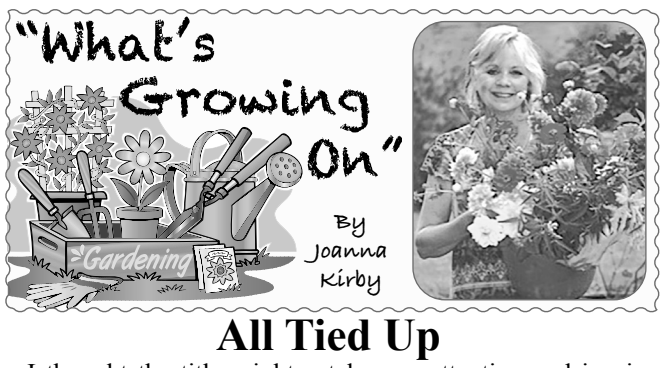



## All Tied Up

I thought the title might catch your attention and inspire you to walk about your garden to see what needs to be 'Tied Up'.

Recently, I read the following excerpt from a lovely old book, The Flower Garden Day by Day by Mrs. Francis King saying, "Perhaps the vital word for August is "stake." So many plants then become a menace to themselves by their own height, bulk and weight." After all the heavy rains that we have had recently many of my tall perennials as well as annuals have fallen over. It is a sad sight to see when they have grown to maturity and their height and weight pull them down. Fortunately, I have a large supply of tobacco sticks on hand as well as plenty of baling twine so in my spare time I go about the gardens and gently pull up these plants and tie them to the supports. Most of the time this works unless they have been too damaged to come back up at which time they will be cut back to raley later this summer (hopefully). Look over your garden and remove any dead or dying foliage. This is also a good month to carry a notebook and pencil into the garden and make notes on what is working, what is not, what colors harmonize with other colors and what you may want to move or possibly add. As everything is pretty much in full bloom or foliage now it's a fun exercise. Mark any seed pods that you wish to keep for next year with a piece of yarn or landscaper's tape. I recently cut back all my Love-in-a-Mist seedheads that I will store until later in the Fall. I use a sieve to separate the seeds from the dried foliage and store them in envelopes (never plastic bags that could cause them to mold). Watch for weeds as they never give up and will still create seedheads that will spread all over the place… Especially after so much rain they are rampant. I suggest cutting the seed heads from Phlox unless you want it to show up in places that you do not want to see it. I have not been so careful over the years and have an abundance of it in all my gardens. So far it has not escaped out onto the farm where my husband will question my gardening knowledge. This is a good time to fertilize any peonies that you may have. Leave the foliage intact until it turns brown this Fall. At that time cut them back and remove the foliage from your garden. If you have grown herbs this summer now is the time to harvest some to dry. Parsley, Sage, Mint, Oregano, and Dill dry easily and can be stored for use this, Winter.

Now is a great time to take a few days and visit other gardens. Yew Dell near Louisville is a splendid day trip with loads to look at as well as Bernheim Forest, with 16,000 acres near Shepherdsville. The Arboretum in Lexington is filled with beautiful plantings and lots of pollinators especially this time of year. You may be enticed to pick up a plant or two or bring home or a new plan for your home gardens. Enjoy all your hard work and the beauty that surrounds you. Each bloom, each petal, each leaf.

"What's Growing On"

Joanna Kirby

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Reserve your space now for Saturday, August 8, Garrard Arts Pop-Up Market from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. in our parking lot behind the Garrard Arts Center at 206 Lexington St in Lancaster, KY. To reserve a spot, call 859-304-3057. This is the same weekend as the Lancaster BBQ Festival, the City-Wide Yard Sale, and the 127 Yard Sale so you will get lots of customers. You'll get an 8 x 10 foot space, but will need to provide your own tables, etc. You can sell handmade items, vintage items, or yard sale items or a combination of all of these. If you set up a table, we ask for a $10 donation that day.

**Crafters Corner – Thursday, August 20 at 11 a.m.**

Join Crystal to make a seasonal craft on Thursday, August 20 at 11 AM. Free for members; small supply fee for non-members. Pre-register by Thursday, August 13 by calling 859-304-3057.

**After School Art Club to Begin Soon**

After School Art Club will begin in September at Lancaster Elementary. Dates will be announced soon. If your elementary student is interested, complete our application on the website: https://garrardarts.org/ or visit Garrard Arts Center, 206 Lexington St to learn more.

**Upcoming Exhibits and Contests**

Our calendar of art exhibits and contests is official for the upcoming year. Visit garrardarts.org for details.

**Information About Joining Garrard Arts**

To learn more information about joining Garrard Arts and the many opportunities to make art, support the arts, or teach art, visit our website at garrardarts.org or visit the Garrard Arts Center at the historical Wherritt House at 206 Lexington Street in Lancaster. The Garrard Arts Center is open Tuesday through Saturday.

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# Harmon's Lick News

*Rev. Ch.3:21 22 {Words of Jesus} To him that overcometh will I grant to sit with me in my throne, even as I also overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne...He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.*

August 1st is National Mountain Climbing Day. I dedicate this day to my grandchildren and my nieces and nephews who made Mt. Climbing so adventurous and fun, back when they were growing up. I sure do miss those days.

Hello dear family and friends. It seems like a long time since we got together in this column. I had written a week before last and somehow didn't get it sent to Pam. So we used that one for this past week.

Last week we were so busy all day, working on Angela's birthday. It was a great party and so good to be with our family. The kids, River, Ella Wren, Theo James and Kylee had so much fun. They explored about every room in the house. They played with buttons and so on. Their mommies had fun going through the buttons too. Kenneth and I both noticed that Brooklyn wasn't her usual, bubbly self. That night she ran a temperature of 102 degrees and was sick for several days. Bub had been sick a few days before that so we figured she caught it from him.

Bub (Brandon) played the piano and he and his dad sang so beautifully while they were here.

August 3rd is National Watermelon Day. Yummy for the tummy !!

The almanac says that now is a good time to plant Fall bulbs.

A new word for today, Vexillologist, a flag expert. I should have told us this one on July 4th, National Independence Day. Truly, I think every day should be independence day for us who live in America, land of the free, home of the brave.

Hello Anna Saylor. I am so sorry I had to cut our telephone call short the other day. We were getting ready for Angela's party and I didn't want Kylee to get away before we were finished. She does an awesome job, decorating and many other things. She has been making a dessert that Jan makes, a butterscotch "delight". It is so delicious and her's turned out just about perfect. That girl surprises me. She can scrub, grub, rub, and cook like a grown up, only with more get up and go. And then on the other hand, if she is not in the mood to do anything you just might as well leave her be. She definitely has a mind of her own. I think that is a good thing. I wish I had been more like her when I was growing up. She really enjoyed spending the night and next day over with her cousins, Maddie, Mikie and Marissa Leger.

Thank you Amanda for the items you gave me at church on Sunday and thank you and Mikie for being very good to Kylee.

It was so sad to see in the obituary that Jennifer Grubbs has left this earth. I always admired and loved that girl. She was a good woman and our family enjoyed doing business with her at the Courthouse, where she worked and did such an awesome job for about 19 years..I sure do miss Jennifer's mother, Oneida Black who worked at The Central Record for years. You just never know how much someone means in this life, until they are gone.

On Sunday, after church, everyone was gone except for Jan and Jerry and Ken and me. We were sitting out on the porch, talking. Down the road came the cutest brown and white dog. He (Or She )came running up to us, real friendly like. Then he went around back and came out with a cookie package in his mouth. He headed right back up the road and we all got tickled and figured he was taking some cookies to his Daddy. In a few minutes he was back, empty handed, or I should say empty mouthed. I really do like that little dog a lot. I asked Kylee how to describe him and she said "Brown and white and sweet."

Hi dear sisters. I love you two very much and I thank God for you both. Gladys Kay said Sunday " Let's get together, soon." She meant us six. We need not to wait until one of us is gone. I told Ken the other day that we could move to Florida..... Then see, it wouldn't be so easy for us to all be together. I couldn't leave my dear, precious home for anything, but it was a passing thought, a fast one. Ha ha.

I better go before I get too carried away. My love and best wishes to all.

May God Bless us all.

Joyce

PS: I think all of you know by now that my memory is not the best. I have tried to remember the dear, sweet girl who passed away in the Broughton family a few days ago. I called Jan (no answer) and I looked in both funeral homes in town and couldn't find her. I just wanted all of her family, including Judy and Jerry, to know that we extend our most sincere sympathy and love to all.

# Paint Lick News

It's another cloudy morning and the humidity is building but I'm praying our sun will come out and dry up some really heavy morning dews.

The mosquitoes are swarming bad over our branch and would you believe.....with all the spotty rain showers, the creek is getting low again.

We should be getting a few showers this Monday afternoon but more in strength by early Tuesday morning.

It was a cool time to pick a half gallon of blackberries and I hope to do a cobbler for our Alexander Reunion scheduled on Saturday August 15th. The delicious plump berries are in Ryan and Kasey's yard. Kasey had picked some too with Ellie and Emmy snacking as they go by. I'm so glad they like fruit.....it's better than most junk food you get and theirs is right here at home. Thank you Kasey and Ryan and the girls too.

A bit more cleaning in my yard is needed but today I took a sit down as I cleaned inside my kitchen .... can you believe just how dirty a ceiling fan can be in a short time. Maybe 4 months and a big job especially if you're unsteady on your feet. Oh well! It is finished.

Now onto the sweet corn that cane thru Walter Jones and rearranging what I have in the little freezer. The next batch will be cut and fried (like sister Emma would do) then placed in freezer jars. I am so thankful for all the good canning jars from Pam in Lancaster and my friend Margaret who did my sterile process after all my jars came through flooded water in late June. Most everyone who knows me will tell you how I like to do vegetable canning.

A trip to Clearview Acres with Margaret brought us both some beautiful green bean, sweet corn and ripe tomatoes. Looks like I'll be busy.

The Friends of Paint Lick is still open and receiving clothing and household donations that you no longer need. We do not accept old mattresses or large items that will not go through our door but if you have an acceptable item, please call us first....859-925-2417 and we are only open two days, Tuesday and Thursday from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

In these humid days with temps in the 80's and 90's, it's hard to leave a cool house but we do have A.C. stop by and visit Friends where you can purchase a new T-shirt with a Paint Lick logo painted by our own. Graphic designer, Tim Pack.

Happy birthday to Mrs. Debbie Rhodus Masden this Wednesday, July 29th and special wishes for grandson, Jacob Ryan Rollins this Saturday, August 1st, to Mike Baltimore.....my son's friend...on July 30th. A great day to you. Another friend, Micheal Parsons and Ms. Brenda Rhoden .... August 2nd, to Mrs. Debbie Dale and Mrs. Tina Sizemore on August 3rd.

May you all have a good week. Stay cool.

May God Bless.

Katie Rollins.

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**MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE —** Friday, July 31, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday, August 1, 8 a.m.–2 p.m. 111 Ruston Drive, Lancaster. Women's and men's clothing, kitchen items, and a hodgepodge of household goods. Come rain or shine.

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**GARAGE SALE** - Saturday, August 1st - 8 a.m. - ? 179 Fisher Ford Road. Rain cancels.

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## LEGAL NOTICE

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Housing Authority of Lancaster has developed its Annual Plan for 2027. The annual plan is available to the public for a review and comment period thru October 2 2026, at the Housing Authority of Lancaster office located at 109 Kinnaird Avenue Lancaster, Ky. Any comments concerning the documents to the Plan must be in writing and submitted to the above address by 5:00 p.m. on October 2, 2026. A public hearing regarding the Annual Plan is scheduled on October 3, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. at 109 Kinnaird Ave. Lancaster, KY to discuss the Annual Plan.

## CLASSIC CARS

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## LEGAL NOTICE

**ANNUAL REPORT LEGAL NOTICE**

In accordance with KRS 424, the county elects to publish the audit report after completion. The Annual Financial Statement of Garrard County Fiscal Court has been completed by the Garrard County Treasurer and reviewed by the Garrard County Fiscal Court. A copy has been submitted to The Central Record, the court legal newspaper.

/s/ Chris Elleman
Garrard County Judge Executive

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Garrard County Fiscal Court adopted the following Data Center Ordinance at the regularly scheduled Fiscal Court Meeting on Monday, July 27, 2026:

**ORDINANCE #: 0-7-13-26-1**

An Ordinance relating to the location, operation, and the decommissioning of Data Centers.

Copies of the Ordinance are available in the Judge Executive's office during regular business hours.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Garrard County EMS is accepting sealed bids for a Type II Ambulance

All sealed bids must be received in the Judge Executive's office by August 7, 2026, by 4:00 P.M.

Garrard County EMS reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

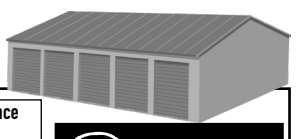
Copies of specifications for the Type II Ambulance are available in the Judge Executive's Office during normal business hours.

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- Michael & Dana Carrier, 2539 Kelly Ridge Road
- Danny & Judy Browning's property at end of Conn's Lane
- Carolyn Sparks property at 5252 Lexington Road
- Paul Black Farms, Hwy. 1355 (Sugar Creek Road)
- Paul And Suzanne Wells at 4129 White Lick Road, Paint Lick
- Tammy Fowler, 749 Nina Ridge Road
- Mike and Pam Fathergill, 111 Lynnwood Drive
- Chris and Joy Fathergill, 317 Richmond Street
- Mary Alice (Paul) Drew, 810 Carry Nation Road Property
- Kathy Tuggle & Paula Tudor - Jim Clark Road
- David M. and Rose Walker, 1163 Wolf Trail Road
- The Kenton Property, 795 and 719 C Valley Drive, Berea
- Grover Drew Farm, Carry Nation Road.
- Doug and Anna Graves, 319 Richmond Road, Loop 2
- The Brenda Farms, 4870 Harmons Lick Rd & Hamilton Valley Rd
- Vockery property on Polly's Bend Road
- Hugh and Amy Johnson, 6198 Lexington Road
- Dale Marie Hellard - Barbara French & William Randall Causey Farms at 2178 Hamilton Valley Road, 2636 Hamilton Valley Road And 1454 Hamilton Valley Road
- Frank and Altheia Rice, 390 Leavell Ridge Road, 372 Leavell Ridge Road and Rice Farm at Three Forks,
- Norma McFadden Property, 9700 Nicholasville Road
- Deborah Kelly property at 472 Hobert Estes Road