

# Hudson, Kansas

## A Byway Community



### Hudson, Kansas 67545

Turn off Highway 281 and follow the small paved road (Hudson Road/NE 100<sup>th</sup> Street) east to Hudson, Kansas. The road is quiet, the scenery is gentle and it eases you into the center of a timeless small town. The city park and the community hall welcome bicyclist riding the TransAmerica Trail and the Wheatland Café welcomes people from around the world for Sunday buffet. If you are searching for the authentic heart of America, you will find it beating here.

Population: 128 (2013 Census)  
Website: [www.hudsonkansas.org](http://www.hudsonkansas.org)

*“Power Flour ... for those who doubt the wisdom of asking United Parcel drivers to haul bags of ground wheat all around the nation, we offer these three words: Hudson Cream Flour. It’s hard not to love this flour.”*

*-Allison and Margaret Engel  
[www.saveur.com](http://www.saveur.com)*

### Events & Attractions

- **Signature Festival** Chicken Ride – Ham & Jam  
1<sup>st</sup> weekend of August – Bike Ride, Music, Amazing Food
- **Things to See and Do**
  - See a Whooping Crane – Quivira NWR
  - Visit Stafford County Flour Mill – Hudson Cream Flour
  - Have a Picnic at City Park – Bike Riders Haven
  - Worship in Hudson – Trinity and Peace Churches
  - Stand in a Cell at Hudson’s Historic Jail
  - Play Ball – Micheal Fensky Memorial Softball Tournament
  - Ride the TransAmerica Bike Trail
  - Visit an Artist – Carol Long Pottery
  - Old Fashioned Christmas – Odd-Numbered Years
- **Cemeteries to Die For**
  - Trinity, Salem, and Peace Church
- **Local Food**
  - Wheatland Café – Sunday Buffet, 20 Year Tradition
  - Turnip Festival – Even Numbered Years
  - The Picnic – Town Park, Cake Walk, Food Stand
  - Mary’s Sandhill Plum Jelly – Available at Wheatland

### Best Chicken Dinner

The Sunday buffet is all you can eat and has the best home fried chicken ever. All the veggies taste great and my children had to go eat at the café. Anytime we have company, we take them to eat at the Wheatland Café. They have the friendliest staff; they make everyone feel as though they are coming to a big family dinner.

*-Sharon Walker  
Restaurant Review*

“As it turned out, the woman in the bank saw me wandering around looking a bit like a lost puppy and called down to the café to have Darrell come find me. He and his mother Sally have long had the reputation for taking in stray bikers who wander through.”

*-mhelmuth’s TransAmerica Trail Blog  
[www.angryspidermonkey.com](http://www.angryspidermonkey.com)  
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*“Generations of Hudson children learned to swim in the salt water of Rattlesnake Creek.”*

*“Kansas, you fooler, you’re making me smile cuz I’ve never seen you this way before.”*

*-Ozark Mountain Daredevils*

