



April 18, 2016

# Main Street Monday!

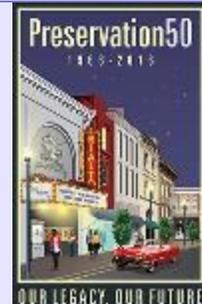
We wanted to let everyone know that Value-Added Producer Grant has opened and will be due on July 1, 2016 this round.

This is a great opportunity if your farm business is looking to increase revenue and expand its customer base. If you are interested in applying, KCARD is here to help! Contact: Aaron Shapiro

Grant Facilitator 270-883-2727  
[ashapiro@kcardky.com](mailto:ashapiro@kcardky.com)

## Director news!

We are happy to report that Stephanie Burden has accepted the position of director for Cynthiana. She has been serving as the interim for the last few months. Stephanie is very excited to be in the position! Dayton has hired Tina Neyer and Jimmy Davenport is currently serving as interim in Russellville. Photos and more next edition.



Register for a **free webinar on April 27, from 10:30–11:45 AM CDT**. Join presenters from the National Association of City Transportation Officials (NACTO) Designing Cities Initiative and the Center for Urban and Environment

Solutions (CUES) for a discussion about how NACTO's new **Transit Street Design Guide** can help streets of every size be redesigned to create great transit streets, supporting strong neighborhoods and downtowns. Also learn how Seattle's in-lane bus stops, side and center bus lanes, and intersection design techniques can be put together to move buses—and their riders—faster on any street.

This event is co-hosted by Island Press, NACTO, Strong Towns, CUES at Florida Atlantic University and the Transportation and Land Development Committee of TRB. [Learn more and register here](https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4258701378023184900).  
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**Know Your Neighbor**

*Mix & Mingle*

Thursday, May 5, 2016  
Rookies Banquet Room  
5:00 - 6:30pm

Free drink ticket to the first 50 people to RSVP

Come and join your fellow neighbors, business owners and downtown residents!  
An opportunity to learn & keep your business & downtown vibrant.  
Enjoy hors d'oeuvres & more!

Presented by the Downtown Henderson Partnership  
RSVP 270.827.0016 or [laura@downtownhenderson.org](mailto:laura@downtownhenderson.org)



We had a great meeting in Paris on Tuesday. Steve was unable to join us, but Paris was well represented. L to R, Kitty-KHC, Bonnie Skinner-board chair Cynthiana, Rachel Alexander-Winchester, Erin Morton- Paris, Dottie Spears- Paris board chair, & Stephanie Burden- Cynthiana. Kim Strohmeier-Frankfort also joined us for the meeting.

## Images needed!!

Our partners at the Kentucky Department for Public Health, Obesity Prevention Program needs images from your Main Streets that showcase their economic vibrancy, and how walkable your downtowns are. This is another opportunity for great PR about your towns and our partnerships! Please send your images to Erin Hester at [Erin.Hester@ky.gov](mailto:Erin.Hester@ky.gov) as soon as possible!!

## KYMS schedule this week.

- Tomorrow afternoon I will be in Anchorage with Vicki Birenberg wearing my site development hat.
- KHC council meets on Wednesday here in Frankfort
- I will be out on Thursday
- Friday I will be in Lexington judging KHC STLP projects. Give me a call if you would like to assist.



We had a very productive meeting in London on Thursday. We have some great things planned for you at the fall conference!! L to R: Jacob Roan– Pineville, Nannie Hays-Williamsburg, Bobbie Gothard– Cumberland, Benham, & Lynch, Brittany Cradic - London assistant, Denise Wainscott-Barbourville, Molly Barnett-London, and Isaac Kremer– Middlesboro.

**Unchain the Classics**

**1st Annual Car Show**  
 Saturday April 30  
 Courthouse Square  
 Pineville, KY

Pre-Registration due at Pineville City Hall by Monday, April 25th at 12:00 p.m.

Trophy Awards given in the following categories:

- Best of Show
- Top Ten
- Best Interior
- Best Paint
- Best Wheels
- Best Engine
- People's Choice (\$1 per vote)

**Schedule:**

- 12:00 a.m. – Registration
- 1:00 p.m. – Start time
- 3:00 p.m. – Judging
- 6:00 p.m. – Trophy Presentation

Out Doors: Brian O'Brien  
 Food: Tommie's on site

Registration only \$10  
 9-11am \$15

T-Shirt Size (add \$15 per shirt to your registration: S, M, L, XL, XXL)

Cheques can be made out to **MSM STREET PINEVILLE**  
 Please mail payment and registration forms to:

Main Street Pineville  
 c/o Jacob Roan  
 P.O. Box 688  
 Pineville, KY 40372

**SHORT REDMOND**  
 LEPIDOLITE, TN

**SHORT**  
 WINNERBY SUPPLY

It will soon be time for many of your boards to be considering new board members. I will be sending directors some articles and forms that will help you with this process in the near future. If you have documents that you think would be helpful please send to me and I will be sure everyone receives them. I'm still not sure what is going on with the list-serve, but will keep you updat-



Earth Day is Friday and many of you will be participating in clean up activities and Main Street Clean Sweep with Bluegrass Green Source. Be sure to send us your photos for a future MSM edition!

If you are interested in having your items in MSM please send them in at least a week prior to the event. I don't have much time to stalk your Facebook pages and websites anymore so when you get ready to post a flyer or an event send it to KYMS as well. We have a wide distribution area and want to help get the word out!

## Exciting news for Murray Main Street!

For a while back in 2014 I was afraid every time I received a text from Deana. A fire one morning early, a roof collapse, it was always a disaster happening and she became our go to expert on how to handle such situations. But the Phoenix does arise from the ashes & now great things are happening. Deana has worked tirelessly with the many moving parts to get things in place. We are very excited for Deana, her board, and for the community of downtown Murray!



MURRAY, KY— Insurance and risk consulting company Peel and Holland is moving back to downtown Murray after a fire forced them to relocate to Highway 121 two years ago.

The Murray Main Street program played a big role in the company's decision.

From the Murray Main Street director's desk, Deana Wright looks out to a large, empty lot because of a fire in 2014. It's a daily reminder of the need to rebuild.

"2016 would be considered the year of action," she said.

Peel and Holland was one of the renters of those lots. It announced at the city's chamber breakfast Tuesday that it would return and buy the five burned down lots.

Wright checked in with the Peel and Holland President Roy Riley every two to three weeks leading up to the decision, and, she says "Made sure that he knew if he needed anything to make this deal happen, then that we would be there."

The local insurance provider will take up 8,500 square feet, with 2,500 of that for other businesses to rent.

"As we start building, there will be new jobs created but our need to expand. Our office presence was anticipating our future growth needs, which will be additional staffing additional opportunities," Riley said.

Murray is seeing other development in downtown, including 16 apartments in two different locations and possibly two restaurants.

"It's important remember that we are here to help our downtown," Wright said.

They're doing that by helping existing and new businesses develop downtown. "We have great stores," she said. "People tend to forget, especially after everything that happened in 2014, that we have some small businesses that rely on them."

From the WPSD Channel 6 website

**Heritage Ohio Preservation Month webinars, free and open to the public, begin Tuesday, May 3**  
We're celebrating Preservation Month with a series of weekly webinars, first webinar will focus on researching the history of your building. [http://www.heritageohio.org/presmonth16\\_1/](http://www.heritageohio.org/presmonth16_1/)

Don't forget to add the new National Main Street logo to your web-site if you are an Accredited or Affiliate program !

Please let the state office know if you have not done so already if you are attending the NMSC conference!

Here's an opportunity to stop in a lot of Main Street communities this week-end!

# KY HWY Yard Sale

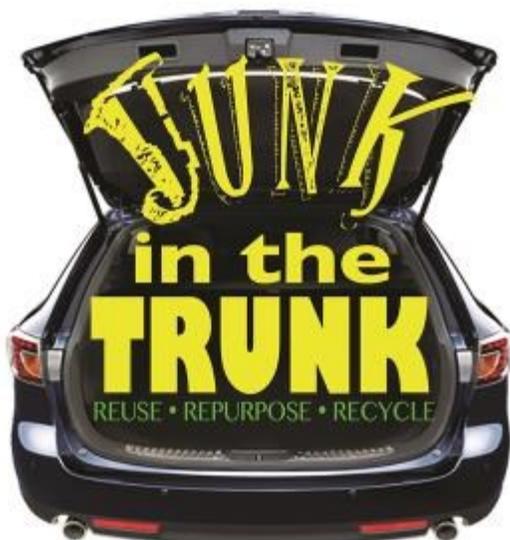
## April 21-24, 2016

Residents and businesses along KY HWY 55  
are welcomed to join in this 4 day yard sale.  
Each county is responsible for promoting this event in their county.

Carroll  
Trimble  
Henry  
Shelby  
Spencer  
Nelson  
Washington  
Marion  
Taylor  
Adair  
Russell



## 147 Miles of Treasure Hunting!



Springfield in Washington Co. will be hosting  
the Junk in the Trunk community swap meet.

Sell your stuff from your car or truck.

Bring your own table and chair.

Spaces are FREE. First come, first served.

**Saturday, April 23, 2016**

**7am to 2pm**

Depot Street  
and behind the Judicial Center  
859-336-5412 x1  
seespringfieldky@gmail.com

