

NEWSLETTER

April 2024

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Hamburger Day

Lincoln County *Smoked up* downtown Nashville on March 27th for the 36 annual Hamburger Day on the Hill. Lincoln County Livestock Association grilled burgers on the streets of Nashville on what is one of the most anticipated events by folks working in the State Capitol, Cordell Hull Building and other Government related offices nearby. The Chamber is always pleased to organize the event and we appreciate our partners; Lincoln County Government and the Fayetteville City Government along with the Lincoln Co Livestock Association. Others who helped make the day possible were Frito-Lay, Sun Drop Bottling, Gerald's Foodland, and Shoney's Catering. Leadership Lincoln sponsored the charter bus this year to help transport Lincoln Countians to the event.

Promotional support was provided by the Elk Valley Times, Fayetteville Public Utilities, WYTM and 98.5 The Elk.

There was good representation from local students, who helped serve: LCHS & FHS FFA, 4-H, Interact Club, Youth Leadership and Chamber Student Advisory Board. Also attending were members of the 2024 Leadership Lincoln Class, local elected officials and residents.

Last but not least, a huge thank you to Speaker Pro Tempore Pat Marsh, State Senator Janice Bowling, State Representative Clay Doggett and their wonderful staff for their help with planning and promoting the day.



We genuinely appreciate those who continue their support and investment in the Fay-LC Chamber of Commerce. An investment in the Chamber is an investment in Our community!

Thank you to those who renewed their membership investment in March

- NHC Home Care**Franke Food Service**Edward Jones-John Karby**Elk River Media 98.5**
 Pendergrass Event Rentals**Fayetteville Housing Authority**1st United Methodist Church**Images**
 Hoffman Land Surveying**Lincoln Co Museum**Lincoln Farmers Co-Op**Promotional Concepts**
 Sons of Confederate Veterans**Spirits of TN**East Haven Apartments**Fayetteville Lumber & Supply**
 FLC Industrial Board**McBurg Community Center**Landers McLarty Toyota**Richardson Waste Solutions**

Welcome New Members

West End CPCA Church
 Rev Dezi Ro. Fletcher, Sr
 510 Kiwanis Ave
 Fayetteville, TN 37334
 256-783-9876

Direct Coil USA, Inc.
 Tony Fletcher, Plant Mgr
 810 Wilson Pkwy Ste A
 Fayetteville, TN 37334
 931-433-3652

Lanturn Properties
 Roy Turner & Warren Landers, Owners
 600 6th Ave
 Fayetteville, TN 37334
 931-703-7173

PRESENTED BY

 CALL THE CHAMBER TO SIGN-UP!
 (931) 433-1234

BREAKFAST BUZZ

SPONSORED BY

THURSDAY, APRIL 18
 BREAKFAST 7:45 | BUZZ 8-9AM

LOCATION:
 HIGGINS FUNERAL HOME
 213 MARKET ST EAST
 FAYETTEVILLE, TN 37334

FREE & OPEN TO ALL BUSINESSES & ORGANIZATIONS

MAKE NEW CONTACTS AND GROW YOUR BUSINESS WITH STRUCTURED NETWORKING

THIS IS THE PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE YOUR BUSINESS TO OTHERS AND MAKE THEM AWARE OF WHAT SETS YOU APART FROM THE REST. INTRODUCE YOURSELF, BUSINESS NAME, YOUR POSITION, BUSINESS LOCATION, SERVICES YOUR BUSINESS PROVIDES. BRING BUSINESS CARDS TO SHARE.

Elk Valley Crafter

Come join us for our Spring Show
 April 20, 2024
 From 9am to 5pm
 Saturday

Our show will be in conjunction this year with **Voodoo Customs Car Show**
 Not only can you find lots of great crafts you can enjoy visiting with the people who made them
 You can enjoy a great car show with all kinds of unique Cars, Trucks and meet the people who love them


We will have food trucks, The FFA From Lincoln County High School will have plants to help you get started in your gardening needs

This will be a great show for all to attend

Application can be found at:
 ElkValleyCrafters.com
 Thank You
 Hope to see all of you there

Petersburg Food Truck and Farmers Market Mondays

Every Monday
 Located at Morgan Park
 Starting at 3:00pm



FLINTVILLE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

Music Festival & Fish Fry
 Saturday, April 13

inside the Flintville Fire Department/Community Center

Fish Fry begins at 11:00 am
 \$15 per plate - ALL YOU CAN EAT
 All proceeds benefit the Flintville Volunteer Fire Department

- No advance ticket needed -
 Enjoy LIVE music all day!



Save the Date
 for
Tablescapes
 May 9th, 2024



LINCOLN COUNTY MUSEUM CIVIC CENTER
 FAYETTEVILLE MAIN STREET

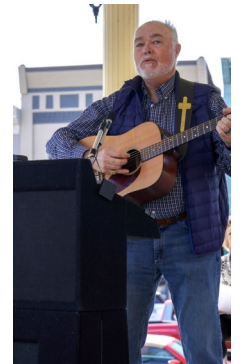
Tribute to Willa McCord Blake Eslick



Great, great niece, Amy Eslick Sexton shares the influential life of Willa McCord Blake Eslick born in Lincoln Co in 1878 and served as the first woman to represent TN in Congress



Local Relatives of Willa Eslick
Jack Eslick , Amy Eslick Sexton & Randy Delap



APRIL 20TH

Slawburger WHERE YOU BELONG FESTIVAL

www.slawburgerfestival.com

FAYETTEVILLE, TN

Kiwans Club
57th Annual Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, April 20th, 2024
FARMERS MARKET
Serving 6:30 A.M. - 9:30 A.M.
\$8.00 Donation - Rain or Shine

Drive-Thru or Dine In Proudly serving GOOLSBY'S



Fayetteville First Saturday
April 6, 2024 9:00 am

The 10th Annual **SLAWBURGER CHASE 5K/10K**

ALWAYS ENDURE

Join Us On
Saturday, April 20, 2024
Fayetteville, TN

All participants will receive a FREE Ken's Famous Slawburger at the finish line!

Proceeds from this event will support the mission of Always Endure. For the glory of God, Always Endure exists to remove financial barriers for adoptive families, barriers to care for patients enduring major medical diagnoses, and barriers to placement for children in foster care.

Register Today!



Calendar of Events

APRIL 2024

- 6 Night of Hope Ball—Benefits Relay for Life @ Sacred Stone Info: Emily Hunter 931-993-9331
- 6 Fayetteville First Saturday Downtown Square 9-4
- 13 Ceremony “Confederate History Month” LC Courthouse Bandstand 11am—2pm Info: 615-812-0206
- 18 Breakfast Buzz @ Higgins Funeral Home Sponsored by Heritage South Community Credit Union 8-9 am
- 20 Slawburger Festival Downtown Fayetteville
- 20 Always Endure 5K/10K 8:00 am
- 20 Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast Drive-Thru @ Farmers Market
- 20 McBurg Comm Center Wine Tasting Event 5:00 & 7:30
- 27 “Our Town Fair” Petersburg Morgan Cultural Center Information: 931-675-7111

MAY 2024

- 4 Fayetteville First Saturday Downtown Square 9-4
- 3-5 Lincoln Co Fair Spring Event Truck & Tractor Pull Afternoon Harness Races 4 & 5
- 9 Annual Junior’s House Blue Ribbon Walk 9:30

Lincoln County High School Mock Interviews

Seniors taking Personal Finance or Economics participated in the Mock Interviews for both the fall and spring semesters. Prior to the interview day, students prepare a resume and review possible interview questions. During the event interviewers review the students’ written material while facilitating a 10 minute job interview. After the interview, students received feedback on their resume, their responses to the interview questions, and their soft skills demonstrated during the interview. The feedback portion is valuable because students learn what they are doing well and what they need to work on so they will be better prepared when they face interviews on their own. This process has resulted in job offerings immediately for some students and also future connections for later on. Our students are reluctant about the process to begin with but quickly see the value in the experiences they gained.

Keela Wright
WBL Coordinator

“Thank you to all who helped conduct interviews.”



Confederate History Month Commemoration!

Saturday, April 13th 2024, 11:00 AM until 2:00 PM



To be held on the historic square downtown
Fayetteville, Tennessee

Hosted by: John R. Massey Camp No. 152
Sons of Confederate Veterans



Our program will be:

- 11—11:30 Information on local Civil War history and help finding a Confederate ancestor
- 11:30—12:00 PM Southern songs by Tater and Joe
- 12:00—12:30 PM Tennessee State Senator Janice Bowling
- 12:30—1:00 PM Author and Historian Dr. Michael Bradley
- 1:00 PM—1:30 PM Period music by Mike Dunn
- 1:30—2:00 PM Wreath laying at the Lincoln County Confederate Monument: The Tennessee OCR Black Rose Society and Confederate reenactors.

Everyone is welcome to attend!

For more information call 615-812-0206 email: the Dixie Observer@gmail.com

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

We are adding 2 more performances
Saturday, April 27 at 2:00 & 7:00 pm



Carriage House Players
SHOW DATES

Added performances on
Saturday, April 27
at 2:00 & 7:00 pm

All other performances
are sold out!

Call 931-433-1300
to reserve your seats