

Save the date: 2026 Homecoming celebration set for Nov. 12-14

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WKU Homecoming 2026 is set for Nov. 12 – 14 with the theme “Big Red’s World Tour.” Homecoming is presented by the WKU Alumni Association, in partnership with the WKU Department of Student Activities and WKU Athletics. Alumni, friends and fans are invited to join a fun-filled weekend of WKU Spirit, campus events and an unforgettable community celebration.

On Thursday, Nov. 12, celebrate the Hilltopper Excellence Awards. This signature event honors the outstanding achievements of WKU alumni and benefactors, including the induction of the newest class of the Hall of Distinguished Alumni.

The world tour continues Friday, Nov. 13 with Junior Achievement Chili, Cheese and Community Celebration at SKyPAC. Stick around downtown

Bowling Green or explore campus until the Homecoming Parade & Pep Rally. Festive floats and family fun will set the scene before unleashing the Hilltopper Spirit at Big Red’s Roar.

Saturday, Nov. 14 brings a day of WKU traditions, tailgating and campus celebrations. WKU family, alumni and friends are invited to reconnect, make new memories and gear up for the weekend’s highlight — the Homecoming Football Game against Jacksonville State at 2:30 p.m. at Houchens Industries-L.T. Smith Stadium.

For more information about Homecoming, contact the WKU Alumni Association at (270) 745-2586 or visit <https://alumni.wku.edu/s/808/24/interior.aspx?sid=808&gid=1&pgid=289>.

Grayson County to compete in Kentucky/Indiana Border Clash

BY GRAYSON COUNTY NEWS

Grayson County is among the high school cross country programs scheduled to compete in the Kentucky/Indiana Border Clash at Yellow Creek Park in Owensboro on Tuesday, Aug. 18.

Owensboro High will host the Kentucky/Indiana Border Clash.

The coaches meeting will be held at 5:15 p.m.

The girls' teams will be called to the starting line at 5:35 p.m.

The girls' race (5,000 meters) will start at 5:40 p.m.

The boys' teams will be to the starting line at 6:10 p.m.

The boys' race (5,000 meters) will start at 6:20 p.m.

The KHSAA has regulations regarding the heat index. If the heat index is too high, each race will be

switched 4,000 meters in duration. This will be discussed at the coaches meeting and if a change is to take effect, it will be announced at that time.

Trophies will be given to the first-place team in both the boys' division and the girls' division.

Individually, the top 15 boys and the top 15 girls will receive medals.

Admission will be \$5 per car. Only cash will be accepted as payment.

The Kentucky/Indiana Border Clash will be scored with normal cross-country scoring to determine an overall team champion. The top five runners from each team score with the sixth runner to determine any tiebreakers.

A certified athletic trainer will be on site before and during the meet for any needs that may arise.

KHSAA adopts double first base for 2027 baseball

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The KHSAA Board of Control, at its July meeting in Newport, reaffirmed the adopted use of a double first base in baseball beginning with the 2027 season.

NFHS playing rules changed in July of 2025, establishing that, beginning with the 2027 season, a double first base would be required. Following up on that change was an addition to the rule change passed in July of 2026, which, upon state adoption, also allowed the choice to use an 18-inch first base beginning in 2027. States could independently choose either.

Because the initial rule

change was announced and some schools had already begun facility planning and using a double first base in 2026, the state association adopted a policy requiring all KHSAA member schools to continue using the double first base beginning with the 2027 season.

For any questions, reach out to KHSAA Senior Associate Commissioner Butch Cope via email (bccope@khsaa.org).



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Sealed bids will be received until 1:00 pm on August 17, 2026, at City Hall, 515 South Main Street, Leitchfield, KY 42754. The sealed bids will be opened at City Hall on Monday August 17, 2026, at 1:05 pm or as soon thereafter as may be practical.

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

Trent VanMeter
LEITCHFIELD Parks & Recreation Director



INVITATION FOR BIDS

The Grayson County Board of Education will receive individual sealed bids on the sale of the following buses: a 2012 International 20 passenger bus (does not run), a 2013 International 72 passenger bus (does not run), a 2014 International 72 passenger bus (does not run), and two 2012 International 72 passenger buses and a 2013 International 72 passenger bus. Additional information, inspection, and bid form may be obtained by contacting Braxton Allen, Transportation Director, at 270.259.4011. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. All bids must be received in writing in the Board office at 790 Shaw Station Road, Leitchfield, Kentucky 42754, no later than August 17th, 2026 at 10:00AM CST/ 11:00AM EST, the location and time of bid opening. Bids are to be identified as 'SEALED BID' and sent to the attention of Erin Embry, Finance Director. Grayson County Board of Education reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. This advertisement was paid for by Grayson County Schools using taxpayer dollars in the amount of \$77.58.

Doug Robinson,
Superintendent, Grayson County Board of Education

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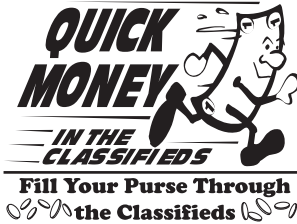
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