



July 2024 President's News



Denver Mayor's with July Birthday's: **Robert Morris** 16th, 1881-1883, 7/15/1838 born in Pennsylvania, **Wolfe Londoner** 20th, 1889-1891, 7/4/1842 born in New York, **Bill Vidal** 44th, 2011-2011, 7/19/1951 born in Cuba, **Michael Hancock** 45th, 7/19/1969 born in Texas.



Territorial Daughters with July Birthday's: 1st: Petie Horton, 4th: Arielle Gerke, 5th: Bertha Gallegos, 9th: Iarisa Byers, 10th: Mary Kingery & Kelly Peterson, 11th: Jesse Smith, 16th: Judith Clough, 24th: Dorothy Potter, 26th: Marjorie Noe, 29th: Elaine Westblade.



Territorial Daughters yearly membership meeting: It is HERE.... IN DENVER!!!! Mark your calendars for **Saturday, August 3, 2023**, at the **Four Mile House History Park!** You will be receiving the TDC yearly newsletter soon with more info. **I would love for as many of us is possible to attend this meeting!!**



Our next Field Trip is now scheduled: On Friday, September 13, 2024, we venture up to Loveland to visit the historic Osborn farm! This family has TDC Denver members! It has been in the same family since 1861-WOW!!! The fifth generation is currently farming there. They raise pumpkins, gourds, and Indian corn. It's about an hour drive from central Denver. Bring a picnic/sack lunch. Our host, Sue Osborn will have coffee, water, and iced tea for us. Please RSVP to myself or Kathie Bartee my September 8th. (Directions will be sent to you when you rsvp.) This is a free trip, so let's go see come country!!

Our Service Project for 2023-2024 is complete! Neither monsoon rain nor searing heat stopped us (just delayed us a lot) from completing our promise of 5 brand new picnic tables to Four Mile House History Park!! They look great and are a wonderful compliment to the park! Check them out at our state meeting in August. I want to give a shout out to all our ladies who worked and supported this project, and to my other half, Jack Rimmel, who assembled the final product! Thank you so much... this never would have happened without all of us working together!! Thanks again!!!



Pam Collins, Kenneth Weber, Evan Walter delivering tables.

Four Mile House: The original house was built in 1859 by two brothers. In 1860 they sold it, and the new owner established an inn, with the building, for the travelers along the Cherokee trail. In 1862 The Butterfield Stagecoach Co., began service along the Cherry Creek. Several stops were created. [Of the 6 stops, only 4 Mile and 17 Mile houses still stand]. The house passed through 5 family ownerships, using the property as an inn, orchard, beekeeping, and farming. In 1934 the house was included in the Historic American Buildings Survey. In 1941 the DAR awarded it Historical Monument Designation. 1968 it was designated a Denver Historical Landmark, and 1969 saw it placed on the National Register of Historic Places. In 1975 Denver acquired the property, creating a foundation to restore and preserve it.



Our Vice-President: It was with great reluctance that I accepted Chris Bogard's resignation as Vice President of TDC Denver Chapter. All of us wish Chris well and hope to see her as often as possible. The Denver board now has a vacancy to fill. If you are interested, or want more info, please contact me.

Have a fun and relaxing July! Hope to see **you** at our events!!

