



November 20,
2017

Main Street Monday!

KENTUCKY MAIN STREET

YOU'LL ♥ OUR
HISTORIC DOWNTOWNS

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY | NOV 25



To view a great video from Paducah regarding the historic tax credits with words from Chris Black visit <https://youtu.be/Y7IC69GsWh8> you can share this with your community, put on your social media sites or create your own version. PRESERVATION = JOBS especially on MAIN STREET



Join your fellow commercial district revitalization professionals in Kansas City at the **2018 Main Street Now Conference**, March 26-28, for three exciting days of educational sessions, mobile workshops, special events, and plenty of opportunities for exploring all the great things Kansas City and the surrounding area has to offer. **Discounted early bird rates are available through January 12!** **Registration Now Open**



Don't forget! MAIN STREET AWARD NOMINATIONS Must be postmarked by NOVEMBER 22

Information is on our web-site Heritage.ky.gov

This past week KYMS coordinator, Kitty Dougoud, attended the Past Forward, National Preservation Conference in Chicago. Vicki Birenberg, director of the KY Certified Local Government program at KHC, also attended along with Paducah Main Street director, Melinda Winchester. Melinda was in attendance with Paducah's preservation commission as part of their community CLG grant.

Many others from KY were in attendance including a group of students & professors from the UK Historic Preservation program.

One of the highlights was to hear the director of the National Trust, Stephanie Meeks, talk about Main Street and to then see our own GAMSA winner Covington and Katie Meyer on the screen! We almost screamed out loud in excitement! It is so great to see our programs and have Kentucky recognized on a national stage!



In addition to Covington's recognition, Linda Bruckheimer's photos were on display at the evening reception at the Field Museum. She curated the show herself and it included many wonderful scenes from Kentucky.



VOTING ENDS TODAY AT 5:00 PM PST

Don't miss your last chance to vote for the 2018 Levitt AMP [Your City] Grant Awards!

<https://grant.levittamp.org/voter-registration-page/>

Help determine the Top 25 finalists that will be one step closer to receive a Levitt AMP matching grant.

3 Kentucky communities are in the running! Middlesboro, Berea, and Whitesburg. They are currently all in the top 10! You can cast a vote for each and assist them in a big win!

The Home Depot Foundation - Community Impact Grants Program

Deadline: Now open! Due by December 31, 2017

Funding Amounts: Up to \$5,000 in gift cards to purchase tools, materials, or services

Eligible Entities: non-profit 501c3 organizations and tax exempt public service agencies including schools

Link: <https://corporate.homedepot.com/grants/community-impact-grants>

Overview: The Home Depot Foundation offers Community Impact Grants to provide support in the form of gift cards to use for projects in their local communities in various ways including community gardens.

Please call us at 859-550-3972 or email kcard@kcard.info with questions. KCARD's Agribusiness Grant Facilitation Program is here to help!

AMERICA WALKS

Join Us for a Free Webinar

Wednesday, December 13th
2pm ET / 11 am PT

Register Today!

What do we mean when we talk about the walking movement? Join us for a webinar, **"Turning Data into Action," on December 13th at 2pm Eastern, 11am Pacific** to hear from representatives from America Walks, National Physical Activity Plan, and CDC on work they have been doing to map, track, and evaluate walking and walkability in the US. Attendees will learn about new and existing data sources, what they're telling us about the state of walking in the US, and how to use that information to make the case for walkability. This webinar is intended for advocates just getting started on the walking path as well as anyone interested in learning more about this topic.

Learn more about the webinar and register here.

<http://americawalks.org/new-webinar-turning-data-into-action-december-13-2017/>

Attendees of this webinar will:

- Explore new and existing data sources on walking and walkability in the US
- Discuss trends and growth of walking champions
- Learn how to use data to mobilize and advocate for walkability



Today We'll Release the Names of our Indie Awards Semifinalists

The seventh-annual Indie Award competition nomination phase and first round of voting has come to a close. On Monday, Nov. 20, we will announce the top 25 Semifinalists and voting will open back up. This year, the Indie Award winner will receive an enhanced prize package valued at \$50,000, including \$5,000 cash, a comprehensive marketing makeover and \$1,000 for a local small business group. We want to thank everyone who nominated all 249 businesses! Good luck to your favorites!

Make sure you check to see if you made it or a business in your community.

National Small Business Week Nominations Now Being Accepted Through January 9, 2018



Are you a small business owner with an amazing success story to tell? If so, submit your nomination today for SBA's National Small Business Week awards. Since 1963, National Small Business Week has served as our nation's salute to small business owners. That's more than 50 years of celebrating small business owners who create two out of every three new jobs for Americans. Many household names were previous National Small Business Week award winners, including **Ben and Jerry's, Callaway Golf, Chobani, Dogfish Head, Stonyfield Farm, Pacifica, Maui Brewing Company and Tom's of Maine.**

All nominations must be mailed or hand delivered to the nearest SBA office no later than 3:00 p.m. ET on January 9, 2018. Winners will be announced during National Small Business Week, April 29-May 5, 2018.

News from Scottsville!



Facade Grant Program

The Heart of Scottsville Facade Grant program has awarded three grant requests in its inaugural sign up year. Seen here is the completed project for the "Cafe on the Square" building, currently occupied by a private business, Bowling Green Backyard Bootcamp.



West Main Street Construction

DeWeese Construction from Franklin, KY shown here starting West Main Streetscape Project in front of City County Building. New sidewalks, new lighting, new handicap van accessible parking space, in addition to other handicap and parking spaces.

The Winter Olympics are a few short weeks away, but you can live out your dream of Olympic Skating on Main Street! Make a visit to Cynthiana or Danville and enjoy the experience!

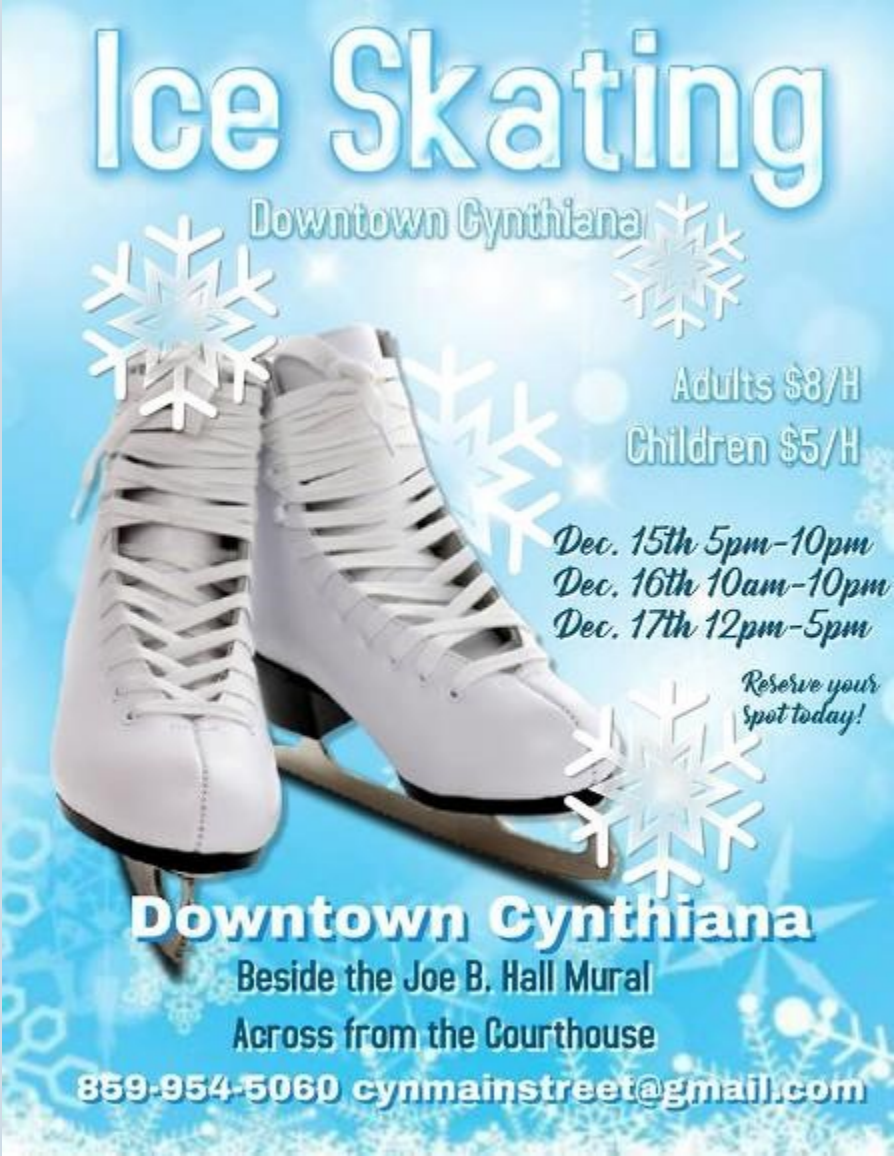


Skate
on Main

Nov 25
thru
Dec 23

Brought to you by Heart of Danville

The banner features the word "Skate" in a large, white, cursive font, with "on Main" in a smaller, white, sans-serif font below it. To the right, a large white snowflake contains the dates "Nov 25 thru Dec 23". Below the snowflake are two green ice skates. The entire graphic is set against a dark blue background.



Ice Skating
Downtown Cynthiana

Adults \$8/H
Children \$5/H

Dec. 15th 5pm-10pm
Dec. 16th 10am-10pm
Dec. 17th 12pm-5pm

Reserve your spot today!

Downtown Cynthiana
Beside the Joe B. Hall Mural
Across from the Courthouse
859-954-5060 cynmainstreet@gmail.com

The flyer has a light blue background with a subtle pattern of snowflakes and ice crystals. In the center, a pair of white ice skates is shown from a side-on perspective. The text is arranged in a clear, easy-to-read layout, with the title "Ice Skating" in a large, bold, white font. The location "Downtown Cynthiana" is written in a smaller, white font below the title. The pricing and schedule information is presented in a clean, white font. The contact information is at the bottom of the flyer.

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN PADUCAH



Dickens of a Christmas

NOVEMBER 25TH
10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

SANTA & MRS. CLAUS
Grand Entrance!
Grand Lodge to the Gazebo
- 10 a.m. -

Victorian Carriage Rides

Christmas Crafts for Kids
Hosted by McCracken County Library
and MAKE Paducah

Meet and Greet the Snow Princesses

Free Hot Chocolate and Coffee

Roasted Nuts, Bake Sale
and Christmas Cheer Wassail

S'Mores by the Fire

Carolers, Choirs and Characters
of All Sorts and Christmas Storytime

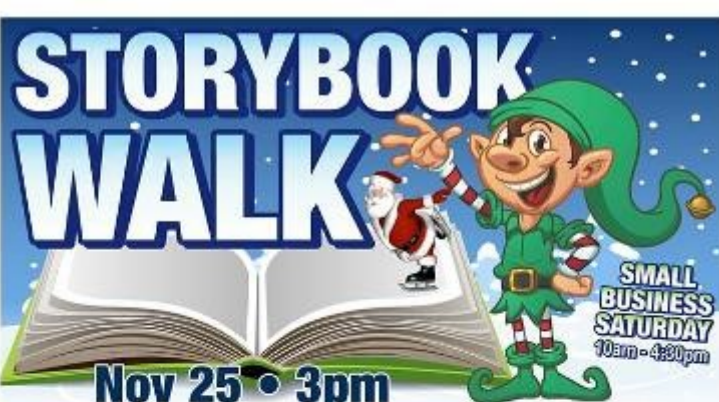
Special appearance by
"The Grinch Who Stole Dickens"





www.paducahmainstreet.org

STORYBOOK WALK



Nov 25 • 3pm

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY
10am - 4:30pm

10:00am GRAB A RED BAG at our Welcome Tent in Jenny Wiley Plaza (while supplies last). Each bag is numbered with a chance to win \$25 in Downtown Dollars to be spent at participating merchants.

SHOP! SHOP! SHOP! Merchants Open House
Enjoy refreshments & holiday specials!

WIN BIG SHOP SMALL BUSINESSES

Bring your receipt back to the Welcome Tent. For every \$10 spent at a participating merchant, you will be entered to win 1 of 3 gifts:

GRAND PRIZE:
Red Bag filled w/items from merchants + \$250 Downtown Dollars
2ND PRIZE: \$150 Downtown Dollars
3RD PRIZE: \$100 Downtown Dollars
(the more you spend, the more chances to win! THANKS for shopping local!)

LETTERS TO SANTA Jenny Wiley Theatre Plaza
Santa's helpers pull 5 letters to **WIN 1 HOUR OF ICE SKATING AT WINTERFEST** in City Park beginning Dec. 1 thru Dec. 30

GRAB A BITE TO EAT Downtown - Carry your red bag - Keep your receipt!



3:00pm STORYBOOK WALK GUIDED TOUR from Jenny Wiley Theatre to City Park

4:00pm FREE hot chocolate, coffee & cookies in City Park
Draw for winners of the **RED BAG & DOWNTOWN DOLLARS**

4:30pm TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY in City Park
Christmas caroling

pikevillemainstreet.com

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Paintsville Christmas!

December 2, 2017
12:00pm-5:00pm




Shop local! Eat local! Make an ornament at Espresso, Photos with Frosty, the Grinch, Elf on the Shelf and more!
Treasure hunt for the kids for a chance at a huge stocking!
\$100 drawing for the grown-ups too!
Christmas Parade at 5:00pm!
Call Bonnie Porter for more info 606-793-4006
Sponsored by Paintsville Main Street



Christmas Walk

Friday, November 24 - 10 am to 6 pm
Saturday, November 25 - 10 am to 6 pm

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY

- * Experience Bellevue's incredibly popular holiday open house the two days after Thanksgiving.
- * Shop, stroll, enjoy tasty treats, win exciting prizes.
- * Your best Christmas ever begins IN VUE!

www.Facebook.com/ShopBellevueKY







The Beautiful Music of Christmas

Mid-Kentucky Arts



Celebrate the joy of the Holiday Season with one of central Kentucky's most anticipated holiday traditions, *The Beautiful Music of Christmas*. Mid-Kentucky Chorus and professional instrumentalists, under the direction of **Teresa Zedler**, will perform the wonderful, beloved music of the season in this stunning Christmas performance. Program selections change each year. The perfect concert to share with family and friends.

Friday, December 1 7:30 pm Saturday, December 2 7:30 pm St. Joseph Proto-Cathedral 270 W. Stephen Foster Ave. Bardonia, Ky	Sunday, December 3 8:00 pm St. Augustine Church 235 S. Spaulding Ave. Lexington, Ky	Saturday, December 2 7:30 pm Sunday, December 10 8:00 pm St. Clements Hall St. Catherine Motherhouse St. Catherine, Ky (Rt. 150 near Springfield, Ky)
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Admission \$15, Seniors \$12, Students \$10 • centralkytheatre.com • 859-481-7094



Maysville's annual Twilight Christmas Parade, which unofficially kicks off the Christmas season locally, is just around the corner on Friday, Dec. 1.

Come Home for Christmas in Perryville

Saturday, December 9th

6:00 p.m. Christmas Parade

7:00 p.m. Christmas Pilgrimage

7:30 p.m. Cookies With Santa - Perryville Party

Rentals

Lighting the Community Christmas Tree

Reception - Community Center

A MAGICAL MUSICAL

Christmas PARADE

AND TREE LIGHTING

6 PM

DECEMBER 2

DOWNTOWN WINCHESTER

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Carrollton Main Street Program presents

A Christmas Carroll

Saturday, December 2 • Downtown Carrollton

Crafts Tent
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Courthouse Square • Downtown

*Shop for unique items that make
great Christmas gifts!*

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 8 a.m. — McNeal's opens and begins accepting items for the Visions of Sugar Plums annual Dessert Bake-Off
- 10 a.m. — Entry Deadline for Visions of Sugar Plums ninth annual Dessert Bake-Off
All food entries must be dropped off at McNeal's in Carrollton by 10 a.m. for judging.
- 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. — Crafts and vendors under the tent on the Courthouse Square
- 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. — Music on the Square by the Kentucky Kruizers
- 11 a.m. — Line-up begins for the Christmas parade at Port William Drive
- Noon — Christmas Parade steps off and heads for the Courthouse Square in downtown
- 12:30 – 3 p.m. — Visits and pictures with Santa Claus — Pictures for \$5 each
Visit with Santa in his house located on Main Street behind the courthouse
- 12:30 – 3 p.m. — Carriage Rides to Point Park (corner of Court & Main)
\$1 or a can of food donation for the local Food Pantry — Tickets at Main Street booth
- 2:45 p.m. — Prize awarded in the Boys' and Girls' Bicycle Give-away
Announcements to be made at the Kentucky Kruizers' booth, Fifth and Main Streets

Win \$50!
**JINGLE CASH
DRAWING**

Register for your chance to win \$50 in Downtown Dollars at participating businesses throughout downtown Carrollton Saturday, Dec. 2 during A Christmas Carroll.

Winner will be drawn on Monday, Dec. 4



**AGES 12
& UNDER**

Wal-Mart and Carrollton Main Street Program will give away a boys and a girls bike during this year's A Christmas Carroll. All youngsters age 12 and under can enter at the Main Street booth in the Crafts Tent. No purchase necessary. Must be present at 2:45 p.m. drawing to win!



Visions of Sugar Plums Bake-Off

First, second and third prizes will be awarded in four categories:

Cake, Pies, Candy and Cookies and Miscellaneous
Plus youth cookie category for 12 & under!

Just bake your favorite dessert and take it to McNeal's for judging by 10 a.m. on Dec. 2, 2017. Also bring a copy of the recipe on an index card. Official rules are available at McNeal's, The News-Democrat and Carrollton Main Street Office.

Win a range from McNeal's

— Bake-Off Contest Rules —

1. All entrants must be 18 years or older.
2. All entries must be brought to McNeal's by 10 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2, 2017.
3. Contest open to amateurs only.
4. All items must be in non-returnable containers.
5. All entries must be accompanied by a legibly written recipe.
6. All judges' decisions are final.
7. Eligible categories for entries

are:

- a. Cakes;
- b. Pies;
- c. Candy and Cookies;
- d. Miscellaneous

Children's Rules

1. Must be 12 years of age or younger.
2. All entries must be brought to McNeal's by 10 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2, 2017.
3. Cookies only (minimum of six).
4. Must be in non-returnable container
5. Copy of recipe and eligibility waiver