

Spring into northeast kansas

Leavenworth

Alive After 5 : First Thursday's
5:00 pm to 8:00 PM

Each month will have a dedicated theme and participating businesses will have goodies based on that theme. Business will have a drink offering (alcoholic and non-alcoholic) and a 1-2 bite food offering complementing the theme.

Historic Downtown Leavenworth

www.facebook.com/aliveafter5lvks

Spring Hill

Daffodil Day Spring/Earth Day
April 24

SHRC Sports Complex
themed family fun day...Outside this year!

www.SpringHillRec.org

Atchison

First Fridays in Downtown Atchison
Ongoing

An evening of activity and entertainment on the first Friday of the month, from April through October, in Downtown Atchison. Fun for all ages!

500-800 blocks of Commercial Street
[@firstfridaydowntownatchisonks](https://www.facebook.com/firstfridaydowntownatchisonks)

Miami County

Miami County Farm Tour
May 8-9

Various Farms within Miami County

Spend Mother's Day weekend visiting one of 14 farm sites for a free tour. Alpacas, bison, cattle and goats are just some of the animals typically featured. Pecans, elderberries, strawberries and wine are also local favorites.

www.MiCoFarmTour.com

Kansas City

KCK Taco Trail
Ongoing

Join us for the tastiest new adventure in KCK. The tacos, you'll find, will speak for themselves. With more than 50 places to try, it's a big job. The sight of al pastor in a taqueria window and the lingering scents of fresh made tortillas will reassure you, you've got just the appetite to do it!

www.KCKTacoTrail.com

Brown, Doniphan, & Nemaha Counties

BIG KANSAS ROAD TRIP 2021

MAY 6-9

Come explore Northeast Kansas! Join other Kansas Explorers by diving into all that rural Kansas has

To offer. The three host counties for this year's event are proud to bring you more than 200 unique events and attractions happening over 4 days.

Plan your road trip at:

www.bigkansasroadtrip.com



Merriam

Merriam History Tour
Ongoing

Enjoy learning about Merriam's most notable historic moments on a virtual journey using the Otocast App. Download on Google Play or the App Store, select the Merriam History Tour, follow directions to register and start exploring. From Merriam's earliest moments as a rail town with an amusement park dedicated by former President Ulysses Grant, to the historic desegregation case that paved the way for Brown V. Board of Education, Merriam's history is a fascinating find for all ages. Virtual: download Otocast app to participate

www.exploremerriam.com

Olathe

Fourth Fridays
Ongoing

fourthfridays.olathe.org

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Topeka

First Friday Artwalk

The First Friday of Every Month starting at 5:00pm

During the ArtsConnect First Friday Artwalk, you will find every corner of Topeka filled with art, friends and exciting special events. It's an opportunity to shop local, buy art and see the best that Topeka has to offer. Every month is different – and every business is different, so please check our website at www.artstopeka.org or information each month, including an interactive map of First Friday Artwalk businesses and a guide to public art all across Topeka visit.topekapartnership.com/event/artsconnect-first-friday-artwalk/23400/

Osawatomie

Paddlefish Snagging Season

March 15th - May 15th

Osawatomie boasts one of the only spots for paddlefishing in the state of Kansas.

www.osawatomiechamber.org

Gardner

Gardner City-Wide Garage Sale

April 30-May 2, 2021

Shop til you drop!!! Come see what all the fuss is about and why people routinely travel from as far as Wichita to find the best bargains, kids clothes and more. 100+ locations from Friday-Sunday. Don't miss the random BBQ popups, cookie sales and more scattered in neighborhoods around town.

business.gardneredgerton.org/events

Shawnee

Shawnee Town 1929

T - SAT 10am - 4:30pm

Shawnee Town 1929 reopens each year in early spring! This interactive, historical attraction is a great way to get outdoors a bit and to learn about the history of a Kansas farm truck community! The museum even offers hands on experience for kiddos and a fun farmhouse-chique gift shop.

www.shawneetown.org

Lawrence

Self Guided Tours

Ongoing

Explore Lawrence at your own pace with themed self-guided tours. These tours offer a glimpse into the history of Lawrence and the surrounding areas. Our current tours take you on a journey through the historic cemeteries of the area, retrace the steps of Quantrill's Raid, visit some of the most significant basketball sites, and meander through the "crown jewel" of our Historic Downtown district, Mass Street.

unmistakablylawrence.com/explore/visit/tours

Lecompton

New Winery in Lecompton!

Empty Nesters Winery is now open in downtown Lecompton. The wines bare names related to the town's history with stories printed on the bottles.

Fri: 2-8p, Sat: noon - 8p, Sun: 1-5p
338 Elmore, downtown Lecompton

emptynesterswine.com

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Northeast Kansas

Self Guided Tours

Ongoing

Explore NE Kansas at your own pace with themed self-guided tours. These tours offer a glimpse into the history of the Kansas/Missouri border war and enduring struggles for freedom. The tours can be accessed using the Freedom's Frontier National Heritage Area (FFNHA) App and viewed on a computer or ipad (at ffnha.oncell.com) or downloaded on to a smart phone at the google APP store or Apple APP store.
ffnha.oncell.com