

DATEBOOK

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

FLEMINGSBURG CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE SPRING REVIVAL 2026 — 7 p.m., Evangelist Dr. Ken Dove, 96 Secrest Crossing, Flemingsburg, KY 41041, 606-849-3712.

ROBERTSON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH TAXING DISTRICT — Noon. Robertson County Public Library.

LIBERTY TREE DEDICATION — 2 p.m., Maysville-Mason County Recreation Park. Conducted by the Limestone Daughters of the American Revolution with the assistance of the George Mason Chapter SAR.

THURSDAY, APRIL 23

THE MAYSVILLE PLAYERS PRESENTS THE MUSICAL 1776 — 7:30 p.m., Washington Opera House. Call 606-564-3666, visit maysvilleplayers.net, or get your tickets at the box office.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

THE MAYSVILLE PLAYERS PRESENTS THE MUSICAL 1776 — 7:30 p.m., Washington Opera House. Call 606-564-3666, visit maysvilleplayers.net, or get your tickets at the box office.

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

ARBOR DAY/IP TREE GIVEAWAY — 8 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 26

37TH CHURCH ANNIVERSARY — 11:15 a.m., Washington Missionary Baptist Church, 504 Clark Street, Maysville. Dinner immediately following. 3 p.m. service will feature Bethesda Baptist Church of Lexington. All are welcome.

THE MAYSVILLE PLAYERS PRESENTS THE MUSICAL 1776 — 2:00 p.m., Washington Opera House. Call 606-564-3666, visit maysvilleplayers.net, or get your tickets at the box office.

TUESDAY, APRIL 28

AAUW MAYSVILLE BRANCH MEETING — 6 p.m., Hippiie Burger. Topic will be Women's Health Issues.

BUFFALO TRACE DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH — 5:30 p.m. Mason County Health Center.

ADAMS COUNTY SPECIAL BOARD MEETING — 4 p.m., career and technical center conference room.

SUNDAY, MAY 3

LIMESTONE CHORALE CONCERT "SONGS FOR AMERICA" — 4 p.m., First Presbyterian Church.

TUESDAY, MAY 5

OWL CLUB MEETING — 5:30 p.m., Hippiie Burger.

THURSDAY, MAY 7

TRI-COUNTY DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB MEETING — 5:30 p.m. at the Mason County Public Library.

TUESDAY, MAY 12

GROUP HIKE ACORN TRAIL — 6 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

SATURDAY, MAY 16

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SITY OF KY — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

SATURDAY, MAY 23

GROUP HIKE ROCK FENCE TRAIL — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

TUESDAY, MAY 28

MASON COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY REGULAR MEETING — Mason County Public Library at 7 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4

TRI-COUNTY DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB MEETING — 5:30 p.m. at the Mason County Public Library.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9

GROUP HIKE DAN CRUM TRAIL — 6 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

SATURDAY, JUNE 13

GROUP HIKE GOAT PATH — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

THURSDAY, JULY 2

TRI-COUNTY DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB MEETING — 5:30 p.m. at the Mason County Public Library.

SATURDAY, JULY 11

BUFFALO TRACE REPUBLICAN POTLUCK LUNCH — 12 p.m. at the Washington Recreational Park Browning Shelter.

TUESDAY, JULY 14

GROUP HIKE DEER SCOUT TRAIL — 6 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

SATURDAY, JULY 25

GROUP HIKE GOAT PATH — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5

MCPL WITH CINCINNATI OBSERVATORY ROCKETS — 4 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

PERSEID METEOR SHOWER — 9 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

GROUP HIKE DAN CRUM TRAIL — 6 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22

GROUP HIKE ROCK FENCE TRAIL — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29

AMPHIBIANS AND REPTILES (UK) — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

GROUP HIKE GOAT PATH — 6 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

GROUP HIKE SYCAMORE TRAIL — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

GROUP HIKE TURKEY TRAIL — 6 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

MCPL STORYTIME IN THE PARK — 10:30 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

GROUP HIKE ACORN TRAIL — 9 a.m., Cummins Nature Preserve. Meet at Picnic Shelter.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23

PUMPKIN GLOW FOR THE ION CENTER — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24

PUMPKIN GLOW FOR THE ION CENTER — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25

PUMPKIN GLOW FOR THE ION CENTER — 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., Cummins Nature Preserve.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8

NAMI BUFFALO TRACE AFFILIATE MEETING — 6 p.m., Maysville Public Library.

MISC.

ABERDEEN COUNCIL — 6:30 p.m., third Thursday of the month, council room, Aberdeen, Ohio.

ALL THINGS MAYSVILLE

— Every Tuesday, 1-2:30 p.m., Ron Bailey. Kentucky Gateway Museum Center.

ALZHEIMER SUPPORT GROUP

— 5:30 p.m., St. Paul Trinity Apartments, 665 Kenton Station Road, Maysville.

AUGUSTA LODGE

NO. 80 F&AM — First Saturday of each month, 7:30 p.m., at the lodge, 128 Main Street, Second Floor, Augusta.

AUGUSTA CITY COUNCIL

— 6:30 p.m., third Wednesday of each month.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

— AA, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Wednesday, Germantown Community Center.

AL-ANON

— 10:30 a.m., Trinity United Methodist Church, 26 West Third Street, Maysville.

AL-ANON

— 7 p.m., Thursdays, New Creation Praise and Worship Center, 1431 Helena Road in Flemingsburg, call Wilma 606-798-5555.

New Beginnings

Group, Thursdays, 7-8 p.m., Hunter House, 31 East Third Street, Maysville.

West Union

Tuesdays and Fridays, Catholic Church, 612 Mulberry Street, 7:30 p.m.

Nobody's Fault

but Mine group, Wednesdays, 7 p.m., Manchester, Ohio, Pike and Fifth Street, Community Building.

West Union

Sundays, 10 a.m., The Counseling Center Group Room, Adams Lake, 829

E. Walnut Street.

— Ripley's Miracles, Thursdays, 7 p.m., Beebe Chapel, 438 Main Street, Ripley, Ohio. limited seating.

AAUW (AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN) — Fourth Tuesday at 6 p.m., locations announced monthly.

BRACKEN COUNTY FISCAL COURT — 10 a.m., second and fourth Wednesday every month.

BROWN COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT — HIV/Hep. C test, second Thursday each month, appointment needed; Diabetes support group, 6:30 p.m., second Thursday of each month, Georgetown Church of Christ.

CANCER CARE CLUB BINGO — Every Friday night, doors open at 5 p.m., and play begins at 7 p.m., Double S Entertainment Center, Flemingsburg.

CANCER FIGHTERS UNITED — First Thursday, 5:30 p.m., resource room open, 6:30 p.m., meeting. For families, friends and cancer survivors, support group, at Highland Christian Church. Call 606-564-0577 or 606-375-2511 for information.

CONCERNED CITIZENS' COALITION — Fourth Tuesday each month, 6:30 p.m., Hunter Hall, 31 Third Street.

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH AND ENGLISH AS A 2ND LANGUAGE — Every Thursday, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., all ages welcome, free, Fleming County Public Library.

DAV — For transportation to Veterans Administration Medical Center in Lexington, call local 859-285-8355 or the DAV in Lexington, Bob Arrowood at 859-227-3844, you must give Lexington 48 hour notice.

DEKALB LODGE INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS — Every Tuesday, 7 p.m. at the lodge on Tucker Drive.

FLEMING COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY — Lego Club, first Wednesday of each month, 4 p.m. All ages. No Lego Club in January.

FLEMING COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY — Get Hooked on Crochet, every Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. All ages welcome. Free class taught by Debbie Edmond. Learn and relearn the basics of crochet. Bring own hook and yarn.

FLEMING COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY — Science in play2go, June 14 through Sept. 13.

FLEMING COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY — Dulcimer lessons, every Tuesday from noon to 5 p.m. and Thursdays from 2-7 p.m. Free 30-minute lessons taught by Mary M. Open to all ages. Call 606-845-7851 to get started.

JAMES J. WELCH CANTON NUMBER 36 INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS — Six months following second Tuesday meeting at DeKalb Lodge, six months following second Wednesday meeting at Ringgold Lodge.

KENTUCKY GATEWAY MUSEUM CENTER — Open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, 215 Sutton Street, downtown Maysville.

KYGMC OLD POGUE EXPERIENCE — Featuring exhibits on the history of Old Pogue Distillery and the Maysville Bourbon industry, open Tuesday to Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Galleries are located in the Limestone Building on the Kentucky Gateway Museum Center Campus at the corner of

KDE's Summer Boost program to provide books and other resources in 34 districts

Submitted by the Kentucky Department of Education

FRANKFORT, Ky. — Thirty-five sites in 34 school districts will be participating in the 2026 Summer Boost: Reading and Mathematics Program, a partnership between the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE) and the Summer Food Service Program.

The program will promote family engagement in reading and math by providing free books and digital access to math games intended to motivate and remind families to make summer count through reading and math engagement during the extended school break. Each of the participating food service programs will receive approximately 1,000 books to distribute at their meal sites.

Families interested in having their child participate should reach out to their local Summer Food Service department for more information about meal service sites within their district.

KDE's Summer Support webpages also offer information and resources to encourage students and families to make learning a part of their daily routines in communities

across Kentucky. Other resources available on the webpages include information for families and caregivers about literacy, mathematics and gifted and talented resources, as well as goal setting for summer reading and tracking sheets for elementary and secondary students.

Districts participating in the 2026 Summer Boost: Reading and Mathematics Program include:

Augusta Independent, Bardstown Independent, Bowling Green Independent, Carter County, Caverna Independent, Clark County, Covington Independent, Elliott County, Fayette County, Frankfort Independent, Fulton Independent, Garrard County, Graves County, Greenup County, Jefferson County, Lincoln County, Ludlow Independent, Lyon County, Menifee County, Metcalfe County, Middleboro Independent, Monroe County, Morgan County, Oldham County, Owsley County, Pikeville Area YMCA, Powell County, Pulaski County, Rockcastle County, Shelby County, Taylor County, Union County, Warren County (Literacy Academy), Warren County (Kinder-Ready Academy), Whitley County.

Wayback Wednesday



Photo courtesy of Ron Bailey
Cherokee Bill performing his Wild West show at a local school.

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To purchase display or classified advertising in the The Ledger Independent, call one of the numbers listed above and an advertising representative will be happy to serve you.

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