

Hi there. My name is Rob Bowness, and although most of you know me as an art teacher, there is much more to me than meets the eye.

I grew up in Fairfax, Missouri and graduated from Fairfax R-3 High School in 1977 (Go Bulldogs!). I studied at Northwest Missouri State University in Maryville and earned my bachelor's degree in art. I not only teach high school and middle school art in Steelville, but I coach middle school cross country and assist with middle school track. I'm also on the Steelville Arts Council.

Thirty years ago, I married the love of my life, Willie. Together, we have two daughters, Jane and Hallie, and our son-in-law, Trevor. We have relatives all over Missouri and the western states.

In my free time, I make art, play bagpipes, spend time with family, read, work at the house, and run the roads. Sometimes I travel. I've earned awards and prizes at several art shows and medals for road races. My wife and I were the centerfold of the February 2003 Rural Missouri magazine.

I may be the only clay-pottery-making, bagpipe-playing, barefoot-running art teacher that you have ever heard of.



I'm also a Presbyterian!

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