

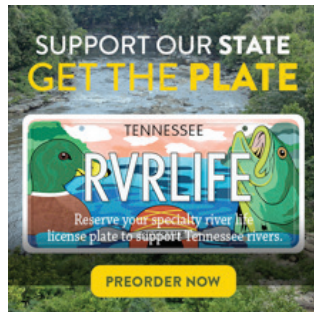
Tennessee's Backroads Heritage



NOVEMBER 2022

“River Life” Specialty Plate Pre-Orders Needed

A committee has been established under the Bedford County Partnership to raise funds for a “River Life” specialty license plate. Pre-orders are necessary prior to the actual plate being approved as a part of the license plate offerings by the State of Tennessee. This idea was sparked due to strong growth in kayaking on the Duck River in recent years.



The growth has led to an increased number of rescue incidents, many of them from out-of-county residents who own their own kayaks. The area rental companies stay very aware of river conditions and are generally not going to rent kayaks when conditions are dangerous and safety could be compromised. During the last five years, there have been 42 search and rescue events on the Duck River just in Bedford County.

Discussion in the committee meetings on this issue prompted the proposal for a “River Life” specialty plate which would raise funds for safety, rescue, and education about the Duck River. The plate was designed by Alejandro Contreras Cabrera, a Shelbyville Central High School student who won the contest to design the plate. Kudos to Alejandro for such a vibrant and artistic design.

However, keep in mind the plate is designed to focus on all Tennessee rivers -not just the Duck River – safety is paramount on all of Tennessee’s lakes, rivers and streams and this specialty plate serves as a good visual reminder on your car when on the road.

Pre-orders are required for the specialty plate to go into production. It is the committee’s hope that given the required number of pre-orders, the plate offering is expected to be sometime during mid-2023.

The Duck River flows 284 miles from east to west across Middle Tennessee making it the longest river located

entirely in the state. It is deemed the most biologically diverse river in North America with over 50 species of freshwater mussels and 151 fish species. High productivity lends itself to exceptional fisheries and a desire to kayak the river and enjoy its scenic beauty.

For more information about this important initiative, please contact John Carney with the Bedford County government at john.carney@bedfordcountyttn.gov.

Tennessee's Backroads Heritage Fall Dinner Set for November 15, 2022

You Are Cordially Invited to the

TENNESSEE'S BACKROADS HERITAGE
FALL DINNER

Tuesday, November 15, 2022
5:30 p.m. Silent Auction - 6:00 p.m. Dinner Served

Bell Buckle Banquet Hall
27 Railroad Square, Bell Buckle, TN

\$25 per person

For more information call 615-613-5627
RSVP by Wednesday, November 9, 2022



Guest Speaker
Erik Brown
Homeplace Manager
Jack Daniel Distillery






Erik Brown joined the Homeplace Operations at Jack Daniel's Distillery a little over a year ago, moving his family to Tennessee from Louisville, KY. As the Director of Homeplace Operations in Lynchburg, Erik is responsible for leading a team of nearly 200 employees which are responsible for welcoming 275,000 visitors annually to the Distillery. The iconic distillery and town of Lynchburg continue to draw visitors from all over the world to see this historic landmark.

Prior to joining the team at Jack Daniel's, Erik was responsible for directing some of Brown-Forman's other Homeplaces, including Old Forester Distilling Co., Woodford Reserve Distillery, Cas Herradura, Sonoma Cutrer, and the Brown-Forman Cooperage over the past 5 years. Erik has been a part of the Tourism and Hospitality industry for 20 years having spent the first 14 years of his career at the Kentucky Derby Museum in various capacities.

Erik and his wife Cristina live in Spring Hill, TN with their 3 children. They have loved the past year exploring the state of Tennessee and being tourists in their new home state of Tennessee!

Tennessee's Backroads Heritage
P. O. Box 52
Tullahoma, TN 37388

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Please mail check to: Tennessee's Backroads Heritage,
1994 John R. Hill Rd., Lewisburg, TN 37081

This event is open to the public. Reservations must be made with the cost being \$25 per person. This is going to be a very fun evening and the food being served at the Bell Buckle Banquet Hall is always excellent. We hope you will make plans to attend. Please call the Backroads office at 615-613-5627 with questions.



Christmas Marketplace Set for Wartrace

Saturday, November 26th, 2022

Noon – 6 p.m.

Fill your soul with the Christmas spirit in the historic charming town of Wartrace! Christmas Marketplace, will have lots of handmade/homemade Christmas-themed items for sale as well as some holiday treats! Check off your Christmas shopping lists with something special. This is an opportunity to walk off Turkey Day while supporting local businesses on National Small Business Saturday. Come shop local artisans, bakers, and crafters setup throughout the square.

This is a free family outdoor event on the public square in Downtown Wartrace.

Vendors Wanted!

If you sell homemade, handmade, or local treats, arts, crafts, etc. that are Christmas-themed or would make good Christmas or festive gift then you should be a vendor at our Christmas Marketplace!

More event details on the application page at www.wartracechamber.org. For more information call 931-240-0300.

Big Creek Winery Tasting Room Relocating to Wartrace



Big plans are underway for The Big Creek Winery Tasting Room to open at 100 Main Street East in Wartrace, TN. The Tasting Room was previously located in Christiana, TN across from Miller's Café. All the Big Creek Winery Orchard and Vineyard Wines you love will be available at the new Tasting Room. The new Tasting Room is expected to open in mid-November.

This is going to be a great addition for Wartrace. They will be posting information on their FB page regarding their opening.

Big Creek Winery Tasting Room

100 Main Street East
Wartrace, TN 37183
615-785-2124

bigcreekwinerytastingroom@gmail.com

TULLAHOMA HIGH SCHOOL
FALL ART SHOW
"Reflections In Time"
November 5-26, 2022
Opening Reception:
Nov. 5th 1pm-3pm

Tullahoma Fine Arts Center
401 South Jackson Street
Tullahoma, Tennessee, 37388

Christmas
at the
BAILLETS
December 1-22, 2022
Christmas Marketplace

Tullahoma Fine Arts Center
401 South Jackson St
Tullahoma, TN 37388
931-455-1234

Making Spirits Bright!

TOYS FOR TOTS TOY DRIVE

Saturday, Nov. 12, 2022
9 am - 3 pm

Bring a new unwrapped toy and receive 10% off your purchase for that day.
DON'T FORGET TO START CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
Phil Prichard, Master Distiller, will be available for bottle signing!

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Happening at South Jackson Civic Center....

Adult Dance Classes – Christmas Choreography Workshop

November 2, 16, 2022
Wednesday – 6:30pm



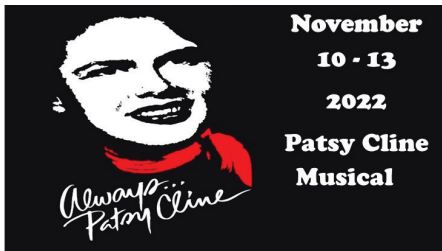
Increase your dancing skills with a little Christmas Choreography on Wednesday, November 2. Ages 16 & up. Admissions is only \$15 for a 90 minute class. To register in advance, visit: <https://southjacksonciviccenter.thundertix.com/> Walk-ins are welcome.

Social Ballroom Dance Classes – Waltz

November 3, 2022
Thursday – 6:30pm



Would you like to know more about social dances – join us for a Waltz Dance Lesson on Thursday, November 3rd. Lesson is \$10 and well worth the fun!! Register in advance at <https://southjacksonciviccenter.thundertix.com/> so we know how to prepare.



Always...Patsy Cline

November 10-13, 2022

Do you love theater? Do you love the music of Patsy Cline? Then don't miss this Patsy Cline Musical! Visit <https://southjacksonciviccenter.thundertix.com/> for ticket information.



Trees of Christmas

November 30 – December 4, 2022

It's time to get your "jingle" on! Wander through a forest of festively decorated trees during what is soon to become one of the area's favorite holiday traditions – South Jackson's Trees of Christmas!

Annual Tullahoma Christmas Tree Lighting

Thursday, December 1, 2022



Join us for the annual lighting of the Tullahoma Christmas Tree sponsored by South Jack-

son Performing Arts Center.

The event is free and we welcome all of Tullahoma to attend.



2nd Annual Christkindmarkt

Saturday, December 3rd
Noon until 8 pm

Traditionally held in the town square, the market will offer food, drink and seasonal items for sale from open-air stalls, accompanied by singing and dancing. Enjoy the "Spirit of Christmas" on the grounds of South Jackson.

For more information as a food or merchandise vendor please call 931-455-5321.



**South Jackson
Performing Arts Center
is excited to
present
Nutcracker
Fantasy
2022**

**The Nutcracker Ballet – Long School of Dance
December 9-11, 2022**

More details coming soon!



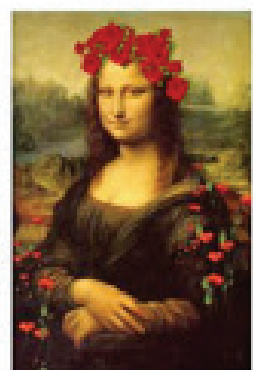
Terry Barber – Music of Andrew Lloyd Webber
Saturday, December 17, 2022

South Jackson Civic Center
404 South Jackson St
Tullahoma, TN 37388
931-455-5321



Hands-On Science Center
 101 Mitchell Blvd
 Tullahoma, TN 37388
 931-455-8387

FCAG/ARTISAN DEPOT GALLERY
 Community Art Show Calendar
All Creatives
WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE!



MONA LISA SAYS
 COME HANG YOUR
 ART WITH US!

THEME
"Recycled & Imagined"
 Show Dates: Dec 1-Jan 29
 Intake Dates Nov 24-27
 Reception: Dec 16, 5-7 pm

**Clement Railroad
 Hotel Museum's 2022
 Legacy Event**



You are invited to attend the Clement Railroad Hotel Museum's annual Legacy Event and Fundraiser.

The Museum's annual Legacy Event is a fundraiser and awards ceremony where they honor and recognize those who have made a significant and positive contribution to the community, state, and/or nation.

Past recipients of this prestigious award have been State Senator Anna Belle Clement O'Brien, U.S. Senator Lamar Alexander, Grand Ole Opry Star Jeannie Seeley, Country Music Superstar Craig Morgan, and historian Serina Gilbert.

This year's event will be hosted at the Museum on November 10, 2022 from 5:30 – 8 p.m.. Cal Turner, Jr., former CEO of Dollar General, will be the special guest speaker and will present The Legacy Award to Mark Collie, Country Music Star. Mark Collie will not only graciously accept the award but will put on a concert for all in attendance.

Admission for this event is \$100 (further contributions appreciated) and includes event attendance, food and drink, concert access, and much more!

For more details and information please contact the museum by calling 615-446-0500.

Clement Railroad Hotel Museum
 100 Frank Clement Place
 Dickson, TN 37055
 615-446-0500

Artisan Depot Gallery:
 204 E. Cumberland Street
 Cowan, TN

Hours: Thurs - Fri - Sunday noon- 5 pm
 Sat 11 am - 5 pm



Altamont Opry Coming in November

The Florence Scruggs Auditorium at 1433 Main Street located in Altamont, TN, is slated to be the venue for the Altamont Opry starting on Saturday, November 5, at 6 p.m. The event will take place the first Saturday of every month and features country music the way it used to be played.



The Altamont Opry

Local musicians making the lineup are Bob Townsend, Billy Campbell, Bud Seals, Kenny Barrett, Trent Kiell, Phillip James, John Sparkman, Mark Roberts and Mike James. The group had been playing at Hobo Junction in Irving College, TN (Warren County) for many years. When the owner of the property decided to sell, they were left without a place to perform. Mark Roberts reached out to Mayor Jana Barrett who was eager to have the gentlemen make the Florence Scruggs Auditorium their new home. "We have been revamping the auditorium to accommodate more events like this. It is a beautiful place to come, bring the family and enjoy some good wholesome entertainment. I am so happy that Altamont has the privilege to host the Altamont Opry."

Admission is free to the Altamont Opry and there will be concessions available from various 501(c)(3) organizations. The doors open at 5 p.m. and the music begins at 6 p.m. There is plenty of seating and handicapped parking is available in the city hall parking lot as well as regular parking on-site and across the street in front of the Altamont Baptist Church.

This is a family friendly event so there will be no alcohol or profane language. Other activities going on at the Florence Scruggs auditorium are Christian Heritage Wrestling events presented by Livin' It Ministries every third Saturday at 7 p.m., with doors opening at 6:30 p.m., as well as various programs put on by local churches.

Mayor Barrett says that the city council is also working toward starting a community theater in the future and states, "events like these will draw attention to the wonderful facility we have here and it is our goal to become known for producing good, wholesome family entertainment."

(The Sewanee Messenger, October 27, 2022)

NOVEMBER

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November

Month of November

Donut Saturdays – Every First and Third Saturday (Swiss Pantry) - Belvidere
 Live Music – Every Friday Night (BBQ Caboose – On the Square) – Lynchburg
 Tea Time (Monday – Saturday Between the Tea Hours of 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. – Closed on Sunday – The Celtic Cup Coffee House) - Tullahoma

November 1

Membership Luncheon – Manchester Chamber of Commerce (Manchester Conference Center) – Manchester

November 2

Kit's Club – Wiggly Worms (Henry Horton State Park) – Chapel Hill
 Adult Dance Classes – Christmas Choreography Workshop (South Jackson Civic Center) - Tullahoma

November 3

Celebration Fall Classic (Calsonic Arena) - Shelbyville
 Social Ballroom Dance Classes – Waltz (South Jackson Civic Center) - Tullahoma

November 4

Savage Gulf – Plateau Guided Hike (South Cumberland State Park) – Monteagle



Fall at Savage Gulf

November 5

Altamont Opry (Florence Scruggs Auditorium) – Altamont

November 5-26

Fall Art Show (Tullahoma High School) – Tullahoma

November 9

Kit's Club – Aqua Charades (Henry Horton State Park) – Chapel Hill

November 10

Legacy Event 2022 (Clement Railroad Hotel Museum) – Dickson

November 10-13

Always, Patsy Cline (South Jackson Civic Center) – Tullahoma

November 11

VETERANS DAY – Nationwide



November 11-12

Host of Christmas Past – Fayetteville

November 12



A Walk Through Time at Milky Way Farm (Milky Way Farm) – Pulaski
 Veterans Day 5K Color Run or Walk (Tims Ford State Park) - Winchester
 Overnight Backpacking Trip to Evans Loop (Tims Ford State Park) - Winchester

November 13

Savage Gulf - Night Hike on the Plateau (South Cumberland State Park) - Monteagle

November 15

Tennessee's Backroads Heritage Fall Dinner (Bell Buckle Banquet Hall) – Bell Buckle
National Recycle Day – Nationwide



November 16

Kit's Club – Less is More (Henry Horton State Park) – Chapel Hill
Adult Dance Classes – Christmas Choreography Workshop (South Jackson Civic Center) – Tullahoma

November 18

Shelbyville Disc Golf (The Celebration Grounds) – Shelbyville

November 19

Toys for Tots Toy Drive (Prichard's Distillery) - Kelso
Holiday Kickoff – Lynchburg
Barrel Tree Lighting – Lynchburg
Shelbyville Disc Golf (The Celebration Grounds) - Shelbyville
Tullahoma Chamber of Commerce Wobble Gobble 5K Run and Walk (Starts at 135 W. Lincoln Street) - Tullahoma

November 20

Community Thanksgiving Service (Cumberland Presbyterian Church) – Cowan

November 24

HAPPY THANKSGIVING!



November 25

After Thanksgiving Hike 2022 (Henry Horton State Park) – Chapel Hill
After Thanksgiving Hike 2022 (Old Stone Fort State Park) – Manchester
After Thanksgiving Silent Hike 2022 (South Cumberland State Park) – Monteagle
Savage Gulf Day After Thanksgiving Hike at Stone Door (South Cumberland State Park) – Monteagle
After Thanksgiving Hike (Tims Ford State Park) - Winchester

November 26

Christmas Marketplace (Downtown) – Wartrace



Just Hangin' Out!

November 30-December 4

Trees of Christmas (South Jackson Civic Center) - Tullahoma

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TBH Board Members

Barbara Blanton, President – Shelbyville, Dianne Murray, Executive Director, Sharon Bateman – Lynchburg, Jason Boshers – Columbia, Walter Chism – Lewisburg, Debbie Christian – Lynchburg, Carolyn Denton - Fayetteville, Carolyn Duke – Manchester, Judy Gambill – Shelbyville, Kay Howard - Lewisburg, Angie Kimbrough – Fayetteville, Mark McGee – Shelbyville, Blossom Merryman – Wartrace

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December 1-22

Annual Tullahoma Christmas Tree Lighting (Grounds of South Jackson Civic Center) - Tullahoma
Christmas at the Baillets (Tullahoma Fine Arts Center) - Tullahoma

December 2

66th Annual Tullahoma Christmas Parade (Sponsored by Stan McNabb Automotive) - Tullahoma



December 3

Christmas Parade - Fayetteville
Christmas Parade – Lynchburg
2nd Annual Christkindlmarkt (Noon – 8 p.m. - Grounds of South Jackson Civic Center) - Tullahoma

December 3-4

Sundaes with Santa (Milky Way Farm – 1 – 4 p.m.) – Pulaski

December 10-11

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The Nutcracker (South Jackson Civic Center) - Tullahoma

December 17

Terry Barber (South Jackson Civic Center) – Tullahoma

December 23

Caroling Around the Courthouse – Lynchburg

Membership

New Members

Cowan Commercial Club - Cowan

Renewals

Clement Railroad Hotel Museum - Dickson
Diamond Gusset Jeans – Lynchburg
Fayetteville-Lincoln County Chamber of Commerce
Manchester KOA - Manchester
Swiss Pantry – Belvidere



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& the Monteagle Mountain Area & Businesses of Our Neighbor Members