Ever get something and you wished it was one of a kind? So unique, so unusual, that they broke the mold when it was made? Ever know of someone, a friend or business associate that was like that? You may yourself have had a close encounter with whom we speak.

When it comes to suave and debonair and lucky, there is but one among us who stands out from the herd – the one we’ll call “Uncle Ed”. Yes, we all wish we had one – an uncle just like Ed Hutchison of Frechin Pest Control and Radon Detection.

Try and pack over 60 years of experience and adventure into 30 minutes and you will need a road map to follow along. Last week you got to hear story after story of his education, family, his business savvy, and service to country.

Having Ed sit at your breakfast table is always a treat; imagine him at the Thanksgiving table – OMG! You never know what to expect or what may come out of his mouth next. But know there will never be a dull moment.

You ever thought of putting your entire life down on one sheet of paper? And then including photos to enhance the experience? Yep – your man Ed managed this too. There was so much covered in such a short time – if you were there last week, take the time to rehash his life and times, and if you were not there, boy did you miss a lot.

But your chance is here – check out his synopsis of his life and times that he so kindly provided (because there is no way to accurately take notes on all that BS.) There is one thing for sure – when they made the mold for Ed, they just went and started making Jell-O too, because you can never get enough of either one.

Thanks Ed for your edgy personality, your spirit which drives many of us, your surprise visits, for the kindness and support you give unknowingly to so many in the club. We Thank You for what you do for Prospectors and for your service to our country so we all can live in a land of freedom and liberty. You ARE a one of a kind, and we would not be Prospectors without you.
UPCOMING

SPEAKERS

SCHEDULE

Here is a list of our upcoming speakers. Please note some events are evenings or away from Deer Creek CC.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING PROSPECTORS?

Give Keith Steiniger, our Membership Chairman a call at 913-735-2780 or email at ksteiniger@idologymg.com before you visit our group so we can make sure there are no category conflicts with our current members.

May 19 – Dave Flessner of Mustard Seed at Deer Creek CC.

May 26 – Sheri Mortko of Live Like You Mean It Coaching at Deer Creek CC.

June 2 – Kathleen Cussen of Hangers Cleaners AT HER LOCATION.
Background: Born Mother’s Day, 1941. Graduated Rockhurst University in 1964 with a 2.0 GPA (anything over 2.0 meant you over-studied). Married sometime in 1961ish (that’s 50+) which resulted in 2 girls and a boy (still waiting results back on the DNA on one of them). Finally off to the Air Force to become one of those glamorous Fly Boys.

Pilot training—Enid OK—’63-’64
Flew the T-37 & T-38
Graduated lucky 13th in my class
Sold coyote ears for bounty to pay for travel to/from Enid & KC during our stay.

Flew the C-124:
’65 San Antonio (copilot),
’70-’71 Boston (Reserve Advisor/Flight Examiner),
’72-’76 Anchorage (pilot)
Got in the real estate game.

Flew the C-141 Starlifter:
’69-’70 San Bernardino, CA
(Flight Examiner)
Part-time stock broker (only hustled blue chip penny stocks)

’67-’68...Off to Nam & Thailand, to play hero as a Jolly Green Chopper pilot. I picked up pilots in North Vietnam and Laos, who made more takeoffs then landings

Brief transfer to Air America flying soft and hard rice. Lasted 4 weeks, until I didn’t bring back their H-34. Walked home for 5 days with a brief stay in Singapore to get patched up & a little rehab.

Out of the Air Force in ’76 with a relocation to Corpus Christi to earn a MBA from Texas A & M. During which time, while living on the GI Bill & unemployment, I tried a career in selling life insurance (playing on one’s grief rather the greed as a stock broker). Got hungry, moved back to KC to restart my uncle’s Bug Business and joined the Air Guard.

’78-’92 Flew the Huey & Cobra with the Missouri Air Guard. Great money, lots of fun and a step toward retirement for just flying with a weekend flying club. In ’92, tore off my buttons and broke my saber & semi-requested to retire.

While starting up the Bug business, I was a switchman on the side for Kansas City Southern Railroad. Within 5 years, the business was as big as I wanted it, thus I quit advertising.
Picked up a little farm in Peculiar and a nice size one near Ethel, MO which was paid for by y’ll with CRP payments.

Built a home on the Ethel farm with my kid’s money (never did like ‘em anyway). It’s got a couple of big lakes on it with 7 miles of ATV trails through the woods. We spend most of our weekends (Thursday-Sunday) up there. Started up a unique restaurant in Ethel, lasted 7 years til I got bored again.

Two complete failures: Tried for the New Cambria school district Superintendent, of course, just wanted part-time. Didn’t want a full time gig. Last year I entered the race for Macon County Sheriff (it was close 2,756 to 12).

Newest venture: Haven’t shot myself in the foot lately so I’m starting up another business, radon testing & mitigation.

Died: November 23, 2036. Will be taking donations for flowers now.
Trivia Question:-
What symbolized justice and law to the Lone Ranger?

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

ENJOY THE LITTLE THINGS
FOR ONE DAY YOU MAY LOOK BACK AND REALIZE THEY WERE THE BIG THINGS

In 1959, Walt Disney turned Tommy Kirk into the « Shaggy Dog ».

Con’t. From Page 1……..

When It Comes To Luck, Some of Us Are Born With It, and Others Work Hard to Find Our Own Pot of Gold.
BE A PART OF THE BEST NETWORKING GROUP IN JOHNSON COUNTY – COME JOIN YOUR FELLOW PROSPECTORS THIS THURSDAY

PROSPECTOR EVENTS / NEWS / CHARITABLE CAUSE

Karson Douglas, son of Kyle and Lexie, his heart surgery scheduled for May 9th has been delayed. You can stay in touch with their journey by joining them on www.caringbridge.org and follow their posts. You will need to log in and create a username and password, and it’s that easy. Please keep them in your thoughts, and keep this private within the Club.

It’s A Baby Boy Shower !!
For Prospector Ladies Only........

Saturday, May 21st – 11:30 am - at Janine Terstriep’s home, hosted by Janine and Sheri.
Check your emails for a personal Evite sent to you and be sure to let them know Y or N.

TONIGHT - ATF !!

Return to After The Facts – Mark your calendars for our next ATF event when Doug Airey and Rich Sirna will host us at Doug Airey’s home for a great evening of light snacks and beverages and sharing.

Tuesday, May 17th at the home of Doug Airey and Annabeth Surbaugh – 5:00-7:00 pm.
19005 West 97th Terrace, Lenexa, KS  66220
Prospector’s Breakfast Club
Attendance and Thank You’s

Meeting Date:- 

PLEASE PLACE “X” IN FRONT OF NAME IF ATTENDING MEETING

___ Adams, Linda ___
___ Airey, Douglas ___
___ Ashurst, Chase & Amy ___
___ Beckner, Pat ___
___ Bell, Jim ___
___ Beltzer, Dan ___
___ Boehringer, Kevin ___
___ Bovard, Zach ___
___ Brosset, Mike ___
___ Brown, Erin ___
___ Cocherl, Stephanie ___
___ Cunningham, Rick ___
___ Cussen, Kathleen ___
___ Darby, Mike ___
___ Dayal, Vivek ___
___ Douglas, Kyle ___
___ Eckinger, Bill ___
___ Eidson, Ken ___
___ Emerson, Bill ___
___ Felton, Dr. Sean ___
___ Foster, Rod ___
___ Kenner, Kevin ___
___ Sier, Rea ___
___ Heyford, Alan ___
___ Cochert, Stephanie ___
___ Sier, Rea ___
___ Kenner, Kevin ___
PROSPECTORS BREAKFAST CLUB 5/19/2016

PLEASE PLACE "X" IN FRONT OF NAME IF ATTENDING MEETING

- Flessner, Dave
- Giordano, Phil
- Goodheart, Alan
- Goodheart, Bruce
- Hardin, Das
- Hawkins, Darryl
- Heriford, Alan
- Heriford, Ed
- Holk, Dan
- Holland, Ed
- Hutchison, Ed
- Kennedy, John F.
- Kopplin, Mike
- Mellott, Mike
- Mortko, Sheri
- O'Bryan, Cliff
- Oettmeier, Dr. Bert
- Phar, Matt
- Pickering, Chris
- Rapp, Bryan
- Runyan, Joe

All prospectors that came to breakfast.
PLEASE PLACE "X" IN FRONT OF NAME IF ATTENDING MEETING

Ryan, Pat
Shelton, Jennifer
Simpson, Brownie
Sirna, Richard
JFL
Spencer, Neil
Steiniger, Keith
Stone, Janet
Terstriep, Janine
Trondson, Chad
Twigg, Brad
Wagner, Leigh
Webb, Tyler
Wilkinson, Ann
Williamson, Beverly
Wolverton, Rick
York, Kevin

GUESTS
Name | Name of Business | Your Position (owner, sales, etc.)