

# What's Happening

All times are Central

## This week

### C-ville Tractor Show

The 32nd annual Community Trust Bank Tractor Show will be held Saturday, July 2. The July 4 parade begins at 9 a.m. with the tractor show from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The show will be held on First Street in Campbellsville. The show is open to everyone. For more information contact Eddie Cowherd at 270-465-2091 or Wayne Livesay at 270-789-7869.

## Happening Soon

### Library closed July 4

Green County Public Library will be closed Monday, July 4.

### R-H office closed July 4

The Record-Herald office will be closed Monday, July 4. The deadline for the July 6 issue will be this Friday at 2 p.m.

### GCHDDiabetesEducation

The Green County Health Department will have a Diabetes Self Management Class online via Zoom on Thursdays starting July 7. The class will run July 7, 14, 21, and 28 from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Call 1-800-928-4416 ext. 1166 to register or for information.

### GCPL Exercise

Green County Public Library Walking group and chair class will meet each Friday in July at 8:30 a.m. and on July 11 and 25 at 2:30 p.m.

### Summer Reading

Summer reading continues at Green County Public Library. Story Hour and Lapsit aged programs will begin starting July 12. All summer reading participants are encouraged to continue reading and logging in Beanstack.

### GCIS SBDM Council

The Green County Intermediate School SBDM Council will hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday, July 14, at 4:30 p.m., in the school conference room.

## Ongoing events

### Farmer's Market

The Green County Farmer's Market is held every Thursday from 3-5:30 p.m. at 2385 Campbellsville Road, at the Cattleman's Farm. Call 270-299-5512 for more information.

### GCPL July Hours

Starting in July the Green County Public Library will be open Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and two Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

### History Museum open

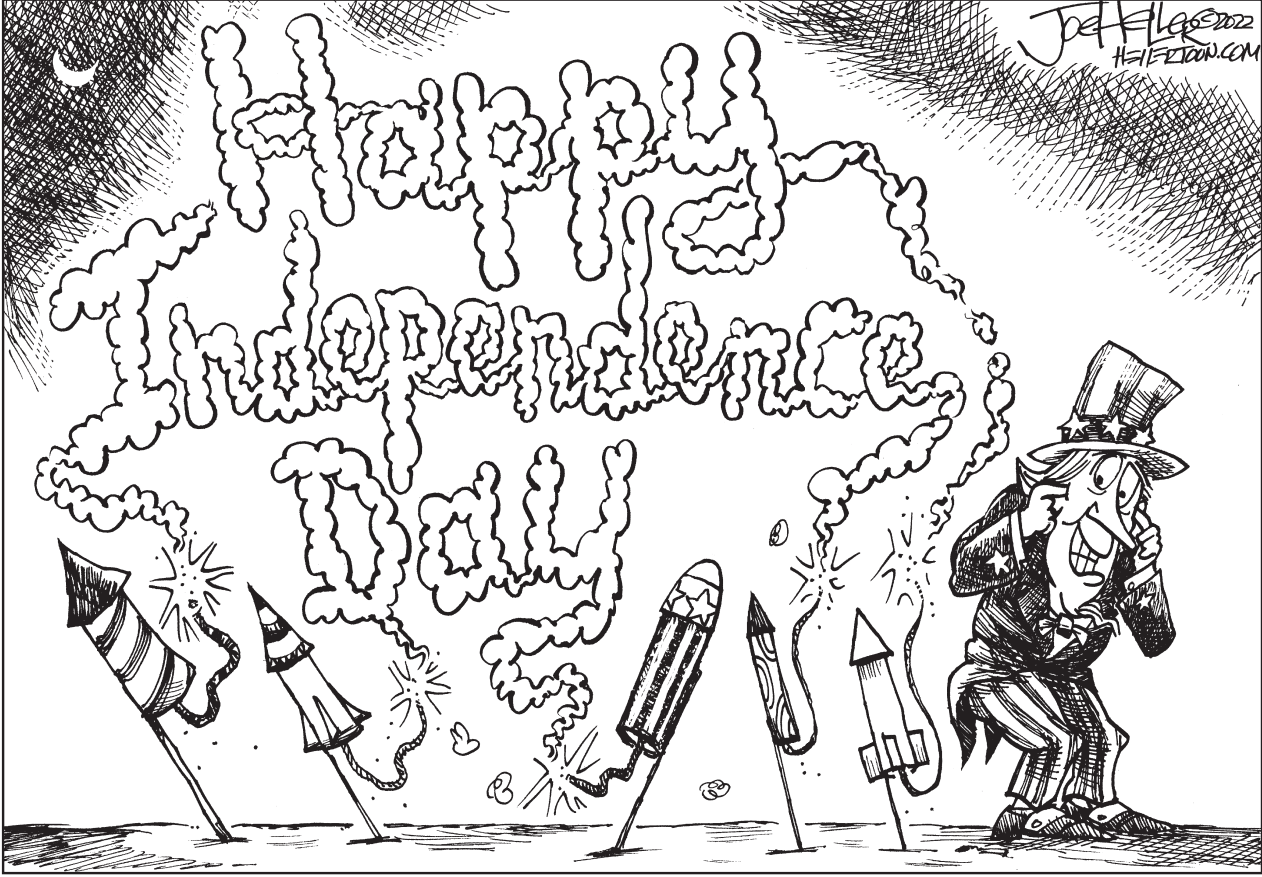
The Green County History Museum on the second floor of Longhunters Coffee and Tea Co. is open from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesdays through Saturdays. Admission is \$3.

*Events and reunions for What's Happening to news2@record-herald.com. The deadline is Monday at 2 p.m., prior to the Wednesday paper, unless otherwise noted.*

## Recycling

in Green County

There are recycling bins located in Green County that are free for the residents to use. All items, if recyclable will have a recycle symbol. Many times the symbol will be on the bottom of plastic items. Each bin is labeled cardboard, plastic and metal. Aluminum is placed in the metal bin. Bin locations are as follows: at the Old Dollar Store behind the courthouse, the Summersville Laundry Mat, Exie Fire Department, Pierce voting precinct, and in the vacant lot just past Green River Lumber. Thank you for not throwing trash in the bins.



# What a ride!

## [A view from a different angle]

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What a Ride!  
The Green County Fair has been over for more than a week now, but I'm reminiscing about the most exciting ride at the fair. No, I didn't partake in a single ride in the carnival; my ride happened in the arena. I take pictures, but I do not consider myself a photographer. I have a decent camera and try to compensate for my lack of photography skills and knowledge by constantly looking for unique camera angles. I got more than I bargained for during the KOTTPA Truck and Tractor pull. Wistfully looking at the cab of the pulling sled, I thought of what a great shot that would be if I could be up there with the driver of the sled, looking down on the weight box and the back of the truck with dirt and smoke going everywhere. I didn't think much about it until I teased my son that he needed a buddy seat on the tractor he was using to work the track and he said, "there's one in the sled."

The gears in my brain started turning and before I knew it, I was climbing up the sled to get in the cab. Only three trucks were in the next class, so I had three attempts to get a good shot for the paper. First hook: I'm sitting there feeling all kinds of awkward with the sled driver. I noticed that there was a seatbelt, but the driver didn't have his on, so I didn't put mine on either. (That would have been uncool.) He told me to put my feet on the bar near the floorboard to brace when we stopped because we would stop fast at the end of the track. The truck started up, my camera was up in front of my face ready to go, and we took off. I took about three photos before I lowered my camera to hang on. The photos were nothing but a blur and I was more than a little afraid that I would break my own nose if I kept my camera in front of my face for another try. Epic fail.



Second hook: With my camera lens between my legs, I had decided to use my phone to video. Unfortunately, between the adrenaline of trying to not drop my camera, fall in the floor or end up in the driver's lap when we hit a bump, I forgot to switch my camera to video mode. I have a nice still photo of before the truck took off and another of after it stopped. Epic fail number two. Third and final hook: Determined to get at least a video to document my adventure, I set my phone to video. Still holding my camera in my lap with my right hand, bracing my legs hard against the bar on the floor, and holding my phone with my left hand I managed to get a video. Based on the quality of the video, I'm calling it epic fail number three. The video: For the record, I did not drop my phone, even though it looks like it in the video. I held on for dear life. That is just how much my body was flopping around in the cab of that sled. I expected to be bruised all over the next day, but luckily was not. I was more embarrassed that the folks in the crowd could see me through the windows. How the driver ever learned how to ride along cool as a cucumber, I will never know...I am also curious how he managed to keep a straight face and not laugh at me!

If you would like to see the video for yourself, it will be posted to the Green County Fair and Horse Show's Facebook and Instagram pages today. Four things I learned from this experience: riding in the cab of a pulling sled is FUN; it is impossible to take pictures while riding in the cab of a pulling sled; you should buckle your seatbelt; if you try to video with one hand and hold a camera in your lap with the other, you are likely to get thrown out of the seat. I would do it again in a heartbeat! But my camera will not be going with me, my phone will be in my pocket, and I will buckle my seatbelt!

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