

NORTHEAST



THROUGH MAY 31 – “The Woman Behind the Lens: Frances Benjamin Johnston and the American Presidency,” McKinley Presidential Library and Museum, 800 McKinley Monument Dr. NW, Canton. Exhibit of Johnston’s photographs of Presidents McKinley, Cleveland, Harrison, and others, as well as Southern architecture, historic gardens, and African American and Native American students. 330-455-7043 or www.mckinleymuseum.org/events.

MAR. 1–31 – Ice Wine Festival, Wineries of the Grand River Valley, 12–5 p.m. Each of the seven participating wineries will provide samples of their ice wines along with an appetizer. \$10 at each location. www.grandrivercellars.com/events/2026-wggrv-ice-wine-festival.

MAR. 6, 13, 20, 27 – Beginner Beekeeping Class, Life Church, 1033 Elm St., Grafton, 7–9 p.m. \$50. Series of four classes offered by the Lorain County Beekeepers Association will cover topics such as beekeeping equipment, hive management, and hive care. Additionally, hands-on hive openings offered on Apr. 18 and 25. <https://loraincountybeekeepers.org>.

MAR. 7–29 – Chatham’s Annual Sausage and Pancake Breakfast, presented by the Chatham Fireman’s Association, Chatham Memorial Hall (former VFW Hall), 6299 Avon Lake Rd., Chatham, Sat./Sun. 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Adults \$12, Srs. \$11, Children \$8. Contact Steve Arters at 330-635-0958 or Frank Keeling at 330-410-6237 for additional information.

MAR. 7–29 – Show Your Stuff Art Show, Historic Fort Steuben Visitor’s Center, 120 S. 3rd St., Steubenville, Mon.–Fri. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. Free. Local Ohio Valley artists will display their works of art in various media. Don’t miss your chance to see talent up close — and maybe even take a piece of it home! Presented by the Steubenville Art Association. 740-283-1787 or www.oldfortsteuben.com.

MAR. 14 – Shreve Migration Sensation, Clinton Township Garage, 225 E. McConkey St., Shreve, 7:30 a.m.–4 p.m. Free admission. A day of birding, nature exploration, and family-friendly activities in the heart of the Killbuck Marsh Wildlife Area. www.shreveohio.com/migration-sensation.

MAR. 15 – Annual Buzzard Day Pancake Breakfast and Craft Fair, Hinckley Preparatory Academy, Hinckley, 7 a.m.–2 p.m. \$10–\$15; 5 and under free. This annual tradition marks the return of the turkey vultures and the arrival of spring, with food, festivities, and a nod to the town’s history. www.hinckleyohchamber.com/happenings/#buzzardday.

MAR. 21–22 – Vintage Decoys and Wildlife Art Show and Sale, Holiday Inn Cleveland South, 6001 Rockside Rd., Independence, Sat. 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$5; 17 and under free. Largest venue in the Midwest for decoy collectors, competitive carvers, and wildlife/waterfowl artists. Carving contests, hands-on demos, Saturday auction, raffles, cash prizes, and more. ohiodecoycolcarvers@hotmail.com or www.odcca.net.

MAR. 21–22 – Model Railroad Show, Lakeland Community College, 7700 Clocktower Dr., Kirtland (St. Rte. 306 at I-90, exit 193), 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$9–\$16 (cash). Model railroad dealers and exhibitors, operating layouts, historical displays, collectibles, and more. 216-598-8842, www.facebook.com/RailfestTrainshow, or www.railfest.org.

MAR. 22 – World Tour of Music: Larry and Joe, Akron-Summit County Public Library, 60 S. High St., Akron, 2 p.m. Free. The versatile multi-instrumentalists and singer-songwriters will perform a fusion of Venezuelan and Appalachian folk music on harp, banjo, cuatro, fiddle, maracas,

guitar, and upright bass. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. 419-853-6016 or www.ormaco.org.

MAR. 28 – Hop Around Millersburg, Historic Downtown Millersburg. Free. Spring open-house celebration for all ages! Adult Easter egg hunt with store coupons and gift cards, kids’ scavenger hunt, coloring contests, and open-house events at the downtown businesses! The Easter Bunny will be at Miller’s Creamery. 330-674-2412 or <https://historicdowntownmillersburg.com/event/hop-around-millersburg-march-28-2026>.

APR. 3 – Pretzel Day, Historic Zoar Village, 11 a.m.–4 p.m. Celebrate Good Friday like a true Zoar Separatist with pretzels, pretzels, and more pretzels! Stop by the Zoar Bakery for a fun, flavor-filled day with fresh pretzels straight from the oven or at one of the grab-and-go stations. Please be patient, as bakery wait times may be long. 330-874-3011 or www.historiczoarvillage.com.

APR. 11 – Cuyahoga Falls Amateur Radio Club Hamfest and Computer Show, Emidio and Sons Expo Center, 48 E. Bath Rd., Cuyahoga Falls, 8 a.m.–1 p.m. \$10. 330-790-1680 or www.cfar-hamfest.org.

APR. 11 – “Over Here!”: World War I Program, Fort Laurens Museum, 11067 Fort Laurens Rd., Bolivar, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. Learn about the First World War from reenactors portraying the soldiers who fought “over there.” 330-874-2059 or www.fortlaurensmuseum.org.

APR. 12 – Joe Rangel: “The Music of Bing Crosby,” Wadsworth Public Library, 132 Broad St., Wadsworth, 2–3 p.m. Free. The jazz vocalist and guitarist will showcase music performed by Bing Crosby. Not only will he sing, but he also will accompany himself on a seven-stringed guitar. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. 419-853-6016 or www.ormaco.org.

APR. 12 – Medina Model Railroad and Toy Show, Medina Co. Fgds. Community Center, 735 Lafayette Rd. (St. Rte. 42), Medina, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$8. Over 250 tables. New and used train sets and components from HO to G scale, operating layouts, vintage toys, and more. 330-948-4400 or www.conraddowdell.com.

WEST VIRGINIA



MAR. 27–29 – Wheeling Polka Festival, Oglebay Park, Wilson Lodge, Glessner Auditorium, 465 Lodge Dr., Wheeling. \$25; 3-day pass, \$69. Enjoy live polka bands, spirited dancing, and classic Polish fare. Tickets sold online only. www.oglebay.com/polka.

APR. 11 – Civil War Symposium: “Chronicling the Fight: Art and Photography of the Civil War,” Davis & Elkins College, 535 Campus Dr., Elkins, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. \$35. Topics include Matthew Brady, the famous photographer who made the horrors of war more intimate, and the stories and photographs of West Virginia soldiers. <https://beverlyheritagecenter.org/events>.

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2026 CALENDAR

MARCH/APRIL

CENTRAL



MAR. 6, 13, 20, 27 – Friday Fish Fries, Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, 600 Hill Road N., Pickerington, 4:30–7 p.m. Hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Featuring fried and baked fish, fresh salmon, macaroni and cheese, and more! Carryout available. See our website for more details. www.kofc11187.com/fishfry. <http://kofc11187.com/FishFry.htm>.

MAR. 6, APR. 3 – First Friday Art Walk, downtown Zanesville, 5–8 p.m. Come downtown on the first Friday of each month, when all our participating galleries, studios, and small businesses are open at the same time! See the Artist Colony of Zanesville’s website for a map of current participants: <https://artcoz.org/arts-district-map>.

MAR. 20–22 – Open Season Sportsman’s Expo, Ohio Expo Center, Bricker Bldg., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus. The latest in outdoor and hunting gear, hands-on demos, trophy deer contest, expert seminar speakers, shooting and archery ranges, door prizes, and entertainment like Twiggy the Water-Skiing Squirrel! www.openseasonsportsmansexpo.com/ohio.

MAR. 20–22 – Peony Palooza, Groovy Plants Ranch, 4140 Co. Rd. 15, Marengo, 9 a.m.–6 p.m. From garden peonies to premium itohs and tree peonies, we’ll have them all! www.groovyplantsranch.com.

MAR. 21 – GCHS Band Spring Craft and Gift Bazaar, Grove City High School, 4665 Hoover Rd., Grove City, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. \$5; 5 and under free. Homemade food and baked goods available for purchase. 614-801-3300 or www.gchsbands.org/bazaar/spring-bazaar.

MAR. 21 – Ohio Boating Education Course, Alum Creek State Park, Horace R. Collins Classroom, 3307 S. Old State Rd., Delaware, 8 a.m.–5 p.m. Free. This class fulfills Ohio’s mandatory boater education law requirements. Bring a sack lunch. Register in advance by calling Alum Creek Park Office at 740-548-4631. More information available at <https://ohiodnr.gov/go-and-do/plan-a-visit/events-calendar> (search “boating”).

MAR. 21 – Sewing Smorgasbord, Sheridan Middle School, 8660 Sheridan Rd., Thornville, 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m.; doors open 8:15 a.m. \$10 (cash only). Over 30 classes, over 15 exhibitors, fabric fair, scissor sharpening, sewing machine raffle, two fat-quarter raffles, door prizes, and three “themed” basket raffles! No preregistration required for classes. Lunch available for purchase. 740-405-7891, crshuster1@gmail.com, or www.facebook.com/osuextensionperry.

MAR. 22 – Columbus Spring Avant-Garde Art and Craft Show, Makoy Event Center, 5462 Center St., Hilliard, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$3, under 12 free. Large show featuring artists and crafters selling their original handmade items. 440-227-8794 or www.avantgardeshows.com.

MAR. 22 – Columbus Toy and Game Show, Ohio Expo Center, Lausche Bldg., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. \$15; 10 and under free; early buyer, 8–9 a.m., \$20. Buy, sell, and trade new and retro toys, video games, and collectibles. Free arcade games, celebrity guests, free family activities. www.ctspromotions.com.

MAR. 22 – Ohio Bridal and Wedding Expo, Greater Columbus Convention Center, 400 N. High St., Columbus, 1–5 p.m. Free with pass (see

website), or \$10 at door. Find the perfect gown, DJ, photographer, reception venue, band, and honeymoon destination! Fashion show, food sampling, photo gallery, prizes and giveaways, and much more. <https://bridalshowsoh-cc.com>.

MAR. 27–29 – Columbus Home Improvement Show, Ohio Expo Center, Kasich Hall, 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, Fri. 12–6 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–6 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–5 p.m. \$5; under 18 free. See the latest innovations and design trends from hundreds of exhibitors. Local remodeling and building experts will be on hand to answer your questions. www.homeshowcenter.com/overview/columbushome2.

MAR. 28 – Annie Glenn Tea and Toys, John and Annie Glenn Museum, 72 W. Main St., New Concord, 1–3 p.m. \$20 per guest. Join us for a full-service tea featuring a historic toy presentation and full tour of the museum. Spaces are limited. Email information.maem@gmail.com or call 740-826-3305 to reserve a seat.

MAR. 28–29 – Scott Antique Market, Ohio Expo Ctr., Bricker and Celeste Bldgs., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, Sat. 9 a.m.–6 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. Free admission; \$7 parking. 800 exhibit booths. info@scottantiquemarket.com or www.scottantiquemarkets.com.

APR. 9–12 – Equine Affaire, Ohio Expo Center, 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus. \$10–\$20; 6 and under free. The nation’s premier equine expo and equestrian gathering, featuring training clinics, seminars, demos, exhibits, equine entertainment and competition, and much more. 740-845-0085 or www.equineaffaire.com.

APR. 11 – Sunbury Piece Corps Quilt Show, Sunbury United Methodist Church, 110 W. Cherry St., Sunbury, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$5. Quilts on display, vendors, quilting rummage sale. Food for sale around lunchtime. Email sunburypiececorps@aol.com.

SOUTHWEST



THROUGH APR. 29 – Bluegrass Wednesdays, Vinoklet Winery, 11069 Colerain Ave., Cincinnati, Wed. 6:30–8:30 p.m. Enjoy dinner, wine, and an evening of free entertainment by Vernon McIntyre’s Appalachian Grass. Reservations recommended. 513-385-9309, vinokletwinery@fuse.net, or www.vinokletwines.com.

MAR. 15 – Cincinnati Spring Avant-Garde Art and Craft Show, R.S.V.P. Event Center, 453 Wards Corner Rd., Loveland, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$3; under 12 free. Kick off spring with us! This large show will feature artists and crafters selling their original handmade items. Concession stand by the venue. www.avantgardeshows.com/events.

MAR. 26–29 – Cincinnati Auto Expo, Cincinnati Convention Center, 525 Elm St., Cincinnati. \$9–\$11; 12 and under free with paid adult/teen admission. Compare the newest models created by your favorite manufacturers while learning more about the latest technologies that enhance driver and passenger experience. Fun for the whole family! 513-326-7100.

MAR. 28 – Cabin Fever Arts Festival, Southern State Community College, Patriot Center, 100 Hobart Dr., Hillsboro, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. Free admission. Presented by the Appalachian Artisans Guild. A showcase of quality handcrafted arts and

crafts. Vendors, food truck, coffee truck, and live entertainment. www.appartguild.com

MAR. 31 – Miami University Appalachian Studies Concert, Harry T. Wilkes Conference Center, 1601 University Blvd., Hamilton, 7 p.m. Free. Enjoy an evening of lively bluegrass music by Vernon McIntyre’s Appalachian Grass, featuring lightning-fast instrumentals, close harmonies, and entertaining novelty songs. 513-785-3277 or www.facebook.com/MiamiRegionalsAppStudies.

APR. 11 – Family Trout Fishing, Caesar Creek State Park, 8570 East St. Rte. 73, Waynesville, 9 a.m.–12 p.m. Family-friendly fishing event in partnership with ODNR. Meet at the Caesar Creek Youth Pond. <https://ohiodnr.gov/go-and-do/plan-a-visit/find-a-property/caesar-creek-state-park>.

SOUTHEAST



MAR. 14 – Miller’s Automotive Swap Meet and Car Show, Ross Co. Fgds., 344 Fairgrounds Rd., Chillicothe, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. \$8; under 14 free. Open to all motorsports from restoration to racing, including race cars, tools, hot rods, apparel, collectibles, rat rods, go-karts, and more. 740-701-3447 (Nate), 740-701-2511 (Brian), or www.millersswapmeet.com.

MAR. 17 – RUNA: Celtic Roots Music, Peoples Bank Theatre, 222 Putnam St., Marietta, 7 p.m. \$27–\$67. This music “super group” interweaves the haunting melodies and exuberant tunes of Ireland and Scotland with the harmonies and rhythms of jazz, bluegrass, flamenco, and blues. www.peoplesbanktheatre.com.

MAR. 20–21 – River City Blues Festival, Lafayette Hotel, 101 Front St., Marietta. \$45–\$60;

weekend pass, \$120. The festival brings together some of the most talented blues performers from around the country. For information, call Jay Phillips at 304-481-8389 days, evenings, and weekends. For lineup and schedule, visit <https://bjfm.org/blues-festival>.

MAR. 20–22 – Retreat: “Bloom and Create,” Riverview Conference Center, 20 N. Plaza Blvd., Chillicothe. \$130. Twigs & Twine Craft Shop is hosting a three-day spring crafting getaway! Bring your projects and enjoy a weekend full of creativity, friendship, and inspiration. www.twigsandtwinecraftshop.com.

MAR. 21 – Fearing Township Volunteer Fire Department Annual Dinner, 1975 Stanleyville Rd., Whipple, 4 p.m. For more information or questions, call 740-516-3989.

MAR. 27 – “The Gambler Returns”: Kenny Rogers Tribute, Majestic Theatre, 45 E. Second St., Chillicothe, 7:30 p.m. \$30–\$40. Country recording artist Alan Turner re-creates the magic of a night with Kenny. This full band show will take you on a musical journey through the career of an American icon and legend. www.majesticchillicothe.net.

MAR. 28 – Flint Knapping Demonstration, Hopewell Mound Group, 4731 Sulphur Lick Rd., Chillicothe, 1–3 p.m. Ed Moreland will discuss the history of flint knapping and the knapping process, followed by a live demonstration. Learn about this ancient technology. 740-774-1126 or www.friendsofhopewell.org/events.

APR. 4 – Stanleyville Community Group Easter Egg Hunt, Fearing Township Volunteer Fire Department, 1975 Stanleyville Rd., Whipple, 10 a.m. Come hunt some eggs and get your picture taken with the Easter Bunny. For more information, call 740-336-4062 or email us at fearingtownship@gmail.com.

APR. 11 – First Capital Lecture Series: “Ohio Moves: Transportation — The Erie Canal,” Dard Hunter Studio, 125 W. Water St., Chillicothe, 2–4 p.m. Free. Tom Troester will share the story of the canal that ran through Chillicothe from 1831 to 1907. The presentation will be in a former canal warehouse built in 1847, much of which is still original. A guided tour of a small section of the canal will be available after the lecture. www.visitchillicotheohio.com/america250-rosscountyohio.

APR. 11–12 – Association of Ohio Long Rifle Collectors 51st Annual Show, Lafayette Hotel, 101 Front St., Marietta, Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.–2 p.m. \$8; members and children under 12 free. Buy, sell, or trade. Features Ohio-made muzzleloading rifles and their accouterments from the 18th and 19th centuries; over 200 makers. Includes rifles from the late, contemporary builder Warren Offenberger and antique guns by Stilgenbauer. Also demos of leatherwork and engraving. For info, contact John Reinbolt at 419-429-9825 or jreinbolt24@bright.net. Visit <http://aolrc.com> or follow us on Facebook.

NORTHWEST



THROUGH MAY 12 – Line Dancing, Delphos Eagles Aerie #471, 1600 E. Fifth St., Tues. 6–7:30 p.m. \$5. Step-by-step instructions given at the beginning of each class. Everyone can learn! Private lessons also available. Taught by Kelly Jackson Kroeger (see her Facebook page). www.visitgreaterlima.com/calendar.

MAR. 7–8, APR. 4–5 – Tri-State Gun Show, Allen Co. Fgds., 2750 Harding Hwy., Lima, Sat. 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m., Sun. 8:30 a.m.–2 p.m. \$8; 18 and under free. Over 400 tables of modern and antique guns, edged weapons, and sportsmen equipment. 419-647-0067 (Manetta Obringer) or www.allencofair.com/events-calendar.

MAR. 20 – The Student Prince in Old Heidelberg, The Ritz Theatre, 30 S. Washington St., Tiffin, 7:30 p.m. Join us for a free screening of this 1927 silent film. and a few surprises! 419-448-8544, info@ritztheatre.org, or www.ritztheatre.org.

MAR. 21 – Black Swamp Spinners Guild Annual Market Day and Fiber Fair, Wood Co. Fgds., Junior Fair Bldg., 13800 W. Poe Rd., Bowling

Green, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. \$1; open to the public. Roving, fleeces, exotic fibers, handcrafted items, homespun yarns, books, dyes, spinning and weaving equipment and supplies, and demonstrations. Lunch available. For more information, email blackswampsg@gmail.com.

MAR. 21 – The Lettermen, The Ritz Theatre, 30 S. Washington St., Tiffin, 7:30 p.m. \$20–\$50. 419-448-8544, info@ritztheatre.org, or www.ritztheatre.org.

MAR. 22 – Findlay Spring Model Train Show, Northwest Ohio Railroad Preservation Inc., 12505 Co. Rd. 99, Findlay, 10 a.m.–3 p.m.; trains run until 4 p.m. \$5; 12 and under free with adult admission. Vendors will be displaying and selling model trains, toy trains, and railroad memorabilia. Quarter-scale train rides available: \$3 adults, \$2 children. 419-423-2995, www.facebook.com/nworrrp, or www.nworrrp.org.

MAR. 28 – Maple Syrup Festival, Williams Co. Fgds., Montpelier, 8 a.m.–12 p.m. Contact the Williams SWCD at 419-636-9395 for more information or email amichaels@williamsswcd.org.

MAR. 31 – The Music Man, Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Center, #7 Town Square, Lima, 7:30 p.m. \$62–\$102. There’s trouble in River City when a fast-talking traveling salesman named Harold Hill arrives and cons the townspeople into buying instruments and uniforms for a boys’ band, but his plans to skip town are foiled when he falls for the town librarian. www.limaciviccenter.com.

APR. 4 – NWORRRP Easter Egg Hunt, Northwest Ohio Railroad Preservation Inc., 12505 Co. Rd. 99, Findlay, 10 a.m.–2 p.m. \$3; 12 and under, \$2. A continuous scavenger egg hunt for all ages with a chance to win a “Golden Ticket” good for the 2026 season. No competition here! Just fun and treats

for all participating youngsters. Quarter-scale train rides continue until 4 p.m. 419-423-2995, www.facebook.com/nworrrp, or www.nworrrp.org.

APR. 5 – Lima Community Easter Dinner, Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Center, #7 Town Square, Lima, 12:45–2 p.m. Free. Gather with the community around a common table for Easter dinner. www.limaciviccenter.com.

APR. 10–12 – McDonald’s Youth Theatre: The Hobbit, Encore Theater, 991 N. Shore Dr., Lima, Fri./Sat. 7:30 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. \$10; 10 and under, \$5. You’ve read the book and seen the movies — now journey there and back again in the stage adaptation of Tolkien’s epic tale of magic, treasure, and dragons. www.amiltellers.org.

APR. 11 – F.A.C.T Pound Out Cancer Event, Tiffin University, Tiffin, 10 a.m.–3 p.m. Buy a T-shirt, join in the POUND workout, check out the vendors, silent auction, and food trucks. All proceeds go to support F.A.C.T of Seneca County. www.facebook.com/poundoutcancertiffin.

APR. 11 – Lima Symphony and Chorus: “Fate and Fortune,” Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Center, #7 Town Square, Lima, 7:30 p.m. \$15–\$50. Dive into a powerful musical journey exploring the forces that shape our lives — desire, destiny, and the unpredictable tides of fortune. Don’t miss this exhilarating night of music! 419-222-5701 or www.limasymphony.com.

APR. 11 – Spring for the STARS Vendor and Craft Fair, Elida Elementary School, 300 Pioneer Rd., Elida, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$2; free for K–5th grade. Over 40 vendors with handcrafted items and great gift ideas. Concessions available. For more information, contact Nicole Oen at noen@elida.k12.oh.us.