



# May 2023 NEWSLETTER

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## Chamber Chat

We want to congratulate  
all graduates on their  
achievements. We wish  
you the best of luck!

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Lafayette, TN 37083

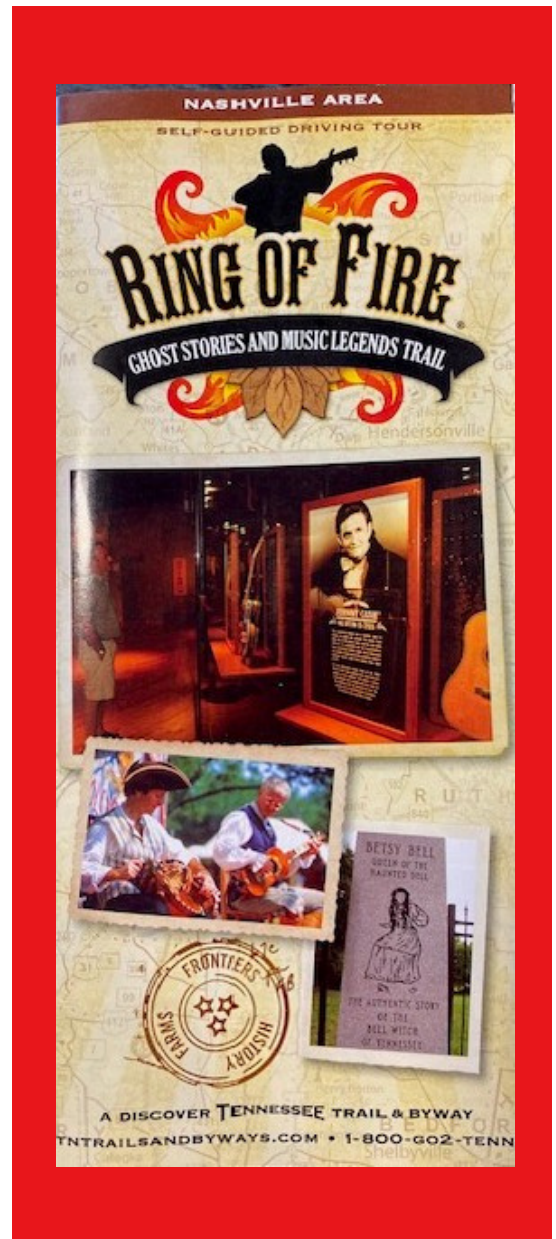
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## Tourism Spotlight



Stop by the Welcome Center  
to pick up a  
Walking Quilt Trail Pamphlet!



# May Events

May 4, 2023- Tri County Member Appreciation Day at the Lafayette office between 11:00am-1:00pm. For more information contact 1-800-369-2111 or [www.tcemc.org](http://www.tcemc.org).

May 5-6, 2023- Ghost Hunt Weekends at the Thomas House. For more information go to [www.GhostHuntWeekends.com](http://www.GhostHuntWeekends.com).

May 6, 2023- RBS Music Festival & Marketplace at Old Lake Park. Admission is \$5.00 and the event is from 10:00am-6:00pm. For more information contact the 37150 Community Center at (615)699-0152.

May 6, 2023 #The37150 GrowOn line dancing with Ms. Kaye. Register online at [The37150.org](http://The37150.org).

May 6, 2023- Movers, Shakers, and Music Makers at the MCHS Auditorium at 6:00pm. Email [kblackwood@maconcountyschools.org](mailto:kblackwood@maconcountyschools.org) or [ajwalworth@gmail.com](mailto:ajwalworth@gmail.com) or [bilbron@maconcountyschool.org](mailto:bilbron@maconcountyschool.org) for more information.

May 10, 2023- Hiring Event to be held at the MCHS Gym. Students only from 1:00pm-3:00pm and Open to the Public from 3:00pm-5:00pm. For more information contact [davism@maconcountyschools.org](mailto:davism@maconcountyschools.org).

May 11, 2023- Teacher Appreciation Day to be held at the Sally Wells Building at 1:00pm. For more information contact (615)666-5885.

May 13, 2023- Rotary Warrior Race at Winding Stairs Park. Registration starts at 6:00am with the first heat taking off at 8:00am. For more information email [rotarywarriorrace@gmail.com](mailto:rotarywarriorrace@gmail.com) or call (615)670-1260.

May 13, 2023- Community Shred Day at Macon Bank & Trust Company main office from 9:00am-12:00pm or until full. Limit two banker boxes per family.

May 19-20, 2023- Ghost Hunt Weekends at the Thomas House. For more information go to [www.GhostHuntWeekends.com](http://www.GhostHuntWeekends.com).

May 20, 2023- 37150 Monthly Meeting at the RBS Branch Library. For more information contact the 37150 Community Center at (615)699-0152.

May 26-27, 2023- Ghost Hunt Weekends at the Thomas House. For more information go to [www.GhostHuntWeekends.com](http://www.GhostHuntWeekends.com).

May 27, 2023- Rotary Night Gold Tournament at the Macon County Golf & Country Club. Registration begins at 4:00pm. For more information contact Doug Haehl at (615)633-8196.

June 3, 2023- The Terry Jackhammer Driver Truck & Tractor Pull at the Macon County Fairgrounds. Gates open at 3:00pm and admission 6 years and up \$15.00, 5 years and younger Free. Contact (615)666-2190 for more information.

June 3, 2023- Folk Medicine Festival at the city parks in RBS from 9:00am-4:00pm. There will be arts and craft vendors and demonstrations located throughout the parks. For more information contact Vision2020 at (615)388-3046.

June 9, 2023- Nashville Symphony Concert at Key Park. Show starts at 7:30pm and for more information visit the Macon County Arts Council website [www.maconcountyartscouncil.wordpress.com](http://www.maconcountyartscouncil.wordpress.com).

# Ribbon Cutting Events



Pour House Wine & Spirits  
4/10/22



Southern Structures  
4/15/23



Aveanna Healthcare  
4/20/23



## Welcome New Members

Gentiva Hospice- Home health care and hospice services.  
Caffe Joy LLC- Coffee vending service.

Express Wine & Spirits- Liquor store.

Link's Custom Cabinets- A custom cabinet company that designs, builds, and installs cabinets.



# THE HIGHWAY 52 Tennessee YARD SALE MAY 19 & 20, 2023



Starting along Highway 52 from I-65 Exit 117 to the Overton County Line going through Orinda, Portland, Westmoreland, Lafayette, Red Boiling Springs, & Celina Tennessee. For more information, call  
 Macon County Chamber of Commerce (615)666-5885  
 Portland Chamber of Commerce (615)325-9032  
 Westmoreland Chamber of Commerce (615)644-2147  
 Celina Chamber of Commerce (931)243-3338  
 Orinda City Hall (615)654-3366

## Teacher Appreciation Day Thursday, May 11, 2023

at the Sally Wells Building at 1:00pm

Welcome- Jennifer Hardman, Macon County Chamber of Commerce Director  
 Invocation- Bryan Nichols, Macon County Chamber Vice Chairperson  
 Thank You Sponsors (attached list)- Brandon Clark, Macon County Chamber Chairperson  
 Speech- Sharon Carter, Director of Schools  
 Teacher of the Year  
 Retiring Teachers  
 Gift Giveaway- James Harrison, Macon County Chamber Special Event Chair  
 Closing Remarks- Brandon Clark, Macon County Chamber Chairperson



Please join us for a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for Gentiva Hospice at the Welcome Center on May 5, 2023 at 12:00pm.



We are celebrating the re-branding of the company formerly known as Avalon Hospice now as Gentiva Hospice. Same great care and same great team! Representatives will be at the Welcome Center from 10:00am-12:00pm to answer all your questions!

## LAFAYETTE FIRE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

### The Terry Jackhammer Driver



## Annual Scholarship Fund Truck & Tractor Pull



Saturday, June 3, 2023, 7:00 p.m.



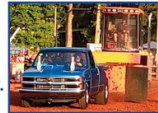
### MACON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

GATES OPEN AT 3:00 P.M.

Admission: 6 Years & Up \$15.00  
5 Years & Under FREE

CONCESSIONS AVAILABLE!

Contact: Michael Evetts  
615-561-0404  
OR  
Lafayette Fire Dept.  
615-666-2190



**SAVE THE DATE**

The Lafayette Rotary Club  
ANNUAL ROTARY GOLF TOURNAMENT  
Macon Co. Golf & Country Club

Saturday May 27, 2023

4:00 PM Registration  
Team Fee \$160

Saturday, May 27 @ 5:00PM  
(Registration Begins @ 4:00PM)

- Start First 9 Holes
- Dinner & Team Flighted After First 9 Holes
- Finish Last 9 Holes
- Awards/Prizes After Tournament

Dinner provided by Subway

\$100 awarded to "Closest to Pin" on holes 5 & 7

Glow Golf Balls available for purchase

Funds raised will benefit the MCHS & MCHJ Golf Teams along with the Macon Co. Golf & Country Club.

For more information on sponsorship and team registration, please see the reverse side of this flyer. You may also contact Doug Harb at 615.633.8106.

JOIN US!



# WE ARE HIRING

### HIRING EVENT

Employers will be there ready to hire YOU for full-time, part-time or seasonal work. Come dressed to impress with 2 forms of id, and social security number.

Wednesday

5/10/23

Students Only 1:00p - 3:00p  
Open to Public 3:00p-5:00p

Macon County High School Gym

Brought to you in partnership by



For more information contact [davism@maconcountyschools.org](mailto:davism@maconcountyschools.org)

**ROTARY WARRIOR RACE**  
5k-Trail Run-Carrom Obstacle Event  
May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at Winding Stairs Park in Lafayette, TN

Follow the QR code below for more information and registration!

## RED BOILING SPRINGS MUSIC FESTIVAL AND MARKETPLACE

Saturday May 6, 2023

Admission \$5 a person  
6 & under free

10-4pm

[www.the37150.org](http://www.the37150.org)

### Music - Food - Vendors



#### Stage Schedule



11 am - Santa Fe Rose

12 pm - Shattered Silence

1pm - Tennessee Turnarounds

2pm - Lain Thomlinson

3pm - Lookout Creek Band



Old Lake Road Park  
Red Boiling Springs, TN



Life is like a  
YARD SALE



You never know what you are going to get

June 3, 2023

Visit #The37150 at the Folk Medicine Festival

We will be serving up some delicious lemonade in the "Village"

\*across the creek from RBS Church of Christ



#RedBoilingSprings #RBS TN

FREE LINE DANCING CLASS @ THE RED BOILING SPRINGS MUSIC FESTIVAL  
May 6, 2023 10:00 AM



Please register for the class using the link in the post. Thank you!

#The37150 #LetsGrow37150 #The37150GrowOn

## COMMUNITY SHRED DAY

SATURDAY, MAY 13TH | MAIN OFFICE  
609 Red Boiling Springs Road  
9AM - NOON or UNTIL FULL COME EARLY!

Macon Bank & Trust and MaxShred are teaming up for a Community Shred Day. Step by and make sure your personal documents are properly destroyed. It's just one more way we're investing in our community!

This service is provided free of charge by Macon Bank & Trust.

\*Limit two banker boxes per family.



## YARD SALE

May 18, 19, & 20

8:00 am to 2:00 pm

252 Main Street, RBS  
(Inside and Out)

Benefits the works of Vision 2020 Inc  
Donations accepted after May 1<sup>st</sup>.

615.600.1010