

Clean Up-Fix Up - a Huge Success and a Win-Win for All



Public Works Director David Gray, Street and Sanitation Supervisor James Dowell, and Utilities Manager Calvin Johnson nail down plans for the annual Clean Up-Fix Up Covington event.



Mayor Justin Hanson welcomed the large crowd of volunteers and thanked them for getting involved in cleaning up our neighborhoods. He rallied the troops before they hit the neighborhoods!



Volunteers combed through neighborhoods and up and down streets in Covington picking up litter, trash and debris. The event showed just how much people in Covington are willing to get involved and do their part for the greater good of the entire city. Volunteers included adults, teens, and kids of all ages. Even the Mayor and Aldermen were working, as well! Lunch was provided by Public Works Department and served to all volunteers and organizers.





Over 120 volunteers came together for Clean Up – Fix Up day in Covington. Kudos to Covington Public Works for organizing the event, providing materials and supplies, and feeding the volunteers.

Covington and Tipton County Well Represented at RegionSmart



The 2017 [RegionSmart](#) Regional Strategy Summit was held at The Halloran Center in Memphis April 27. Sponsored by [Urban Land Institute Memphis](#), the summit brought in mayors, city planners, professors, and other movers and shakers from across America to share best practices and innovative ideas. Tipton County, City of Covington, City of Munford, South Tipton and Covington-Tipton County Chambers all had representatives in attendance.

The Tennessee College of Applied Technology is Offering Orientation and GED Classes in Tipton County

Get your High School equivalency diploma now. HiSET and GED class registration is available to the public. GED classes will be in Covington and Munford. Students must complete a 5 hour orientation before they begin the classes. [Click here](#) for the flyer, or call toll free 844-866-7047

Annual Women in Business Luncheon, was hosted on April 25th and 26th In recognition of Administrative Professionals Day

The EDGE acronym stands for Encouraging, Developing, and Gaining Excellence. With a theme of decorations involving cherry blossoms, local restaurant, Wyatt Earp's Steakhouse catered the Luncheon both days this year. Guest speaker, Landy Fuqua of Martin Tennessee kept guests intrigued as she spoke of her inspiring and funny story which involved overcoming personal struggles while gaining self - esteem and learning to laugh at yourself.

On Tuesday, Sherri Bailey was recognized as the Business Woman of the year and was awarded a well-deserved trophy. Wednesday the Business Woman of the Year was awarded to Oma Fiedler who was unable to attend the Luncheon. Both ladies are very deserving of the title and have worked tirelessly with the Chamber over the years, planned and hosted countless community events, in addition to assisting a number of local organizations in their operations.

The Chamber would like to thank each of our sponsors this year for helping make the event possible! This year John Brasfield Jewelers donated a \$20 gift certificate to each participant which was a very special treat.

We also greatly appreciate all the servers and their employers who let them take time from work to volunteer at the Luncheon. We hope everyone thoroughly enjoyed their afternoon with us and were able to use their coupons and gift certificates to shop around town with friends.

Covington – Tipton County Chamber of Commerce



Sherri Bailey (L) and Oma Fiedler (R) were named Outstanding Business Women of the Year

Tipton County is Certified ACT Work-Ready Community

Tipton County is now an ACT Work Ready Community and certified 2017-2019. ACT Work Ready Communities (WRC) empowers states, regions and counties with data, process and tools that drive economic growth. Participants are leveraging the National Career Readiness Certificate (NCRC™) to measure and close the skills gap and building common frameworks that link, align and match their workforce development efforts.

Change starts at the grassroots level by providing a community-based framework that:

- Links workforce development to education
- Aligns with the economic development needs of communities, regions, and states
- Matches individuals to jobs based on skill levels

The foundation of a community's certification is based at the county level—across the current, transitioning, and emerging workforce—on individuals earning and employers recognizing the ACT National Career Readiness Certificate™. The ACT NCRC® is a portable, industry-recognized credential that clearly identifies an individual's ACT WorkKeys® skills in reading for information, applied math, and locating information—skills required for virtually any job. Read more by clicking the link below:



The 45th Annual World's Oldest BBQ Cooking Contest June 1-3 Cobb-Parr Park in Covington - We would like to invite you to the 45th Annual World's Oldest Barbeque Cooking Contest in Historic Covington, Tennessee. Bring the entire family and enjoy live music, truck & tractor pull, lots of barbeque cooking and much more. Events start on Thursday night June 1st and continue through Saturday night June 3rd when [Dr. Zarr's AMAZING FUNK MONSTERS](#) will be the closing act. There will be lots of things to do for everyone, so come to Covington and spend your weekend with us!

Three Ribbon-Cutting Ceremonies Last Week for Local Businesses



Members of the Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce and Mayor Justin Hanson held a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at newly remodeled Brasfield Jewelers in Covington



Members of the Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce and Mayor Justin Hanson held a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Little Jimmy's Lunch Box in Covington

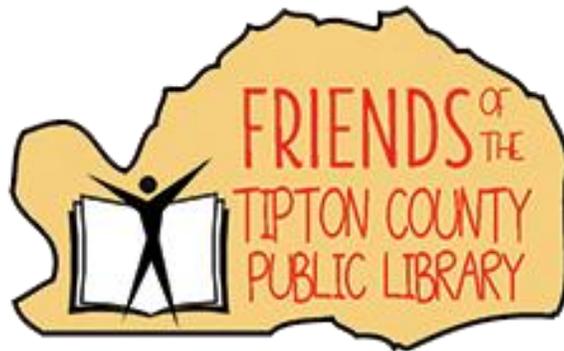


Members of the Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce and Mayor Justin Hanson held a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at River Terrace Health and Rehabilitation Center for their Grand Re-Opening under new ownership.

Mayor Justin Hanson was Recent Guest Reader at Tipton County Library



Mayor Justin Hanson took the time to read to children at “Preschool Story Time” at the Tipton County Library recently. Be sure to check out the library’s summer programs for kids AND adults!



DSCC to Host Minecraft Summer Camps for Kids

Dyersburg State Community College (DSCC) will host Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)-based Minecraft Camps for kids ages 10-15, **June 5-9 at the Jimmy Naifeh Center in Tipton County** and June 19-26 at the Dyersburg campus from 1-5 p.m. each day.

The camps will teach basic skills such as controls, crafting, building, digging and attacking, along with advanced skills such as building villages and using critical thinking and problem-solving skills to survive challenging obstacles.

The cost for each camp is \$100 per child and includes instructional supplies and snacks.

Registration is available online at <https://registration.xenegrade.com/dsc>. Those who wish to register in person may do so by visiting the Security Bank Community Learning Center on the Dyersburg campus.

The deadline to register for the Minecraft Camp at the Jimmy Naifeh Center at Tipton County is May 29, 2017, while the deadline to register for the Dyersburg camp is June 12, 2017. For more information and alternative registration options, call 731-286-3265.

Dyersburg State Announces Dates for College for Kids Summer Program

Dyersburg, Tennessee – Dyersburg State Community College's (DSCC) Division of Continuing Education will offer its annual College for Kids summer program at all three DSCC locations from 9 a.m. - noon each day. This year's theme will be 'College for Kids – Something to Tweet About!' and will consist of stimulating and educational classes for children ages four years through sixth grade.

The program will be held on the Dyersburg campus June 12-16, with the registration deadline set for June 7. College for Kids will also be held at **the DSCC Jimmy Naifeh Center (JNC) at Tipton County June 26-30. The registration deadline for the JNC location is June 21.** The DSCC Gibson County Center will host the program July 10-14, with the registration deadline set for July 5.

Children in upcoming grades first through sixth will have the opportunity to preselect three classes that interest them. Depending on the location, classes may include Arts and Crafts, Computer Craze, Creative Cakes, Dance and Cheer, Learning Legos, Light it Up with Circuits, Science Skills, Sports Training, Tae Kwon Do Tricks and Trash to Treasure. Children age four through kindergarten may enroll in the pre-designed Summertime Fun classes, which include Tiny Tot Dance and Exercise, Creations in Arts and Crafts, and Story Time.



DSCC Summer Classes Include Organic Chemistry and Microbiology

Dyersburg State Community College (DSCC) will offer a variety of high-demand summer classes at its Dyersburg campus and the Jimmy Naifeh Center (JNC) at Tipton County. Students attending other colleges and universities returning home for the summer are encouraged to take advantage of these courses.

Classes offered at both locations include Advanced Integrated Industrial Technology (AIIT), Anatomy and Physiology I and II, Composition I, General Biology I, Introduction to Ethics, Microbiology and World Literature I. In addition, Introduction to Early Childhood, Introduction to Theatre and Organic Chemistry I and II will be offered at the Dyersburg campus and Physical Science will be offered at the JNC.

Advising and registration for all summer sessions is taking place now. Full-term summer session will begin May 31 and end Aug. 4. First-session summer classes will begin May 31 and end July 3. Second-session summer classes will begin July 5 and end Aug. 7.

Students are encouraged to go online to make an appointment with an advisor before registering for summer classes by visiting www.dsc.edu and clicking on "Future Student" and "Make an Appointment." An appointment can also be made by contacting a One Stop Center at the Dyersburg campus at 731-286-3350, the Gibson County Center at 731-855-1419 and the Jimmy Naifeh Center at Tipton County at 901-475-3100.



**It's a beautiful thing when
career, passion, & opportunity
Come together.**

**Meet us @ Career Day, June 1st, from 9-11
@St.Luke's Family Life Center; 632 St.Luke Rd.**



Female mosquitoes, which suck blood from humans, birds and wild and domesticated animals, can serve as reservoirs of many infectious diseases, spreading these when they move from one food source to another. County level efforts to reduce mosquito populations and to inform residents of the need to protect against mosquito bites are crucial elements in preventing Zika virus, West Nile virus, La Crosse Encephalitis, Chikungunya and many other mosquito-borne illnesses from being transmitted in Tennessee.

Fight the Bite

Fight the Bite is the theme of many national and international efforts to prevent the spread of mosquito-borne illnesses. It involves encouragement of personal protection tactics to prevent individuals from being bitten, along with efforts to remove standing water where mosquitoes can lay their eggs.

Personal protection tactics include:

- Using FDA-approved insect repellents regularly, following the label instructions to ensure safe and effective protection from bites
- Wearing long, loose and light-colored sleeves and pants as much as possible
- Treating clothes with permethrin
- Reducing use of perfumes, colognes and other odors that attract feeding mosquitoes
- Repairing or replacing screens to form a mosquito barrier in buildings
- Using air conditioning

Drain and Cover

Mosquitoes can lay eggs in water containers as small as a plastic soda bottle cap. Preventing breeding spots involves draining standing water from all containers, including planters, toys, dismounted tires, trash and similar receptacles and covering potential breeding spots to keep them dry in the future. Clogged rain gutters are commonly found to serve as mosquito breeding spots; routine cleaning can improve water drainage.

Many mosquitoes only travel a few hundred feet from where they were hatched. By eliminating incubation and hatching spots near their homes and businesses, individuals can significantly reduce their chances for being bitten.

Protect Pregnant Women

Pregnant women should avoid travel to areas where there is risk of Zika virus infection throughout their pregnancy. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) updated its Zika travel guidance March 10, 2017; that guidance includes: *"...Pregnant women not travel to any area where there is a risk of Zika virus infection, including areas where the virus has been newly introduced or reintroduced and local mosquito-borne transmission is ongoing; areas where the virus was present before 2015 (endemic) and there is no evidence transmission has stopped; and areas where the virus is likely to be circulating but has not been documented."*

For the latest CDC listing of countries with local transmission of Zika virus click here:

<http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/page/zika-travel-information>

For a map listing of travel advisories click here:

<http://tdh.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapJournal/index.html?appid=98adb8b0e81e4b26bb23ae5d4fd9ab02>

SAVE THE DATE....

- May 6 – 12 – [National Nurses Week](#)
- May 11 – **LIFEBLOOD** at Covington City Hall – 9:00 – 2:00
- May 11 – [Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce](#) [Spring Fling Golf Tournament](#)
- May 13 – Car Show – Bayird Chevrolet – Covington – 8:00 – 3:00 – scroll down for more information
- May 13 – A Day of Matisse (Lecture and Art Class) - Tipton County Museum in Covington – 476-0242
- May 13 – MUSIC on the SQUARE – 7:00 pm - Crossroads
- May 15 – “Inspirations” Art Awards Reception – DSCC Covington – 5:30 – 7:00
- May 16 – Tasty Tuesday – Bald Butcher – noon – Dutch treat lunch with Chamber of Commerce
- May 16 – Public Meeting to discuss Newman Property – City Hall – 5:00 – 6:00 **PUBLIC INVITED**
- May 18 – Jobs4Tipton Career Fair – DSCC Covington – 1:00 – 6:00
- May 18 – THIRD THURSDAY – Chamber Center on the Covington Square – 5:00 VFW Post 4840 hosts
- May 20 – Court Square Car Show – sponsor your own award! Scroll down for more information
- May 20 – Story Walk at [Tipton County Library](#) – 10:00 - scroll down for more information
- May 20 – Household Hazardous Waste Collection – Brighton HS – 9:00 – 1:00 – scroll down for more...
- May 20 – Free Legal Clinic – 11:00 – 1:00 - First Presbyterian Church Covington
- May 20 – MUSIC on the SQUARE – 7:00 pm – Generation Gap
- May 27 – A History of the Louvre, the World’s Largest Museum – 10:00 – Tipton County Museum
- May 30 – June 02 – Down on the Farm for kids at Covington High School – scroll down for more...
- June 01 – Career Day at St. Luke’s Church – 9:00 – 11:00 – 632 St. Luke Road
- June 1-2-3 – Covington Bar-Be-Que Festival - <http://www.covingtontn.com/bbq-festival.html>
World’s Oldest BBQ Cooking Contest closed out with [THE FUNK MONSTERS](#) June 3rd.
- June 10 – Artist Series for Kids – Henri Matisse – 10:00 - Tipton County Museum – scroll down...

Tipton County High School Graduations The Tipton County High School Graduations will be **May 18 for Brighton HS**, **May 19 for Munford HS** and **May 22 for Covington HS** all beginning at 7pm.



Keep up with News, Events, and Information in Covington and Tipton County

[City of Covington](#)

[Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce](#)

[Tipton County](#)

[Covington Sportsplex](#)

[Drug Free Tipton](#)

[Tipton County Schools](#)

[South Tipton Chamber of Commerce](#)

[Boys and Girls Club of the Hatchie River Region](#)

[Covington Aquatic Center](#)

[Tipton County Museum](#)

*Information in this newsletter is an overview of events. All official minutes and documents can be viewed at Covington City hall at 200 West Washington Street, Covington, TN. or on our website at www.covingtontn.com

The City of Covington is an Equal Opportunity Employer



Covington Court Square
FARMERS MARKET

Hours of Operation for the 2017 Season

We open on Saturday, April 22nd from 8a.m. – 2p.m.

The market will be open again Saturday, April 29th from 8a.m. – 2p.m.

Then beginning May and continuing through November, shop our vendors:

Tuesdays 8:00a.m. – 2:00p.m.

Thursdays 12:00p.m. – 6:00p.m.

Saturdays 8:00a.m. – 2:00p.m.

eat
local  *grown*

COME JOIN THE HOTTEST FIT CLUB IN TOWN!!!!



*Children and Family Services, Inc MOBILE SENIORS
FITNESS PROGRAM in partnership with The Community
Foundation of Middle Tennessee would like to present.....*

"THE CFS FIT CLUB"

AGE 60TH AND UP

*JOIN US FOR PLENTY OF FUN WHILE LEARNING, MEETING NEW
PEOPLE AND EXERCISING!!!!!*

Wellness Center 412 Alston St

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY

8-10AM

THURSDAY: 9-11A.M; 4-6P.M.

Educational Trainings:

EVERY WEDNESDAY 1:00-2:00p.m.



MUSIC on the SQUARE

Please join us for the 2017 "Music on the Square" in Covington, Tennessee beginning April 29 and going through May 27. See complete schedule below.

All shows begin at 7:00.

- April 29 - *The Blues Disciples*
- May 06 - *Amber McCain*
- May 13 - *Cross Roads*
- May 20 - *Generation Gap*
- May 27 - *Boomer Nation*

Bring your lawn chairs and join the fun

NO COOLERS PLEASE
NO PETS PLEASE



Music
washes away from
the soul
the dust of
everyday life..

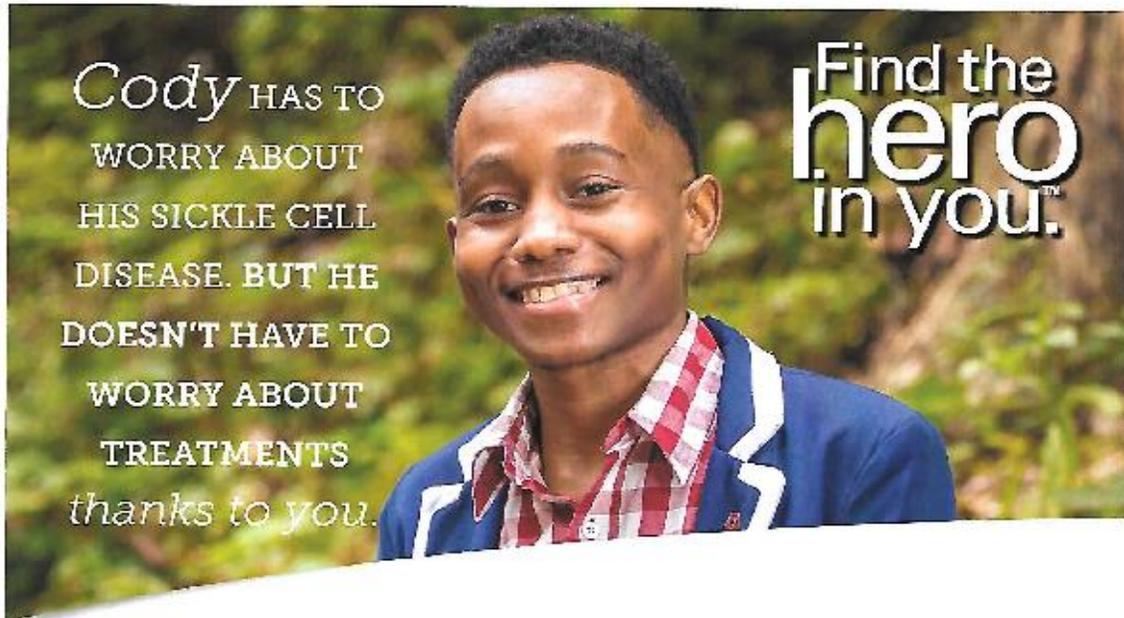
~Berthold Auerbach

The Historic
RUTIN
Theater
2012

Neil Simon's
The
COUPLE
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MAY 5, 6, 12 & 13 AT 7PM
MAY 7 & 14 AT 2PM

THE ODD COUPLE IS PRESENTED BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH SAMUEL FRENCH, INC.



City of Covington Blood Drive



Thursday, May 11, 2017
9:00am - 2:00pm
In the bloodmobile
at City Hall

Contact Justin Hanson to set up an appointment or visit
clublifeblood.org and enter sponsor code: L198

Lifeblood
www.lifeblood.org

Please bring your photo ID, eat a healthy meal and drink plenty of water.

Free cholesterol testing with every donation!

Give blood 
the ultimate renewable resource



Spring Fling Golf Tournament



Thursday, May 11th, 2017
at the Covington Country Club

Tee time at 12:30p.m.
Lunch served at 11:00a.m.

Call 901 476 9727 for further details.





Now in existence for more than 7 years, the **Summer Theater Camp**, created under the guidance of Tipton County Arts Council, continues to offer an enriching experience for Tipton County youth. Previous performances have included: 101 Dalmatians, Jungle Book, Aladdin, High School Musical, Seussical the Musical, Annie, and The Lion King. This year's camp showcases Mulan, and will run June 19th – 23rd.

Sponsoring a student for \$125 allows a child, whose family may not have the funds available, attend camp. Additionally, all donations are tax deductible.

Your generosity, no matter what size donation, allows us to make a difference in the lives of this community's children, through cultural enrichment and personal development.

To sponsor a child for the 2017 Summer Theater Camp, simply make check payable to the Tipton Arts Council for Summer Theater Camp. Donations may be mailed to 1400 Herring Drive, Covington, Tennessee, 38019 or call (901) 237-4006 for pick up. Once again, all donations are tax deductible.

We appreciate your support and invite you to attend Friday night's performance of Mulan (June 23.) Truly, the children of Tipton County are gifted, and this camp is a pleasure to help produce.

SUMMER CAMPS AT THE COVINGTON SPORTSPLEX

		JUN 5-9	JUN 12-16	JUN 19-23	JUN 26-30	JUL 10-14	JUL 17-21	JUL 24-28
HALF DAY CAMPS		9AM - 12PM						
ART 	Ages 10+						Ages 10+	
BASEBALL 	Ages 5-12							
SOCCER 								Ages 5-12
LACROSSE 	Ages 7-17							
DANCE 					*Ages 5-17			
TENNIS 						Ages 8-13		
BASKETBALL 					Ages 10-14	Ages 5-9		
* Dance Camp will be from 9:30AM-1:30PM.								
CAMP INSTRUCTORS				CAMP LOCATION				
ART - BARRIE FOSTER				TIPTON COUNTY MUSEUM				
BASEBALL - CHS(CHARGERS) COACHES & PLAYERS				COVINGTON HS BASEBALL FIELD				
SOCCER - ROBERT LUTRELL - CHS BOYS & GIRLS HEAD SOCCER COACH				BALTZER FIELD				
LACROSSE - CHRIS DAVANZO - TC DUCKS HEAD COACH				BALTZER FIELD				
DANCE - DEBORAH WALKER				COVINGTON SPORTSPLEX				
TENNIS-EVA WILLIAMS - CHS TENNIS COACH				CITY TENNIS COURTS				
BASKETBALL GARY MURDOCK - CMS BOY & GIRLS HC OR CHARLES MITCHELL - CHS BOYS HC				TBD				
Camp Fees ONLY \$40 				Sign Up Online http://www.covingtontn.com/parks--recreation.html Breakfast & Lunch Included! For more information or to sign up in person visit us at : Covington Parks & Recreation 790 Bert Johnston Avenue Covington TN 38019 901-476-3734				
				<i>T-Shirt Included</i>				

To sponsor kids for summer camp, please contact Parks and Recreation Director Joseph Mack at 901-476-3734 or email jmack@covingtontn.com

LIVE MUSIC LINE UP FOR MAY

MAY 5TH	CROSSROADS	DANNO'S Grill	Music On
MAY 6TH	The Amber McCain Band		The Square
MAY 12TH	Chosen Few	DANNO'S Grill	Music On
MAY 13TH	CROSSROADS		The Square
MAY 19TH	Blues Disciples	DANNO'S Grill	Music On
MAY 20TH	GENERATION GAP		The Square
MAY 26TH	Paige and Case	DANNO'S Grill	Music On
MAY 27TH	BOOMER NATION		The Square





TIPTON COUNTY
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VETERANS MEMORIAL
NATURE CENTER

The Tipton County Museum, Veterans Memorial & Nature Center
Presents

“A Day of Matisse”

Lecture & Art Class

Please join us for a fun day of learning and painting! Artist in Residence Richard Reed will lecture on the famous French Artist Henri Matisse in the morning, then he and Museum Director Barrie Foster will lead the class in painting his “Les toits de Collioure” in the afternoon. All art supplies will be furnished. No previous art experience necessary. These are two separate events, so you are free to attend one without the other.

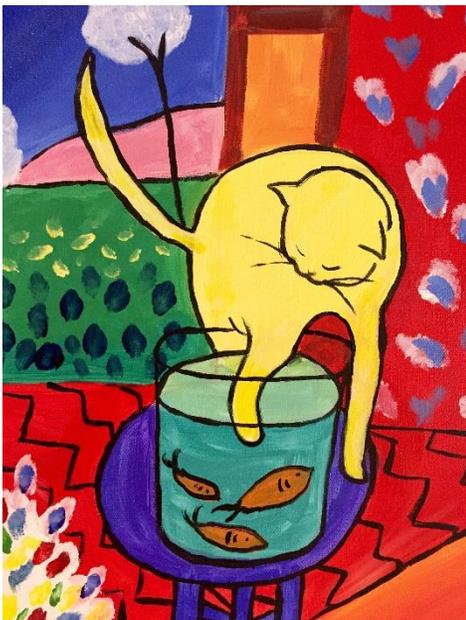
When: Saturday, May 13, 2017. LECTURE: 10-11:30 a.m., ART CLASS: 1—4 p.m.

Where: Tipton County Museum, 751 Bert Johnston Ave., Covington, TN

Fee: LECTURE: Free to Members, \$5 General Public.

ART CLASS: \$35 Members, \$40 General Public

The Tipton County Museum, Veterans Memorial
& Nature Center
751 Bert Johnston Ave., Covington, TN 38019
(901) 476-0242



Free Spectator Admission

The Covington Charger 2nd Annual Car Show

Free Spectator Admission



Saturday May 13, 2017

9:00am until 3:00pm
Registration begins at 8:00am

Pre-registration Fee: \$25.00
Registration Day of: \$35.00

Bayird Chevrolet 3299 Hwy 51
Covington Tn 38019



Scan for more info

Contact: Jessica Hernandez
901-289-1302
email: xjessiema05x@aol.com

There will be music, food, raffle, craft booths and much more!

swap Meet / \$15.00 per spot

For more information see our Facebook page:
The Covington Charger 2nd Annual Car Show
<https://www.facebook.com/CovingtonChargerBand>



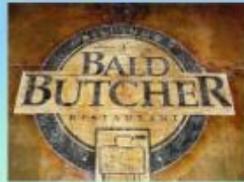
Test your skill on the Mechanical Bull

Sponsored by the Covington High Band Boosters

**Join the Chamber Staff on the
3rd Tuesday of each month for**



May 16th Tasty Tuesday is Noon at...



**Billings Bald Butcher
100 Star Shopping Center Street
Covington, TN 38019**

Dutch Treat Lunch at a randomly drawn Chamber Member Restaurant each month!

1 let's do 1
lunch



MEETING NOTICE!



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

May 16, 2017

The City of Covington, Tennessee, an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer, will conduct a Public Meeting on the 16th day of May, 2017, in the Upstairs Boardroom at City Hall, 200 West Washington Street, Covington, TN 38019.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the future use of the Newman Property and obtain public feedback.

The meeting will be held from 5pm – 6pm and the public is invited to provide input. Representatives from the city will be available to answer questions.

Date: May 16, 2017

Time: 5pm – 6pm

Anyone with questions regarding this meeting may contact:

City of Covington
200 West Washington Street
Covington, TN 38019
Phone: (901) 476-9613

Persons with a disability, who require aids or services to participate at the meeting, may contact Ms. Lessie Fisher at the following email or phone number no less than ten (10) days prior to the date of the meeting.

Email: lfisher@covingtontn.com

Phone: 901-476-9613 Ext. 146

**LET YOUR
VOICE
BE HEARD**



When: Thursday, May 18, 2017
1 pm to 6 pm

Location: DSCC Jimmy Naifeh Center
Student Learning Center
3149 Hwy 51S. Covington, TN



JOBS4Tipton **Career Fair**

More details coming soon! To get immediate updates on this event, please like us on Facebook, and indicate that you are "Coming" or "Interested" in this event!

 @TNCareerCentersNWTN



CAREER **FAIR**



 **COVINGTON
TIPTON COUNTY
CHAMBER of COMMERCE**

Business *After Hours*

Where our community is our business



5:00pm on May 18th
The Chamber Center
101 Court Square West
Covington, TN 38019

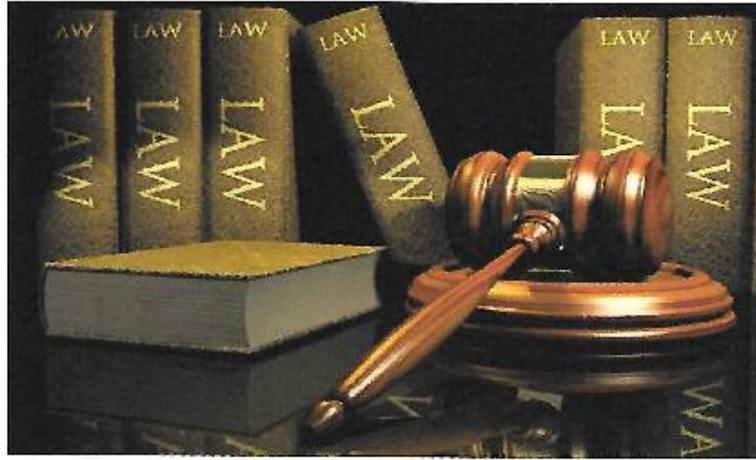


Our May Third Thursday Sponsor:

The VFW Post 4840

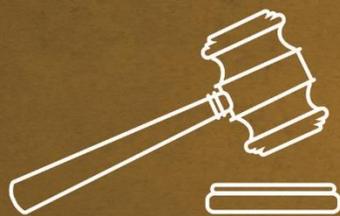


**Need Legal Advice?
FREE LEGAL CLINIC**



**May 20, 2017
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

**First Presbyterian Church
403 South Main Street
Covington**



**BE
INFORMED**

Covington Car Show on the Square



May 20, 2017

**Registration \$25
8:00am - 12:00pm**

**Trophies For
All Classes**



Cash Drawings!

Award Presentation @ 2pm

Sponsored by



Pop up canopies must be secured

For Additional Information:
Contact Burt Milam (901) 626-7731 or Billy Golden (901) 438-1995

www.memphisclassicchevys.com



You can sponsor specific trophies and/or prizes! Please contact Lynn Milam for more information at 901-626-7732

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event Saturday – May 20, 2017

Sponsored by Tennessee
Department of Environment
and Conservation

9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Brighton High School
8045 Hwy 51 South, Brighton

Household Hazardous Waste - is defined as corrosive, flammable, toxic, or reactive materials used in your home, car or truck, or garden and lawn that is unwanted/unusable.



Now's your chance... It's FREE!

You can dispose of all those left over household chemicals, lawn and garden products and automotive materials that you've never known what to do with.

Things to Bring:

Household Cleaners

Drain openers
Oven Cleaners
Wood Cleaners & Polishes
Metal Cleaners & Polishes
Toilet Bowl Cleaners
Disinfectants

Home Maintenance

Chemicals

Paint Thinner
Wood Preservatives
Paint Strippers & Removers,
Adhesives
Oil-based Paint

Miscellaneous

Fingernail Polish Remover
Pool Chemicals
Photo Processing Chemicals
Medicines & Drugs
Reactive Materials
Aerosols
Compressed Gas
Mercury Thermostats
Mercury Thermometers
Fluorescent Light Bulbs

Lawn & Garden

Chemicals

Herbicides
Pesticides
Fungicides
Fertilizers

Automotive Products

Fuel Additives
Grease & Rust Solvents
Air Conditioning Refrigerants
Starter Fluids
Body Putty
Coolants
Carburetor/ Fuel Injector Cleaners

NO Medical Waste, Infectious Waste, Radioactive Waste, Explosives, Ammunition, Electronics, Latex Paint, Motor Oil, Alkaline Batteries, or Any Empty Containers.

Waste from NON-household sources such as Businesses, Schools, Farms, Churches, Etc. will be accepted BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. Call 615-643-3170 to request a price quote and schedule an appointment.

If you have questions or need additional information, please call 901-476-0254.



The Tipton County Public Library

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The Tipton County Museum

Veterans Memorial Nature Center Present:



story walk

Read a Story While Taking a Walk

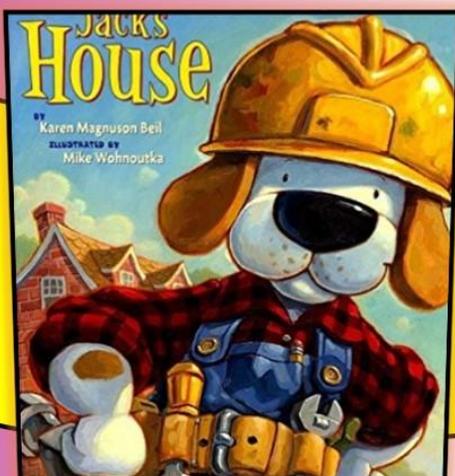
Bring the whole family and discover a story page-by-page with activities

along the way on the grounds of:

Tipton County Museum Veterans Memorial and Nature Center

751 Bert Johnson Ave.

Covington, TN 38019



Jack's House

By Chris Van Dusen

May 20th

Come anytime

between

10:00 & 11:30am



For more information please contact the

Tipton County Public Library

Phone: 476-8289

E-mail: tiptonpl@tiptonco.com

"Down on the Farm"

May 30th– June 2nd, 2017

Covington High School Agriculture Department

\$75.00 per child

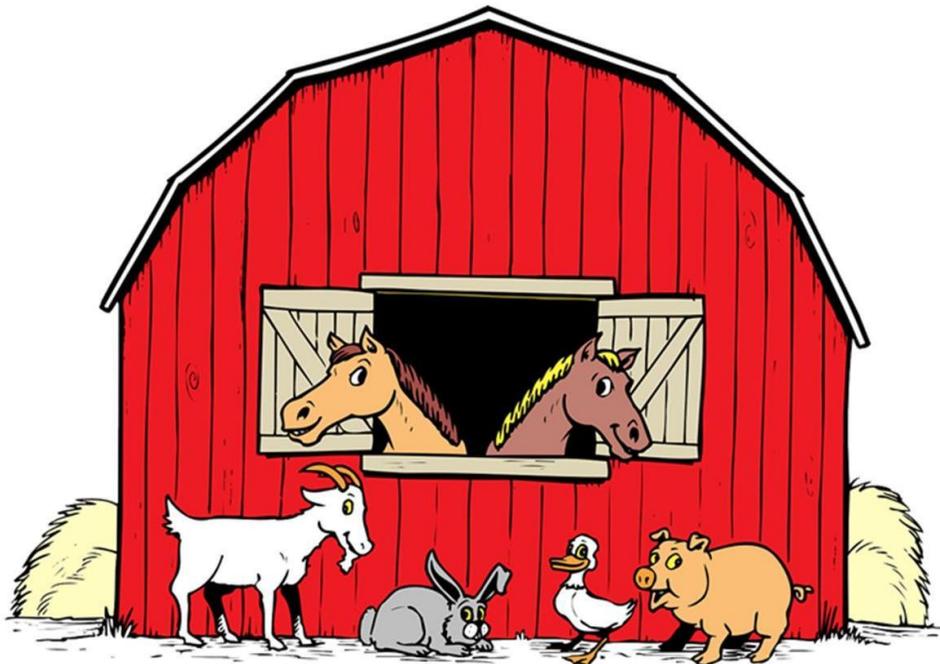
This will include breakfast, snacks, lunch, crafts, field trips, a group picture, and a t-shirt.

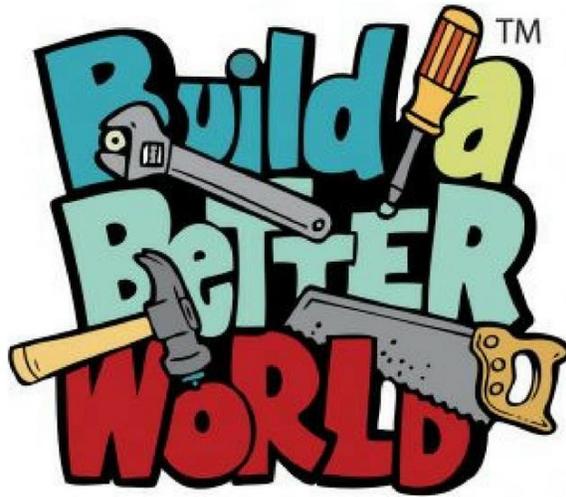
Students ages 4–12
8:00am–12:00pm



During this week your camper will enjoy an interactive experience in agriculture. We will take field trips to local farms where the campers will get to see both crop production and animals. They will also learn, play games, and do crafts that will teach them about life "Down on the Farm."

Call (901)840-9227 or email jjffa@hotmail.com for any questions or to register.





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Tipton County Public Library's Summer Reading Program June 1st - July 31st

**FREE PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS, TEENS, &
CHILDREN**

READ BOOKS, WIN PRIZES!!!

A complete list of programs is available on our website, and Facebook page.

www.tiptoncountylibrary.com

www.facebook.com/tiptoncountylibrary

LIVE ANIMALS

ESCAPE ROOMS

MAGIC SHOW

BOOK CLUBS

STORY WALKS

FREE MOVIES

STORY TIME

ADULT COLORING



[Tipton Family Association](#) sets October date to meet in Covington.

Plan to join in for this historical conference about Tipton County from the decedents of General Jacob Tipton

Y'all Come to Tipton County, Tennessee!

The date is set. Plans and arrangements have been made! The 2017 meeting is taking place on October 7th in the Tipton County Public Library, Building C on the campus of the Dyersburg Community College at 3149 Highway 51 South in Covington, TN. With the assistance of Susan Cheairs, Director of the Library, and a scheduled welcome from Dr. Karen Bowyer, President of the College, the meeting place is reserved.

The [Tipton Family Association of America](#) invites all TFAA members to come to Covington. Tipton County borders Shelby County, Tennessee to the north. Memphis is in Shelby County making a major US airport convenient to the meeting place. Meeting in Covington also makes it convenient for TFAA members in Arkansas, Missouri, Louisiana, and states west of the Mississippi River who might come by auto as well as those to the east. Driving from Interstate 40 in Memphis to Covington takes approximately one hour.

For information about travel accommodations or other matters when visiting Covington, Contact the Covington-Tipton County Chamber of Commerce at Post Office Box 683, Covington, Tennessee 38019 or by phone at 901-476-9727 or online at www.covington-tiptoncochamber.com

A promotional graphic for Covington, Tennessee. At the top, the word "COVINGTON" is written in large, bold, serif letters. Below it, the tagline "THE CENTER OF BUSINESS AND INDUSTRY IN THE HEART OF TIPTON COUNTY" is written in a smaller, sans-serif font. A bulleted list of features follows: "• Industrial and Manufacturing Center of Tipton County", "• Beautiful Historic Town Square", "• Expanding Retail Business Opportunities", "• High Performing Schools and Two Institutions of Higher Learning", "• Infrastructure and Support for Industrial and Business Development", "• Friendly Community full of Good People", and "• Mayor and City Leaders with a Vision for Positive and Productive Leadership". At the bottom, there are three inset images: a portrait of a man in a suit, a large American flag on a tall pole, and an aerial view of a modern industrial or commercial building complex. The background of the graphic features a faint circular seal with the text "EST. 1825" and "TIPTON COUNTY, TENNESSEE".

The Library Corner

The Tipton County Public Library
&
The Tipton County Museum
Veterans Memorial Nature Center Present:

Story Walk

Read a Story While Taking a Walk
Bring the whole family and discover a story page-by-page with activities along the way on the grounds of:

Tipton County Museum - Veterans Memorial and Nature Center
771 East Jackson Ave.
Covington, TN 38019



Jack's House
By Chris Van Dusen

May 20th
Come anytime between 10:00 & 11:30am

Presented in partnership with:
Tipton County Public Library
Phone: 423-247-6100
Email: info@tiptonlibrary.com

CHILDREN'S PROGRAM
MAKE IT: Build It

May 18th
4:00-5:00pm
Ages 11 & Under



It's Story TIME
@your library

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

THURSDAYS @ 10:00am & 2:00pm
Stories, Crafts, Fun!

Get ready for **SUMMER READING**



HOMESCHOOL BOOK CLUB

April 20th
1:00-1:30 Grades K-3
The Paint Brush Kid—Robert Bulla

TEEN MOVIE
AGES 13-17
May 4th
Rogue One [PG-13] 133 min.
4:00PM

LEGO CLUB

May 4th 1:00-2:00pm
May 13th 11:00-12:00pm
May 25th 4:00-5:00pm



TIPTON COUNTY LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING
This meeting is open to the public
May 22nd @ 5:30pm



May Movie MadNeSS

@ the Tipton County Public Library

enjoy a free movie and refreshments on us!



for adults (ages 18+)

may 2nd
1:00pm



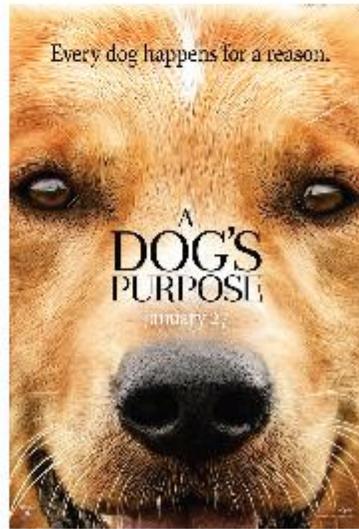
for teens (ages 13-17)

may 4th
4:00pm



for adults (ages 18+)

may 23rd
1:00pm



for adults (ages 18+)

may 30th
1:00pm

FREE MOVIES AND REFRESHMENTS AT OUR LIBRARY
CHECK THESE SELECTIONS OUT FOR MAY

What's Happening at the Museum?

Check it out.... *Tipton County Pulse*

Click here to view: <https://youtu.be/ZGoLD5opQxY>



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VETERANS MEMORIAL
NATURE CENTER

The Tipton County Museum, Veterans Memorial & Nature Center

Presents

“The History of the Louvre”

By Dominique Bellott

As part of our “Museum Month” series, Garden Historian Dominique Bellott will parlay the fascinating history of the Louvre, the world’s largest museum. It was originally built as a palace around 1190 and was established as a museum in 1793. It has been home to the world’s most famous painting, “The Mona Lisa,” for many years, and has been host to numerous other artworks as well. Dominique was born in Paris, France, and grew up visiting this famous landmark throughout her childhood.

When: Saturday, May 27, 2017 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Where: Tipton County Museum, 751 Bert Johnston Ave., Covington

Fee: Free to Museum Members, \$5 General Public

Memberships start at \$25 and are available at the door. Refreshments will be served and everyone is welcome!

The Tipton County Museum, Veterans Memorial & Nature Center

751 Bert Johnston Avenue

Covington, TN 38019

(901) 476-0242





**A DAY OF ART
AT THE TIPTON COUNTY MUSEUM**

Lecture & Painting

Lectures 10—11: 30 a.m.; Free to Members, \$5 General Public

Class 1—4 p.m., \$35 Members, \$40 General Public

No previous art experience required.

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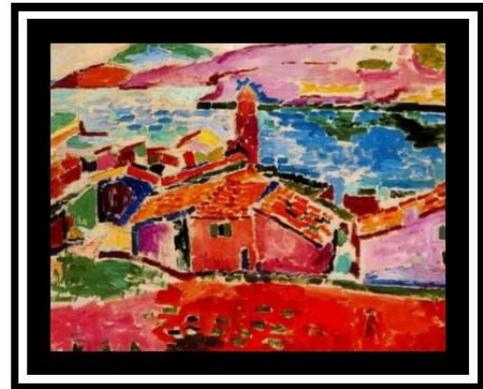


Georgia O'Keeffe March 4, 2017

"Blue Morning Glories"

Henri Matisse May 13, 2017

"Les toits de Collioure"



Paul Cezanne July 8, 2017

"Maison Maria with a View of Chateau Noir"



Wassily Kandinsky November 18, 2017

"Winter Landscape"



The Tipton County Museum Presents
Artist Series for Kids
Henri Matisse

Saturday, June 10, 2017

10 a.m.—Noon

Tipton County Museum, 751 Bert Johnston Ave., Covington

\$20 Museum Members, \$25 General Public



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VETERANS MEMORIAL
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Museum Director and Professional Artist Barrie Foster will introduce Henri Matisse to your children. They will learn that he was born and raised in France, and he originally was a lawyer. They will then paint one of his paintings in acrylics. All materials will be supplied. A snack will be provided and a sibling discount is available. Children 10 and up.

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The Tipton County Veterans Council and the Tipton County Museum, Veterans Memorial and Nature Center Veteran of the Month for May, 2017

Elizabeth M. Scott

The youngest of five children, Marge was born in Sharon, PA on January 7, 1932. After high school, she worked for Northeast Airlines in New York City for two years as a ticket agent. The month after her 21st birthday, she decided to join the military. Why she chose the Marine Corps instead of the Navy like her brother or the Army like her father, no one knows – but by waiting until she was 21, she avoided any family argument over if her parents would give her permission. (At that time, women under 21 needed parental permission the way that 17 year old men did).

After boot camp in Paris Island, she attended ANP School in Jacksonville, FL, then Air Traffic Controller School in Olatha, KS. From Kansas, she reported to her first duty station in El Toro, CA. It didn't take Marge long to settle into a routine and she enjoyed her life at El Toro.

One night, she helped a Marine onto the bus so he could get back to base – he was having problems navigating because he had been celebrating his 21st birthday. She thought no more about it until one evening at the club. She asked for an order of French fries – the formerly drunken Marine was working behind the counter! He served her fries, then promptly reached over and helped himself to some saying he had given her too many. It was not long before this nameless Marine asked her out on a date. She accepted, but there was a problem. Neither had bothered to ask the other's name! When he arrived at the women's barracks to get her, he didn't know who to ask for. Despite that, Marge and Harmon soon learned each other's names and became inseparable. On August 6, 1954, they were married at the Wedding Chapel in Anaheim, CA.

Since marriage and the military were considered incompatible for women, Corporal Marge Scott was discharged a few days after her marriage. She followed Harmon to Spokane, WA, and other various duty stations. Although she worked various banking jobs at their numerous stations, her primary focus was her family, which soon expanded. In 1956 Brian was born at Fairchild AFB, and in 1958 Cyndy was born in Jacksonville, FL. She is now the proud grandmother of three. Marge, supported and assisted by her loving children, was a devoted caregiver to Harmon until his death one year ago.

Marge is a member of the Munford First United Methodist Church. She was nominated for Veteran of the Month by H. T. Ray.