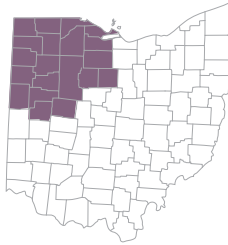


## NORTHWEST



**FEB. 2 – Ice-A-Fair**, 685 Main St., Vermilion, 11 a.m.–7 p.m. Free daylong event for the entire family, featuring glittering ice sculptures and ice carving demos throughout the day. Ends with a towering Fire and Ice display. 440-963-0772 or [www.mainstreetvermilion.org](http://www.mainstreetvermilion.org).

**FEB. 2–3 – Tri-State Gun Show**, Allen Co. Fgds., 2750 Harding Hwy., Lima (2 miles east of Lima on St. Rte. 309), Sat. 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m., Sun. 8:30 a.m.–3 p.m. \$6, free for members, under 18 free. Over 400 tables of modern and antique guns, knives, hunting equipment, and associated collectibles for purchase. 419-647-0067 or [www.tristategunshow.org](http://www.tristategunshow.org).

**FEB. 9 – Lima Symphony: “A Heart’s Longing,”** Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Ctr., 7 Town Square, Lima, 7:30 p.m. \$15–\$30. An evening devoted to the vividly emotional masterworks of Tchaikovsky, featuring violinist Tai Murray. 419-224-1552 or [www.limaciviccenter.com](http://www.limaciviccenter.com).

**FEB. 7–10 – Greater Toledo Auto Show**, Seagate Convention Ctr., 401 Jefferson Ave., Toledo, Thur. 3–9 p.m., Fri. 12–9 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–9 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$8, Srs./Stds. \$6, under 10 free. Displays of the latest and greatest models and automotive technologies from 26 different manufacturers. 419-255-3300 or <http://toledoautoshow.org>.

**FEB. 8–9 – Winterfest BG Chillabration**, Bowling Green, Fri. 10 a.m.–9 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.–11 p.m. Free. Featuring the Frozen Swamp Tent, winter market, entertainment, craft beer and wine, ice garden, ice sculpting demos, and horse-drawn carriage rides. 419-353-9445 or [www.gobgoohio.com](http://www.gobgoohio.com).

**FEB. 13 – Rock of Ages: Tenth Anniversary Tour**, Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Ctr., 7 Town Square, Lima, 7:30 p.m. Starting at \$44. A rock/jukebox musical built around classic rock songs from the 1980s, especially from the famous glam metal bands of that decade. Nominated for five Tony Awards, including Best Musical. 419-224-1552 or [www.limaciviccenter.com](http://www.limaciviccenter.com).

**FEB. 15–17 – HBA House and Home Show**, SeaGate Convention Ctr., 401 Jefferson Ave., Toledo, Fri. 3–8 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–8 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$10 at door, \$5 in advance, under 12 free. Talk directly to the experts about your dreams of updating the inside

of your home, sprucing up your curb appeal, or building a brand-new home ... all under one roof! [www.toledohba.com](http://www.toledohba.com) or [www.toledohomeshow.com](http://www.toledohomeshow.com).

**FEB. 16–18 – Horse-Drawn Sleigh Rides**, Spiegel Grove, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library and Museums, Fremont. \$3, under 3 free. Celebrate Presidents Day weekend by riding in a horse-drawn sleigh through the Hayes estate. A horse-drawn trolley may be used instead, depending on demand and staffing levels. 800-998-7737 or [www.rbhayes.org](http://www.rbhayes.org).

**FEB. 17 – Bedazzle Bridal Expo**, Wyandot Co. Fgds., Masters Bldg., 10171 St. Hwy. 53 N., Upper Sandusky, 12–2:30 p.m. \$7. Over 40 exhibitors showcase their products and services that create and enhance that special day for the bride. Includes photography, event planning, tuxedo rental, dresses, catering, and more. Resources for other special events as well. 419-294-3349 or <http://wyandotchamber.com/events-calendar/bridal-expo>.

**FEB. 17 – Peg + Cat Live!**, Veterans Memorial Civic and Convention Ctr., 7 Town Square, Lima, 2 p.m. \$19–\$54. Based on the Emmy-winning PBS Kids show, this musical features wild comedy, countless favorite songs from the show, and Peg’s super coolest pal Ramone. 419-224-1552 or [www.limaciviccenter.com](http://www.limaciviccenter.com).

**FEB. 24 – Candid Camera: 8 Decades of Smiles with Peter Funt**, Niswonger Performing Arts Ctr., 10700 St. Rte. 118 S., Van Wert, 3 p.m. \$20–\$30. The fast-paced comedy show combines the funniest clips from *Candid Camera*’s library with onstage surprises and hilarious audience participation. 419-238-6722 or [www.npacvw.org](http://www.npacvw.org).

## CENTRAL



**THROUGH MAR. 3 – “Orchids,”** Franklin Park Conservatory, 1777 E. Broad St., Columbus, daily 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$11–\$18, under 3 free. The annual orchid display reaches new heights as these unique flowers take to hanging baskets and suspended sculptural displays. 614-715-8000 or [www.fpconservatory.org](http://www.fpconservatory.org).

**FEB. 2 – Advanced Grafting the Right Way**, Dawes Arboretum Greenhouse Classroom, 7770 Jacksonstown Rd., Newark, 8:30–11:30 a.m. \$30/\$40 non-members. Continue on your path of learning and developing skill in plant grafting at this hands-on workshop to increase the survivability of grafts. Rootstock and scion wood are provided; attendees may bring their own scion wood, if appropriate rootstock is available (call to verify). Participants take home the material they graft to nurture. Intended for those who participated in previous grafting workshops. Register by Jan. 31 at 800-443-2937 or [www.dawesarb.org](http://www.dawesarb.org).

**FEB. 2 – Lancaster Antique Show**, Fairfield Co. Fgds., Farm Bureau Bldg., 157 E. Fair Ave., Lancaster, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$6.

Reception and early buying on Friday, Feb. 1, 6–8 p.m.; \$10 admission includes Saturday’s show. More than 35 dealers specializing in country and period antiques, stoneware, decorative arts, and more. 614-325-8873, 614-989-5811, or [www.facebook.com/lancasterantiqueshow](http://www.facebook.com/lancasterantiqueshow).

**FEB. 2 – Movie Night at the Majestic: Steel Magnolias**, Majestic Theatre, 45 E. Second St., Chillicothe, 7 p.m. \$5. [www.majesticchillicothe.net](http://www.majesticchillicothe.net).

**FEB. 8–10 – AAA Great Vacations Travel Expo**, Ohio Expo Ctr., Kasich Hall, 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, Fri. 12–7 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–7 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–4 p.m. \$8, under 17 free; \$4 for AAA members. Talk one-on-one with travel experts and find vacation packages to fit every budget and interest. Fun activities for the whole family. [www.aaagreatvacations.com](http://www.aaagreatvacations.com).

**FEB. 8–10 – Columbus Fishing Expo**, Ohio Expo Ctr., Bricker Bldg., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, Fri. noon–8 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–7 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$12, Srs. \$10, under 18 free. Military/first responders with ID, \$10. Three days of sport fishing education and fun, with educational seminars, speakers, and activities to expand your knowledge of fishing. 614-361-5548 or [www.columbusfishingexpo.com](http://www.columbusfishingexpo.com).

**FEB. 8–10 – The Tale of Snow White**, Palace Productions, Marion Palace Theatre, 276 W. Center St., Marion, Fri./Sat. 7:30 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. \$18 adults, \$12 children. Performed by local youth, this fresh and funny stage adaptation is loaded with bright new faces and comedic twists. 740-383-2101 or [www.marionpalace.org](http://www.marionpalace.org).

**FEB. 9 – Sweethearts Hike**, Hocking Hills, 19852 St. Rte. 664 S., Logan, 5–7 p.m. Free. Take your sweetheart for a romantic stroll to Ash Cave in the soft light of dusk. Afterward, enjoy a cozy fire and refreshments. 740-385-6842 or <http://parks.ohiodnr.gov/hockinghills>

**FEB. 15 – Improv in the May**, Marion Palace Theatre May Pavilion, 276 W. Center St., Marion, 7:30 p.m. \$5. Members of the audience suggest ideas for the games and skits that seasoned stage actors perform. It’s a night of hilarious and unpredictable fun. 740-383-2101 or [www.marionpalace.org](http://www.marionpalace.org).

**FEB. 16–24 – Columbus Dispatch Home and Garden Show**, Ohio Expo Ctr., Bricker Bldg. and Celeste Ctr., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus, Sat. 10 a.m.–8 p.m., Sun.–Thur. 11 a.m.–6 p.m., closed Tues., Fri. 11–8 p.m. Expertise from local gurus and craftsmen, how-to sessions and demos, fun for the kids, giveaways, celebrity appearances, and much more. [www.dispatchshows.com/spring-home-and-garden-show](http://www.dispatchshows.com/spring-home-and-garden-show).

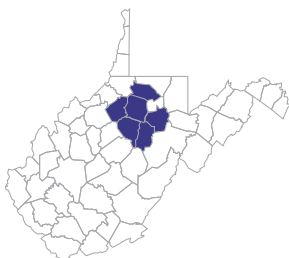
**FEB. 17 – Fairfield County Antique Tractor Club Toy and Tractor Show**, Fairfield Co. Fgds., AAA Building, 157 E. Fair Ave., Lancaster, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Featuring Allis Chalmers. 740-407-2347 (Doug Shaw) or [www.fairfieldcountytractorclub.com](http://www.fairfieldcountytractorclub.com).

**FEB. 22 – America**, Marion Palace Theatre, 276 W. Center St., Marion, 8 p.m. \$34–\$58. One of the top-selling acts of the 1970s, folk-rock band America hits the stage to perform their biggest hits. 740-383-2101 or [www.marionpalace.org](http://www.marionpalace.org).

**FEB. 22 – Maple Syrup Family Night**, Dawes Arboretum, Main Shelter House, 7770 Jacksonstown Rd., Newark, 6–7:30 p.m. Join Arboretum staff for this sweet night hike through the Deep Woods. We’ll explore the history of maple syrup production, and then stop at the Log Cabin to warm up next to a roaring fire with snacks and maple syrup tastings. 740-323-2355 or [www.dawesarb.org](http://www.dawesarb.org).

**FEB. 23 – Motown Sounds of Touch**, Majestic Theatre, 45 E. Second St., Chillicothe, 7:30–9 p.m. \$18–\$20. The Midwest’s number one “Motown sound” vocal group performs all your favorite Motown hits. [www.majesticchillicothe.net](http://www.majesticchillicothe.net).

## WEST VIRGINIA

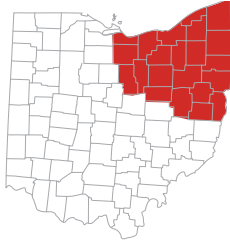


**THROUGH MAR. 31 – Honeymoon and Anniversary Packages**, North Bend State Park, 202 North Bend Park Rd., Cairo. \$80–\$120. 800-CALL-WVA or [www.northbendsp.com](http://www.northbendsp.com).

**FEB. 10 – Hodgesville Lions Club Spaghetti Dinner**, Warren District Community Ctr., 70 Hackers Creek Rd., Hodgesville, 12–5 p.m. Homemade spaghetti sauce! Brooms for sale. Please bring old eyeglasses for recycling. 304-472-3455.

**PLEASE NOTE: Ohio Cooperative Living** strives for accuracy but urges readers to confirm dates and times before traveling long distances to events. Submit listings AT LEAST 90 DAYS prior to the event to *Ohio Cooperative Living*, 6677 Busch Blvd., Columbus, OH 43229 or [events@ohioec.org](mailto:events@ohioec.org). *Ohio Cooperative Living* will not publish listings that don’t include a complete address or a number/website for more information.

## NORTHEAST



**FEB. 1-10 – The Great Big Home and Garden Show**, IX Center, 11-X Center Dr., Cleveland, Mon.-Fri. 11 a.m.-9 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. (till 6 p.m. on final day). \$10-\$15, C. (6-12) \$5, under 6 free. Explore more than 600 exhibits, engage with more than 1,000 experts, and tour featured homes and the garden showcase. 440-248-5729 or [www.greatbighomeandgarden.com](http://www.greatbighomeandgarden.com).

**FEB. 2 – Mid-Winter Stamp and Coin Show**, Mozelle Hall, Ashland Co. Fgds., 2042 Claremont Ave., Ashland, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Free admission and parking. [pastortom1323@gmail.com](mailto:pastortom1323@gmail.com).

**FEB. 3 – Model Railroad and Toy Show**, Medina Co. Fgds. Community Ctr., 735 Lafayette Rd. (St. Rte. 42), Medina. \$6. 330-948-4400 or [www.conraddowdell.com](http://www.conraddowdell.com).

**FEB. 8 – Adult Swim: Wine and Chocolate**, Greater Cleveland Aquarium, 2000 Sycamore St., Cleveland, 7-10 p.m. The perfect date night leading up to Valentine's Day! Sample a variety of wines that pair well with chocolate. Also enjoy full after-hours access to the Aquarium. <http://greaterclevelandaquarium.com/discover/events/adult-swim-tasting-series>.

**FEB. 10 – Mansfield Train Show**, hosted by Denny's Trains, Richland Co. Fgds., 750 N. Home Rd., Mansfield, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. \$5, under 12 free. Free parking. Over 150 tables of train-related items. Several operating layouts, operating G scale Thomas train, and kids' area with a small riding Thomas train. Contact Dennis Breeze at 419-606-7934.

**FEB. 15-16 – Great Backyard Bird Count**, The West Woods Nature Center, 9465 Kinsman Rd. (Rte. 87), Russell and Newbury Twps., Russell, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Become an official citizen scientist and participate in this worldwide bird count coordinated by the Cornell Lab of Ornithology and the National Audubon Society. Stop by the nature center to help compile a list of birds seen at the big windows. [www.geaugaparkdistrict.org](http://www.geaugaparkdistrict.org).

**FEB. 16 – Sweetheart Hike**, Mohican State Park, 3116 St. Rte. 3, Loudonville, 7-8 p.m. Bring your sweetheart for a romantic stroll through the Mohican forest. The Gazebo Trail leads through beautiful old-growth trees to the gazebo, which has a beautiful view of Pleasant Hill Lake. Enjoy a cozy fire at the lodge after the hike. 419-994-5125 or <http://parks.ohiodnr.gov/Mohican>.

**FEB. 18 – Presidents Day Celebration**, McKinley Museum, 800 McKinley Monument Dr. N., Canton, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Activities scheduled throughout the day. Gallery tours at 11 and 1 p.m., meet-

and-greet with President McKinley at 12 and 2 p.m. 330-455-7043 or <http://mckinleymuseum.org>.

**FEB. 22-23 – Lake Erie Folk Fest**, Shore Cultural Centre, 291 E. 222nd St., Euclid. Kids' school program (grades 2-6) and community dance on Friday. Free music workshops, community jams, dances, and performances on Saturday, followed by an evening concert. 216-289-8578, [lakeeriefolkfest@gmail.com](mailto:lakeeriefolkfest@gmail.com), or [www.lakeeriefolkfest.com](http://www.lakeeriefolkfest.com).

**FEB. 22-23 – Spring Arts and Crafts Show**, Fisher Auditorium, Shisler Conference Ctr., 1680 Madison Ave., Wooster, Fri. 5-9 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Free admission and parking. Sponsored by the Wayne County Arts and Crafts Guild. 120 vendors. Floral designs, bunnies, jewelry, wooden and fabric items, glass block and wine bottle lights, candies, stained glass, handwoven baskets and rugs, candles, soaps, and seasonal and garden décor will be among the handcrafted merchandise for sale. Lunch available on site. 330-682-2926.

**FEB. 22-MAR. 3 – Cleveland Auto Show**, IX Center, One I-X Dr., Cleveland. \$13, Srs./C. (7-12) \$11, under 7 free. Indoor test drives, vehicle giveaway, classic car competition, and other special features. See website for hours and schedule of events. [www.clevelandautoshow.com](http://www.clevelandautoshow.com).

**FEB. 23-24 – Brite Winter**, West Bank of the Flats, Cleveland, Sat. 3 p.m.-Sun. 1 a.m. Free and open to the public; VIP packages available. Enjoy diverse musical acts, artwork, and fun outdoor activities. [www.britewinter.com](http://www.britewinter.com).

## SOUTHEAST



**FEB. 9 – Contemporary Gun Makers and Allied Artists**, Campus Martius Museum, 601 Second St., Marietta, 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Features the work of several dozen traditional gunmakers from

around the Ohio Valley as well as several other craftsmen who work in the manner of the 18th and 19th centuries. Also featured will be horn makers, hunting bag makers, leather workers, tinsmithing, cabinet making, and other allied trades. 740-373-3750 or [www.campusmartiusmuseum.org](http://www.campusmartiusmuseum.org).

**FEB. 9 – Crystal Gayle**, Peoples Bank Theatre, 222 Putnam St., Marietta, 8 p.m. Starting at \$44. [www.peoplesbanktheatre.com](http://www.peoplesbanktheatre.com).

**FEB. 9 – Jammin' for Johnson**, Cambridge Eagles Club, 1930 E. Wheeling Ave., Cambridge, 8 p.m. \$10 per person, \$15 per couple. Annual fundraiser in memory of the late "Bunk" Johnson. 740-432-4550.

**FEB. 9 – Winter Hike**, Burr Oak State Park, 10220 Burr Oak Lodge Rd., Glouster, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Free. Join fellow outdoors enthusiasts for a great day of hiking! Hike lengths are 3, 5, and 8 miles. Enjoy free bean soup and corn bread after the hike at the lodge. 740-767-3570 or <http://parks.ohiodnr.gov/burroak>.

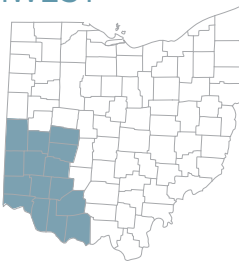
**FEB. 12 – Jim Brickman**, Vern Riffe Ctr., 940 Second St., Portsmouth, 7:30 p.m. \$15-\$45. 740-351-3600 or <https://vrca.com>.

**FEB. 15-17, 22-24 – Mamma Mia!**, Pritchard Laughlin Civic Ctr., 7033 Glenn Highway, Cambridge. \$8-\$10. ABBA's hits tell the hilarious story of a teen's search for her birth father on a Greek island paradise. Featuring local talent. 740-439-7009 or [www.pritchardlaughlin.com](http://www.pritchardlaughlin.com).

**FEB. 16-17 – Heritage Arms Gun Show**, Pritchard Laughlin Civic Ctr., 7033 Glenn Highway, Cambridge, Sat. 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 740-439-7009 or [www.pritchardlaughlin.com](http://www.pritchardlaughlin.com).

**FEB. 21 – Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner**, Pritchard Laughlin Civic Ctr., 7033 Glenn Highway, Cambridge. 740-439-6688 or <http://cambridgeohiochamber.com>.

## SOUTHWEST



**FEB. 6, 13, 20, 27 – Vernon McIntyre's Appalachian Grass**, Vinoklet Winery, 11069 Colerain Ave., Cincinnati, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Free admission. Enjoy dinner and an evening of lively bluegrass music. Reservations recommended. 513-385-9309 or [www.vinokletwines.com](http://www.vinokletwines.com).

**FEB. 8, MAR. 1 – Vernon McIntyre's Appalachian Grass**, Butler County Coon Hunters Club, 200 Warwick Rd., Hamilton, 7-9 p.m. Donations accepted. Enjoy an evening of lively bluegrass music with

lightning-fast instrumentals, close harmonies, and entertaining novelty songs. Good food available on site. 513-607-1874 or [www.fotmc.com/calendar](http://www.fotmc.com/calendar).

**FEB. 9-10 – Jungle Jim's Big Cheese Festival**, Oscar Event Ctr., Jungle Jim's International Market, 5440 Dixie Highway, Fairfield, 12-5 p.m. \$15 adults, \$2 kids; VIP tickets available. Sample amazing cheeses plus a variety of meats, olives, and other appetizers, as well as fabulous beers and wines. 513-674-6055 or [www.junglejims.com/bigcheesefest](http://www.junglejims.com/bigcheesefest).

**FEB. 16-24 – Disney's The Jungle Book KIDS**, Taft Theater, 317 E. 5th St., Cincinnati, 2 p.m. \$10-\$35. Specially adapted from the classic Disney animated film, this musical features a host of colorful characters and your favorite songs from the animated movie. 800-745-3000 or [www.thechildrenstheatre.com](http://www.thechildrenstheatre.com).

**FEB. 17 – Dayton's Premier Bridal Showcase**, Marriott at the University of Dayton, 1414 South Patterson Blvd., Dayton, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. \$8 at door, under 13 free. 949-830-2952 or <http://ohiobridalexpos.com>.

**FEB. 17 – Springfield Swap Meet and Car Show** (formerly VCAA Show), 4401 S. Charleston Pike, Springfield, 8 a.m.-3 p.m. \$5, free parking. 937-376-0111, [info@ohioswapmeet.com](mailto:info@ohioswapmeet.com), or <http://ohioswapmeet.com>.

**FEB. 18 – Monday Music Festival: McIntyre Bluegrass Trio**, Woodbourne Library, 6060 Far Hills Ave., Centerville, 6:30-8:30

p.m. Free. Enjoy an evening of lively banjo, fiddle, and guitar with Vernon and Kitty McIntyre and guest Robert Campbell. 937-435-3700.

**FEB. 23 – Guided Winter Hike at Fort Hill**, 13614 Fort Hill Rd., Hillsboro. Join botanists/naturalists Ann Geise and Marjie Becus on a free 5-mile guided hike, where you will observe the winter landscape and wildlife, identify trees and plants in their winter form, and look for early signs of spring. Space is limited and registration is required. <http://arcofappalachia.org/winter-hike>.

**FEB. 23-24 – Dayton Off-Road Expo**, Roberts Centre, 123 Gano Rd., Wilmington, Sat. 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. \$5, under 13 free. Vendors, jeeps, monster trucks, and more! Fun for the whole family. 877-428-4748 or [www.daytonoffroadexpo.com](http://www.daytonoffroadexpo.com).

**FEB. 23-24 – 20th Century Cincinnati**, Sharonville Convention Ctr., 11355 Chester Rd., Cincinnati, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Preview starts Saturday at 9 a.m. \$8 adult admission covers both days. Vintage art, furnishings, lighting, jewelry, and apparel from the art deco, midcentury modern, and op/pop eras. Over 70 vendors. 513-738-7256 or [www.20thcenturycincinnati.com](http://www.20thcenturycincinnati.com).

**MAR. 2 – Vernon McIntyre's Appalachian Grass**, Sterling Bluegrass Jamboree, 26 E. Main St., Mt. Sterling, 5:30 p.m., following house band at 5 p.m. Enjoy an evening of lively bluegrass music with lightning-fast instrumentals, close harmonies, and entertaining novelty songs. 614-323-6938, [sterlingbluegrassjamboree@gmail.com](mailto:sterlingbluegrassjamboree@gmail.com), or [www.sterlingbluegrassjamboree.com/upcoming-events](http://www.sterlingbluegrassjamboree.com/upcoming-events).