



# Main Street Monday!





No need to wait for the ship to come in Main Street has you covered! It is two

months until Christmas and Santa is jumping with joy as he knows the best place to find unique, handmade, special gifts can be found in the shops of Kentucky Main



Street communities. (the elves can't make everything!)

Santa is a big supporter of shopping local and shopping small with your locally owned small businesses. He loves to give items from local artisans that are one of a kind to create special one of a kind holidays and you can find the supplies you need to create your own special gift or find that perfect item & support your friends and neighbors. Don't wait you can start finding those great items today!



From National Main Street Center: Main Street America and GoDaddy are teaming up to provide digital empowerment to business owners around the U.S. Through Empower by GoDaddy, we equip entrepreneurs in communities with training, tools, and peer networks to help small businesses establish and improve an effective digital presence. We invite you to join us in sharing this opportunity with your small businesses and emerging entrepreneurs.

The following is included at no cost to businesses:
Digital commerce education and training courses
Business coaching/mentorship
Blogs and other learning resources
Discounts on e-commerce related products

Learn more at https://www.mainstreet.org/blogs/national-main-street-center/2021/10/12/providing-digital-empowerment-to-main-street



The SBA and Public Private Strategies Institute have teamed up to provide small business owners with a series of webinars that will cover resources to help small businesses grow and thrive. Join us for the next session on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. ET: Supporting Veterans & National Disability Employment Awareness Month

Veteran's Day is also coming up and several of our KYMS communities honor their Veterans with banners of local people who served. Here is one example from Maysville. If you are interested in finding out more on the process contact carolinereece @maysvilleky.net or tmays@beattyville.org





#### **Technical Preservation Services News**

### You Are Invited to Join TPS for an Update on Operations Webinar

TPS invites consultants, developers, and other tax incentives program constituents to join us for an update on our operations webinar on Wednesday, November 10, 2021, at 4:00 pm ET.

Topics will include planned changes in operations, in the application submission process, and in TPS staff state assignments in calendar year 2022.

Please register for the webinar on November 10, 2021, at 4:00 pm ET by pasting this link into a browser:

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8844332314350780685

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.



Great news Copper Top Tap is now open in downtown Williamsburg!! You can find them at 106 South 3rd St.

Between a pandemic and a few other set backs this has been a long time coming (can you imagine how long it took to put all those pennies on that bar) Stop in and enjoy all the great food items on the menu or a cocktail. Help celebrate the opening of this new small business!



Exciting to see work occurring on this building on the Square in downtown Scottsville. Another recently received façade work and it was so cool to see the blue tile and copper underneath layers of paint! It is a beautiful building feature now.





Grants of up to \$5,000 to Kentucky and Virginia nonprofit organizations and local government agencies for tree planting projects. Funding is intended for

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projects in urban and non-urban parks, parkways, forests, and highways. Applicants must be located in the service areas of LG&E and KU. The Plant for the Planet program is modeled after the United Nations Environment Program's (UNEP) Plant for the Planet: Billion Tree Campaign. The purpose of UNEP's tree-planting effort is to bring individuals, communities & businesses together to collectively plant over one billion trees worldwide each year.



For one day only, see Downtown parking spaces transformed into pop-up shops right on the street in the form of parklets, or tiny parks! Take to the street to walk, shop, and dine in a new way on Halloween weekend!

Participating merchants include:

Bricolage Art Collective - 107 Market House Sq. River Discovery Center - 117 S. Water St. Barrel and Bond - 100 Broadway Forever Pampered - 108 Broadway Selcouth - 207 Broadway Home2 - 216 Broadway Wildhair Studios' Rock Shop - 311 Broadway Tuscan Rose - 420 Broadway MAKE - 628 Broadway

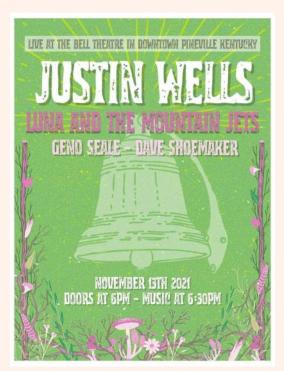


Carrollton couldn't have asked for a better day to hold their Chalk the Walk on Saturday. Lots of people came down to participate and view. This Shop Local was one of the favorites of course.









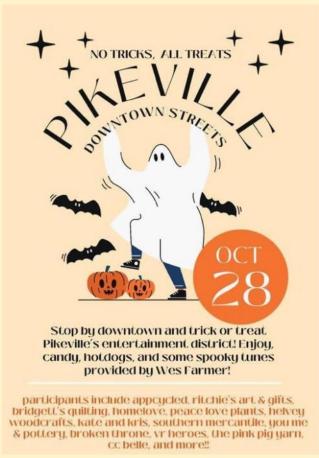
The fall and winter concert series is back in Downtown Pineville! Come early and shop, enjoy dining before or after the concert and enjoy an evening with Main Street Pineville. For more information visit their social media/website or contact jacobroan@gmail.com







Here's a great day trip to help our KYMS community of Benham and enjoy the wonderful museum and be immersed in the colors of fall. This area near Black Mountain is one of the prettiest in the state. Visit Benham, Cumberland, & Lynch for great history on coal and the region.





Stop in the participating locations during their normal business hours to see what they have to offer!

Downtown businesses that are open on Saturday's are planning a special treat the Saturday before

Halloween (October 30th).





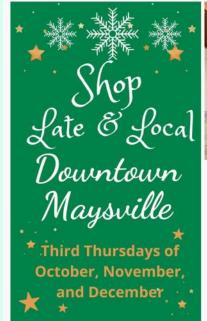






Happy Birthday to Jonathan Wyatt-Williamsburg tomorrow!







Get a headstart on your Christmas Shopping and enjoy

> Sales & Specials Trunk Shows Live Music Meet & Greet Artists

Starts Thursday, Oct 21





Registration opens. All downtown and surrounding businesses are welcome to participate. Please email heartofscottsville@gmail.com to register. (no cost to enter)

November 1st
Registration closes.

#### November 15th

All displays must be ready. A photo gallery will be posted on Heart of Scottsville's Facebook page.

#### November 15-December 1st

Online Facebook Voting for People's Choice

#### December 2nd

Winners will be announced via Facebook

## Feel the magic of Christmas in Scottsville

This Christmas season, businesses will decorate their windows with spectacular, eye-popping displays for all to enjoy. The window and storefront displays will represent this year's theme "Christmas Under the Stars"

The creative creations will delight residents and visitors who stroll through Scottsville. If you are a Scottsville resident or a visitor of our charming town, anyone can vote for their favorite window or store front display.

#### People's Choice Award! (People's Choice determined by

Facebook likes)

**Best Use of Theme** 

Best Overall (WOW Factor)



Be sure to submit your Shop Small & holiday announcements to us as soon as you finalize them so that we may share your activities to help our KYMS small businesses during this holiday season.

#### **KY Brownfield Cleanup Funding Now Available**

The Kentucky Brownfields Program is currently accepting applications for no-interest and low-interest loans to help with costs associated with brownfield revitalization projects. These loans are available to local governments, nonprofit organizations, and quasi-governmental agencies, for the purpose of cleaning up sites contaminated with hazardous waste or petroleum. For more information, please contact <a href="Eric Eisiminger"><u>Eric Eisiminger</u></a> or <a href="Lynn True"><u>Lynn True</u></a> or <a href="Visit Https://eec.ky.gov/Environmental-Protection/brownfields/Pages/cleaner-commonwealth-fund.aspx"><u>Lynn True</u></a> or <a href="Visit Https://eec.ky.gov/Environmental-pages/cleaner-commonwealth-fund.aspx"><u>Lynn True</u></a> or <a href="Visit Https://eec.ky.gov/Environmental-pages/cleaner-commonwealth-fund.aspx"><u>Lynn True</u></a> or <a href="Visit Https://eec.ky.gov/Environmental-pages/clean

#### **Recorded Grant Training Webinars**

EPA recently hosted two webinars to discuss the FY 2022 Assessment, Revolving Loan Fund (RLF), and Cleanup Grant Guidelines. To view the webinars, visit Multipurpose, Assessment, RLF, and Cleanup (MARC) Grant Application Resources | US EPA.

KY Brownfields and Middlesboro Mainstreet recently hosted a webinar to introduce the basics of grant writing and to discuss FY 2022 EPA Brownfield Grants. To view the webinar, visit <u>lintroduction to Grant Writing and How to Get 'Grant Ready'</u>.

As Brownfield Program staff may be telecommuting, please be aware that e-mail is the best way to reach staff. Please include contact information in any correspondence with us so we can get back to you as soon as possible.





Terrific new GRANT OPPORTUNITY from the <u>National Trust</u> for Historic Preservation and <u>National Endowment for the Humanities</u>! Telling the Full History: Sustaining the Stewards of America's Diverse Historic Places, a one-time grant program to help interpret and preserve historic places of importance to underrepresented communities across the country. Applications accepted starting in November <u>#preservation-matters</u>





KYMS Main Street businesses are Open and ready to serve you!