

# Main Street Monday!

June 22, 2026



HAPPY  
first day of  
SUMMER



The Kentucky Main Street program recognized exceptional achievement in downtown revitalization and community development during the 2026 Kentucky Main Street Awards. The ceremony honoring volunteers, business owners, local leaders, preservation advocates and Main Street programs from across the commonwealth was held June 3, 2026

"Kentucky's Main Street communities thrive because of the dedication of local leaders, volunteers, business owners and partners who invest their time, talent and resources into creating vibrant downtowns," said Kitty Dougoud, Kentucky Main Street program administrator. "These award-winners represent the very best of the Main Street movement and demonstrate how historic preservation and community development work hand-in-hand to create stronger places to live, work and visit."

The annual awards celebrate the individuals, organizations and projects that strengthen Kentucky's historic downtowns through preservation, economic development, community engagement and placemaking.

"The Main Street Market was created to remove barriers for entrepreneurs and provide a pathway for small businesses to grow in downtown Guthrie," said Tracy Robinson of Guthrie Main Street, winner of the Best Retail Economic Vitality Initiative Award. "By sharing resources, creating a collaborative retail environment and supporting more than 50 local vendors, we've been able to strengthen our downtown economy while creating new opportunities for local entrepreneurs. We're honored to receive this recognition and hope our success demonstrates how innovative, community-driven solutions can support small businesses, encourage local investment and strengthen rural downtowns across Kentucky."

**The Volunteer of the Year** Award recognizes individuals whose dedication and service have made a significant impact in their communities.

- Alicia Slusher, Main Street Pineville
- Kathy Miracle, Shelby Main Street
- Mary Ann Fletcher, Pikeville Main Street Program, Inc.



Alicia



Kathy



Mary Ann





**The Spirit of Main Street Individual Award** honors a community member who exemplifies the values of the Main Street program through leadership, enthusiasm and commitment to downtown revitalization.

**Tony Wilder, Main Street Perryville**

The Spirit of Main Street Business Award recognizes businesses that contribute to the vitality and character of their downtown districts.

**Jennifer Amburgey, Gem City Cakes, Pineville**

**Steven Stivers, Making Good Scentz, Bardstown**



The **Outstanding Local Leader** is awarded to elected officials, civic leaders and community advocates who have championed Main Street initiatives. This years winner is **Greg Ashworth, Bardstown**

The **Outstanding Main Street Partner Award** honors individuals whose support and collaboration have advanced local Main Street efforts.

**Lora Justice, Springfield Main Street**

**Phillip Grubb, Bardstown Main Street**



Lora Justice & Springfield team

The **Entrepreneurs of the Year Award** recognizes business owners whose innovation and investment contribute to the economic vitality of Kentucky's downtowns.

**Damon Ballinger, Postal Square, Morehead**

**Whitney Tackett, Ivy Grey Boutique, Pikeville**

**Ashley Cambron, Cambron Charcuterie Co., Middlesboro**



**Best Retail Economic Vitality Initiative.** This award is given for innovative efforts to strengthen downtown commerce and support local businesses.

**Main Street Market, Guthrie Main Street**

The **Best Adaptive Reuse Award** celebrates the rehabilitation of a historic building for a new purpose while preserving its historic character.

**Jason and April James, BeSpoke & Bond, Bardstown**

**Best Outdoor Space Improvement** This award is given for projects that enhance public spaces and improve the downtown experience.

**Pineville Streetscape Project – City of Pineville, Main Street**

**Pineville, Jacob Roan, Scot Madon and Shawn Fugate**



**The Best Public Relations Promotion** is awarded for excellence in marketing and community engagement.  
**Beattyville Main Street for Beattyville Reimagined**



**The Best Social Media Award** honors outstanding use of digital platforms to promote downtown businesses, events and community initiatives.  
**Paducah Main Street**



**Outstanding Special Project** This award recognizes collaborative projects that strengthen downtown revitalization efforts and community partnerships.

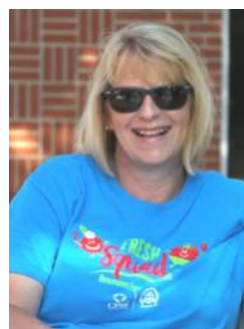
**Maysville Main Street in partnership with MCHS Culinary and Visual Arts Programs**

**The Best Main Street Small Event Award** celebrates exceptional community events that draw visitors and honor local culture.  
**Gourd Festival, Taylorsville Main Street**



**The Best Main Street Large Event** is awarded for large-scale events that create significant economic and community impact.  
**First Fridays, Heart of Scottsville**

**The Preservation Heroes Award** recognizes individuals whose commitment to historic preservation has strengthened their communities and protected local heritage.  
**Deana Wright, Downtown Murray Kentucky**  
**Tracy Robinson, Guthrie Main Street**  
**Sam Burgess, Carrollton Main Street Program**





**New Location! Same great products!**

The Art Gallery in Bardstovm has relocated due to the city having a new use for their building. You can now find them at 110 N. Third Street.

👏👏 Big congratulations to Buzzinga Coffee on being named Best Coffeehouse in Kentucky by The Guide to Kentucky's Best 2026! 🏆🥂

What an incredible accomplishment for one of our downtown favorites. In less than a year, they've become a gathering place for great coffee, friendly faces, and community connection. This recognition is well deserved!

Be sure to stop by, show them some love, and help us celebrate this amazing win for both Buzzinga and downtown Carrollton! 💙☕🍪



**NOW OPEN WEEKENDS ONLY!**

Friday 5pm-11pm  
 Saturday 5pm-11pm  
 Sunday 4pm-10pm

**Othello's**  
 CIGAR BAR & BISTRO

- Premium Ventilation!
- Signature Cocktails!
- No Membership Needed!
- Must Be **21 To Enter!**

726 Main Street Shelbyville, KY 40065

*"Welcome To Othello's"!!*



Young and old alike have had the best time in downtown Maysville where winter came in June! The town is all decked out for the holidays for the filming of the movie "All That Glitters"! They even had a Christmas parade!



Welcome to downtown Pineville CardCade located at 104 Pine Street !

Music is an important part of community engagement activities and KY has some of the very best!

Here are some happenings this coming week-end and throughout the season.

**Guthrie Main Street PRESENTS**  
**MUSIC IN THE PARK 2026**  
 Live music under the summer sky in downtown Guthrie!

- MAY 30** SAVED BY THE MUSIC (The Ultimate 90's Band)
- JUNE 27** THE JIMMY CHURCH BAND (During Guthrie's 250th Celebration)
- JULY 25** COUNTRY TWANG
- AUGUST 29** JUSTIN REYNOLDS BAND

ALL CONCERTS START AT 7PM | LONGHURST PARK DOWNTOWN GUTHRIE | **FREE ADMISSION**

Bring a chair. Bring a friend. LOVE YOUR DOWNTOWN

**Family Fun Day LIVE ENTERTAINMENT**  
 BEATTYVILLE TOWN SQUARE  
 SATURDAY, JUNE 27, 2026  
 Great Music \* Good Times \* Community Fun!

- 3:00 PM** Caitlyn Noble
- 4:00 PM** Shelby Davis
- 5:00 PM** Kolbie Baker, Mike Johnson & Ronald Vaughn

ENJOY AN AFTERNOON OF LIVE MUSIC for the Whole Family!  
**HIGH ON FUN, NOT ON DRUGS!**

PRESENTED BY: BEATTYVILLE MAIN STREET \* CITY OF BEATTYVILLE | LEE COUNTY TOURISM \* UNITE & ASAP

**THE 2026 LEVITT AMP MIDDLESBORO MUSIC SERIES**

- NIK PARR SELFLESS LOVERS JULY 23
- JULY 30 DROPTINES
- DANIELLE NICOLE AUGUST 6
- THE GREETING COMMITTEE AUGUST 13
- AUGUST 20 JUDITH HILL
- AUGUST 27 D.K. MARRELL
- FLORENCIA THE FEELING SEPT 3
- JASON CARTER SEPT 10
- SEPT 17 SUSTO STRINGBAND
- JASON SCOTT THE HIGH HEAT SEPT 24

MUSIC AT 6:30  
 PRESENTED BY: LEVITT MIDDLESBORO

DOWNTOWN MIDDLEBURG KENTUCKY  
**SOUTHERN LEGACY 7PM**  
 Live Bluegrass Music  
 SATURDAY JULY 11TH  
 BATTSON-OATES COMMONS

INCLUSION BRAND KENTUCKY STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY  
 12-2PM  
 SATURDAY • JULY 11TH  
**JO SHELBURNE**  
 RETURNS TO HIS HOMETOWN!  
 MEET AND GREET AND IN-STORE PERFORMANCE  
 SPENCER SPIRITS & SMOKE  
 80 E. MAIN STREET SUITE 200 • TAYLORSVILLE, KY 40071  
 BOTH BOTTLES OF BOURBON WILL BE ON SALE PLUS FREE GIVEAWAYS AND MORE!

PADUCAH MAIN STREET  
**FNB Bank**  
**Fridays AFTER FIVE**  
 FRIDAY NIGHTS JUNE 5 - AUGUST 7

LILY GRACE - CARSON BEYER - CAMERON JAYNE - JOHNNY MAC - TREVOR WILSON - THE CRUISERS - LEE LANGSTON - MIDLIFE CRISIS - COREY EVITTS - SIX STRING CIRCUS

THE UNDERDOGS - CARSON DENFIP - CADE FLATT - CLINT DRAPER - THE REVELATORS - DANIEL NEHOFF - BLOOM INITIATIVE - ALLEN MUSIC - TIME ON THE STRING - MOJO MAKERS - NYLA HOLDER - JEWELIA - ETHAN TORSACK - WILDFLOWER HONEY AND THE HOT BISCUITS - STICKY BONES - SOUL DOG - LOVELACE BAND - HALLIC DUNN - CANDICE GUNN - FINGERPRINT HIP HOP DANCE STUDIO

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN PADUCAH  
 FACEBOOK: PADUCAH MAIN STREET  
 WWW.PADUCAHMAINSTREET.ORG

**MAIN STREET LIVE • DOWNTOWN PIKEVILLE**  
 FREE CONCERTS ALL SUMMER LONG  
 at the Mountain Top Media Stage beside the Appalachian Wireless Arena.

- 5/22 LARRY WAYNE & HEARTBREAK STATION (BIKE NIGHT)
- 6/5 THE SONS (JEEP NIGHT)
- 6/12 THE PASTIME BAND (CLASSIC CRUISE-IN)
- 6/19 BATTLE OF THE BANDS (NIGHT MARKET)
- 7/3 WILDFIRE (TAILGATES & TAILLIGHTS)
- 7/10 SOCIAL HIGHWAY (CHEVY vs FORD vs MOPAR)
- 7/24 APPALACHIAN OVERDRIVE (NIGHT MARKET)

"Music can change the world because it can change people."  
 – Bono

Hosting music events in your downtown is a powerful economic and social catalyst. It drives **local spending**, boosts **tourism**, creates **jobs**, and fosters a **stronger sense of community** by bringing people together in shared cultural spaces.

★ **ONE BIG CELEBRATION!** ★  
 DUE TO THE JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> HOLIDAY & BUSY TIME OF YEAR,  
 WE ARE COMBINING OUR JUNE & JULY CRUISE-INS INTO

# 1 HUGE Event!

**BEATTYVILLE MAIN STREET FAMILY FUN DAY & CRUISE-IN**

**Saturday JUNE 27**

CARS, COMMUNITY & FAMILY FUN ON MAIN!  
 A DAY OF FAMILY FUN!  
 ★ CLASSIC CARS & CRUISE-IN  
 ★ INFLATABLES  
 ★ FOOD TRUCKS  
 ★ LIFE-SIZE GAMES  
 ★ MUSIC & ENTERTAINMENT

**A BIGGER & BETTER EVENT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!**

**STAY HEALTHY, HAPPY & DRUG-FREE!**

**Freedom Fest Pageant**  
 SATURDAY JUNE 27 5-10 PM

Freedom Fest Pageant @ The Women's Park Moonlight Stage 6-8

**AMERICA250KY**  
**FREEDOM FEST**  
 MOREHEAD, KY JUNE 27<sup>TH</sup> 2025  
 Independence Day Celebration

**All About That Bounce N Slide LLC**  
 All About That Bounce N Slide on 1st Street 5-9

**Food/Beverage & Merchandise Vendors**  
 on Main Street & First Street 5-9:30

**The Gospel Stage** on West 1st Street - 5-9:30  
**The Cave Run Brass Bandits** on Main Street @ Postal Square 6:30-7:15  
**Midnight Patrol** on the Postal Square Stage 7:30-9:30

**Black Water Revival**  
 Blackwater Revival (Doobie Brothers Tribute) @ The Battson Oates Commons 7:30-9:30

Fireworks presented by **Arthur Rozzi Pyrotechnics** @ 9:30

AMERICA 250 KY | MOREHEAD | ROWAN COUNTY | MOREHEAD | St. Claire | MOREHEAD ROWAN COUNTY

# HOT Rods

**JUNE 27TH**

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT AT THE BALL FIELD STARTING AT 6:30. EACH TICKET PURCHASE HELPS SUPPORT THE HEART OF SCOTTSVILLE TO CONTINUE SUPPORTING DOWN TOWN.

## COMMUNITY Yard Sale!

510 set up fee | First come first serve

**SATURDAY JUNE 27TH 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM**  
 Courthouse Square, Pineville KY

SPRINGFIELD MAIN STREET INVITES YOU TO THE ANNUAL

# INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

**FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2026 | 11 AM-11 PM**  
**DOWNTOWN SPRINGFIELD, KY**

11:00 AM	Food Trucks Open Hometown Heroes Ceremony
12:00 PM	Singo on Main
2:00 PM	All-American Bakeoff
3:00 PM	Karaoke on Main
5:00 PM	Lil' Patriots' Parade
6:30 PM	Patriotic Parade Award Announcements
7:30 PM	Live Music feat. Soul Circus
9:45 PM	FIREWORKS

**LIVE MUSIC**

**Soul Circus 7:30-11:00 PM**

REGISTER FOR EVENTS HERE.

WHO WILL BE AWARDED OUR "SPIRIT OF 1776" WINNER? COME DRESSED IN YOUR BEST PATRIOTIC ATTIRE FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN!

Proudly supported by: Springfield, Springfield, MAIN STREET AMERICA

# Stars & Sips

**An America 250 Celebration**  
**Thursday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> from 5-7pm**

**Downtown Pineville**

More America 250, 4th of July info on celebrations next week!



How do you thank your volunteers and sponsors?  
 We love how Guthrie Main Street thanks everyone  
 on social media. Check out their FB page as every  
 thank you is different!



We love the new and expanding Farmer's Markets that are happening in our downtowns! We are happy to be supporting local farmers and artisans who provide local produce and hand made items in our downtowns.



**LOCALLY MADE FARMER'S MARKET**  
290 MAIN STREET - ACROSS FROM THE POST OFFICE

**FRIDAY JUNE 26TH 11AM-1PM**  
**Chicken Salad Croissant Lunch Box \$10.00**



**Chicken Salad Croissant Sandwich, chips, drink, and a chocolate pudding dessert**

Message the market Facebook page or reach out to one of the vendors for pre-orders. Delivery available to downtown businesses.

Locally Made Farmers Market Beattyville/Lee County

