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Newsletter

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Hancock County Building Strong Families for Kentucky

Dates to Remember

2/4 Sewing 101 - Class 3 - 3:15-6:15

2/5 Sew Wednesday

2/6 Hancock Co. Homemakers - Girls with Pearls Button Class - NHES - 11:15

2/6 Sewing 101 - Class 4 - 3:15-6:15

2/10 Hawesville Homemakers, 5pm, Salad Supper

2/11 Sunshine Circle Homemakers, 5:30

2/12 Sew Wednesday

2/13 Hancock Co. Homemakers - Girls with Pearls Button Class - NHES - 11:15

2/13 Sewing 101 - Class 1 - 5-8pm

2/17 Farm City dinner

2/19 Sew Wednesday

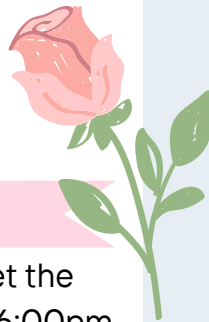
2/26 Sew Wednesday

2/27 Sewing 101 - Class 2 - 5-8pm

3/20 Sewing 101 - Class 3 - 5-8pm

3/25 Everything Sourdough Workshop - 5-8pm

4/12 Sunshine Circle Homemakers Spring "Rolling with my Peeps" Bunco



Monthly Meetings

Hawesville Homemakers meet the **second Monday** of the month, 6:00pm at Kenergy

February 10 - **5PM - Salad Supper**

Sunshine Circle meets the **second Tuesday**, at 5:30pm at HC Career Center

February 11 - 5:30

Roll Call

Have you ever participated in a race or contest? What happened?

Thought for the day

"On your marks, get set, go"
Bicycle Race
Queen 1978

Cooperative Extension Service

Agriculture and Natural Resources
Family and Consumer Sciences
4-H Youth Development
Community and Economic Development

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Lexington, KY 40506



Disabilities accommodated with prior notification.

Farewell to Lesa

I know we were all shocked and deeply sadden when we heard the news that Lesa had passed. I had known Lesa for many, many years. She was a year younger than me in school and we went to the same church since we were children. I had the pleasure of traveling with her on several occasions. About 3 1/2 years ago we went on the Hollard Tulip Festival bus tour and we roomed together. We had also been to several KEHA Annual meetings and shared a room. Lesa was fun to travel with because she did not know a stranger. She could talk to anyone. It amazed me on how many people she knew! She was also so happy and flexible when traveling. She was one that could easily go with the flow. Many of us are Homemakers because Lesa invited us, and invited us, and invited us. When I was getting ready to retire I knew I needed something to do and I didn't know exactly what Homemakers was, but I knew good people were involved so I joined. I am so glad she didn't give up on me and she continued to encourage me to join. Last year Homemaker's motto was "Let Your Light Shine". Lesa was always an example of that and her light will continue to shine because of the joy she shared with all of us. We will forever miss our friend.



Paula Mason,
Hancock County
Homemaker President



*Hancock County Fair
July 30th - August 2nd*

KEHA Choir Open for New Members – Do you love to sing? Consider joining KEHA's choir! The choir rehearses and performs during KEHA State Meeting (registration required). Choir members get a rehearsal CD and music to practice prior to the event. For questions, contact Wendy Hood at her NEW email address: wendy8hood@gmail.com. To join, send \$10 payable to Wendy Hood, 202 Park Avenue, Harrodsburg, KY 40330



March 1 is the deadline for most KEHA contests, scholarships, and grants

Upcoming Events

Make plans to attend the 2025 State Meeting
at Hyatt Regency Lexington
401 West High Street, Lexington!
May 6-8, 2025



Make your reservations by April 7, 2025, to secure the conference rate.

ANNUAL Farm City & AG Awards Dinner

February 17, 2025 at 6PM
Hawesville Baptist Church Life Center
290 Main St., Hawesville, KY 42348

Door Prize will be 1/4 of beef plus processing!



GUEST SPEAKER
Jonathan Shell
Kentucky
Commissioner of
Agriculture

\$5
per ticket



- Ribeye Steak
- Roasted Hog Chicken
- Baked Potato
- Baked Beans
- Rolls
- Assorted Desserts
- Tea
- Lemonade

Tickets available now!

- You may purchase at the following locations:
- First Financial Bank (both locations)
 - Independence Bank (both locations)
 - Kraftcor Federal Credit Union
 - Labor Management Federal Credit Union
 - Hancock County Farm Supply



Sewing 101 Workshop Series

LOCATION:
HANCOCK COUNTY DEVELOPMENT
COMPLEX (EXTENSION OFFICE)
1605 HWY 60-W, HAWESVILLE, KY 42348

TEENS & ADULTS

CALL TO REGISTER: 270-927-6618 BY FEB 7TH.

Complete 3 Projects

EACH CLASS WILL BE 5-8PM

FEB. 13: 1ST WORKSHOP

Project: Quilted Potholder (Materials Provided)
Agenda: Anatomy of the Sewing Machine
Basic Tools for Sewing

FEB 27TH: 2ND WORKSHOP

Project: Pillowcase
**Supply list will be given at 1st workshop

MARCH 20TH : 3RD WORKSHOP

Project: Crossback Apron
**Supply list will be given at 1st workshop.

- FREE WORKSHOPS
- SPACE IS LIMITED TO 8
- PATTERNS PROVIDED
- REGISTER BY JAN 27TH

TAUGHT BY FCS AGENT, ANGIE SWIHART, AND MASTER CLOTHING VOLUNTEER, PAULA MASON



Everything SOURDOUGH

WITH HALEY SMITH
March 25th
5-8pm



Register by March 18th



SOURDOUGH STARTER TO TAKE HOME!
BRING A JAR 16-32 OZ.

TOPICS FOR CLASS

- What is Sourdough
- How to Maintain sourdough
- how to make Artisan bread Loaf
- How to use Sourdough Discard for Cookie Recipe
- Health benefits of sourdough

Class Hosted by Angie Swihart
Hancock Co. FCS Agent
at the
Hancock Co. Development Complex
Call to Register:
270-927-6618