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LYON COUNTY HOMEMAKERS NOVEMBER 2022



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Sincerely,

Angie York
 County Extension Agent for Family & Consumer Sciences

Hello Homemakers.
 November is often a month for reflection and we have so much to be thankful for this year. Our Homemaker schedules are back to normal. we are able to attend meetings and classes. we are able to fellowship with our friends from the Pennyrile Area. and we are so thankful to Merry Salyers for volunteering to be the Pennyrile Area Homemaker Treasurer. She was sworn into her role on October 28 at the Area Meeting. Make sure to tell her congratulations!
 As for me. I am thankful to be able to work with a group of people who are community minded and enjoy helping others. Thank you for all you do for Lyon County and beyond.

-Angie



LYON COUNTY HOMEMAKERS NEED YOUR HELP

THE LYON COUNTY HOMEMAKER COUNCIL HAS A VACANT SEAT FOR THE ROLE OF MANAGEMENT AND SAFETY CHAIR. THIS EDUCATIONAL FOCUS DEALS WITH MANAGEMENT OF FINANCES, TIME, ETC. AND FINANCIAL PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE AS WELL AS SAFETY IN ALL ASPECTS OF OUR LIVES. ANY HOMEMAKER WHO HAS PAID THEIR DUES MAY SERVE IN THIS ROLE, BOTH THOSE WHO ATTEND A MONTHLY CLUB MEETING OR MEMBERS AT LARGE. IF YOU WOULD BE WILLING TO SERVE IN THIS CAPACITY, PLEASE CONTACT ANGIE YORK AT 270-388-2341 FOR MORE INFORMATION.



Did you Know?

A gift membership card has been developed! It can be printed and used as a gift membership. Members can purchase a gift membership card for the cost of annual dues, attach a membership form, and present the card to friends and neighbors. In a world where our houses are cluttered with stuff, consider giving a Member-at-large membership so loved ones will have an opportunity to attend classes, receive mail out information or volunteer in our community. A gift card is available. Just come by the office to pay for the membership and a card will be given to you. What better way to get everyone involved in Homemakers?



Hydrangea Preservation Class

DATE: NOVEMBER 18, 2022

TIME: 11:00 AM

WHERE: LYON COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE

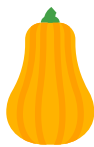
COST: \$5.00

Are you interested in learning about preserving hydrangeas? Join the fun and get to take a beautiful flower home with you. Refreshments will be served. The best part, your class fee is being donated to the Lyon County Homemaker Scholarship fund. You must call the office at 270-388-2341 to sign up. There are 24 spots available for this class.



What did one leaf say to another? — I'm falling for you.

What do you get when you drop a pumpkin? — Squash.



Picture Drink Coasters Class

DATE: DECEMBER 2, 2022

TIME: 10:00 AM

WHERE: LYON COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE

COST: \$5.00



Are you interested in learning about making your own picture coasters? Join the fun and get to take a coaster home with you. Refreshments will be served. The best part, your class fee is being donated to the Lyon County Homemaker Scholarship fund. You must call the office at 270-388-2341 to sign up. There are 20 spots available for this class.

What's Happening

A YEAR OF CLASSES ABOUT COOKING AND FOOD

Fork > Knife > Spoon

Featuring
Plate it up! Ky Proud Recipes

-I provide the grocery list. -You pick up your supplies.
-We cook together.

NOVEMBER 10, 2022 5:00 PM
E-MAIL ANGIE.YORK@UKY.EDU FOR THE ZOOM

QUILT BLOCK OF THE MONTH SERIES

Quilting Quagmires

Are you new to quilting and feel like you are in a tangle of threads and fabric? Join our group to learn beginner quilting skills and make a block each month till we complete a quilt.

November 15, 2022
5:00 PM
E-mail
angie.york@uky.edu for the zoom link.

Fall Fun With Apples

Lyon County Extension Office
Friday, November 11, 2022
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Only 12 spots available
Cost- \$0

Must call 270-388-2341 by 4:30 PM, Monday, November 7, 2022 to register

Christmas Tree Quilt Class

Lyon County Extension Office
Thursday, December 1, 2022
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Only 12 spots available
Cost- \$0

Must call 270-388-2341 by 4:30 PM, Monday, November 28, 2022 to register. Supply list will be e-mailed once registered.

PRETEND STORE

The Lyon County Homemaker Council recently met and voted for one more year to offer the abbreviated Pretend Store to the preschoolers. This year, COVID is not the culprit, but with remodeling and construction, there would be a significant amount of moving items and shuffling to make Pretend Store happen. With that in mind, they decided to again pack a bag of items for just the preschool child. These will be packed using items donated by you, the Homemakers. Because of remodeling, the items cannot be dropped off until December 2, 2022. There will be no where to store the items and they stand the chance of getting dirty or damaged in the construction process if left earlier than that date. Please begin purchasing your items to donate from the list below and then be ready for drop off on December 2nd at the Lyon County Extension Office. Thank you for your patience in this process and for your willingness to serve the youth of Lyon County!

Items to purchase →

- Coloring books
- Crayons
- Candy canes
- Puzzles for ages 3-6
- Pairs of kids gloves
- Monetary donations to purchase items

 ^{.25} is a great place to look for these items.



SAVE THE DATE

The Pennyriple Area Cultural Arts Competition will be held at the Christian County Extension Office on Friday, March 24, 2023. Time to start working on those craft projects.

Holiday Online Shopping Savvy

Source: Kelly May, senior extension associate

The holiday season is quickly approaching, and many of us are going to shop online for at least some of our holiday purchases. Being smart when and where you shop online this holiday season can help keep you from falling victim to cybercrime.

Only shop online when you know you have a secure internet connection. Shopping with an unsecure connection can make you an easy target for cyber thieves who can steal your credit card information. Remember public internet connections are not always secure, even if you are on your own device, and the public network's security software may not always be up to date.

When buying online, look for a padlock symbol on the page and shop from sites that start with an <https://> web address. The "s" after "http" shows that the website encrypts your information as the transaction is processed.

Use credit cards instead of debit cards to make purchases online. The Fair Credit Billing Act limits your responsibility to the first \$50 in charges if your credit card is used fraudulently, and many credit card companies will not hold you responsible for any fraudulent charges made online. Review your statements and report any suspicious transactions to your credit card company. You also can request a free credit report from the three credit reporting agencies Experian, TransUnion or Equifax.

Create strong passwords and PIN numbers. Use different combinations of upper and lowercase letters, numbers and symbols to make your passwords hard to crack. Do not use personally identifiable passwords such as your address, birthday or name in your passwords, as these are easy for thieves to figure out. Keep your passwords private. Do not share them with others or keep them in your wallet or purse as these can be stolen. Try to use different passwords for each of your online accounts.

Automatically set updates on your device to keep it up to date with the latest security features. This includes updating apps, browsers and your operating system. Password protect your home connection to keep your personal internet network secure.