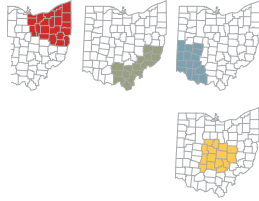


2019 APRIL/MAY CALENDAR

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NORTHWEST



THROUGH APR. 28 – “Expanded Views: Native American Art in Focus,” Toledo Museum of Art, 2445 Monroe St., Toledo. Both historical and contemporary Native American art is featured, including new acquisitions and a large-scale work by James Lavadour. 419-255-8000 or www.toledomuseum.org.

APR. 5, 12, 19, 26; MAY 3, 10 – First Fridays, downtown Sidney. Participating shops and restaurants stay open later, and many offer a First Friday discount. 937-658-6945 or www.sidneyalive.org.

APR. 7 – Toledo Doll, Bear, and Toy Show, Lucas Co. Fgds., Maumee Rec. Ctr., 2901 Key St., Maumee, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., early admission 8:30 a.m. Admission \$6; early bird, \$20. Free parking. Antique, vintage, artist, and modern dolls and bears, as well as accessories, antique toys, vintage holiday items, appraisals, and on-site doll stringing. 734-282-0152, sandy4085@hotmail.com or www.toledodollshow.com.

APR. 11 – Through the Drinking Glass Tasting and Pairing Event: Ohio Wines, 109 S. Ohio Ave., Sidney. Time to be determined. 937-658-6945 or www.sidneyalive.org.

APR. 12–13 – Home Sweet Home: A Vintage-Inspired Market, Allen Co. Fgds., 2750 Harding Hwy., Lima, Fri. 5–8 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.–4 p.m. \$5, under 12 free. Free swag bags to the first 50 guests. Vintage, rustic, primitive, shabby chic, antiques, repurposed, and upcycled items. Food trucks on site. 419-230-1756 or <http://homesweethomevintagemarket.com>.

APR. 12–14 – Southern Gospel Expo, Trinity Friends Church, 605 N. Franklin St., Van Wert, Fri. 5 p.m., Sat. 4 p.m., Sun. 6:30 (doors open at 4 p.m.). Free. Over 25 gospel groups from around the country. Food court available each night. 419-238-2788 or www.trinityvw.com.

APR. 12–14 – Zombie Prom: Atomic Edition, McDonald’s Youth Theatre, 991 N. Shore Dr., Lima, Fri./Sat. 7:30 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. A girl-loves-ghoul rock ‘n’ roll off-Broadway musical set in the 1950s. www.amitellers.org.

APR. 13 – Bucyrus Model Railroad Association Train Show and Swap Meet, Crawford Co. Fgds., 610 Whetstone St., Bucyrus, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$5, under 12 free. Club Room will be open with operating layouts for all to enjoy. Exhibit tables available for selling, trading, and swapping. 866-562-0720 or 419-462-5035.

APR. 13 – CMP Monthly Air Rifle and Air Pistol Match, 1000 Lawrence Dr., Port Clinton. Free admission and parking. Competitions feature a Junior Air Rifle 3x20 and 3x10; 60 Shots Air Rifle and Air Pistol match; and 20-shot Novice Prone match. Rental equipment is available for a small fee. 419-635-2141 (Brad Donoho), Isherman@thecmp.org, or www.thecmp.org.

APR. 20 – Hayes Easter Egg Roll, Spiegel Grove, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Library and Museums, Fremont, 2–3:30 p.m. Admission is three hard-boiled colored eggs. For kids age 3–10. Prizes, games, crafts, and visits with the Easter Bunny. 419-332-2081 or www.rbhayes.org.

APR. 20 – Easter Egg Hunt, Northwest Ohio Railroad Preservation Inc., 12505 Co. Rd. 99, Findlay. Adults, \$3; children 12 and under, \$2 (includes a train ride). Continuous egg hunt with multiple age divisions from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Quarter-scale train rides continue until 4 p.m. 419-423-2995, www.nworrp.org, or www.facebook.com/nworrp.

APR. 21 – Easter Egg Hunt on the Square, 109 S. Ohio Ave., Sidney. The hunt starts promptly at 11 a.m. Four groups: ages 1–2; 3–5; 6–8; and 9–11. 937-658-6945 or www.sidneyalive.org.

APR. 22, 24 – Hidden Spaces, Secret Places Tour, downtown Sidney. Tour starts at 109 S. Ohio Ave. Tickets available on website; space is limited. 937-658-6945 or www.sidneyalive.org.

APR. 27 – Chocolate and Wine Walk, 5495 Liberty Ave., Vermilion, 11 a.m.–5 p.m. \$20. Take a stroll through downtown Vermilion while sampling chocolate treats and/or wine as you visit the quaint shops. 440-967-4477 or <http://vermilionchamber.net>.

APR. 27–28 – The Fantastic Tiffin Flea Market, Seneca Co. Fgds., 100 Hopewell Ave., Tiffin, Sat. 9 a.m.–4 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Free admission and parking; handicap accessible. 250 to 400 dealers per show. 419-447-9613, tiffinfleamarket@gmail.com, or www.tiffinfleamarket.com.

APR. 27–28 – Ghost Town Spring Crafts and Antiques Festival, 10630 Co. Rd. 40, Findlay, Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. www.facebook.com/Ghost-Town-Findlay-Ohio-1525098627787387.

APR. 28 – Glass City Marathon, 2801 W. Bancroft St., Toledo. 26.2-mile marathon, 13.1-mile half marathon, 5K, and five-person relay. www.glasscitymarathon.org.

MAY 1–5 – Annual Quilt Show, Founder’s Hall at Sauder Village, 22611 St. Rte. 2, Archbold, Wed.–Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–4 p.m. Quilts on display from around the region, vendor market, exhibits, and workshops. Appraisals Thur. and Fri., and Sat. by appointment only. 800-590-9755 or <https://saudervillage.org>.

MAY 3–12 – Biggest Week in American Birding, Maumee Bay Lodge and Conference Ctr., 1750 State Park Rd., Oregon. Free. Enjoy the spectacular birding in northwest Ohio, the “Warbler Capital of the World.” Activities include guided walks through Magee Marsh, bird ID workshops, birding by canoe, and birder’s marketplace. 419-898-4070 or www.biggestweekinamericanbirding.com.

MAY 4 – Kentucky Derby Affair on the Square, 109 S. Ohio Ave., Sidney. Time to be determined. Get your hats and bow ties ready! Vote for your favorite jockey, and enjoy southern fare and bourbon mint juleps at the cash bar (21 and over). 937-658-6945 or www.sidneyalive.org.

MAY 4–5 – “Springtime in Ohio” Art and Craft Show, Hancock Co. Fgds., 1017 E. Sandusky St., Findlay, Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 11 a.m.–4 p.m. \$6 for unlimited entry both days; under 12 free. Repurposed goods and furniture, décor, jewelry, kids’ activities, and demos. 419-436-1457 or <http://cloudshows.biz/event-calendar>.

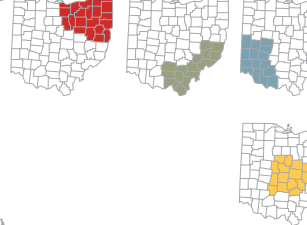
MAY 5 – Fort Recovery Museum Opening, 1 Fort Site St., Fort Recovery. 1 p.m. Free. Dedication of battlefield exhibits; virtual tour; unveiling of 1793 fort wall discovery/demarcation. Speaker at 3 p.m. 419-375-4384, www.fortrecoverymuseum.com, or find us on Facebook.

MAY 11 – Lilac Festival and Street Fair, downtown Defiance. Celebrate the official flower of Defiance with the community’s largest arts and crafts fair. Free lilacs to the first 500 attendees. 5K race, the Power of Purple parade, music, vendors, and kids’ activities. 419-782-0739 or <http://visitdefianceohio.com/annual-events>.

MAY 11 – Spring on the Farm, Sauder Village, 22611 St. Rte. 2, Archbold, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. Explore the farm with your children through great books and many fun hands-on activities. 800-590-9755 or <https://saudervillage.org>.

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WEST VIRGINIA



APR. 6 – Wheeling Jamboree Anniversary Show, Capitol Theatre, 1015 Main St., Wheeling, 7–10 p.m. \$20–\$65. This annual event celebrates the occasion when

the country music program left the radio studio to become the second-oldest country broadcast stage show in history. 304-243-4470 or www.capitoltheatrewheeling.com.

APR. 21 – Easter Day Buffet, North Bend State Park, 202 North Bend Park Rd., Cairo, 11 a.m.–3 p.m. \$23.95. Reservations recommended. Easter egg hunt at 2 p.m. 304-643-2931 or www.northbendsp.com.

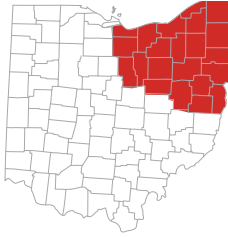
MAY 1–OCT. 27 – Blennerhassett Voyage Package, North Bend State Park, 202 North Bend Park Rd., Cairo. \$130, includes one night of lodging at North Bend, sternwheeler ride to and from Blennerhassett Island, wagon ride tour of the island, and tour of Blennerhassett Mansion. 304-643-2931, www.northbendsp.com, or www.blennerhassettislandsatatepark.com.

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NORTHEAST



THROUGH APR. 22 – I-X Indoor Amusement Park, IX Center, One I-X Dr., Cleveland. Annual spring event offers a full day of family fun at a budget-friendly price! Rides, games, food, and attractions, all under one roof. 216-265-2586 or www.ixamusementpark.com.

APR. 1–13 – Spring Quilt Show, Historic Fort Steuben Visitor Ctr., 120 S. 3rd St., Steubenville, Mon.–Fri. 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Sat. noon–4 p.m. 740-283-1787 or www.olderfortsteuben.com.

APR. 4–6 – Vernal Poolooza Science Conference, Ashland University Convocation Ctr., 638 Jefferson St., Ashland. www.ohwetlands.org/vernalpoolooza-2019.

APR. 13 – Canton Spring Avant-Garde Art and Craft Show, St. George Serbian Ctr., 4667 Applegrove St. NW, North Canton, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$3, under 12 free. 440-227-8794 or www.avantgardeshows.com.

APR. 14 – Black Violin: Classical Boom, Connor Palace, Playhouse Square, 1519 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, 7 p.m. \$10–\$45. 216-771-4444 or www.playhousesquare.org/events.

APR. 19–MAY 12 – Shrek the Musical, Geauga Lyric Theater Guild, 101 Water St., Chardon, Fri./Sat. 7:30 p.m., Sun. 2 p.m. \$10–\$18. Based on the Oscar-winning film. 440-286-2255 or www.geaugatheater.org.

APR. 21–MAY 12 – The Great Steubenville Eggsibition, various locations, Steubenville. Huge handpainted “eggs” offer a downtown scavenger hunt!

Stop by the Visitor Center at 120 S. 3rd St. to get a map. 740-283-1787 or www.visitsteubenville.com/events.

APR. 25–28 – Geauga County Maple Festival, Historic Chardon Square, Chardon. Arts and crafts, lumberjack competition, beard and mustache contest, bathtub races, pageants, and other events. Enjoy all-you-can-eat Pancakes in the Park every day, 8 a.m.–2 p.m.: adults \$8, under 6 free. 440-286-3007 or www.maplefestival.com.

APR. 26–27 – 55th Annual International Watch Fob Association Show and Sale, Lakeside Sand and Gravel, 3540 Frost Rd., Mantua, Fri. 9 a.m.–8 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m. Free admission. The world’s largest watch fob, construction memorabilia, and toy show. Free refreshments. 440-816-1882 or chuck@dhsdiecast.com, www.watchfob.com, or www.facebook.com/iwfai.

APR. 27 – Medina Spring Avant-Garde Art and Craft Show, Medina Community Rec. Ctr., 885 Weymouth Rd., Medina, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$3, under 12 free. Join us at our newest show launching this spring! Feature artists and crafters selling their original handmade items. www.avantgardeshows.com.

APR. 27 – 18th Annual Lakeside Sand and Gravel Open House and Antique Equipment Show, 3450 Frost Rd., Mantua, 9 a.m.–5 p.m. Antique construction and mining demos. Bus tours of the company’s sand and gravel operations. Lunch provided with donation. 330-274-2569 or www.lakesidesandgravel.com.

APR. 27–MAY 11 – Annual Spring Art Show and Sale, Eastern Gateway Community College, 4000 Sunset Blvd., Steubenville. Sponsored by Steubenville Art Association. 740-264-2959.

MAY 3–4 – Dandelion May Fest, Breitenbach Wine Cellars, 5934 Old Rte. 39 NW, Dover, Fri. noon–7 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.–7 p.m. Dandelion food and wine tastings, dandelion sangria, dandelion picking contest and jelly-making, entertainment, and vendor fair. 5K run. 330-343-3603 or www.breitenbachwine.com/events/dandelion-festival.

MAY 4–5 – Ohio Civil War Show and Artillery Show, Richland Co. Fgds., 750 N Home Rd., Mansfield, Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$7, under 12 free. Free parking. Military items, relics, and memorabilia to buy, sell, or trade. Cannon firing and WWI small arms demos, Civil War hospital scenario and encampments, and much more. www.ohiocivilwarshow.com.

MAY 4–5 – Model Train Days, Painesville Railroad Museum, 475 Railroad St., Painesville, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$5, C. (3–12) \$3, Family \$12. Operating layouts in N, HO, and S scale, and O and G gauge. Flea market on grounds. Food and drinks available. 440-417-6746 or www.painesvillerrailroadmuseum.org.

MAY 5 – Harrison Career Ctr. FFA Tractor, Truck, Engine, and Car Show, Harrison Co. Fgds., 550 Grant St., Cadiz, 11 a.m.–4 p.m., registration starting around 9:30 a.m. Donation for admission. 330-440-5578, HCCFFA@yahoo.com, or www.facebook.com/HCCFFA.

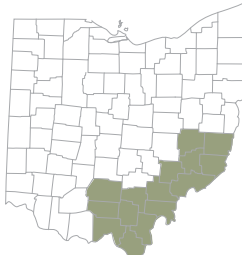
MAY 11 – Harrison Coal & Reclamation Historical Park Dinner/Auction, Wallace Lodge, Sally Buffalo Park, 100 College Way (43000 Industrial Park Rd.), Cadiz. \$18. Doors open at 5 p.m., dinner at 6 p.m., followed by speaker and auction. For reservations or to donate items: 740-391-4135, 740-942-3895, info@hcrhp.org, www.hcrhp.org, or www.facebook.com/HCRHP.

MAY 11 – German Maifest, Historic Zoar Village, 198 Main St., Zoar, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. Free. Traditional German food and drink, music, dancing, games, art projects, and a Maypole. Grand opening of the “Sense of Zoar” art exhibit at the Bimeler House. 800-262-6195 or www.historiczovillage.com/events.

MAY 11 – Avon Spring Avant-Garde Art and Craft Show, Emerald Event Ctr., 33040 Just Imagine Dr., Avon, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$3, under 12 free. www.avantgardeshows.com.

MAY 11 – Zoar Plant Sale, Zoar Garden, 168 W. 4th St., Zoar. 8 a.m.–4 p.m. Annuals, perennials, hanging baskets, vegetables, shade plants, and shrubs. www.historiczovillage.com/events.

SOUTHEAST



THROUGH DEC. – Athens Farmers Market, 1000 E. State St., Athens, Wed. 9 a.m.–1 p.m., Sat., 9 a.m.–noon. Farmers, orchardists, specialty food producers, bakers, horticulturalists, cheese makers, and more. 740-593-6763 or www.athensfarmersmarket.org.

APR. 12–14 – Annual Wildflower Pilgrimage, Highlands Nature Sanctuary, 7660 Cave Rd., Bainbridge. Join us for a weekend of guided hikes, delicious meals, and special talks from our guest speakers. Our 2019 theme is “Signature Animals of the Great Eastern Forest.” Space is limited and registration is required. 937-365-1935 or www.arcofappalachia.org/annual-wildflower-pilgrimage.

APR. 13 – 51st Wing 12 Daffodil Luncheon, Pritchard Laughlin Civic Ctr., 7033 Glenn Hwy., Cambridge. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Vendors, quilt

tickets, and raffle. Lunch at 12:30 with the Style Show to begin shortly afterward. 740-439-8151 or <http://seornc.org>.

APR. 13 – Patty Griffin, Stuart’s Opera House, 52 Public Square, Nelsonville, 8 p.m. \$43–\$58. 740-753-1924 or www.stuartsoperahouse.org.

APR. 14 – Ben-Hur, Athena Grand, 1008 E. State St., Athens, 6 p.m. \$12.50. 60th anniversary of this film classic. 740-593-8800 or www.athenagrand.com.

APR. 20 – Earth Gathering Festival, Pump House Ctr. for the Arts, 1 Enderlin Circle, Chillicothe, 11 a.m.–6 p.m. Free admission. Juried art festival with an Earth Day theme. Affordable handmade art and great music from local and regional artists. 740-772-5783 or <http://visitchillicotheohio.com>.

APR. 20 – Easter Egg Hunt, Deerassic Park Education Ctr., Cambridge, 11 a.m.–1 p.m. Free. Youth under 12 hunt eggs for tickets and prizes. 740-435-3335 or www.deerassic.com.

APR. 25–28 – Pike County Dogwood Festival, Main St., Picketon. Daily entertainment, food, contests, rides, parade, and more. www.pikecountydogwoodfestival.com.

APR. 27–28 – Lucasville Trade Days, Scioto Co. Fgds., 1193 Fairground Rd., Lucasville. \$3, under 13 free; early bird admission, \$4. Free parking on fairground lots. 937-728-6643 or www.lucasvilletradedays.com.

APR. 28 – Spring Hike, Adena Mansion and Gardens, 847 Adena Rd., Chillicothe, noon–4 p.m. Free. Guided woodland hike, limited to the first 30 who register the day of the hike. Two hikes, at noon, and 2 p.m. Children must be accompanied by an adult. <http://visitchillicotheohio.com/event/spring-hike-2>.

MAY 2–5 – Wild Turkey Festival, 100 E. Main St., McArthur, Thur. 5–11 p.m., Fri./Sat. 11 a.m.–11 p.m., Sun. noon–5 p.m. Carnival rides, games, car show, quilt show. Parade and crowning of the Wild Turkey Festival Queen at 6 p.m. Saturday. 740-591-1118, chrisgram59@gmail.com, or www.wildturkeyfestival.com.

MAY 3–5 – Spring Women’s Retreat, Highlands Nature Sanctuary, 7660 Cave Rd., Bainbridge. Enjoy the company of other like-minded women and get back to nature in the way that suits you best. Space is limited. Register at <http://arcofappalachia.org/womens-retreat/> or 937-365-1935.

MAY 3–SEPT. 27 – Rise and Shine Farmers Market, 2135 Southgate Pkwy., Cambridge, Fridays, 8 a.m.–noon. 740-680-1866.

MAY 4 – Spring Fest, Deerassic Park Education Ctr., Cambridge. 740-435-3335 or www.deerassic.com.

CENTRAL



THROUGH SEPT. 15 – “Blooms and Butterflies,” Franklin Park Conservatory, 1777 E. Broad St., Columbus, daily 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$12–\$19, under 3 free. Daily butterfly releases at 1 and 3 p.m. 614-715-8000 or www.fpconservatory.org.

THROUGH AUG. 3 – “Luminous: Encaustic Works by Barbara Vogel,” Zanesville Museum of Art, 620 Military Rd., Zanesville, Wed., Fri., Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Thur. 10 a.m.–7:30 p.m. \$4–\$6; under 10 and members free. www.zanesvilleart.org.

APR. 5–7, 12–14 – O’Donnell’s Pub, Zanesville Community Theatre, 940 Findley Ave., Zanesville, Fri./Sat. 8 p.m., Sun. 2:30 p.m. Comedy by Zanesville native Christopher Brooks. 740-455-6487 or www.zct.org.

APR. 6, 13, 20, 27 – Spring Farmers’ Market, Weasel Boy Brewing Company, 126 Muskingum Ave., Zanesville, 11 a.m.–2 p.m. www.zanesvillefarmersmarket.org.

APR. 7 – Ragtime Rick and the Chefs of Dixieland, Clintonville Woman’s Club, 3951 N. High St., 2–5 p.m. \$15–\$20. Sponsored by the Central Ohio Hot Jazz Society. 614-558-2212, www.cohjs.org, or Facebook.com/COHJS.

APR. 11–14 – Equine Affaire, Ohio Expo Ctr., 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus. \$8–\$15, under 6 free. Experience the nation’s premier equine exposition. 740-845-0085 or www.equineaffaire.com.

APR. 12–13 – Spring at the Round Barn, Fairfield Co. Fgds., 157 E. Fair Ave., Lancaster, Fri. 4–8 p.m. (early buying: \$10), Sat. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. (\$5, under 12 free). Free

parking. An upscale market bringing together more than 125 vendors. Farmhouse décor, clothing, candles, jewelry, crafts, live music, and food trucks. 614-296-1621 or find us on Facebook.

APR. 13 – Church Basement Ladies: Rise Up, O Men, Marion Palace Theatre, 276 W. Center St., Marion, 2 p.m. \$20–\$35. Hilarious new national touring musical is the latest addition to the Church Basement Ladies series. 740-383-2101 or www.marionpalace.org.

APR. 13 – Midwest Scholastic Rowing Sprints, Dillon Lake, 5265 Dillon Hills Dr., Nashport. www.midwestscholasticrowing.com.

APR. 13–14 – AG Days, presented by Hocking County Farm Bureau, Hocking Co. Fgds., 150 N. Homer Ave. Logan, Sat. 9 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.–4 p.m. Historic farming practices, antique tractors, threshing machines and corn sheller, steam-powered sawmill, and hit-and-miss engines. Bluegrass band, kids’ activities. 740-474-6284 or www.ofbf.org.

APR. 13, 27, MAY 11 – Nelson T. Gant Homestead Tours, 1845 W. Main St., Zanesville, 11 a.m.–1 p.m. or call for appointment. Officially recognized as an Underground Railroad site. 740-453-0988, 740-319-1157, or www.nelsontgantfoundation.org.

APR. 26–28 – Mohican Wildlife Weekend: Pick Your Path, various locations in Ashland and Richland counties. Free. A celebration of wildlife habitat, heritage, and natural history. Workshops and demonstrations. 800-642-8282 or www.mohicanwildlifeweekend.com.

APR. 26–28 – Vintage Market Days, Franklin Co. Fgds., 4951 Northwest Pkwy., Hilliard, Fri./Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$10 for early buyer, \$5 for Sat./Sun. only, under 13 free. An upscale vintage-inspired indoor/outdoor market featuring original art, antiques, clothing, jewelry, decor, outdoor furnishings, and more. www.vintagemarketdays.com.

APR. 27 – Earth Day Celebration, Coshocton County Career Ctr., 23640 Airport Rd., Coshocton, 12–4 p.m. Free. Exhibits and vendors including artisans, organic farmers, community groups, and Native American culture. Explore solar power and green enterprises. Live raptor demos, kids’ activities, entertainment, and food. 740-502-6546 or www.cecaware.org.

APR. 27 – Ohioana Book Festival, Columbus Metropolitan Main Library, 96 S. Grant, Columbus, 10:30 a.m.–5 p.m. Free. More than 100 Ohio authors gather with readers for a day of panel discussions, readings, a book fair, children’s activities, and more. 614-466-3831 or www.ohioana.org.

APR. 27 – Taste of Marysville, Marysville High School Field House, 800 Amrine Rd., Marysville, 5–9 p.m. \$10 buys 8 tasting tickets; you choose the vendors. 937-243-5833 or www.tasteofmarysville.com.

APR. 28 – Southeastern Ohio Symphony Orchestra Concert, Brown Chapel, College Dr., New Concord, 7 p.m. \$15. Season finale of favorites! 740-826-8197 or www.seoso.org.

APR. 28 – Zane Grey Day, National Road–Zane Grey Museum, 8850 E. Pike, Norwich, 1–4 p.m. An afternoon of fun outdoor activities. www.ohiohistory.org.

MAY 3 – Chocolate Hop, Columbus and Center Sts., Pickerington, 6–8 p.m. \$5, receive a map of locations around the Olde Village where you will receive a chocolate treat. www.pickeringtonvillage.com.

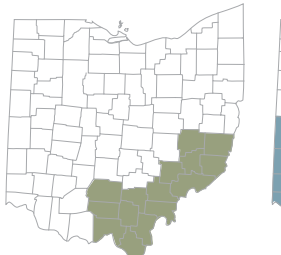
MAY 3 – The Everly Brothers Experience, Marion Palace Theatre, 276 W. Center St., Marion, 7:30 p.m. \$15–\$28. The Zmed Brothers simulate the sound of the legendary rock ‘n’ roll singing duo. 740-383-2101 or www.marionpalace.org.

MAY 4–5, 11–12, 18–19, 25–26 – Rock Mill Weekends, Stebelton Park at Rock Mill, 1429 Rockmill Place NW, Lancaster, Sat./Sun. 12–4 p.m. Free. Tour the restored 1824 gristmill. Grinding demos on May 26. 740-681-7249 or www.fairfieldcountyparks.org.

MAY 4, 11, 18, 25 – Spring Farmers’ Market, Muskingum Co. Fgds., 1300 Pershing Rd., Zanesville, 9 a.m.–12 p.m. www.zanesvillefarmersmarket.org.

MAY 11–12 – Midwest Scholastic Rowing Championships, Dillon Lake, 5265 Dillon Hills Dr., Nashport. www.midwestscholasticrowing.com.

SOUTHWEST



THROUGH JUNE 16 – Butterflies of Ecuador, Krohn Conservatory, 1501 Eden Park Dr, Cincinnati, 10 a.m.–5 p.m. \$7, Srs. \$6, C. (5–17) \$4, under 5 free. 513-421-5707 or www.cincinnatiiparks.com/krohn.

APR. 1–31 – Easter Egg Paperweight Blow, Neusole Glassworks, 11925 Kemper Springs Dr., Cincinnati, 10 a.m.–8 p.m. \$40 per 30-minute session. For ages 5 and older. Sculpt molten glass into egg-shaped paperweights! Pickup in 7 days. Reservations required. 513-751-3292 or neusoleglassworks@hotmail.com.

APR. 1 – Vernon McIntyre’s Appalachian Grass, Miami University Downtown Downhome, 221 High

St., Hamilton, 7–9 p.m. Free. Lively bluegrass music. vauhnhj@gmail.com.

APR. 5, MAY 3 – Vernon McIntyre’s Appalachian Grass, Butler County Coon Hunters Club, 200 Warwick Rd., Hamilton, 7–9 p.m. Donations requested. Enjoy an evening of lively bluegrass music. 513-410-3625.

APR. 12–13 – Midwest Ceramic Association Show, Butler Co. Exhibition Bldg., Butler Co. Fgds., 1715 Fairgrove Ave., Hamilton, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. Ohio’s original ceramic show. www.midwestceramics.org.

APR. 14 – Annual Farm Toy Show, Champaign Co. Fgds., 384 Park Ave., Urbana, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. \$2, under 12 free. Look, buy, sell, or trade. Over 120 tables, including parts dealer. 937-826-4201.

APR. 21 – Easter Egg Hunt, Young’s Dairy, 6880 Springfield-Xenia Rd., Yellow Springs, 2 p.m. Free. Open to children up to age 10. 937-325-0629 or www.youngsdairy.com/easter-egg-hunt/.

APR. 26–28 – Bellbrook Sugar Maple Festival, downtown Bellbrook. Live bands, beer garden, parade, children’s tent, 5K run, dog show, recycled sculpture contest, and more. www.sugarmaplefestival.com.

APR. 26–28 – Vintage Market Days, Greene Co. Fgds., 120 Fairground Rd., Xenia, Fri./Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–4 p.m. \$10 for early buyer, \$5 for Sat./Sun. only, under 13 free. An upscale vintage-inspired indoor/outdoor market featuring original art, antiques, clothing, jewelry, home décor, outdoor furnishings, and more. www.vintagemarketdays.com.

MAY 5 – Music at the Mound with Steve Free, Serpent Mound, 3850 OH-73, Peebles, 1 p.m. Free admission; \$8 parking fee. <http://arcofappalachia.org/steve-free>.

MAY 10 – Taste of the Arts, Main and Ash Sts., Piqua. An evening of fun, music, and food. Shop, enjoy live music, and sample food from various local restaurants and caterers. 937-773-9355 or www.mainstreetpiqua.com.

MAY 10–12 – Appalachian Festival, Coney Island Amusement Park, 6201 Kellogg Ave., Cincinnati, Fri. 9 a.m.–9 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.–9 p.m., Sun. 10 a.m.–6 p.m. \$10, Srs. \$5, C. (2–12) \$2, under 2 free. Crafts, food, Living History Village, old-time dance, storytelling, and music. www.appalachianfestivalcincinnati.org.