

Local Area Events

1st Friday Block Party at O'Reilly's (6-9pm) *On-going April through October*

1st Saturday Cruise-in on the Square.(1-5pm) *On-going April through October*

Historical Society Friday Night Concert Series (7pm) *On-going every Friday May 'til November*

Farmers Market Seasonal Saturday Opening (7am-1pm) *On-going every Saturday May 'til November*

March 18/19 Shamrock Dulcimer Blast at the Old Courthouse, Friday & Saturday Concerts
Saturday Open Mikes (7pm Concerts, Open Mike Saturday 12 to 5pm)

April 2 Northeast Georgia Spring Run, 1/2 Marathon, 5K & 1-mile Walk at Meeks Park (8am)

May 13/14 Butterfly Bluegrass Festival on Lake Nottely (5-11pm; 11am-11pm)

May 21/22 Spring Arts & Crafts Festival on Town Square (10am-5pm)

June 11/12 Blairsville Scottish Festival & Highland Games at Meeks Park (9am-5pm)

June 18 Saddle Club Open Horse Show at Union County Arena (10am sign-in; 11am start)

June 22-24 Misty Mountain Watercolor Classes (7pm Wed. Reception; 10am Thurs/Fri Classes)

June 25/26 Mountain Fling, North Georgia Technical College (9am-5pm; 11am-4pm)

July 4 Blairsville Fireworks at Meeks Park (9:30pm or dark)

July 22/23 Saddle Club Rodeo at the Union County Arena (tba)

July 23/24 Butternut Creek Festival at Meeks Park (10am-5pm)

July 30/31 Green Bean Festival (10am-5pm) Shuttle serve between parking, Town Square, Civic Center, Cannery Plant & Mountain Life Museum

August 6 Farmers Market Tomato Sandwich & Watermelon Day (7am-1pm)

August 13 Cooper Basin Horse Show at Union County Arena (sign in 10am; starts Noon)

August 20 Saddle Club Open Horse Show at Union County Arena (sign in 10am; starts 11am)

Sept 3/4 Mountain Heritage Festival at Mountain Life Museum (10am-5pm)

Sept 16-18 Blairsville Bluegrass Festival, Multiple Stages (Fri 6-10pm, Sat/Sun 11am-6pm)

Sept 24 Northeast Georgia Harvest Run, 1/2 Marathon, 5K & 1-mile Walk, Meeks Park (8am)

Oct 1/2 Indian Summer Festival, Woody Gap School in Suches (10am-5pm)

Oct 8/9 Sorghum Festival Parade, Downtown Blairsville (Sat. 11am)

- Annual Sorghum Festival at Meeks Park (10am-5pm)
- Oct 14/15 Quiltfest 2011 at Union County High School Auditorium (9am-5pm)
- Oct 15 Taste of Appalachian Sweetness (Sorghum & Honey) at Farmers Market (7am-1pm)
- Oct 15 Good Neighbor Auto Show at United Community Bracketts Way (9am-5pm)
- Oct15/16 Annual Sorghum Festival at Meeks Park (10am-5pm)
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- Nov 19/20 Mistletoe Market at North Georgia Technical College (10am-5pm; 11am-4pm)