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Egg-citement in the air

KIWANIS CLUB HOSTS EASTER EGG HUNT



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Competition And Candy At Old Fort Harrod

The Harrodsburg Kiwanis Club hosted their annual Easter Egg Hunt at Old Fort Harrod State Park on Saturday, April 4. Families enjoyed a day of holiday fun with games, prizes and, most importantly of all, candy. For more pictures, turn to page 2A.



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 Collins Tamme was having a great time decorating Easter eggs.



The Harrodsburg Herald/Robert Moore
 Bryson Turner shows off a basket of Easter goodies he won Saturday.

Friday Nights on Main returns to Downtown Harrodsburg

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The biggest live entertainment series in Mercer County returns Friday, April 17.

Friday Nights on Main brings live music, local flavor and family-friendly fun to downtown Harrodsburg one Friday each month from April through August.

Hosted at Olde Town Park by the Harrodsburg-Mercer County Tourist Commission, the series is sponsored by Community Trust Bank. Each event is intended to be a showcase of everything downtown Harrodsburg has to offer, from music to food to shopping.



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Friday Nights on Main kicks off Friday, April 17, and is held monthly through August.

Attendees can stroll along Main Street, enjoy an evening of music, and explore downtown shops and restaurants that stay open late for the occasion.

"Friday Nights on Main

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Burgin city council meets with planning and zoning

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The Burgin City Council questioned representatives from the Harrodsburg-Mercer County Joint Planning and Zoning Commission about what would happen if the friendly little city rejoined planning and zoning.

In February, the council voted unanimously to have the city attorney draft an agreement with planning and zoning.

At a special-called meeting on Tuesday, March 31, the Burgin City Council discussed the possibility of rejoining planning and zon-

ing with Executive Director Kylie Donnally and Chairman Bobby Upchurch.

Upchurch said Burgin was an original member of planning and zoning back in 1978. He said Burgin's City Council had modifications to zoning ordinances and adopted them after a public hearing, before appointing Burgin representatives to the planning and zoning commission.

"I think things went pretty well for a while," Upchurch said, before Burgin voted to drop out of planning and zoning.

"Why did we decide to remove ourselves from plan-

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Political forums on May 11 and May 12 for upcoming party primary

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Two Political Candidate Forums will be held in Mercer County in May to help voters make informed decisions in the 2026 Primaries.

The first forum will be held Monday, May 11, at 7 p.m. at the Mercer County Cooperative Extension Office (1007 Lexington Road). Candidates for Jailer, 4th District Magistrate, County Sheriff and State Representative for the 55th District have been invited to introduce them-

selves and answer questions from senior students from Burgin and Mercer County, which have been approved by the Democrat and Republican Chairs.

The second forum will be held on Tuesday, May 12, at 7 p.m. for candidates for the Harrodsburg City Commission.

Citizens may attend in person or listen to Hometown Radio WHBN at 1420 AM or 99.5 FM, or on the Harrodsburg Herald Facebook.

Voters are encouraged to submit questions for consideration.

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Local man charged after police search of residence

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A Harrodsburg man faces firearms and drug charges after police executed a search warrant.

At approximately 4:43 p.m. on Wednesday, April 1, officers with the Harrodsburg Police Department observed a male running from the residence located at 126 Main Street.

According to the uniform citation, police stopped the individual, subsequently iden-

tified as Stevie Berry, 69, of Harrodsburg, who said there were individuals in his residence with guns.

Berry gave police consent to enter and clear the residence, according to the uniform citation, where officers found a black handgun—a Ruger nine millimeter with a double feed—on the right arm of a sofa in the living room. In the bedroom, officers located a white powdered substance and a straw, according to the uniform citation.

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