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The Pioneer Woman Debuts First Cookbook in Tulsa on Oct. 27
Award-winning blogger shares recipes, photos and stories from life on the ranch

Tulsa, Okla.— National award-winning blogger and city-girl-turned-Pawhuska-ranch-wife Ree Drummond – affectionately known as the Pioneer Woman – will unveil her first cookbook, *The Pioneer Woman Cooks: Recipes from an Accidental Country Girl*, from 7- 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 27 at the Tulsa Historical Society, 2445 S. Peoria Ave.

“*The Pioneer Woman Cooks* brings out the Oklahoma in all of us,” said Sharon Terry, Society executive director. “Ree has written an eagerly awaited book of wonderful recipes with a modern country twist. We’re excited to help kick off her ‘big city’ book tour.”

The book release party is sponsored by Book Smart Tulsa and is Drummond’s first event on an 18-stop book tour through 14 states. The event is free and open to the public. Seating and parking are limited, so guests are encouraged to arrive early. For more information, visit www.booksmarttulsa.com or www.facebook.com/tulsahistory or call the Society at (918) 712-9484.

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Named one of *Time* magazine's Best Blogs of 2009, Drummond's wildly popular blog, Confessions of a Pioneer Woman (www.thepioneerwoman.com), receives 2 million unique site visitors and approximately 14 million page views per month.

The Pioneer Woman Cooks, Drummond's debut publication, combines her own full-color photography with a collection of delicious recipes she has developed as a ranch wife in northeastern Oklahoma. Her charming narrative encourages even the most harried urban cook to slow down and relish the joys of family, nature and great food, according to the book's publishing company, William Morrow.

The Pioneer Woman Cooks hardcover, 256-page cookbook retails for \$27.50. Copies go on sale Oct. 27 and will be available for purchase and signing at the book release party.

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About the Tulsa Historical Society

The Tulsa Historical Society was established in 1963 to illuminate the past, enrich the present and inspire future generations by collecting, preserving and presenting Tulsa's history. The Society features an extensive collection of resources on Tulsa's rich past, with thousands of items ranging from photographs, maps and documents to historical costumes and architectural elements. It manages information requests from the public, provides lectures for schools and civic groups, exhibits collection materials and sponsors educational programs to foster awareness of local history.