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The Cowboy created by Jake Harder, local rancher, in 1988 depicts the early settlers of Adams County. English cattlemen were here as early as 1876.



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Built by Ritzville High School alumnus Lamar Thiel in 1988, the "Bronco" is aptly named and resides on the front lawn of the high school.



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The latest sculpture by Sherryl and Vince Evans completed in 2008 pays tribute to Shontz Schuler, Sherryl's great grandfather, a local contractor who built Ritzville's Carnegie Library as well as many other fine structures in the Ritzville community.

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The Pioneer Woman was designed by Sherryl Evans and constructed by her husband Vince in 1992. She commemorates the early pioneer women who helped settle this county.



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Commissioned by the Ritzville Downtown Development Association and dedicated in 2008, this whimsical sculpture by Annie Trunkel-Smart of Lind has hidden features paying tribute to Dr. Frank R. Burroughs and his many accomplishments. The obvious is his dedication to the children of this county. See if you can identify others.



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As "the unofficial town photographer," Bert Kendrick took family and school class photos for many years. He was also a photojournalist, historian and artist. Commissioned by the Ritzville Downtown Development Association in 2007, this sculpture was created by local artisan Lamar Thiel.



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Plow Boy, designed and built by Lamar Thiel in 1988, pays tribute to the hard working farmers who cleared and cultivated the land to create the vast fertile wheat land that now exists in Ritzville.



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The Wagon Train (pictured on the front cover) was built by local artisan, Lamar Thiel, to commemorate the 17 Volga German families who came to Ritzville in 1883. This scaled replica of a wagon train was donated to the City of Ritzville in 1998 by the Wagon Train Descendants' Association.

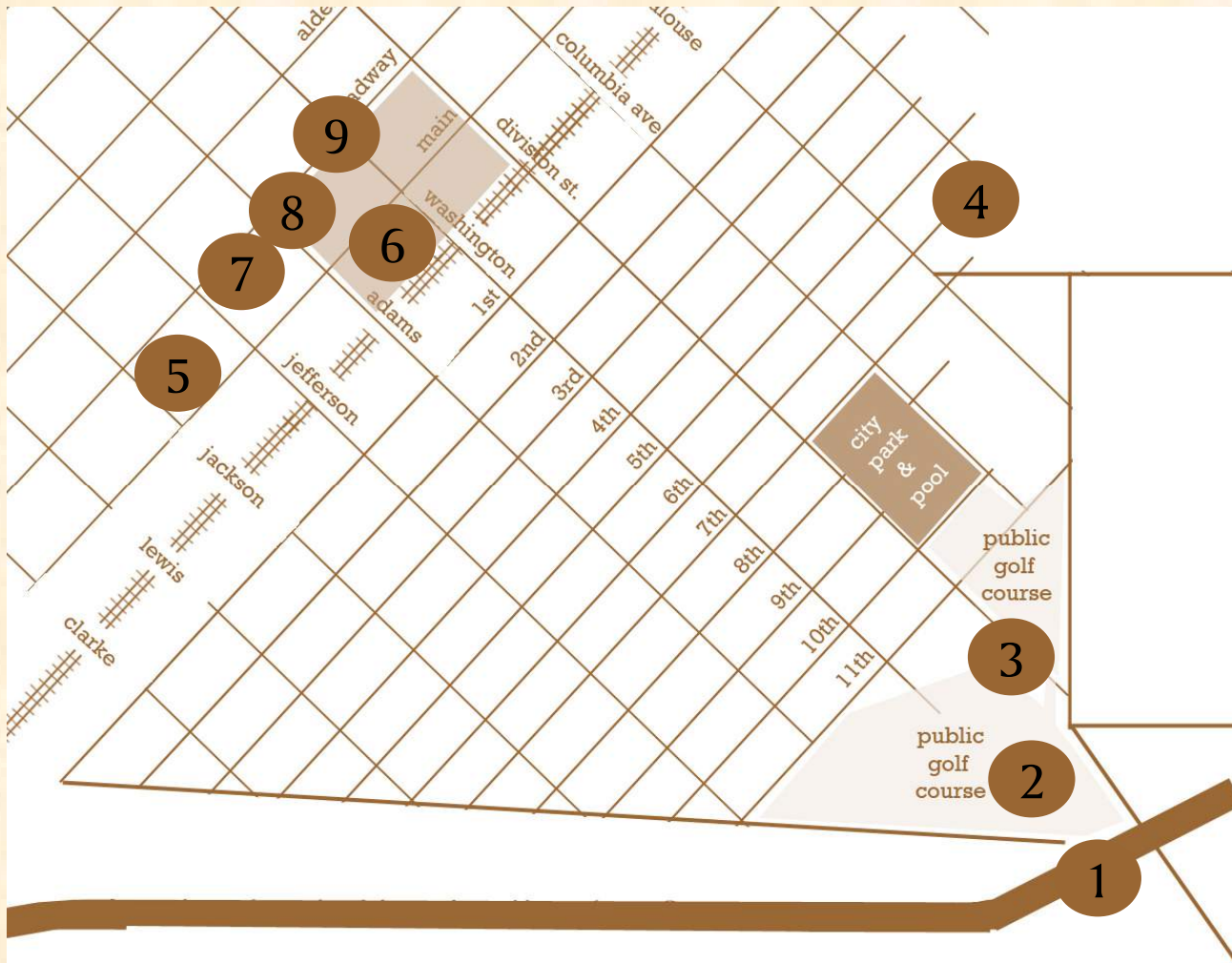
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Ritzville's namesake, Philip Ritz, was created by Sherryl and Vince Evans. Commissioned by the Wagon Train Descendants' Association, it was dedicated and donated to the City of Ritzville in 2005.



# Ritzville's Heavy Metal Tour

Ritzville, WA



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