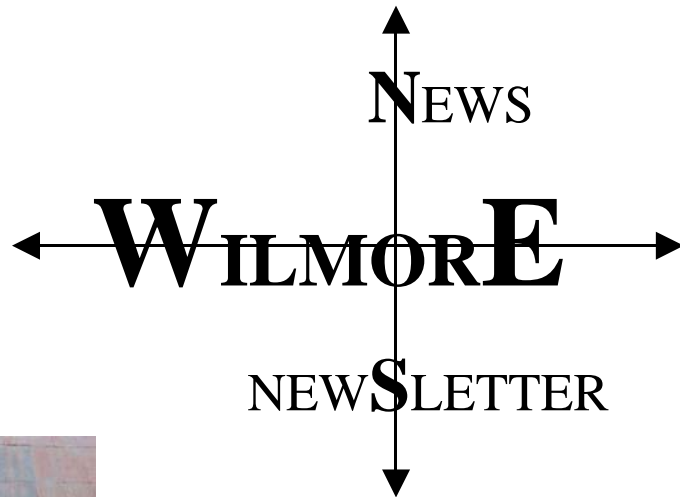


*March, 2010*



### Jessamine County Heritage Quilt Trail

Since May of 2008 the Jessamine County Heritage Quilt Trail has been busy with the presentation of painted quilt squares. The 8 ft X 8 ft painted quilt squares are part of a national grass roots program highlighting regional history including the artistry of quilt making and the architectural uniqueness of area barns.

Jessamine County started out with 14 painted that were originally hung by Bluegrass Energy. The program is ongoing and new quilts will be added each year, filling the county.

The Jessamine County program joins a statewide trail from Ashland to Paducah. Quilt squares can be seen hanging on barns, buildings and freestanding in Bath, Boyd, Breckenridge, Carter, Clay, Elliott, Floyd, Gallatin, Greenup, Hardin, Jessamine, Johnson, Knox, Larue, Lawrence, Lewis, Madison, Magoffin, Marion, Martin, Meade, Menifee, Montgomery, Perry, Rockcastle, Rowan, and Scott Counties.

Pictured: at the left a quilt design on a barn in Keene, KY. Above, the quilt is displayed on the barn of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashebrook at Sycamore Hill where the Carman family resides on Rt. 29 in Wilmore.

The National Quilt Barn Trail began in 2001 by Donna Sue Groves in Adams County, Ohio and rapidly spread across Ohio to Iowa, Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, Maryland, Nebraska, New York, Wisconsin, Indiana, Illinois, Texas, Pennsylvania and beyond. It is estimated that over 1500 colorful quilt squares now adorn barns, other farm buildings, floodwalls and significant community structures across the United States. All projects are similar but each community's values, vision, heritage and cultural assets shape them. Each project captures the spirit of place using 'art' for community celebration and economic development.

# 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual County-Wide Cleanup

## March 20 – March 27, 2010

Beginning Saturday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, the City of Wilmore and the Jessamine County Fiscal Court will be offering free debris disposal to residents of Jessamine County. Asbury University has, again, graciously consented to allow us to place dumpsters on their property on Witts Lane (off Hwy 1268 beyond Kinlaw Dr.). The dumpsters will only be accessible between the hours of 7:30 AM and 7:00 PM.

THE LOT WILL BE CLOSED ON SUNDAY, MARCH 21<sup>st</sup>.

The following list of items will **not** be accepted at the Witts Lane site:

- |             |             |                     |
|-------------|-------------|---------------------|
| * Tires     | * Limbs     | * Brush             |
| * Shingles  | * Drywall   | * Commercial debris |
| * Wet paint | * Chemicals | * Vehicle batteries |

The Jessamine County Convenience Center at 123 Hendren Way in Nicholasville will accept shingles, drywall, and commercial debris from Jessamine County residents at their normal rate.

Wet paint can be mixed with sand or cat litter until it is "de-liquefied" and then it will be accepted; the lids must be removed from all paint cans prior to disposal.

*For Wilmore residents, limbs and brush can be placed at your curb and we will collect those materials separately. No branches greater than 4" thick or longer than 8' can be collected.*

The Jessamine County Road Department will accept tires behind the City/County Park in Nicholasville for a small fee.

Please note that no scavenging will be allowed at the disposal site. We also request that all participants abide by the directions given by our signs and our staff so the collection will be efficient, and so you will be safe!

On behalf of the City of Wilmore and the Jessamine County Fiscal Court, we invite you to "Go Nuts" with your spring-cleaning and have some free dumping "on us"; another tremendous service provided by your friendly local governments!

## Jessamine County, Kentucky "Everyone Counts in the 2010 Census"

Beginning in March, residents of Jessamine County will have an opportunity to get their part of \$400 billion in federal funding just by filling out a U.S. Census form.

Every ten years, the U.S. Census begins the painstaking task of compiling the nation's population; thousands of census takers are trained to go door to door in neighborhoods across the country, and an advertising campaign designed to create public awareness is launched.

Although the U.S. Census might seem to be a daunting task from the government's perspective, the actual polling process is designed to be as simple as possible for the average citizen. In fact, this spring, residents can expect to find the shortest Census questionnaire in history in their mailbox. By filling out the short 10 - question form and mailing it back in the postage - paid envelope, citizens can fulfill their civic duty and help their community reap the rewards.

According to Jessamine County Judge/Executive Wm. Neal Cassity, participating in the 2010 Census is more important than ever before. "At a time when the fiscal dollar has been stretched so thin, it's critical for community members to do their part by completing and returning their Census forms." Representation of state government, funding for schools, senior citizen centers, emergency services, and community infrastructure all depend on Census results. "Federal funding is contingent upon our county's total population, so it's imperative that we get an accurate count of residents; we need everyone's participation to make that possible" Cassity said.

The U.S. Census Bureau has created a national committee to help stress the importance of the 2010 Census. On a local level, a Complete Count Committee of Jessamine County, with community and government leaders, has been formed. Cassity believes the Complete Count Committee will help energize the community while spreading the word on the necessity of a precise census.

"It's great to see everyone working together as a team on such a monumental issue because our efforts today will impact the future of the community tomorrow," he said.

Visit [www.jessamineco.com](http://www.jessamineco.com) to learn more about the importance of the 2010 Census.

By Mollie McClure

***Editor's note: Please note to mail back your Census forms. Most 2010 Census questionnaires are delivered from March 15-17, 2010. Mail back after the forms are delivered until the closing of the mail campaign at the end of April. This is a reminder of the importance of mailing back the census forms!***

### **Wilmore's Annual Easter Egg Hunt**

will be held on Saturday, April 3rd at 1:00pm. The location is Wilmore's Centennial Park, located behind the Ichthus Grounds. (Please enter the park via Kinlaw Drive off Highway 1268.) There will be a special appearance by the Easter Bunny, along with special prizes for winners during the egg hunt. Games and activities will also be taking place from 12:30pm – 2:00pm, thanks to Wilmore United Methodist Church Children's Ministry. This FREE event is co-sponsored by the Community Service Center of Wilmore/High Bridge & Wilmore Parks & Recreation. For more information, please call the Parks & Recreation office at 858-9031 or [Wilmoreparks@gmail.com](mailto:Wilmoreparks@gmail.com). Amy Fitch, Director Wilmore Parks & Recreation

# WORLD EQUESTRIAN GAMES

## **History of the Games Before the World Equestrian Games**

The concept of a World Equestrian Games, at which all the FEI disciplines would decide their World Championships at one time and place, was first proposed to the FEI in 1983. Until that time, the World Championships for each discipline was then accorded the privilege of hosting the next World Championship in that discipline four years later.

Featuring the most talented equestrian athletes in the world, this event will feature new world champions in eight equestrian disciplines: Dressage, Driving, Endurance, Eventing, Jumping, Para Dressage, Reining, and Vaulting. This will be the first time in history that the World Equestrian Games will be held in the United States.

For example, the Kentucky Horse Park was selected by the United States Federation to host the Eventing World Championship in 1978 after Bruce Davidson won the 1974 title at Burghley and thus earned for the USA, the right to host the Eventing championship.

## **Previous Host Countries**

The very first World Equestrian Games were held in Stockholm in 1990. Six disciplines were involved--Jumping, Dressage, Eventing, Driving, Endurance and Vaulting. In 1994 the city of The Hague in the Netherlands hosted the Games. After a late cancellation of the Games that were to be held Dublin, Ireland, Rome stepped forward to host the 1998 Games on one year's notice. All disciplines

except for the Endurance were held and beautifully executed considering the very short preparation time. The Endurance was held in Dubai that year. The next Games were held in Jerez de Frontera, Spain in 2002 and included all six disciplines and Reining for the first time. Following that the Games went to Aachen 2006, again with seven disciplines, and were a fabulous success.

In 2010 the games leave Europe for the first time and come to the United States to the Kentucky Horse Park where, for the first time, Para Dressage, the newest FEI Discipline will be competed together with the other seven.

## **When and Where will the Games be held?**

The Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games will be held September 25-October 10, 2010, at the Kentucky Horse Park. Located just off interstate highway I-75, the Kentucky Horse Park is situated just north of Lexington, Kentucky. Please visit the Visitors page on the Web site to plan your trip! [www.alltechfeigames](http://www.alltechfeigames)

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

*Does the World Games 2010 Foundation receive state funding?*

No, the 2010 Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games will be staged without state funding. The budget will be covered through sponsorships, ticket sales, trade show revenue, merchandise, and other revenues generated during the Games.

Permanent facility construction projects at the Kentucky Horse Park receive state funding, as the Park is a state-owned facility. Because

the Commonwealth of Kentucky sees the long-term marketing value and economic development opportunities in the future from having such world-class facilities at the Kentucky Horse Park, construction projects have been accelerated to take advantage of hosting the Games.

These projects were already in the long-term vision for the Park. The state funds are a long-term investment in the Kentucky Horse Park and will favorably impact future economic development and tourism to the state.

*How do I follow the Games?*

The best way to follow the latest developments in preparation for the 2010 Games is by visiting the Web site and registering to receive the 2010 Games newsletter, as well as any other public information as it is released, which will include ticketing and spectator guides when details become available.

*How far ahead will people be arriving in the United States, and Lexington, for the Games?*

Some teams may bring their horses to Kentucky and practice a few weeks before the Games. However, most will arrive with their horses for the specified quarantine time before the Games.

*What else is there to do at the Kentucky Horse Park?*

During the 2010 Games, the Horse Park will have pavilions, exhibitions, demonstrations and trade show areas, all accessible with a General Admissions ticket to the park. The park's general exhibits, including the International Museum of the Horse, will also be open for spectators during

the Games. The International Museum of the Horse will require separate tickets, which can be purchased at the entrance to the museum. The International Museum of the Horse will showcase "A Gift from the Desert" during the Games, which will be the largest ever Arabian exhibit of its kind.

*What is the estimated attendance and economic impact of the Games?*

The estimated economic impact to the state is \$150 million. This impact is based on visitor spending while traveling and staying in Kentucky for the Games as well as job created around the Games. Organizers anticipate 600,000 tickets will be sold to the 16-day event.

### **Ticketing Information**

Tickets are on sale now! Ticket sales will be facilitated by Ticketmaster, and sold through <http://www.ticketmaster.com>. Tickets are also available for purchase at all Ticketmaster outlets or by phone at the Ticketmaster hotline 1-800-745-3000.

Tickets for reserved seating will be available to each session of competition of the eight world championships of equestrian sport. Prices range from \$25 to \$150, providing a range of options for every spectator. All spectators, including infants and children, must have a ticket to enter the Kentucky Horse Park during the 2010 Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games. Once the Games begin, on September 25th, spectators will be able to buy tickets at the front gate of the Games as well as other methods listed.

## **Wilmore Senior Community Center Events in March**

In addition to dining and library services, plus classes in exercise, Wii bowling, arts & crafts, creative writing, water color painting and more, area seniors are invited to the following special events...

**Fridays, March 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 pm**

### **History Hour: "The Civil War"**

The PBS award winning video series by Ken Burns, continues from "Early Causes" to "The Better Angels of Our Nature." (each part approx. 90 minutes).

**Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 pm**

### **The Wesley Village Book Club**

This month's feature book: "When They Hanged the Fiddler" by Village resident Jess Wilson: a collection of short stories from the mountains of Eastern Kentucky with an introduction by Dr. Thomas D. Clark.

**Tuesday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 3:30 pm**

### **Community Vespers**

Message by long-time Good News Magazine editor, Dr. Jim Heidinger.  
Special music by Rose Evans, music associate at Wilmore Free Methodist.

**Wednesday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 pm**

### **Classical Guitar Concert**

Pastor and accomplished musician, Jonathan Crissman, performs a program of classical favorites plus an Irish jig or two for St. Patty's Day!

**Saturday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 pm**

### **The Firebird Chamber Ensemble**

Under the direction of Asbury College flute professor, Kristy Kirsh, this local group of talented volunteer musicians are sure to delight.

**Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 pm**

### **Dr. Donald Zent Recital**

Asbury College Professor of Piano, Dr. Donald Zent, performs highlights from his spring faculty recital.

**Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm**

### **Cabaret Night: "Hey Look Us Over!"**

The Lexington Singers bring their hottest show in town to our Wilmore stage in celebration of their 51<sup>st</sup> season. Musical arrangements by Jay Flippin.

Refreshments served; please call 858-3865, ext. 238, for reservations

**Sunday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 pm**

### **The Unity Youth Choir with Organ Prelude**

The youth of Centenary United Methodist and Immanuel Baptist blend their voices in worship and praise. Prelude by noted Lexington organist, Rob Vanover.

***For more details on all the life-enriching activities of the Wilmore Senior Community Center, please call Alan at Wesley Village, 858-3865 ext. 238.***

***Most events unless otherwise noted are free and open to the public.***

**Wilmore Elementary School  
is hosting its annual  
Spring Fling  
Saturday, March 13  
11:00 am – 3:00 pm.**

Things to look forward to are: a double inflatable slide and a jousting inflatable. There will be fun kids games and concessions with hot dogs and nachos to name a few. There is also a silent auction which is one of the best deals in Wilmore! Several auction items include: videos, gift certificates, hot air balloon rides (minimum bids required), a kitchen table and chairs and much more!!! WES wants to invite the community to join them in raising money to buy a SMART Board. The cost is a little over \$3,500 Last year they were able to buy 2 for the school. The goal is to have one in every classroom. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact: Gail Carroll, Wilmore PTO at 858-3134 w/ questions.

**Wilmore Christian Ballet**

104 S. Lexington Ave., #2  
Downtown Wilmore

[www.wilmorechristianballet.com](http://www.wilmorechristianballet.com)

**“First Fridays”**

FREE Creative Worship  
March 5th, 7:00-9:00 pm

FIRST-FRUITS OFFERING: Please donate items that need no refrigeration and are easy for 3 to 7 year-olds to open by themselves. These packaged foods will be collected to fill backpacks for needy local school children.

**Paradosi Christian Ballet Company**

[www.paradosiballetcompany.com](http://www.paradosiballetcompany.com)

Monday, March 29<sup>th</sup> the Wilmore School of Christian Ballet Studio and Paradosi will offer the following learning opportunities: Dance Workshop – 10 am-12:30 (age 8-12); 1:30-4 pm (age 12-16) INCLUDES: Bible study take home sheet, short in-studio company performance, three 45-minute classes (Ballet, Worship, Modern), and Paradosi T-shirt. \$35 (max:12 students). Creative Worship seminar – 6:00-8:00 pm (age 16 to adult) INCLUDES: Dance seminar (history of dance within the church, using dance as a form of worship, principles for interpretation, beginning a dance ministry), short in-studio company performance/solo, creative worship class, and Paradosi T-shirt. \$25.

***Kindermusik*** has come to Wilmore!

Join Laura Stokes, licensed Kindermusik educator for 6 years, at the Wilmore Christian Ballet on Fridays or Saturdays for Kindermusik classes--centered around total development of children using age appropriate activities and all enhanced with music. Spaces are still available at very affordable rates! Join anytime! Please call 859-553-3178 to register for class and visit [www.kindermusik.com](http://www.kindermusik.com) for more information.

**CONGRATULATIONS to  
Rebecca Higgins of Wilmore as  
Central Kentucky Town Planner  
Wins National Award!**

The Town Planner of Nicholasville 2010 has won the award for Best Overall Photography for its representation of the local community in a contest held among the publishers of the 490 local editions of the 2010 Town Planner calendars published in the United States.

The Nicholasville calendar, delivered to Nicholasville homes in mid-December, won the Top photography award in the nation using locally based photographs, shot by local photographers; Rebecca Higgins of Wilmore, Nancy Stone, Executive Director of the Jessamine Chamber of Commerce, and Bill Straus of Lexington.

*Town Planner is a FREE community event calendar mailed each December to over 100,000 homes throughout Lexington, Nicholasville and Georgetown.  
(Visit: [www.kytownplanner.com](http://www.kytownplanner.com))*

Elexene Cox's Book  
*Those Traveling Baptists* can be  
purchased at Jody's Boutique at  
329 E. Main Street in Wilmore for \$5

**CAREGIVERS Support Group**

Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 8:30 p.m.

*"Peace of Mind is Priceless: Addressing  
Legal Issues to Protect Those We Love"*

*Guest Speakers: Karen L. Perch, Attorney at  
Law,  
specializing in Elder Care Law*

**Wilmore Senior Community Center at  
Wesley Village**

Further information, please call the  
Hospice office at 887-2696

**Wilmore Women's Club**

**Monday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm**

***Featured speaker:***

***Dr. Sandra Gray***

***President of Asbury University***

***"In Community: Partnering Together"***

***Meetings are held in the  
Community Center at Wesley Village,  
1125 North Lexington Ave. in Wilmore.***

**Concert at Clark Chapel  
Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup>  
7:00 pm**

Come and listen to the beautiful voice of Dr. Kristine Lyon accompanied by Brian Lunetta, director to the various musicians who will be performing a variety of instruments. This concert is a benefit concert in conjunction with additional concerts in an effort to restore Clark Chapel. A number of hymns will be sung including discussion about the historical values of the pieces.

**Wilmore Creation Care** meets the 2<sup>nd</sup>

Thursday of each month, at the Miller's home, 206 S. Lexington Ave. in Wilmore. March 11<sup>th</sup> speaker is from Lexington and is a specialist in Kentucky's Native Flowers and Plants. 7 - 8:30 pm. The public is invited. No dues or fees. Need more info., please call Aureol at 859.327.8130

**Recycle Schedule**

Pick up is on Wednesdays every other week following the garbage schedule

<b>SECTION A</b>	<b>SECTION B</b>
(Monday & Thursday)	(Tuesday & Friday)
10 <sup>th</sup> & 24 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> & 31 <sup>st</sup>

Bethel Christian Church will be having a "Community Sing" Saturday, March 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm.

Two Journey the KY Duo ~ Jody Brock & Barbara Smith will be singing live on WLJC TV in Beattyville, KY on Friday, March 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. Contact Danny Smith 859-327-7698 for more info on both.

If your business or organization would like to announce an event or activity please E-mail Kim Deyer at [cckimdeyer@aol.com](mailto:cckimdeyer@aol.com) or call (859) 351-0337. Otherwise, contact City Hall at 858-4411. All information is needed by the **15<sup>th</sup> of the month**. Thank you! And remember you can always say I read it in the *Wilmore Newsletter!* For additional community news and information please visit the Wilmore web site online at [www.wilmore.org](http://www.wilmore.org)

*Kim Deyer, editor*