jason Gustafson, Jason Klumpe, Josh Patry, Cindy Peterson, Randy Peterson, Sammy Jo Peterson, Steve Standerwick, Emma Stout, Jared Whitcomb<br>Chain Ranch |
| FOOD & BEVERAGE      | Coco Bolos<br>Cox Brothers<br>Tallgrass Brewing Company<br>Walnut River Brewing Company<br>Walnut Valley Packing<br>William Cole Vineyards                                                                                                                                                    |
| MUSIC                | <i>Dance Band:</i> Hot Club of Cowtown<br><i>Harmonica :</i> Keith Burdett<br><i>Roving Music:</i> Tallgrass Express String Band                                                                                                                                                              |
| FLORIST              | Pendleton's Country Market                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| COVERED WAGON RIDES  | Country Boys Carriage<br>Classic Reproduction Wagon Works                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |



## MENU – MAIN FOOD TENT

### SANDWICHES

|                                      |     |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| Grilled Portobello Mushroom Sandwich | \$9 |
| Hickory Smoked Beef Brisket Sandwich | \$9 |
| Pulled Pork Sandwich                 | \$9 |

### SIDES

|                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| Coleslaw               | \$4 |
| Homestyle Potato Salad | \$4 |
| Smokehouse Beans       | \$4 |

### DRINKS

|                            |     |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Lemonade, Soda, Tea, Water | \$4 |
| Beer & Wine                | \$7 |



TRAIL NORTH  
Dale Hartley

## HOME ON THE RANGE

WRITTEN BY: *Brewster Higley* | MUSIC BY: *Daniel Kelley*

Oh, give me a home where the buffalo roam  
Where the deer and the antelope play  
Where seldom is heard a discouraging word  
And the skies are not cloudy all day

How often at night when the heavens are bright  
With the light from the glittering stars  
Have I stood there amazed and asked as I gazed  
If their glory exceeds that of ours

Where the air is so pure, the zephyrs so free  
The breezes so balmy and light  
That I would not exchange my home on the range  
For all of the cities so bright

Oh, I love those wild flow'rs in this dear land of ours  
The curlew, I love to hear scream  
And I love the white rocks and the antelope flocks  
That graze on the mountaintops green

### *Refrain*

Home, home on the range  
Where the deer and the antelope play  
Where seldom is heard a discouraging word  
And the skies are not cloudy all day

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SYMPHONY IN THE  
FLINT  HILLS  
