



Beckley's Kids Classic Festival



2022 Schedule

Monday, Sept. 5 (Labor Day): Kids Day at New River Park

featuring the **Cincinnati Circus** - shows at 11:30 am, 12:45 pm, & 2:00 pm – *exciting aerial acts, fire twirling, and more!*

12-1 pm – Children's characters, foam machine (bring a towel), bubbles, bounce house, & Patriot Food Wagon



Kids' Bike/Car/Wheels Show - bring your battery-operated or pedal car, bicycle, tricycle, wagon, scooter, or stroller to the park, decorating station, register 1:30 / awards 2:30.



Beckley Little League: Home Run Derby (ages 8 & up, \$5) begin registering at 5:30 pm, start derby at 6 pm (rain date: Sunday, Sept. 11 at 4 pm)



Tuesday-Saturday, Sept. 6-10: 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. 6 – **Raleigh County Library** – 3-5 pm - **Dinosaur Discovery** event - Participants may choose between a dinosaur dig kit or a Lego dinosaur build kit while enjoying a collection of dinosaur themed books.

Story Walk / Trail Scavenger Hunt with McDonalds, 5-7pm, near McManus Trail shelter by McDonalds, Prince Street

Stand Up Paddleboarding at Lake Stephens with Active SWV, 4:30-6:30 pm



Wednesday, Sept. 7: Beckley Art Center – 4-6 pm, Stop by the Art Center to paint rocks & create a colorful Cyanotype

Thursday, Sept. 8: The Pottery Place painting party, 5 pm, \$10, only 25 spaces, pre-register in-person or call 304-253-8777

Sunset / Full Moon Group Walk  / **Bike Ride**  along the **McManus Trail** with Active SWV, meet at Art Park / 3rd Ave, 7 pm. Bikes can be checked out at the Welcome Center, 6:45 pm

Friday, Sept. 9: Youth Museum & Exhibition Mine, 6-8 pm,  See *FunnyBones Balloon & Magic Show* at the amphitheater, 6-7 pm; Inside Youth Museum: *New exhibit: Toyland*, plus Planetarium Shows; Exhibition Mine tours; Admission for inside the Youth Museum & the Mine Tour = \$5.

Saturday, Sept. 10: Kids Fest Street Fair-10 am–2 pm

Various booths, games, fun activities & food vendors along Main & Fayette Streets, plus 103CIR retro games on Federal Plaza

Beckley Fire Dept.'s Junior Firefighters Challenge

United Bank Carnival Showcase (game band = \$5 to play games, \$5 to spin the prize wheel); & *Read Aloud* storytelling



Festival Parade at 11 am - Children's characters, bagpipers, bands, teams, royalty & more. Theme: *Toys/Games*
After the parade: *Madrieth Chambers Remembrance / Founders Trophy*; Youth performers on courthouse steps; Tour Bookmobile, take selfies with characters, and visit booths!

Sunday, Sept. 11: Evening – 9-11 Parade of Lights – watch lights of emergency vehicles cruising from Independence High School at dusk along Route 16 (Byrd Dr) to downtown, back on Byrd Drive to Epling Stadium on Ragland Road



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Info: Beckley Events Committee – Info: 304-256-1776,
www.beckley.org / "Beckley Events" on Facebook



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