2022 - 2023 School Year
“I DO” Program List
Identifying Opportunities, Developing Relationships & Organizing Partnerships for Youth!
Dear Lexington Community,

Program Providers and Community Partners work so hard to provide positive youth programming; Partners for Youth wants to make sure that their efforts are recognized and supported. One way that we like to support them is to educate the community about the free and affordable positive youth programs they provide that are available in Lexington and the surrounding area. We do this by developing and maintaining the “I DO” program list from information they provide us; and distributing that list during the School year, spring break, and summer break to organizations and partners in our list serve so that they can share with their youth and families.

Thank you for caring about the community by seeking out positive activities for children, and resources for your family.

Thanks for being a Partner for Youth!

Sincerely,

Partners for Youth Staff

PARTNERS FOR YOUTH FOUNDATION, INC.

Office:
162 East Main Street, Suite 210
Lexington, KY 40507

Mailing:
200 East Main Street
Lexington, KY 40507

Partners4youth.org
PROGRAM FEES: FREE

Allegro Dance Project’s Inclusive Dance Outreach Program

Coming out of the era of social dis-DANCING, the arts and creative expression are more important than ever! We have continued to adapt our programming to provide a variety of safe and fun options for students to continue to experience the many joys and benefits of dance. Programming available for Pre-K through 12th grade, indoors, outdoors or virtually via Zoom! Participants enjoy a weekly movement class with live interactive music to encourage flexibility, agility, coordination and spatial awareness in addition to the artistic and expressive qualities of dance.

Can be offered in-person; on-site at your school, or virtually via Zoom. Serving Pre-K & up!

Please visit www.allegrodanceproject.org for more information & to register your group for programming.

For more information contact
Director, Jeana Klevene
(715) 252-6137
info@allegrodanceproject.org

Allegro Dance Project's Virtual Field Trips & Sensory Friendly School Shows

Experience a mix of contemporary dance, live music and circus arts! Both in-person and virtual offerings include a Q&A with the cast, a movement break and a study guide packet to help guide classroom discussions and to provide additional activities. Virtual field trips include a Vimeo link to watch the performance video and the Q&A and movement break can be scheduled virtually via Zoom or on-site at your school, any time throughout the school year. Sensory Friendly School Shows are typically held at the Lyric Theatre - please check our website for dates and registration information.

Serving Preschool and up!

Please visit www.allegrodanceproject.org for more information & registration

For more information contact
Director, Jeana Klevene
(715) 252-6137
info@allegrodanceproject.org
**Edythe J. Hayes WEB Program**

The WEB program serves as a leadership opportunity for our 8th grade students to assist in mentoring all incoming 6th graders and MSD students transition to middle school. The 1st day of the program consists of a day long assembly with transition information for our 6th graders. Follow up activities occur each month of the school year with continuing information for success in middle school.

For 6th-8th graders - approximately 11-14 years old

Yearlong at Hayes Middle School

For more information, contact
Carla Mack and Jessica Moore
859-381-4320
[carla.mack@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:carla.mack@fayette.kyschools.us) and [jessica.moore@fayette.kyschools.us](mailto:jessica.moore@fayette.kyschools.us)

**E7 Kids Café**

E7 Kids Café is a cost-free Afterschool Program is open to all school age children. Referrals for our program come from the Fayette County school system based upon the child's test scores and environmental factors. Students who join us receive one-on-one and group learning and tutoring, enrichment activities, field trips, and dinner each night they attend.

Program for the 2022-2023 school year will begin September 12, 2022 and run on the same schedule at FCPS.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday; 2:30-5:30pm

180 Maxwell St, Lexington, KY 40508
Some Thursdays are drop-in days; locations TBA

For more information, contact
Kyree Hobson, Program Director
859-428-7841
[E7kidscafe@gmail.com](mailto:E7kidscafe@gmail.com)

**FCPS Extra Innings**

Extra Innings is the before and after school program at Crawford Middle School. We offer homework help, tutoring, and enrichment activities. Program runs during the school year.

For Crawford Middle School students **ONLY**.

Crawford Middle School
1813 Charleston Dr.
Lexington, KY 40505

For more information contact
Debbie Glenn
Girls Who Lead Mentoring Program lead by KAPAAW, Inc.
Youth Mentoring program for girls in middle and high school. Meets twice monthly, engages in sessions addressing social emotional learning, college prep, college tours, community service and more!

For Middle & High School Girls

August 20th Information Session
For more information contact
Tiffany Brannon
girlswholeadlex@gmail.com
859-813-5419
Perseids Meteor Shower Watch
Bring a blanket and snacks and sit out under the night sky to watch for the Perseid Meteor shower!
For all ages
8/12-8/13 at Raven Run Nature Sanctuary, 9:00 -11pm
Cost: Free

For more information, contact
Awiker@lexingtonky.gov (859) 272-6105

Southland Jamboree
Free bluegrass music concert on Thursday evenings during the summer at 7 pm. Food is available for purchase, but you can also bring your picnic and coolers, well-behaved dogs welcome
For all ages
8/11, 8/18, 8/25, 9/1, 7 pm
Moondance Amphitheater
Cost: Free

For more information, contact
ALuallen@lexingtonky.gov, (859) 288-2925

Summer Nights in Suburbia
Moondance amphitheater concert series with genres ranging from jazz to bluegrass, indie rock to blues, and folk. Food is available for purchase, but you can also bring your picnic and coolers, well-behaved dogs welcome.
For all ages
8/12, 8/26, gates open at 5:30pm, show 7-9 pm
Moondance Amphitheater
Cost: Free

For more information contact
clewis2@lexingtonky.gov
(859) 425-2349

Woodland Art Fair
A venue filled with over 180 artists and craftspeople selling unique, handcrafted items. Patrons will also enjoy a variety of live entertainment, food trucks, local breweries, and vineyards!
For all ages
8/20 10am-6pm, 8/21 10am-5pm
Woodland Park
Cost: Free

For more information contact
ALuallen@lexingtonky.gov
(859) 288-2925

Kenwick Community Center
Open Monday – Thursday: 3 – 8 p.m.
Open Friday 3 – 7 p.m.

Dunbar Community Center
Will be open with programming and regular hours for people to play sports and do activities.
Open Monday – Thursday: 8 – 9 p.m.
Open Friday 8 – 7 p.m.
Open Saturday 9 – 2 p.m.

NOTE: We are also open for our weight room M – Sat. and on Sundays from 9 – 12 p.m., but for adults only.

William Wells Brown Community Center
Open Monday – Friday: 5 – 9 p.m.
(open for adults only after 8 p.m.)

For age 6-18 youth and teens, under 6 must have older sibling or parent present

William Wells Brown Community Center
548 East Sixth Street
Lexington, KY 40508

All workshops and exercises classes are FREE

For more information, contact
Jill Chenault Wilson, Center Director
jwilson@lexingtonky.gov
(859) 389-6678
**Lexington Public Library**

**Snack, Lexington Public Library Northside and Village Branches**
Stop by for books, stay for the fun! K-12 students can use this time to relax, unwind, and hang out with friends (and learn too!). Library volunteers are available to help with reading, homework and enrichment activities like board games, arts, crafts, and so much more! Snacks will be provided to youth age 18 and younger courtesy of God's Pantry. No registration required.

For grades K-12

Monday-Saturday, 3-5pm.

Northside Branch
1733 Russell Cave Road
Lexington, KY

Village Branch
1801 Alexandra Drive, Suite 136
Lexington, KY

For more information contact
Mary Landrum
mlandrum@lexpublib.org
859-231-5500

**Comics Club, Lexington Public Library Village Branch**
Read “The Big Wet Balloon” with friends. Then explore how comics are made with fun, hands-on activities. Recommended for grades K-5.

Thursday, September 22, 3:30 pm

Village Branch Library
1801 Alexandria Drive, Suite 136
Lexington, KY

For more information contact
Mary Landrum
mlandrum@lexpublib.org
859-231-5500

**Artist’s Studio: Frida Kahlo, Lexington Public Library Village Branch**
Create artwork in the style of Frida Kahlo. Please dress for mess. Recommended for grades K-5.
Thursday, September 29, 3:30 pm

Village Branch Library
1801 Alexandria Drive, Suite 136
Lexington, KY

For more information contact
Mary Landrum
mlandrum@lexpublib.org
859-231-5500

Switch It Up/Lexington Public Library
From Mario to mancala, join us every Tuesday to game!

For tweens and teens (middle to high school ages)

Starting on September 6, 2022
Tuesdays @ 4PM-5PM

Tates Creek Branch

For more information contact
Cecilee Salyers
csalyers@lexpublib.org
859.231.5500 ext. 2624

Teen Banned Books Club/
Lexington Public Library & Carnegie Center

Join us at Lexington Public Library on the third Tuesday of each month for a mindful
discussion of a recently banned or challenged book and the topics surrounding it. The first
ten registrants each month will receive a free copy of that month’s selection courtesy of the
Carnegie Center. Registration required. Sign up at lexpublib.org/calendar

For high school students

Each month’s meeting will be at a different library branch, the first one at the Northside
Branch on Tuesday, Sept 20 @ 5:30pm

For more information, contact
Jennie Samons
jsamons@lexpublib.org
859-231-550 ext. 2435
LiveGreenLex Environmental Education

Using standards-aligned thematic units, the City of Lexington offers free programming to all schools and homeschool groups in Fayette County. Completion of a thematic unit includes a related experience (touring the Recycle Center or having a Recycle Truck come visit your school)!

Year Round
K-12

For more information contact: Danny Woolums
dwoolums@lexingtonky.gov
859.258.3292
Lextran “How to Ride” Program
Lextran offers a “How to Ride” program that teaches the valuable life skill of using public transit. Participants will learn basic skills related to riding the bus and how to use tools to effectively get around Lexington. Sessions are typically 1-2 hours and can include onboard trainings.

Programming is available Monday – Friday; Sessions can be offered in-person, onsite at your location, at Lextran Administrative Offices, or online via Microsoft Teams. Contact Lextran to schedule or get more information.

For all ages; content is tailored to the appropriate age group.

For more information, contact
Emily Elliott, Community Relations Manager
eelliott@lextran.com
859-244-2018

KEEP Foundation Gateway Education Program
This job shadow program allows High School Seniors to observe professionals in the equine industry and experience a day in the life of their operation, gain real life understanding of careers, career pathways, and the education and skills needed for the job.

For High School Seniors

8-10 week rotations during the fall and spring. Working on setting up rotations for the summer. Job shadows will take place at equine businesses in Fayette County.

For more information contact
Alexandra Harper
alexandra@horseswork.com
859-259-0007

Nathaniel Mission Mentoring Programs at Harrison Elementary and Cardinal Valley Elementary
Harrison Elementary students interested in having a one-on-one mentor during the school year will be paired with someone to come join them for lunch at the school once a week. This program will be during the 20-30 minute lunch time and focus on social-emotional learning, behavior management, spiritual formation, and playing fun board games/arts and craft activities.
One day a week (Monday-Friday) during your student's lunch at Harrison Elementary School

Must be a student at Harrison Elementary School (Kindergarten-5th Grade)

If interested in signing up your child to meet with a mentor, please contact our Kids & Youth Development Coordinator, Casey Coyle, at ccoyle@nathanielmission.com or (859) 255-0062!

**Operation Be You: Girl’s 5P Empowerment: Phase 2**

This program is designed to educate and expose teen girls to new experiences while applying OBY’s five key pillars: fearlessness, effective communication, mindfulness, motivation, and money management, as well as participate in community service activities. Activities are in-person.

Girls 13 – 17 years old

August 9 – November 12, 2022

For more information contact
Operation Be You
859-509-2833

**Partners for Youth Neighborhood Youth Council**

The Neighborhood Youth Council (NYC) is a group that empowers youth to take leadership and service roles in their community. NYC works closely with other local youth organizations, neighborhood associations, and city government to increase the availability of positive programming for youth in the city. NYC focuses on college, career, and community by participating in fundraisers, college tours, trash pick-ups, canned food drives, and more!

Meetings are held once a week after school during the academic year with other events as scheduled. Meetings may be held via Zoom.

Eligibility: Any high school teen living in Fayette County.

For more information contact
Partners for Youth
(859) 280-8003

Follow us on Instagram:
www.instagram.com/pfy_neighborhood_youth_council
Taking Flight Next Level hosted by Ecological Research and Education Center, KidsMakeIt, and Red Oaks Forest School

Taking Flight Next Level provides access to unique skills, training, and sustained environmental learning in a research and field setting by trapping, banding, and releasing local birds. Students are encouraged to follow their own wonder and curiosity, create their own research questions, and design an experiment to address those questions supported by trained educators and professional biologists. Students are also encouraged to express their experience through art. Additionally, students gain a stronger connection to the nature that co-exists with them. Interacting with wildlife on an up-close and personal level provides abundant opportunities for awe and wonder. These connections help to solidify or begin a lifelong relationship with nature. Connections to nature during various developmental stages of youth have been shown to improve physical and mental health.

For ages 14-18

9/10-12/10 except 10/8 and 11/26
9 am to 12 pm
1737 Russel Cave Rd, Lexington KY

For more information, contact
Tina Brouwer or David and Jaria Laurenvil
takingflight@redoaksforestschool.org
kidsmakeitky@gmail.com

Free - We also accept donations to help support the program based on each individual's capacity

Safe Kids Fayette County

Safe Kids Fayette County is a childhood injury prevention program led by Kentucky Children’s Hospital. Find out more about who we are and what we do at www.safekidsfayettecounty.com

We offer free, fun interactive learning activities for groups of youth of all ages on ways to stay safe from injuries.

The Bike Safety, Water Safety, Stop the Bleed, and the OTC/Medication Safety activities are brought to your group.

Smart Sitters, Safe Kids, a babysitter training course, is offered virtually. Participants may attend the course individually or as a group, during the dates and times listed below. Pre-registration is required. In-person sessions are available and may be scheduled upon request.

For more information, to schedule, or register for an activity, contact:
**Smart Sitters, Safe Kids**
Middle school and high school students
A virtual babysitter training course will be offered on the dates and times listed.
Pre-registration is required. Call the Safe Kids office at 859-323-1153.

- Tuesday, August 30, 2022 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, October 25, 2022 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, November 29, 2022 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, December 27, 2022 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, January 31, 2023 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, February 28, 2023 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, March 28, 2023 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, April 25, 2023 at 6-7:30pm
- Tuesday, May 30, 2023 at 6-7:30pm

**Bike Safety**
Elementary and middle school
In-person bike safety presentation for groups of youth.

**Stop the Bleed**
Middle school and high school students
Stop the Bleed is a national awareness campaign. The program empowers and encourages bystanders to help in a bleeding emergency before professional help arrives.

**OTC/Medication Safety**
5th grade and older
The Scholastic OTC/Medication Safety learning program is based on research that students begin to self-medicate at around the age of 11. Created by the American Association of Poison Control Centers (AAPCC) and Scholastic to target students as young as 5th grade.

**Spanish Lunch & Bilingual Bible Study (English/Spanish) @ Asbury University!**
Asbury University is excited to offer two new clubs/programs for those who are looking for opportunities to practice their language skills in Spanish and English. We are excited to offer these new opportunities to students, staff/faculty and to members of our community.

We want to invite you to our:
**Spanish Lunches** - Bring your lunch and practice your Spanish/English (Thursdays from 12:00 - 1:00 pm). First lunch on Thursday, August 25th.
**Bilingual Bible Study** - Bring your Bible and practice studying/reading your Bible in different languages (English/Spanish) (Tuesdays from 7:00 – 8:00 pm). **First session on Tuesday, August 23rd.**

15 years & up

One Macklem Drive
Wilmore, KY 40390

For more information contact:
**Juan Gonzalez**
Hispanic Student Specialist
p. (859) 858-3511 ext. 2549
c. (859) 753-2190
juan.gonzalez@asbury.edu

**The Learning Center (TLC)**
The Learning Center is an alternative program in Fayette County. TLC serves students in grades 8-12 and specializes in engaging students who have struggled at their traditional high school.

August-May

475 Price Road
Lexington, KY

For more information contact
Toya Richmond
Toya.richmond@fayette.kyschools.us
859-381-0597

Free for Fayette County Residents

8th-12th grade
**PROGRAM FEES: $1 to $99**

**Bluegrass Youth Ballet - Ballet School**
Bluegrass Youth Ballet engages and inspires youth by providing access to the art of dance throughout our community. BYB offers ballet classes to beginners through pre-professional, ages 3 - Adults.

Starting Aug 15, 2022
Refer to website for class schedules - bluegrassyouthballet.org

3 years old to Adult

Cost: Varies per level

Tuition Assistance Program available

442 Southland Drive
Lexington, KY 40503

For more information call
Julie Stone
enrollment@bluegrassyouthballet.org.
(859) 271-4472

**Kentucky Repertory Dance Theater**
Dance, Fitness and Conditioning for all ages.

August 20, 2022 through May 6, 2023.

In the Dancers’ Studio
570 Delzan Place, Suite 36
Lexington Kentucky

Beginning at $30 per month, semester and annual payments are accepted, $25 annual registration fee, class cards are available.

Three years and up

For more information contact
Nancy Durall, Artistic Director
(859) 539-5696
dancerskrdt@gmail.com
krdt.org
Nathaniel Mission After-School Program
Join us this school year for a 4 day a week after-school program with Cardinal Valley Elementary, involving social, emotional, physical, academic, and spiritual support through our physical activity time, homework help, mentoring, bible lesson, reading, and everyday enrichment activities! Have your kids connect with their peers and have trustworthy volunteers invest in their lives through our program! We look forward to seeing you soon! The After-School Program will start after Labor Day on Sept. 6th!

Monday - Thursday 2:30-5:00 p.m.
K-5th Grade Cardinal Valley Elementary School students
$10 registration fee for whole school year

Cardinal Valley Elementary
218 Mandalay Road
Lexington, KY 40504

For more information call
Casey Coyle, Kids & Youth Development Coordinator
(859) 255-0062
ccoyle@nathanielmission.com

Sankofa University After-School Program / WECEP of Lexington, Inc.
The Sankofa University After-School Program offers tutoring in math, science and language arts, homework assistance, mentoring, life-skill enrichment clubs, and visual and performing arts, healthy snacks, dinner and school pick-up for grades K - 10th.

Ages: Sankofa Kids, age 5 - 12;
Teen Alley, age 13 – 15

Starting Aug. 10 - May 20, 2023

498 Georgetown Street
Lexington, KY 40508

For more information contact
Tanya S. Clark, School-Age Program Director
tclarkwecep@gmail.com
(859) 281-1248.

Cost: $50 Non-refundable registration fee, $75 per week (whether child is present or not)
The Artist Development Program at The Lexington Theatre Company

The Lexington Theatre Company has always had two objectives: Creating Professional Theatre and Nurturing & Training Theatre Artists. We're here to educate, support and train Theatre Artists at every age and every stage of their development. Filled with creativity, inspiration, motivation and FUN, the 2022-2023 Artist Development Program is designed to grow your creativity throughout the entire school year. To find more information or to register, visit www.lexingtontheatrecompany.org.

For more information, contact: Gretchen Shoot
education@lexingtontheatrecompany.org
(859) 940-4450

ADVENTURERS

Calling all adventurers! Music, storytelling and movement combine in this fun-filled class for our youngest students as they find their love of creativity and self-expression. It’s a perfect start for all youngsters.

Grades K-1
September 12 - December 18 (Fall Semester), January 16 - April 30 (Spring Semester)
Mondays at Artworks/Carver School OR Tuesdays at First United Methodist Church – Downtown
5:00 - 6:00 PM
$65/month

STORYTELLERS

Take the next step to becoming a great storyteller through words, music and movement in this terrific class perfect for the elementary-aged student. You'll dive deeper into craft and technique, while having an awesome time!

Grades 2-5
September 12 - December 18 (Fall Semester), January 16 - April 30 (Spring Semester)
Mondays at Artworks/Carver School OR Tuesdays at First United Methodist Church – Downtown
5:30 - 7:00 PM
$95/month

CREATORS

Continue building a solid technique in music, movement and storytelling, while taking the next steps as a creative artist. Express yourself in a safe, supportive environment with tons of fun!

Grades 6-8
September 12 - December 18 (Fall Semester), January 16 - April 30 (Spring Semester)
Mondays at Artworks/Carver School OR Tuesdays at First United Methodist Church – Downtown
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
$95/month
The Junior MANRRS Leadership Institute. Lead by The University of Kentucky Junior MANRRS Program

Junior MANRRS is the signature outreach program of the National Society of MANRRS (Minorities in Agriculture, Natural Resources and Related Sciences). The program is designed to stimulate interest in science, technology, engineering, agriculture, and environmental science educational paths and careers. The goal of the Junior MANRRS Leadership Institute is to encourage students in grades 7–12 to attend college and pursue agriculture, natural resources, and environmental sciences degrees through essential leadership skill development and exposure to the STEAM field through interactive workshops, tours, and contests.

For 6th – 12th grades

December 2-3, 2022, The University of Kentucky, College of Agriculture, Food and Environment

For more information contact
Mrs. Catie Croft
catherine.croftp@uky.edu
859-257-1637

Cost: $10 registration fee
Allegro Dance Project’s weekly Adaptive Dance Classes
We are thrilled to continue to offer our weekly Adaptive Dance, Adaptive Ballet and Adaptive Contemporary classes! All classes are structured for children and young adults with Down Syndrome, Autism Spectrum Disorder and other specific needs and include the opportunity to perform with our professional company each season. Students will have the option of weekly virtual Zoom classes or in-person classes held at either Bluegrass Youth Ballet or Artworks at the Carver School. The fall semester runs September through mid-December and the spring semester runs January - May. Please visit www.allegrodanceproject.org for exact dates and times.

For ages 5 & up

Bluegrass Youth Ballet: 442 Southland Drive, Lexington, KY 40503
Artworks at the Carver School: 522 Patterson Street, Lexington KY 40508

For more information contact
Director, Jeana Klevene
(715) 252-6137
info@allegrodanceproject.org

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education@lexingtontheatrecompany.org
(859) 940-4450

ARTISTS
Discover the artist within, as you continue working on solo and ensemble work to develop your creative voice and process. The focus in this class will be mostly acting and acting through song, with a few movement components

Grades 9-12
September 12 - December 18 (Fall Semester), January 16 - April 30 (Spring Semester)
Thursdays at First United Methodist Church - Downtown
5:00 - 7:00 PM
$120/month
One-Time/Monthly Events

**Commonwealth Classic Benefiting the KEEP Foundation**
Join us for an evening of fun for the whole family at the first ever Commonwealth Classic. This event will feature food trucks, educational kids activities, and a meet and greet with the players and their polo ponies.

For all ages

Friday, September 23, 2022 at 6 p.m.

Commonwealth Polo Club
2665 Bethlehem Road
Paris, KY 40361

For more information, contact
Alexandra Harper
alexandra@horseswork.com
859-259-0007

Cost: $15 per car in advance/$20 per car at event

**Girls Who Lead Conference**
lead by KAPAAW, Inc
Conference will address engineering, math and science interests through interactive workshops!

September 24th at Winburn Middle School

For Middle & High School Girls

For more information, contact
Tiffany Brannon
girlswholeadlex@gmail.com
859-813-5419

Cost: Free
Drive-in Movie Night
August 5th, 2022 (8:00pm – 11:59pm)

For families and kids of all ages

Lexington City Church
410 Sporting Court
Lexington, KY 40503

Registration Date & Link: https://lexcity.church/events/

Costs: No cost to attend

KidCity Lego Night
LexCity will host a family lego night where families can get together and build epic lego creations, enjoy some snacks, and spend quality time together in a laid-back environment.

All ages welcome

September 9, 2022 (6pm-8pm)

LexCity Church

Registration Date & Link: https://lexcity.church/events/

Costs: No cost to attend
LexCity Yth Punkin’ Chunkin’
LexCity Yth Punkin’ Chunkin’ is a night of games, music, and contests for all middle and high schoolers. Dress up and bring a decorated pumpkin to be judged and then chunked at the end of the night. We will also have extra pumpkins available if students don't have one or don't want to launch their own. Compete for prizes in our categories:

- Best Costume & Pumpkin Combination
- Best Costume
- Best Carved Pumpkin
- Funniest Pumpkin
- Scariest Pumpkin
- Prettiest Pumpkin

For Middle and High Schoolers

October 26th, 2022 (6:45pm-8:30pm)

Lexington City Church
410 Sporting Court
Lexington, KY 40503

Registration Date & Link: https://lexcity.church/events/

No cost to attend

Family Friendly Spooktacular
LexCity Church is going 'all out' to create a special Trick or Treat experience for families in our community. This spooktacular experience is complete with themed sections, radio transmission games and fun throughout the experience with free candy, gifts, mystery bags, live music, tons of fun and so much spectacle! Think southern lights, trunk-or-treat and fall festival all rolled into one!

For all ages

October 30th, 2022 (5pm-8pm)

Lexington City Church
410 Sporting Court
Lexington, KY 40503

Registration Date & Link: https://lexcity.church/events/

No cost to attend
Intro to Canoeing
Learn the basics of piloting a canoe on the calm waters of Jacobson Park Lake. All instruction and equipment will be provided, the program is limited to the number of boats available.
For all ages
8/13, 10am-Noon
Jacobson Park Lake
Cost: $5

For more information, contact
kblack@lexingtonky.gov
(859) 288-2900

Pre-K Nature Class – Tiny Tot Naturalist: Insect Investigation
Parks and Rec staff will lead students through activities related to the monthly theme
For ages 2-5
8/17, 10:00-11:00am
McConnell Springs Park,
Cost: Free

For more information contact
srogers@lexingtonky.gov
(859) 225-4073

Native Bee Workshop
Interested in attracting native pollinators to your garden? This workshop familiarizes you with how to bring important pollinators around! You will also build a nest box for Mason Bees. Presentation by a master naturalist on native bees. All instruction, tools, and building materials will be supplied.
For all ages, 18 and under must be accompanied by an adult.
8/20, 9:00am-Noon
McConnell Springs Park
Cost: $20

For more information contact
srogers@lexingtonky.gov

Sunrise Archery
Learn the basics of archery from a trained instructor, equipment is available, but participants are welcome to bring their own bow.
For ages 13 and up
8/20, 10am-Noon
Hisle Farm Park
Cost: Free
UK Nighttime Critter Crawl
Join experts from the University of Kentucky for a self-guided evening stroll and stop by various stations to learn about amphibians, reptiles, mammals, night insects, and more!
For all ages
8/20, 7:30-9:00pm
Raven Run Nature Sanctuary
Cost: Free

Junior Naturalist: Insect Investigation
Description: Parks and rec staff will lead through theme-related craft
For K-5th Graders
8/20 10-11:30 am
McConnell Springs Park
Cost: Free

Junior Explorers
Kids will learn about nature, history, and science. Most programs involve a short hike combined with a related craft or experiment.
For K-5th Graders
8/27 10-11:30am
Raven Run Nature Sanctuary
Cost: Free

Marvelous Movies: Black Panther
Come watch Black Panther with us under the stars! Food, drinks, and dessert trucks will be available. There will be designated areas for blankets and chairs. Seating is first, come, first serve.
For all ages
9/10 7:30-10:30pm
Shillito Park
Cost: Free
Build a Bug Hotel
Description: Welcome bugs to your backyard by making them a home!
For kids up to 5th grade
9/11, 11:00am-noon
Raven Run Nature Sanctuary
Cost: Free

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Monarch Tagging
Description: Take a butterfly net with you on a walk to help capture monarch butterflies. Then learn how scientists study monarch migration before tagging and releasing captured butterflies.
For all ages
9/16, 11am-Noon
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Cost: Free

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Bluegrass History
Take a leisurely walk through the historic Prather homestead while learning about the human history of Raven Run
For all ages
9/17 1-2:00pm
Cost: Free

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Marvelous Movies: Ant-Man – Nature Hop Kickoff
Come watch Ant-Man with us under the stars! Food, drinks, and dessert trucks will be available. There will be designated areas for blankets and chairs. Seating is first, come, first serve.
For all ages
9/17, 6:30-10:30pm
Shillito Park
Cost: Free

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Junior Explorers: Colors of Nature
Description: Learn about nature, history, and science at Raven Run. Most programs involve a short hike combined with a related craft or experiment.
For all ages
9/24, 10-11:30am
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Cost: Free
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Marvelous Movies: Shang-Chi
Come watch Shang-Chi with us under the stars! Food, drinks, and dessert trucks will be available. There will be designated areas for blankets and chairs. Seating is first, come, first serve.
For all ages
9/24, 7:30-10:30pm
Masterson Station Park
Cost: Free
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Freaky Flicks: Hocus Pocus
Enjoy fun, family-friendly, spine-chilling films to get you Spooky Season Ready! Preshow activities are at 6:30 pm with a Monster Mash dance party. Costume contest with trophies awarded. Food, drinks, and dessert trucks will be available. There will be designated areas for blankets and chairs. Seating is first, come, first serve.
10/1, 6:30-9:30pm
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Freaky Flicks: Ghostbusters: Afterlife
Enjoy fun, family-friendly, spine-chilling films to get you Spooky Season Ready! Preshow activities are at 6:30 pm with a Monster Mash dance party. Costume contest with trophies awarded. Food, drinks, and dessert trucks will be available. There will be designated areas for blankets and chairs. Seating is first, come, first serve.
For all ages
10/8, 6:30-9:30pm
Moondance Amphitheater
Cost: Free

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Freaky Flicks: Addams Family Values
Enjoy fun, family-friendly, spine-chilling films to get you Spooky Season Ready! Preshow activities are at 6:30 pm with a Monster Mash dance party. Costume contest with trophies awarded. Food, drinks, and dessert trucks will be available. There will be designated areas for blankets and chairs. Seating is first, come, first serve.
For all ages
10/15, 6:30-9:30pm
Moondance Amphitheater
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Word of Hope/St. Martha’s Lexington: Free Community Ice Cream Social
Join us for an afternoon of games, music, bounce house, and ice cream sundae bar. Event will be held indoors in case of rain. Come join us for a fun afternoon.

Fun for all ages

Saturday, August 27 1-3 pm

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Cost: Free
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