

☆ Beckley's Kids Classic Festival ☆

2023 Schedule / Passport

(Have your passport stamped at 3 events to be eligible for the prize drawing on September 10)

- Monday, Sept. 4 (Labor Day):  **Beckley Little League: Home Run Derby** (ages 8 & up, \$5) registration begins at 5:30 pm, derby starts at 6 pm (rain date: Sunday, Sept. 10, 4 pm)
- Tuesday-Saturday, Sept. 5-9:  **Leisure Lanes** - One free game of bowling & shoe rental per child when accompanied by a paying adult, 10am-9pm, call for lane availability 304-253-7328.
- Tuesday, Sept. 5 – **Raleigh County Library** – 4-6 pm – **Kids Creation Event** – Painting class ages 6-12 (register to attend, only 20 spots) from 4-5 pm; LEGO building competition until 6 pm
- Tuesday, Sept. 5 –  **Story Walk / Scavenger Hunt with McDonalds on the McManus Trail**, 5-7pm, begins near Prince Street Trail Shelter
- Wednesday, Sept. 6: **Beckley Art Center**  4-6 pm, Visit the Art Center to paint rocks and create a Cyanotype.
- Thursday, Sept. 7: **The Pottery Place** painting party, 5 pm, \$10, only 25 spaces, pre-register in-person or call 304-253-8777
- Friday, Sept. 8: **Youth Museum & Exhibition Mine**, 6-8pm,  **FunnyBones Magic Show & Balloons** 6-7 pm at the

amphitheater; Inside Youth Museum: *New exhibit: Sound Sensation*, + Planetarium Show; Exhibition Mine tours; Admission for inside the Youth Museum & the Mine Tour = \$5.

7 pm – **Stinky Cheese Man** youth play by the *WV Collective* at The **Raleigh Playhouse & Theatre**, Neville Street.

- Saturday, Sept. 9: **Kids Fest Street Fair-10 am-2 pm**  **Booths, games, fun activities & food vendors** along Main & Fayette Streets, Federal Plaza/Shoemaker Square area. **Beckley Fire Dept.'s Junior Firefighters Challenge** **United Bank Carnival Showcase** (game band = \$5 to play games, \$5 to spin the prize wheel) **Sakura Mankai Café – Read Aloud Storytime**, 10:30am & 12:30pm **WV WIC** offering free fruit/veggies stand.  **Festival Parade at 11 am** – Characters/mascots, bagpipers, bands, dancers, teams, royalty... Youth welcome to wear costumes (Theme: Animation/Cartoons) in the parade. **Cincinnati Circus** - shows at noon and 1:15 pm – Federal Plaza. 12:30 – **Ronald McDonald** show, Heber Street, with 103CIR 2:00 & 7:00 pm - **Stinky Cheese Man youth play** by the *WV Collective* at The Raleigh Playhouse & Theatre
- Hamster Races at Pet Supplies Plus** parking lot, 3 pm

Sunday, Sept. 10: - **Pet Pageant** at the **Youth Museum**, 2 pm, Prize drawing – if your passport has 3 event stamps, complete:

Name _____ Age ____ Phone # _____

Monday, Sept. 11: **9-11 Parade of Lights** – watch emergency vehicles (Independence, Byrd Dr, downtown, Epling Stadium)



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Beckley's 30th Annual Kids Classic Festival

September 4-11, 2023

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