

2008 CALENDAR OF EVENTS IN ADAMS COUNTY

February

23rd **Cabin Fever Arts Festival** - SSCC South Campus Appalachian Gateway Center, Sponsored by the Appalachian Artisans Guild, Contact, Bootsie Robison, 937-587-2394

March

1st **Adams County Amish Bird Symposium** - 9:30 am - 3:30 pm, Yoder Log Homes, 250 person maximum. Contact: Chris Bedel, Cin. Mus. Center's Edge of App., eoa@bright.net or 937-544-2880.

22nd **Children's Easter Egg Hunt** - Rain Date: Mar. 29. Children's Home. Contact: Sharon Rivers 937-544-2511.

April

12th **Wildflower Hike** - 1-3pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

18th - 20th **Third Annual Wildflower Pilgrimage of Southern Ohio**. Choose among over two dozen field trips to botanical hotspots in southern Ohio (HIGHLAND, ADAMS, PIKE, AND ROSS CO) - Arc of Appalachia Preserve System, call 937-365-0101 or visit www.highlandssanctuary.org.

25th - 27th **Spring Bass Tournament** - Mineral Springs Lake Resort, Peebles. Visit <http://www.mineralspringslakeresort.com/> or call for more information 937-587-3132.

26th **Annual Plant Exchange** - 2pm. Seaman Lion's Club Park. Adams County Master Gardeners.

26th **Bentonville Anti Horse Thief Society Banquet** - 7pm. Bentonville. Contact: Verna Naylor 937-549-3360.

26th **Native American Technology: Textiles & Cordage** - 1-4pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

May

2nd - 4th **Flora-Quest** - Shawnee State Park and Forest & The Edge of Appalachia. To learn more: www.flora-quest.com

3rd **Adams County Longbeards & Dave McCartney Free Fishing Day** - Noon-4pm, Food and Games for kids. Adams Co. Lake, West Union. Contact: Eugenia Grooms 937-549-4078 or Kevin Willett 937-544-2721.

3rd **The Marvel of Birds** - 10-Noon & 1-2pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796

3rd **Donkey Basketball at the Jefferson Community Center** - Blue Creek. Contact: Susan May @ 544-5751 or Donna Dillow @ 544-5666

3rd - 4th **Adams County Trade Days** - Adams Co Fairground, 868 Boyd Ave, West Union. Contact: Connie McDonald 937-549-3897 or Nathan Vogel 513-256-8370

May (Cont.)

9th **Wheat Ridge Amish School Benefit Auction & Supper** - Supper at 4pm & Auction at 5pm, Ridge Way Lumber. Contact 937-544-7566.

9th - 11th **Country Garden Mother's Day at GoodSeed Farm** - 8am-6pm, GoodSeed Farm, 200 Storer Rd, Peebles. Contact: Steve Boehme 937-587-7021 or steve@goodseedfarm.com.

10th **Ohio Brush Creek Sweep** - Along Ohio Brush Creek. Contact: Bill Wickerham, 544-5121

16th & 17th **Roush Insurance Agency Celebrates 70 Years Open House** - 313 E Main St, West Union. Contact: Glenna Grooms 544-3123

17th **Scioto Brush Creek Sweep** - Along Scioto Brush Creek. Contact: Bill Wickerham, 544-5121

17th **Native American Technology: Gardening** - 11-4pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

23rd, 24th, & 26th **Miller's Memorial Day Sale** - Unity. Contact: Miller's 937-544-8524.

25th **Celebrating 100 Years of the Serpent Mound Tower** - 11-4pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796

28th - June 1 **Kinfolk Landing Days** - Manchester. Contact: Jane Wilson 937-549-4074.

29th & June 1 **West Union Village Carnival** - West Union. Contact W.U. Chief of Police, Roy Stricklett, 937-544-2512.

June

14th **Ohio River Sweep** - 9am-Noon. Rome Yates Landing, Manchester Riverfront, Aberdeen, Ripley, Higgensport, and Wrightsville. Contact:

14th **Zane Trace Antique Car Show** - Registration 9am-Noon, Courthouse Square, West Union. Contact: Kenneth Moore 937-544-3094.

21st **Summer Solstice Sunset Celebration** - 8pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

16th - 18th **Traditional Skills Workshop** - 9-11:30am, Appalachian Gateway Center, Fincastle. SSCC Contact: SSCC 1-800-334-6619 (Ohio) or 937-695-0307, Ext. 3520 or 3570.

28th-29th **35th Country Run For Fun-Ramblin' Relics Car Show** - 9-3:30pm, Adams County Fairgrounds. Contact: Kenneth McCann 937-544-5266.

July

4th **Fourth of July Celebration** Lion's Parade & Celebration in West Union - **9am line up**. Starts at 10am next to Wayside Inn. Contact: Jud Paul 937-544-1464.

July (Cont.)

12th **Reptile Day** - Noon-5pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

13th - 19th **117th Annual Adams County Fair** - Adams County Fairgrounds, West Union. Contact: Susan May 544-5751.

25th - 26th **Indian Artifact Show** - Fri., Noon-10 & Sat., 8-3:30pm, Riverbarn, Manchester. Contact: Steve Lewis (days) 937-549-4093 or Mike Evans (evenings) 937-549-1877.

26th **Adams County Genealogy Society Annual Reunion** - Noon-4pm, Heritage Center, West Union. Contact: ACGS, 937-544-8522 (Thursdays or Saturdays, 12-4).

August

8th - 10th **Shawnee Butterfly Adventure** - Shawnee State Park and Forest. 740-858-6652

16th **All American Festival** - All Day, Sinking Springs. Contact: Nina Couser 937-588-3484.

16th **Travis Ralston 2nd Annual Memorial Scholarship Motorcycle Ride** - 10:30, Wrightsville. Contact: Eugene Grooms or Beth Bilyeu 937-549-3489 .

23rd (Date Changed!) **13th Annual Marine Corps League 5-K Race and Walk** - 8:30am, West Union Elementary. Contact: Dan Blanton 937-544-6031.

28th - 30th, & Sept. 1st **Miller's Labor Day Sale** - Unity. Contact: Miller's 937-544-8524.

30th **11th Annual Amish School Benefit Cookout** - Unity. Contact: Miller's 937-544-8524.

29th - Sept. 1st **Caramel Festival** - Winchester. Contact: Leona Inskeep 937-695-0950.

September

4th **Adams County Junior Fair Beef Barbeque** - 5-7:30 pm, (Always the 1st Thursday of Sept.) Adams County Fairgrounds. Contact: Corbett Phipps 937-544-2336.

6th **Archaeology 101 & Artifact Identifying** - 11-5pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

5th - 7th **Bentonville Harvest Festival** - Fri., evening; Sat., all day; & Sun., 10:45 for Church services, Bentonville. Contact: Sue Naylor 937-549-3360.

11th - 14th **40th Peebles Old Timers Days** - Contact: Rick Cunningham 937-587-3078.

17th - 20th **Seaman Fall Festival** - Seaman. Contact: Doris Bailey 937-386-2083.

September (Cont.)

20th **Sedimentary, My Dear Watson – Ohio Geology** - 11-5pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

26th **Wheat Ridge Amish School Benefit Auction & Supper** – Supper at 4pm & Auction at 5pm, Ridge Way Lumber. Contact 937-544-7566.

27th **5th Annual Chili Fest** – Rain date: Oct 4th, 10-2pm, On the Square in West Union, West Union Beautification Committee. Contact: Judy Kirker 937-544-4338.

October

4th **31st Annual Miller's Anniversary Customer Appreciation Day** - Unity. Contact: Miller's 937-544-8524.

4th **Native American Technology: Food Preparation & Harvest** - Noon-5pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

4th **Flea Market** – Mineral Springs Lake Resort, Peebles. Call 937-587-3132.

4th & 5th **8th annual Old Fashion Draft Horse, Mule, and Pony Field Days** – All day, Glen-Dale Park, 2915 Fawcett Road, 6 miles south of Peebles, OH. Contact: Dale Grooms 937-544-3123 or 937-587-3293.

10th – 12th **3rd Annual Wheeling Sportsman Deer Hunt** - Annual Banquet on the 10th, West Union Fire Dept. Building. Adams County Long Beards. Contact: Eugenia Grooms 937-549-4078 or Kevin Willett 937-544-2721.

11th **Native American Technology: Hunting, Fishing, & Trapping** - 11-5pm, Serpent Mound, Peebles. Contact: Keith Bengtson 937-587-2796.

11th & 12th **21st Old Thyme Herb Fair** - 10-5pm. Lewis Mountain Herbs & Everlastings, Manchester. Contact: Judy Lewis 937-549-2484.

12th **Jack Roush Day** - 12-5pm. Manchester. Contact: Buster Rurark 937-549-3628.

25th **Make A Difference Day** - Manchester. Contact: Cornelia Dettmer 937-549-3330.

November

TBA **Jefferson Twp Fire Department Chili and Bean Donation Supper and Auction** – 4-7pm. Jefferson Twp Fire House, Blue Creek. Contact: Lawrence Shivener 937-544-3813.

11th **Veterans Day Parade** – 2:00pm. Lineup at 1:30pm. West Union. Contact: Kenneth Moore 937-544-3094.

28th & 29th **Miller's Thanksgiving Day Sale** - Unity. Contact: Miller's 937-544-8524.

28th - Dec. 24th **Miller's Christmas Tree Farm** – Open daily, 10-5:30pm. West Union. Contact: Eileen Miller 937-544-2220.

December

6th **Holiday Heritage Sale** – 10- 5pm, SSCC South Campus, Contact, Amanda Lewis, 937-695-0307, ext. 3520

TBA **Christmas Reflections** – 5-8pm, Woolard Elem. Gym, Manchester. Contact: Freddie Jenkins 937-549-1685.

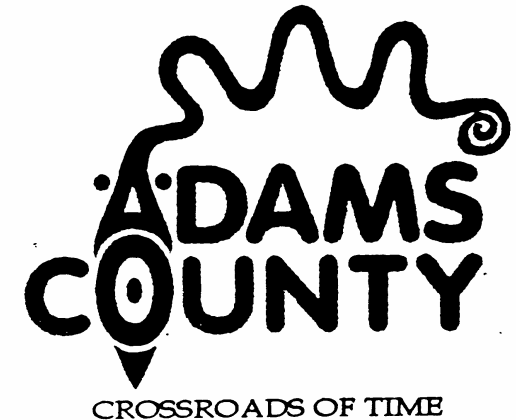
TBA **Peebles Christmas Celebration** – 6pm, Lighting of the village Christmas tree & other events. Downtown Peebles. Contact: Ruth Smalley 937-587-2417.

TBA **Christmas Thyme At Lewis Mt.** - 10-6pm, Lewis Mt. Herbs & Everlastings, Manchester. Contact: Judy Lewis 937-549-2484.

13th **Edge of Appalachia Christmas Bird Count**, Edge of Appalachia, West Union. Contact: Chris Bedel, Cin. Mus. Center's Edge of App., eoa@bright.net or 937-544-2880.

21st **"Lighting of the Serpent"** – Sunset, Celebrate the Winter Solstice at Serpent Mound. Help Volunteers light over 700 luminary candles that will outline the effigy mound. Contact: Delsey Wilson 937-205-0094.

26th, 27th, 29th, 30th, 31st, & Jan. 1st **Miller's Clearance Sale** - Miller's Bakery & Furniture, Unity. Contact: Miller's 937-544-8524.



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