WHAT'S HAPPENING IN BULLITT COUNTY

PUBLIC MEETINGS

MONDAY, Oct. 20 School Board, 5 p.m. Frank Hatfield Admin. Center Hunters Hollow City Council — 7 p.m. UofL Health Hillview City Council — 7 p.m., government center

TUESDAY, Oct. 21

Bullitt Fiscal Court, 9:30 a.m., courthouse Tourist Commission, 4:30

p.m. Paroquet Springs High School Night Out on Nov. 7

The Bullitt County Youth Coalition will host a special night on Friday, Nov. 7.

Racing, fun and holes-inone will be held at Kart Country for all high school students of BCPS. It is a free event.

The limit is the first 500 students who attend.

Enjoy Go-Karts, mini golf,

food, DJ and more. The event will be from 5-8 p.m. Kart Country is located on Joe B. Hall Avenue in

ST. ALOYSIUS CRAFT FAIR

Shepherdsville.

The St. Aloysius Woman's Club will host its annual craft

It will be held on Saturday, Oct. 25, from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the parish hall.

Local artists, crafts and gifts will be available.

Also, breakfast and lunch with homemade soups, chili dogs and baked goods will be available.

Everyone is invited. The parish hall is located on 187 S. Plum Street in Shepherdsville.

TRICK OR TREAT **AT VINE HILL**

Trunk or Treat at Vine Hill Baptist Church on Oct. 25 from 6-8 p.m.

The community is invited to attend. There will be a costume contest and then fellowship with free hot dogs/chicken nuggets, chips, cookies and Kool Aid.

Follow with a story time, games and cake walk.

The grand finale on the night will be trick or treating.

Everyone is invited. The church is located on Highway 245 across from Bernheim For-

BULLITT DEMOCRATIC PARTY TO MEET

The Bullitt County Democratic Party will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday, Oct. 16. It will be held at 6 p.m. in the Lebanon Junction Branch Library.

Note the change of meeting day and location.

Subcommittee meetings will be held and discussions about the 2026 election will be

Everyone is invited to attend.

WINTER COVER CROP **SEED AVAILABLE**

Visit the Bullitt County Soil Conservation office to pick up free cover crop seed for your home garden. Up to 5 lbs. of winter wheat or rye are available to county residents. Also available, are five varieties of flower seed to enhance your landscape and attract pollinators. First come, first serve for these free giveaways. If you need to stock your pond, the Fish Truck will be in our parking lot on Saturday, September 27, 2025, from 12-1 p.m. We are located at 1048 N. Bardstown Road in Mt. Washington. For more information on these programs, call 502-538-0628.

TEEN COURT APPLICATIONS TAKEN

The Bullitt County Teen Court program is now taking applications. All high school students in Bullitt County are eligible to apply.

The program allows students to give penalties to their peers who have broken the

The first meeting and train-

ing session will be on Oct. 16 from 5-6:45 p.m. at the Bullitt County Judicial Center, 250 Frank E.Simon Ave. in Shepherdsville. The training will be held in District Judge Jennifer Porter's courtroom, Room 201.

Those who are interested should attend on Oct. 16.

COOKING MATTERS CLASS OFFERED

The Bullitt County Health Department will host a free Cooking Matters class on Oct. 16, from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. Other class dates will be Oct. 23, Oct. 30, Nov. 6, Nov. 13 and Nov.20. To participate, you must attend at least five of

the sessions. Learn how to prepare healthy meals for your family.

To participate, sign up by calling 955-5355. This is for adults only.

The health department is located on Lees Valley Road in Shepherdsville.

FREE HEALTHY BABY WORKSHOP

Seven Counties Services and Ky Moms MATR will host a free Healthy Baby Workshop on Oct. 23 from 10 a.m. until Noon at the Bullitt County Central Library.

This is for pregnant and post-partum mothers (up to 1

and their support person residing in Bullitt, Henry, Jefferson, Oldham, Shelby and Spencer counties.

Topics such safe sleep, safe substances while pregnant, baby blues verse postpartum blues, self care and more.

To sign up, call or google Seven Counties Services.

THINK PINK **SET FOR OCT. 20**

The annual Think Pink program will be held on Oct. 20, at **Paroquet Springs Conference** Centre.

There are only 150 seats available and the deadline to register is Oct. 13.

This is an annual event to raise awareness for cancer screening and recognizing breast cancer survivors.

Resources and exhibits start at 5:30 p.m. Dinner will be at 6:15 p.m. Lt. Gov. Jacqueline Coleman has been invited to speak. Fallon Glick will MC. And Katy Williams of Baptist Health will talk about genetics.

To reserve your spot, call 955-5355.

This is sponsored by Kentucky Cancer Program, Bullitt County Health Department and UK's Martin-Gatton College of Agriculture, Food and Environment.

MPCAA TO HOST FUND-RAISER

The Multi-Purpose Community Action Agency will host a chili fund-raiser on Oct. 17 at its Shelbyville location.

Ticket prices are \$10 for adults and \$7 for children and seniors.

There will be a delicious meal from 4-7 p.m.

The office is located at 207 Washington Street in Shelbyville.

For more information, call 633-2218.

HAYCRAFT FAMILY REUNION OCT. 18

All families from the Joshua, Samuel and John Haycraft lineage are invited to the 2025 Haycraft reunion to be held on Saturday, Oct. 18, at the Brown Pusey Houe, 128 N. Main St., Elizabethtown.

Registration begins at 10

a.m. CT/11 a.m. ET. Other activities throughout the day will include Haycraft history, picture sharing and story telling.

Potluck dinner will be at 11 a.m. CT with chicken provided. New this year is a possible Mystery Quest.

An auction ends the day at 2 p.m. CT/3 p.m. ET.

Your whole family is invited. You might bring a dish for the potluck, bring some family history or pictures and/or a homemade item for the auc-

VFW TO HOST TRICK OR TREAT

The Bullitt County VFW Post 5710 will host a Children's Trick or Treat party on Friday, Oct. 17, from 5-7 p.m.

There will plenty of treats for the little ones. Everyone in the community is invited to this annual event.

The VFW Post 5710 is located on Highway 44 West in Shepherdsville. Look for the tank in the front parking lot.

TOPS CHAPTER 2700 OPENS

A new TOPS chapter is open to provide support for those looking to lose weight.

TOPS 2700 meets each Monday at the Hillview Christian Community Church on the corner of Brookley Drive and Hillview Boulevard

Weigh in at 9 a.m. and meetings start at 10 a.m. All invited. For more information, call 502-594-9339.

OPTIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES GALA

Options Unlimited will host is a special night of entertainment on Saturday, Nov. 1. **Options and Opportunities**

Gala will be held at Paroquet Springs Conference Centre. Nashville and Grand Ole Opry entertainer J.D. Shel-

burne will perform. Dinner and music will be held from 6-10 p.m.

Individual tickets will be sold through Sept. 30 for \$50. After Oct. 1, tickets will be \$75. Sponsorships are also avail-

For more information, call 955-7271.

GOD'S GRACE GOSPEL SINGING

God's Grace Independent Genera Baptist Church will host gospel singings each month throughout the year.

Singings will start at 6 p.m., unless noted, and the public is

Oct. 18 — The Turner Fam-

All are invited. The church is at 128 Roy Layne Road, off Beech Grove Road.

Terry Baker is the pastor.

SALT RIVER **MASONIC FISH FRY**

The Salt River Masonic Lost 180 has started its monthly fish fry Fridays.

On the fourth Friday of each month through October, the fish fry will start at 4 p.m. and continue until it runs out.

Fish dinners and ala carte items sold. All proceeds go to help projects in the community.

Everyone is invited. The lodge is located on Duane Way off Fisher Lane and Highway 44 East in Mount Washington.

DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP

The Bullitt County Health Department will host a monthly support group led by a master certified health coach.

We will discuss a variety of topics related to diabetes management. Each session will offer guidance and support toward achieving your

diabetes management goals while building a community around diabetic health.

Meetings will be held on the fourth Wednesday of each month from 10-11 a.m. in the community room at the health department.

And at the July 23 meeting, Dr. Patel of Bullitt County Foot and Ankle will talk. Everyone is invited to attend.

SUPPLEMENTAL COMMODITIES **FOR SENIORS**

Signups have begun for supplemental commodities for seniors in the Hillview area. You must be at least 60 years of age and meet the income limit of \$1,632 per month.

For more information or to sign up, call Mike at 502-957-5280 ext. 205.

MPCAA NEEDS VOLUNTEER DRIVERS

Multi-Purpose Community Action Agency needs volunteers to deliver meals to homebound seniors.

Meals are delivered Monday through Friday. You can commit to delivering only one day or more if you choose. It is about a 2-

hour commitment. Volunteer must provide their own transportation. Mileage can be reimbursed if requested.

Meal delivery is set up on routes throughout Bullitt County, so you may be able to choose the route that suits you best.

Contact Nichole Schank at the senior center, by dialing 1-502-543-4077 and choosing 2 on the menu. You may leave a message if no one answers.

Adults over 60 can join MPCAA for lunch, socialization, and fun activities at 214 Frank E Simon, Shepherdsville KY. Call Nichole for a reservation.

She can also be reached by e-mail at nichole@mpcaa.org."

GRIEFSHARE RECOVERY

Bullitt Lick Baptist Church hosts the 14-week GriefShare grief recovery seminar and support group. The meetings will be held at

the church located at 2975 Highway 44 West in Shepherdsville. GriefShare features nation-

ally recognized experts on grief recovery topics. For more information, call

543-2483 or email griefshare@bullittlickbaptist.org

TOPS 312 MEETS EACH THURSDAY

The TOPS 312 chapter in Hillview meets every Thursday

It will be held from 5-6:30 p.m. at the Hillview Community Center on Prairie Drive.

The group meets every Thursday and everyone who is interested in losing weight is invited to attend.

GRACE COMMUNITY SERVICE AND LUNCH

Each Sunday, Grace Community Church will invite the public to its 10:30 a.m. service. And then, you will be invited to stay for a free "soup lunch" afterwards.

The church is located at 1775 Brooks Hill Road. Steven Shelton is the pastor.

All are invited to feed your soul and then your belly.

OVERDALE GLOBAL REOPENS FOOD PANTRY

The Overdale Global Methodist Church has reopened reopen its food pantry.

The church is not part of a large pantry but wants to do its part to serve the commu-

Burnstein, David Willett,

Natalie S. Harden, Jeffrey

Moore and Ethan C. Ried

Prior to those awards,

Griffee also honored each

personnel

M. Honeycutt, Mickayla G. Frankfort.

God has blessed us and He has told us to "feed His sheep."

There will be non-perishable food, such as canned vegetables and fruit, canned meat, boxed pasta, paper products and much more. The church is located at 515

Overdale Drive next to the elementary school in Hillview.

The pantry will be open the third Tuesday of each month from 1-3 p.m.

DARE TO CARE IN LEBANON JUNCTION

The Dare to Care program in Lebanon Junction provides food on the third Monday of each month at 10 a.m.

To sign up for a food box, go to the St. Benedict parking lot. This is a new procedure to assist with traffic flow and safety in the area.

KARAOKE **AT LEGION POST**

The American Legion Post 157 will host weekly karaoke night.

This happens each Friday from 8-11:30 p.m.

Everyone is invited. the post is located on Cedar Grove Road at Old Preston Highway in Shepherdsville.

VFW POST 5710 **HOSTS EVENTS**

The VFW Post 5710 in Shepherdsville will host a variety of events.

Every Sunday and Tuesday at 7 p.m., bingo sessions will be held. Everyone is invited. You must be at least 18 years old to play games.

Karachi is held on Friday and Saturday evenings. The public is invited. The post is located on Highway 44

CELEBRATE RECOVERY Faith Assembly of God will

West in Shepherdsville.

host Celebrate Recovery every Friday evening. Everyone is invited. The ses-

sions begin at 6:30 p.m.

The church is located at 6811 S. Preston Highway in Lebanon Junction. For more information, call

543-1457.

FIRST BAPTIST MONDAY MEALS

The First Baptist Church in Shepherdsville has resumed its Monday meals.

The community is invited for a free meal each Monday at 6 p.m. Doors open at 5:50 p.m. You can enter at the back or side doors

The church is located on South Buckman Street next to the county courthouse.

BULLITT MINISTERIAL

GROUP TO MEET The Bullitt County Ministerial Association will meet on the first Wednesday of each month at Mr. Gattis.

The meeting begins at 1 p.m. All pastors and representatives of Bullitt County ministries are invited.

For more information, contact pastor Randy Pace at 543-4444.

HILLVIEW CHURCH DARE TO CARE

The Hillview Community Christian Church food pantry and Dare to Care program will be held on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month.

It will be open from 5-6 p.m. The drive-thru food pantry will be located at the City of Hillview Annex Building at 1191 Hillview Boulevard.

Only those in Hillview, Pioneer Village and Brooks are eligible for this site.

Anyone who would like to help, canned goods are desperately needed. They can be dropped off at the Hillview Government Center.

Billy Roy Shepherd was

given his retirement badge

for service from 1970-86.

FIRST NAZARENE DARE TO CARE

Shepherdsville First Church of the Nazarene is hosting a Dare to Care food distribution

every Tuesday. The drive-thru food bank will be at the old Melton Food Mart every Tuesday from 5-6

> Bring something with your address and a photo ID to receive assistance.

> This is for the 40165 and 40177 zip codes only. Bring boxes, bags or other containers to carry your food.

The drive-thru pickup is located on North Maple Street off Highway 44 East in Shepherdsville.

TURNAROUND CENTER ACTIVITIES

The Turnaround Pantry will be open at the main location (11980 S. Preston Highway, Lebanon Junction) on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

Food boxes are available at

at 11 a.m. Every Monday, Thursday and Friday at 11 a.m., there is a hot meal provided at the Turnaround Center 2 Kitchen at 191 S. Poplar Street in Lebanon Junction.

Produce and other groceries are available Monday through Friday at 11 a.m. and at 10 a.m. on Saturday at 11980 S. Preston Highway.

And the Turnaround Market, located at 11491 S. Preston Highway in Lebanon Junction, is open by appointment only.

New items only. Call 502-488-1628 for an appointment.

HANDS PROGRAM HELPS EXPECTANT PARENTS

Having a baby or have a new baby? Check out the HANDS pro-

gram. It is free and voluntary. A highly-skilled HANDS worker will provide fun, interactive activities to teach you and your baby to be the best you can be.

For more information, call the Bullitt County Health Department at 955-5355.

MW LIONS CLUB FISH FRY FRIDAYS

The Mount Washington Lions Club will host a fish fry on the second Friday of each month.

Fish will start frying at 4 p.m. and goes until everything is sold, which is normally 5:30-6 p.m. The next will be on Friday, Nov. 14.

Everyone is invited. The fish fry will be at 810 N. Bardstown Road in Mount Washington.

Proceeds help to benefit projects in the community.

BLUEGRASS MUSIC IN HILLVIEW

The Hillview Government Center is again hosting Bluegrass Music and fish fry each Thursday at 5:30 p.m.

free singing and the chance to purchase fish dinners. The government center is located on Crestwood Lane in

The public is invited to the

MASONIC LODGE

BREAKFAST NOV. 1 Bullitt Masonic Lodge 155 all-vou-can-eat breakfast will be held on Saturday, Nov. 1.

From 7-10 a.m., the public is

invited to breakfast. The buffet cost is \$11 a person. The breakfast will be held the first Saturday of each month. The next will be on Sat-

urday, Nov. 1. The lodge is located on High School Drive next to Bullitt Central High School. Everyone is invited to attend. Dinein or carryout available.

would serve three years

before his passing led to

the appointment of Whit-

taker, who would then win

was important to recognize

those who served in the

Whittaker said he felt it

a four-year term.

detention center.

SAVING

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survived and walked out of the hospital with no brain EMS, the man was taken injury.

Whittaker honored the

" It couldn't have hap-

individuals who were part

of the rescue operation.

pened without training and part of the rescue, Whittaker the grace of God," said

Whittaker. He said all the staff is trained in CPR and in the until EMS arrived, the man AED units in the jail. Working along side the to the hospital. It took responders 33 minutes before the victim was breathing again.

presented Life Saver Awards to his staff, dispatchers and EMS personnel during a recent meeting of Bullitt Fiscal Court. Those honored with the

Life Saver Awards included:

Dispatchers - Derrick Hammond, Kaileigh Nida and Alisha Gilbert Detention Center Staff -To honor those who were LPN Coby Thomas, Sgt. Julie

*The council set its tax rates said that there would be no recall on the ballot as the city cents so no public hearing was required.

with kind words from assessed property.

and Ally McCaslin.

EMS

And the public service rate would be a level 16 cents. There was no opposition

remains what should be the city do to the common area.

The late Ralph Bleemel paramedic Brendan White, served from 1986-97 and Tim and EMTs Nicole Logsdon Seng filled out the remainder of Bleemel's term. Danny Fackler served as Whittaker honored past jailer from 1999 through 2010 jailers. State Rep. Peyton

with Martha Knox being the director from 2011-18. The late Paul Watkins things like picnic tables and see the cost of adding the

a walking path on the property

owned by the city. Israel said he understood the suggestion but vandalism in the past as been an issue.

There was discussion about adding more lighting on the city's property. Salt River Electric will be consulted to public is invited to attend.

jailer's role for so many years. Also recognized was Lt. Courtney D. Crosby for her 20 years of service with the

ARPA projects must be completed by Dec. 31, 2026. The next meeting of the **Hunters Hollow City Council** will be at 7 p.m. on Monday,

Oct. 20, at the UofL Health South Hospital. The

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to move forward with getting

a survey done on the area. Then an engineer would be secured and bids let out. The city intends to use

the cost of the project. for the year.

The real property tax will be significantly lowered from

9.18 cents per \$100 of assessed property to 7.77 cents. If you have a home assessed at \$100,000, the current tax of 15.76 cents per \$100 of

federal ARPA funds to cover \$91.80 to \$77.70 this year. City attorney Mark Edison

> stayed below the rate of 7.77 The personal property rate would remain the same at

to any of the tax rates. *A constant problem

Councilman David Lotze said he would've to see some