



# Main Street Monday!

We welcome a new director in Bardstown.

Randi Mouser will begin as the new director on May 21st. She has been employed by the KY Standard as an Advertising Sales Rep since 2012. Randi is not stranger to Main Street. She has been a volunteer for Bardstown Main Street program for several years!



May we remind you: Applications for 2018 AARP for the Community Challenge are due by May 16 Session proposals for the 2018 AARP Livable Communities National Conference are due by May 31



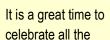
One of our favorite Derby things in downtown Frankfort, the horse picnic tables. Easy to replicate for any event in any community. Can't you see a fish head on one and tail on the other. Lots of ideas for Trail Towns!

#### **WEBINAR**

Walkability 101 — Just getting started on the walking path? The webinar From 8 to 80: Creating Livable Communities for All Ages is designed for advocates newly engaged with all things livable.

Register for the May 9 webinar (2 to 3 pm, ET). Source: America Walks ►

May is one of our favorite months!





wonderful places in your community across the Commonwealth that tell the authentic story of Kentucky and our downtowns.

If you have special events happening be sure to share that with KYMS so that we may help get the word out and also share your information with Kentucky tourism.

Don't forget to participate in the NTHP photo contest too!!



#### THURSDAY, MAY 24

9:00-12:00 Historic Preservation Tools & Tactics 12:00-1:00 Lunch \$20 per person Please RSVP by calling 859-691-0689 Or visit www.boylclandmarktrust.org Case Studies of the Georgia Trust Revolving Fund

1:00-3:00 3:15-5:00 Future Preservation Projects in our Area

Old Carnegie Library, Centre College, 600 West Walnut St, Danville, KY

FRIDAY, MAY 25

8:00-10:00 Light breakfast and informal Q&A

3rd Street Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 119 South 3rd Street, Danville, KY





Weisiger Plaza

Thursday, May 17

6-9pm

Get downtown on May 17 for Main Street Live!

Join your closest friends for live music, local food and beer, for the best NEW event in town. The event takes place at Weisiger Park, in front of the Boyle Co. Courthouse. The party starts at 6:00pm, with live music from 6:30pm - 8:00pm! Our non-profit partner, Wilderness Trace Child Development Center, will be there collecting donations and telling us what all they have going on. Our sponsor for the May Main Street Live is Your Handyman, Jeff Cooper. Don't miss out!



Lawn Chair Theater: Coco

Constitution Square
Danville, KY
Saturday, May 12
Movie starts at Dusk







Shop at local participating businesses throughout Beattyville/Lee County now through May 31st and register to win a \$50.00

Gift Certificate from:

"J & S Art, Antiques & Old Things"

J & S is a small local store with art, both framed and unframed. They have a variety of antiques, glassware, crystal, books, movies, vinyl records, etc.

Promotion sponsored by:
The Downtown Beattyville Alliance,
The Beattyville Lee County Chamber of Commerce,
& Beattyville Lee County Tourism.



London director,
Brittany Cradic, is
busy assisting city
parks employee,
Malvin Merced,
with the flowers
for downtown
London! They will
be Garden City
again soon!

## THE ART OF WORKING WITH OTHERS:

### **Creative Strategies for Community Health Coalitions**

Join us for a free in-person workshop

learn to use art, leadership and facilitation techniques for jump-starting or revitalizing health coalitions



Choose from one of two locations:

MAY 10, 2018 10:00 am - 3:00 pm CDT

Muhlenberg Co. Extension >>> DETAILS & REGISTRATION MAY 17, 2018

10:00 am - 3:00 pm EDT Clark Co. Extension >>> DETAILS & REGISTRATION

\$250 stipend opportunity

bring community teams with 2+ organizations and be eligible for \$250 to implement what you learn in the training!

Sponsored by Kentucky Cancer Consortium, Kentucky Department for Public Health, CEDIK and Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky

This past week end I traveled through the Main Street community of Sylva, NC. I didn't know it was used in the film, Three Billboards Outside Ebbing Missouri. They have information on the sidewalks in front of the buildings that were used.

I wanted to share a few things from their community that could be R & D.







This is very similar to what Renaissance Covington did last summer. These are on the actual buildings.



Who knew? What is your town famous for? Is it on your sidewalks somewhere? While looking at their beautiful geraniums on the street I also found a bit of Kentucky!



## Eyesore to Asset: Redeveloping Distressed Properties

The Division of Compliance Assistance (DCA) and the City of Bowling Green are hosting a workshop focused on breathing new life into distressed properties in your city.

What will you leam?

- Understand how brownfield redevelopment benefits neighborhoods and community stakeholders
- Brownfield issues, programs and grants and the opportunities they present.
- Network with commercial lenders, developers, environmental attorneys and government and private brownfield experts.

This workshop will be held 9:00 AM — 3:30 PM Central Time, May 16, at the WKU Knicely Conference Center, 2355 Nashville Road, Bowling Green, KY.

The event is free, but registration is required. You can register on-line at.

https://dca.ticketleap.com/brownfield-bowling-green-18/.

If you have questions about this training, email <a href="mailto:envhelp@ky.gov">envhelp@ky.gov</a> or call us at 502-782-6189.

Sponsored by EnSafe Inc.





We talk about Middlesboro being "Greater in the Crater", this photo shows where the crater hit and the historical marker gives a bit more information of how this happened.





Pineville director, Jacob Roan, is excited to make this announcement. Jacob is the chair of this years festival and is the third generation in his family to do so. Come be a part of the tradition on May 25-26





Will you be the next Great American Main Street? Applications are now live! Submissions will close at midnight CST on Friday, June 22, 2018. The Great American Main Street Award (GAMSA) recognizes communities that exemplify the use of the Main Street Approach to revitalize traditional downtowns and neighborhood business districts.



The 2018 KMLF is excited to announce a partnership with the Department of Agriculture's Kentucky Proud program. As part of the partnership, we are pleased to announce Commissioner of Agriculture, Ryan Quarles will have the honor of crowning the 2018 Queen. The partnership has allowed us to create unique menus that will be comprised of foods produced in Kentucky at many of our Director's and public events. Extra efforts have been made to purchase locally and to use products made in the Commonwealth. We even hired a new carnival that is based in Ken-