

Jean C. Coday, President/Director of the Laura Ingalls Wilder Home Association



Jean C. Coday, nee Short, was born in Ash Grove, Mo. She received her Bachelor and Masters degrees from Drury University in Springfield Missouri. She married Joseph D. Coday and moved to Mansfield in 1960. For 21 years she was a teacher in the Mansfield School System and served as the Elementary Principal for 10 years. Mrs. Coday has served on the Board of Directors of the Laura Ingalls Wilder Home Association since 1960 and has functioned as the President/Director since 1993. She is presently the President and Chairman of the Board of Homepride Bank. Since 1992 Mrs. Coday has served on the board of the Wright County Children's Home, the Mansfield School Board and sits on the board of several other civic organizations in the community.