

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER 11
The Fox Valley Boys will be singing at God's House of Prayer, 156 Calcutta Rd, Carlisle, KY on Thursday, Sept. 11 at 6 p.m. Everyone welcome.

SEPTEMBER 14
The Davis, Mann, Minton, Durbin Reunion will be Sept. 14, 2025 at the Fleming-Mason Energy Conference Room. Entrance is behind the main building at 1449 Elizaville Rd. Flemingsburg, KY 41041. This is normally the first Sunday after Labor Day. Because of scheduling we had to change this year to the second Sunday (Sept. 14, 2025). Potluck being served at 12:00 pm noon. Please bring your favorite foods and drinks. Catching up and looking back. Hope to see you there this year.

SEPTEMBER 24
Central Ky Foxhunters invites you and your friends to the 93rd Annual Bench Show and Field September 24 – 27, 2025 to be held at the Clay Wildlife Management Area in Nicholas County, Carlisle, Ky. For more information contact: Cindy Watkins, Sec/Treasurer at (859-405-8659).

NICHOLAS COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
will be holding their regular monthly meeting on the 4th Tuesday of each month @ 1:00.

NICHOLAS COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT
2nd Tuesday of the month starting at 6:00 pm at 110 S. Broadway St.

NICHOLAS COUNTY WATER DISTRICT MEETING
The Nicholas County Water District monthly board meeting will be held at the water district 4th Tuesday of every month at 5:00 p.m.

CARLISLE-NICHOLAS COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Carlisle - Nicholas County Chamber of Commerce will meet the 1st Mondy of each month at 8:30am at the Neil Building.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY MEETING
The EDA meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 6:00PM.

PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE MEETINGS
Park and Recreation committee meets on the fourth Monday of each month at 5:30p.m. in the Court house. Public is welcome to attend.

NICHOLAS COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICT #2
Sanitation District #2 (Lake Carnico area) meets the third Friday of each month at 3:00 pm at the Nicholas County Court-house.

CARLISLE CITY COUNCIL
City Council meeting, second Monday of each month at 7 PM, City Hall.

CARLISLE ROTARY CLUB
The Carlisle Rotary Club meets every Thursday evening at 6:30 p.m. at Carlisle Depot.

SATURDAY LUNCH & LEARN LECTURE –WORTHINGTON LODGE – ARLINGTON ROOM
Enjoy a first person interpretation of “Welcome to the Grand Opening of Kentucky by Dr. Thomas Walker” as portrayed by Andy Teasley, Park Manager at Dr. Walker State Park. Program is free, lunch can be purchased.

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CHURCHES

MOUNTAIN ASSEMBLY CORNERSTONE CHURCH OF GOD
You are welcome, Everyone Invited
Sunday morning worship service @ 11 A.M.
Mountain Assembly Cornerstone Church of God 102 South Broadway Sonny Gibson Pastor

MT. ZION CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Worship Service 11:00am
Pastor Johnathan Allison

GOD'S HOUSE OF PRAYER
156 Calcutta Road, Carlisle, Ky 40311
Sunday Morning: 11 AM
Thursday Evening: 6 PM

WESLEY CHAPEL CHURCH
You're invited to Wesley Chapel Church 604 N. Broadway Street, Carlisle, KY
Sunday Service starts at 10:30 am

CARLISLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
330 N Broadway Carlisle, KY
Worship Sunday 10:45 AM
Rev. Jack Robinson, PhD
Facebook: Carlisle Presbyterian Church

MERCURY MEMORIES

1955
\$10,000 Currency Notes Make Slow Home-ward Trek
The \$10,000 bill, biggest and often termed the “rarest bird” of United States currency, is gradually returning to roost in Federal Reserve and Treasury Department vaults. In 1940 when enormous cash dealings weren’t unusual, some 60 million dollars in \$10,000 bills were in circulation. By 1947 only 11 million dollars worth of them was in public hands; by April, 1955, about 9 million dollars.

OTHER NEWS
Five pass civil service exam
Pfanstiel approved by Senate for local postmaster position
County school financial report is published

TALK OF THE TOWN
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Abnee announce the birth of son, Frankie Reynolds on July 27
Mr. & Mrs. George Fisher announce the

birth of daughter, Helen Jane on July 30
Miss Mary Layne to wed Alex Ward
Mrs. Esther Ludwig marries Mr. Henry T. Judy

ADS OF THE WEEK
Coty perfume & Coty dusting powder \$1.50/
Hopkins
Chenille rugs 2 for \$3.00/Garrett’s Dept Store
Davy Crockett pup tents full size \$7.95/
Modern Furniture

1975

Public hearing on electric rates Sept. 8
A public hearing concerning electric utility rates is scheduled in Lexington for Monday, Sept. 8. The meeting will be conducted by the special 17 member committee formed by Governor Julian Carroll in June to study state rising electric utility rates, their impact on consumers and to offer possible solutions.

OTHER NEWS
Former teacher re-

turns to Nicholas County Elementary PTA to hold first meeting on September 8
Jackets start season with a bang

TALK OF THE TOWN
Mr. & Mrs. Henry Banks announce the birth of daughter, Tina Michelle on August 23
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Whaley celebrate 50th anniversary
Miss Diane Burgess Gebo and Charles Beebe Layson wed August 23 at Lake Carnico

ADS OF THE WEEK
1948 SC Case tractor \$295/Fleming Tractor Sales
Sara Lee German Chocolate cake 99 cents/IGA
Buckboard sliced bacon \$1.49 lb/C & G Foodtown

1995

Lions Club Fall Horse Show celebrated as “best yet”
“It was a great horse show” commented Es-

ther Myers, a director of the Nicholas County Lion’s Club about the Annual Lion’s Club Fall Horse Show held Saturday, Aug 26 at West End Park. “We had a lot of horses and a good crowd. It was the best horse show we ever had at West End Park. We’re really happy with it”.

OTHER NEWS
County Jailer thwarts prisoner escape attempt
Letter writing campaign successful for Ashland
Fire spurs land owner to continue dispute
Medicare cuts could hurt Johnson Mathers

TALK OF THE TOWN
Mike & Kim Caswell announce the birth of daughter, Kenlie Brook on August 3

ADS OF THE WEEK
Ground beef patties 6 lb box \$8.75/C & W Meat Packers
Marlboro \$12.80 + tax/
Cynthiana Tobacco Store 63 Rambler \$1995/
McFarland’s Chev-Olds

OPINIONS

The opinion page does not reflect to the views of the KyNewsGroup.

Nature Lover’s Paradise

One place on my old farm could be described as a nature lover’s paradise. There is a mowed trail that goes along the creek and into the woods. Halfway into the woods, there is a small high place where two very small wet-weather creeks merge. It is there that an old wooden picnic table sits.

Over the years, there have been times when I’ve gone to the table and just sat there, being very quiet, and listening to the sounds of nature. Usually I sit on the table top with my feet on what was designed to be the seat. (You know exactly what I mean). Sometimes I might have one of my children or grandchildren with me. On one occasion a few years ago, a very unusual event occurred.

I was alone and had been sitting there for a while and doing nothing but a little daydreaming. There is a very small mowed area below where the table sits and that is

where I first saw him. A black house-cat came out of the woods and into the mowed area. He was about 30 yards away. The cat was definitely not in any hurry: Just moseying along and heading in my direction. I recognized him immediately.

He was one of two kittens that had been born and raised by an old mother cat that I had been keeping around the barn. I didn’t have time to mess with the kittens very much, and my children and grandchildren were not around to give them attention. The kittens were tame enough to pick up and pet, but they both were always a little skittish. As they grew older, I saw less and less of them until finally, they were gone and I didn’t see them at all. Of course, I realized that they had become feral cats and were living on their own.

On this day, the feral cat was slowly walking in my direction. He just browsed along and was

gradually getting closer to me. It was then that I decided to sit as still as I possibly could and see just how close he would get before he saw me. He got closer and closer, and I could tell he hadn’t seen me. I didn’t move a muscle. I knew that when he did see me, he would bolt off in a flash.

I couldn’t believe it! He was within about ten feet of the picnic table and he still hadn’t seen me. Then, oh my-gosh, believe this: The cat jumped up onto the seat of the table, walked over to where my feet were planted, and gently rubbed against my ankle! I was shocked, and when I reached down to

touch him, he just slowly moved away. Jumped off and continued his walk up into the woods.

Of course he knew I was there all along. It was like he was saying to me, “Hello, how are you? I’m doing just fine out here.” Sometimes nature can make a person want to cry.



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GUARANTEED ISSUE!!!

NO HEALTH QUESTIONS

Come in and see Jim at one of the locations listed below or call for a personal appointment.

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JIM WILL BE AT SOPER’S DRUG
(227 W. MAIN ST., CARLISLE, KY)
SEPTEMBER 16TH, 23RD, 30TH FROM 10A.M. TO 4P.M.

JIM WILL BE AT ROSS DRUG
(125 FOXGLOVE DR. #1, MT. STERLNG, KY)
SEPTEMBER 4TH, 11TH, 18TH, 25TH FROM 10A.M. TO 4P.M.

JIM WILL BE AT MED SAVE
(136 JESSICA LANE, OLIVE HILL, KY)
SEPTEMBER 5TH, 12TH, 19TH, 26TH
FROM 10 A.M. TO 4P.M.

