



Chamber of Commerce

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Everyone,

Due to the uncertainty of these times we find ourselves in, and not knowing when we will all be able to “gather” again and feel confident in doing so, especially in large groups, the Directors of the Yoakum Area Chamber of Commerce have made the decision to cancel this year’s Tom Tom Festival scheduled for June 5th and 6th, 2020. We will still have the Miss Yoakum Pageant at some point, but we don’t have specific dates until restrictions are lifted.

We regret having to make this decision, but feel it is best for everyone in the community. Our Festival greatly depends on generous sponsorships as well as many volunteer hours from everyone in the community and we don’t want to contribute to COVID – 19 in any way. Also due to the effect it is having on our local economy, and even though we are hopeful that restrictions to limit its spread will be gone by June, we anticipate that everyone will still be recovering and making our way in our “new normal”. We want to encourage everyone to take these precautions/restrictions seriously, so that we will weather this sooner rather than later.

We will be setting our sights on our future events for 2020, and hope to make them something we will all be happy to celebrate when we can all “gather” again. We are looking to move our “Birthday Bash” to September (so it will hopefully be cooler than July) and we are also already working on the Sip ‘n Shop for November 19th and Christmas on the Grand for December 4th. Then we will gear up for a wonderful Tom Tom in 2021, set for June 4th and 5th.

Please make sure to check our Website and follow our Facebook page to stay up to date on what is happening in the Chamber and we will keep you posted as we move forward.

Sincerely,

Yoakum Area Chamber Board and Staff