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Welcome to LEXARTS hop

For over a quarter century, downtown Lexington has come alive and artful, as galleries and museums, artists' studios, and other creative spaces have opened their doors on the third Friday of every other month.

HOP is LexArts'—and Lexington's—signature event. We and the 30-plus partner venues you'll find listed in these pages welcome you to our inspired downtown!



HOP began as a way to encourage everyone to look at and buy art—and that is still its mission. Affordable, unique pieces in many media and in every genre are on view at HOP sites. Often you can meet the artists themselves and learn about their work first hand.

Collecting need not be mysterious or expensive. You can own beautiful objects on any budget. And discover fascinating friends and fresh ideas as well.

No one has yet to visit every HOP venue on a single Friday night. We don't recommend trying! Visit as many or as few as you like—and please come back the next time to experience the new exhibitions and new sites. This guide will tell you when the sites have regular hours as well.

We're thrilled to once again **welcome Republic Bank as our new HOP Sponsor**. With their help, we're not only able to produce this comprehensive 2021 HOP Guide, but also continue to bring an up-close and personal experience of the visual arts to Lexingtonians and visitors alike. Visit LexArts.org/HOP for more information.



Helping art come to life. LexArts.org

Stroll, socialize, sip, shop and buzz about what's new and now at

galleries, studios and exhibit spaces.

A self-guided tour of the visual arts in downtown Lexington, LexArts HOP is the place to be the **third Friday of every other month**, and admission is always free.

Things are hopping from 5-8 pm, with many sites and supporting venues going 'til the wee hours at restaurants, bars and other spaces.

For HOP sites, map and more information go to LexArts.org/HOP



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At Republic Bank, we're committed to helping make our communities better places to live and work. Our local and dedicated associates provide the personal understanding that comes from being a part of the communities they serve. That's why we are proud to support the LexArts HOP. Our goal is to make banking easier than anyone else for our clients and to exceed their expectations in all that we do. We believe that life is easier when your bank is too. That's why Republic Bank tailors financial services to fit the way you live, with friendly, knowledgeable bankers who learn about your specific needs and offer easy solutions. Republic Bank is headquartered in Louisville, Kentucky and has over 40 banking centers throughout Kentucky, Indiana, Ohio, Tennessee and Florida.

LexArts.org/HOP

The HOP website has an emphasis on Hop planning opportunities, social sharing options and improved user interaction. The website also allows venues to update exhibit information on a more timely basis and include information about exhibits that may happen outside of HOP dates. Take time to experience LexArts.org/HOP for images and information on both current and past exhibits.



Official HOP Guides

Visit LexArts at 161 North Mill St. or the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center, as well as many of the participating HOP sites, to pick up your official HOP Guide and find other essential information and late-breaking exhibit details.



How to Participate

Many venues seek artists to display throughout the season. If you are an artist and would like to connect to a venue to show your work, you may contact them directly using the information in this guide or call or email LexArts to assist you in finding a venue.



If you have a gallery, studio or place of business and would like to join HOP, contact LexArts at (859) 255-2951 or info@lexarts.org to begin a simple application process.

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Galleries &

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21c Museum Hotel

167 W Main St

(859) 899-6800

21cMuseumHotels.com/lexington/

HOURS Open 24/7, 365 days a year

21c Museum Hotel Lexington is a contemporary art museum, cultural center, 88-room boutique hotel, and home to Lockbox restaurant. Woven into the fabric of downtown Lexington, 21c welcomes both visitors and the local community to enjoy the curated exhibitions and cultural programming.



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Art-at-the-Cathedral

166 Market St

(859) 254-4497

CCCLex.org

HOURS Mon-Fri 10-3:30

Art at the Cathedral (AATC) is a voluntary committee made up of art lovers within the church and community. Our goal is to provide 'sacred space' for artists who feel that visual art is one of their modes of spirituality. Artists of many different faiths participate in the exhibits.



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ArtHouse Kentucky

576 E Third St

(859) 231-0054

ArtHouseKentucky.org

HOURS Mon-Fri 11-6 | Sat 10-5

Operated by Kentucky artists to benefit Kentucky artists, ArtHouse Kentucky celebrates the pride and craftsmanship of the Commonwealth's finest artists. We are dedicated to helping Kentucky artists, makers and creative entrepreneurs generate a life-sustaining income by providing the tools and resources necessary for them to gain exposure and sell their work.



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Artists' Attic

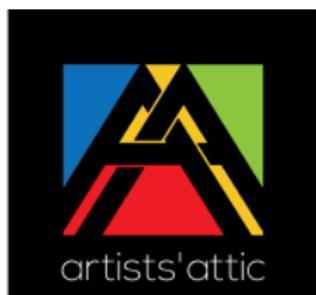
401 W Main St

(859) 254-5501

TheArtistsAttic.org

HOURS Mon-Sat 11-5 | or by appointment

The Artists' Attic represents 42 emerging and establish artists in its large gallery that is surrounded by 22 working studios. At Artists' Attic we create art, connect the public with artists, and allow the public to collect local arts.



create, connect, collect

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Central Library Gallery

140 E Main St

(859) 231-5559

LexPubLib.org/Gallery

HOURS Mon-Thu 9-9 | Fri 9-6 | Sat 9-5 | Sun 1-5



The Central Library Gallery is located on the library's first floor featuring a wide variety of local, regional, and international artists. The Gallery is open during LexArts HOP.

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City Gallery

Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center

141 E Main St

(859) 425-2562

LexingtonKY.gov/DAC

HOURS Tue-Thu 12-5 | Fri-Sat 12-8 | Sun-Mon Closed



City Gallery at the Pam Miller Downtown Arts Center features the work of a wide variety of artists working in many different mediums. Multiple, changing exhibits throughout the year celebrate the best in sculpture, painting, photography and mixed media. Be sure to also check out the gift gallery with artist-made items like pottery, jewelry and gift cards as well as a large selection of prints from local printmakers.

Galleries &

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The Gallery at First Presbyterian Church

171 Market St

(859) 252-1919

FPCLex.org/In-The-Gallery

HOURS Mon-Fri 9-3 | Sun 8-12:30

The Gallery at First Presbyterian Church presents five rotating art exhibits per year by local and regional artists. We believe that all art contains elements of the sacred by virtue of the creative Spirit that animates all creativity.



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GLOBAL LEX International Art Gallery

1306 Versailles Rd, Ste 110

(859) 246-4333

LexingtonKY.gov/Global-Lex

HOURS Mon-Thu 8-5

Global Lex's mission is to support the city and its residents



through international civic engagement, global economic growth and artistic diversity. We are a central repository for information on the international community and global issues, a place to celebrate transnational cultural events, share an international art gallery, and learn about one another.

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Institute 193

193 N Limestone St

(270) 925-2311

Institute193.org

HOURS Wed-Sat 11-6

Institute 193 collaborates with artists, musicians, and writers to produce exhibitions, publications, and projects that document the cultural landscape of the modern South. Founded in 2009, Institute 193 embraces the notion that groundbreaking contemporary art can and does emerge outside of large metropolitan centers.



Museums

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John G. Irvin Gallery at Central Bank

300 W Vine St
(859) 253-6346
CentralBank.com

HOURS Mon-Fri 8-5



The John G. Irvin Gallery opened in March 1987. It was created to promote Kentucky's visual artists. The creation of the gallery was a labor of love and a passion of the late Irvin, a Lexingtonian and former employee of Central Bank. Over the years the gallery has hosted exhibitions by Kentucky's finest artists, as well as new and emerging artists exhibiting for the first time. The art collection, displayed on the 2nd and 3rd floors of the Central Bank Building, may be viewed M-F, 8-5 pm.

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LexArts Gallery

161 N Mill St
(859) 255-2951
LexArts.org

HOURS Mon-Fri 10-5 | Sat 12-5



LexArts Gallery, one of Lexington's premier visual arts galleries, is dedicated to showcasing high quality works by Kentucky artists. Throughout the annual series, art of many

genres and mediums are explored, curated and exhibited. LexArts is grateful for the support of PNC, sponsor of *PNC presents the LexArts Gallery Series*.

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Lexington Art League

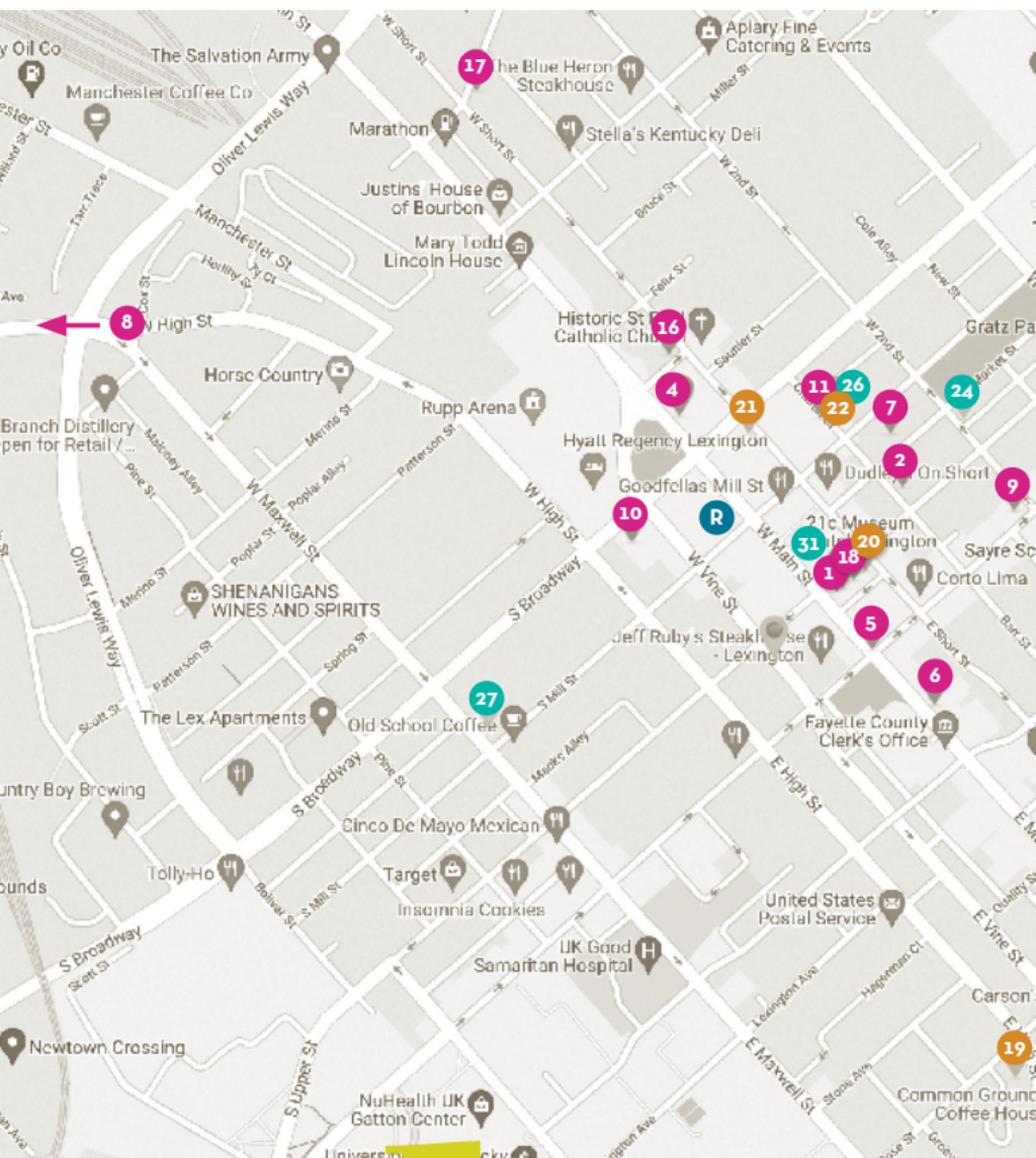
The Loudoun House
209 Castlewood Drive
(859) 254-7024
LexingtonArtLeague.org

HOURS Wed-Sat 12-5 | or by appointment



The Lexington Art League creates opportunities for Lexington area and Kentucky artists and those who appreciate their

work. Visit their historic Loudoun House location to experience between one and six exhibitions at a time throughout the 2020 exhibition schedule which includes 20 solo exhibitions, five group shows, several new alternative space projects, and a local art store.

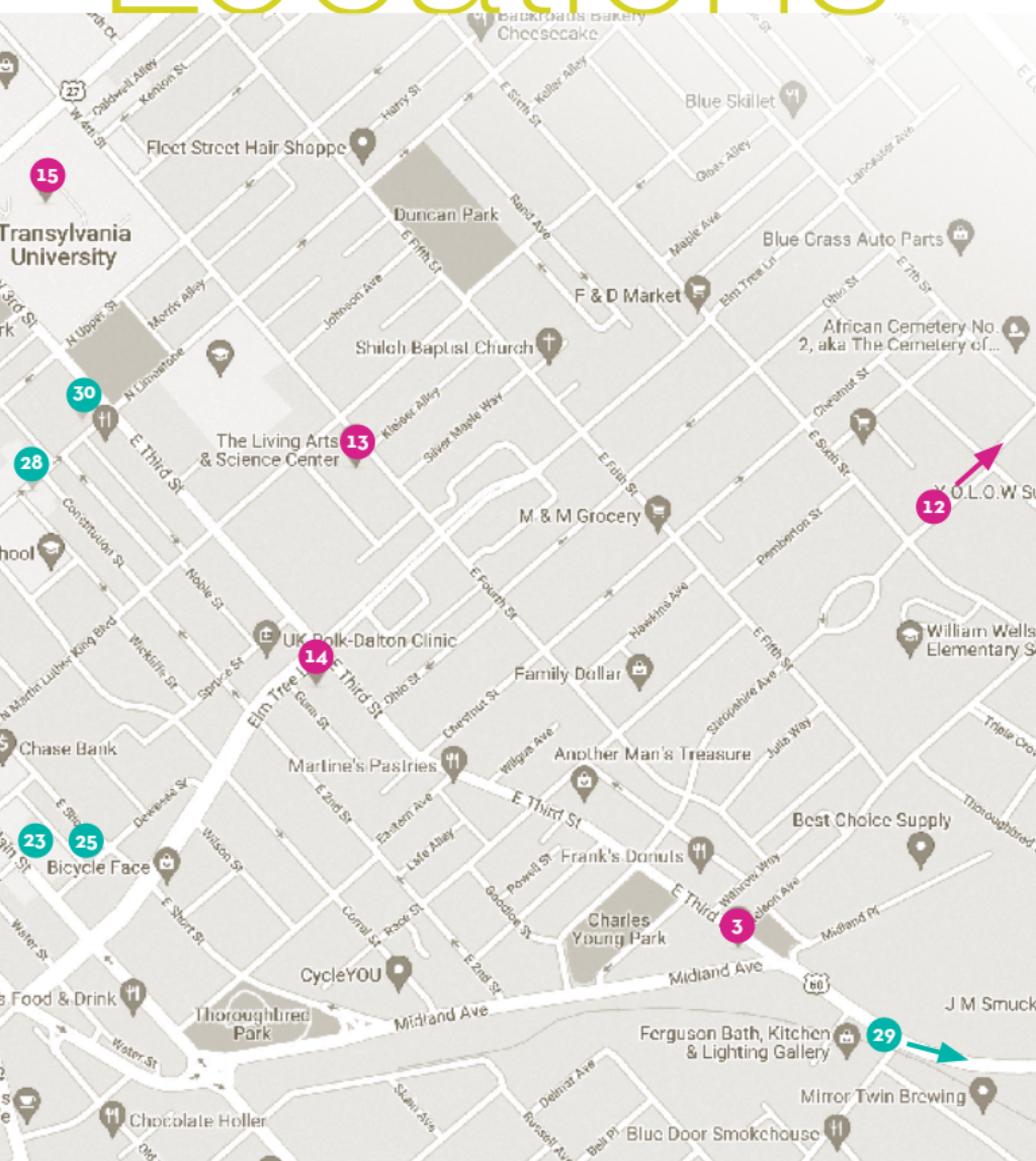


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Living Arts & Science Center

362 North Martin Luther King Blvd

(859) 252-5222

LASCLex.org

HOURS Please call for gallery availability

The Living Arts & Science Center features four galleries and over fifteen exhibitions annually. Exhibits showcase work by

children, established national and regional artists, and innovative emerging artists. Informal talks with exhibition artists are held at 6:00 PM during LexArts HOP. All exhibitions are free and open to the public.



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Lyric Theatre & Cultural Arts Center

300 E Third St

(859) 797-9292

LexingtonLyric.com

HOURS Tue-Fri 11-5 | Sat 1-5

The Lyric Theatre & Cultural Arts Center is located in the historic East End on Third

Street. Arts offerings include a beautiful gallery and museum space on the 2nd floor, and a local gallery on the 1st floor. Rotations occur in coordination with LexArts HOP.



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Morlan Gallery

300 N Broadway

(859) 233-8142

Transy.edu/Morlan

HOURS Mon-Fri 12-5



Morlan Gallery, located on the historic campus of Transylvania University in

Mitchell Fine Arts Center, presents five exhibitions of contemporary art throughout the academic year. Offering diverse perspectives on human behavior and concerns, Morlan Gallery strives to be a laboratory of thinking; a place to ask questions, risk, and experiment.

Museums

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New Editions Gallery

500 W Short St
(859) 489-1454
NewEditionsGallery.com
HOURS Tue–Sat 11-5

Founded in 1988, New Editions Gallery is one of Lexington’s oldest Contemporary Fine Art Galleries.



Rotating exhibits feature regional and national emerging and established artists. Located in downtown Lexington, parking is available in our private lot.

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Sisohpromatem Art Foundation

Heritage Art Center: 651 West Short St
SAF, Inc. Art Center: 347 Jefferson St
(859) 259-0222
Art4Edu.org
HOURS HOP 5-8, and by appointment

We’re excited to expand to our Art and Activity Center on Jefferson Street. Visit this venue for a welcoming Hop reception, with free, family-friendly art activities. Look for announcements of special events at the Heritage Art Center, our original home. ‘Sisohpromatem’ is metamorphosis spelled in reverse. SAF, Inc. has nurtured change in the community since 2003.



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Upper Crust Gallery, LLC

110 N Upper St
(859) 361-6832
Facebook.com/UpperCrustGallery
HOURS Wed-Fri 11-2

Upper Crust Gallery displays several art styles from various artists. For more information, please see the Facebook page.



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Gilliam Art Studio

312 E High St
(859) 351-4584
SusanGilliam.com

HOURS Mon-Sat 10-6 | Sun 12-6



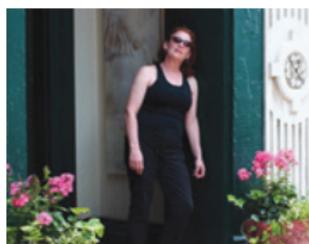
Susan Gilliam, MFA, offers professional instruction in painting, drawing and creative writing in her historic downtown studio. LexArts HOP guests enjoy student work as well as Susan's own paintings. Also experience a knock-out buffet!

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Marjorie Guyon Studio

122 N Upper St
(859) 333-0502
MarjorieGuyon.com

HOURS Mon-Fri 9-5



Layers of history and time are a constant in Marjorie Guyon's work. One of the hallmarks of her work is that imagery at once emerges from, and disappears into, what appears to be an ancient surface. Yet, she also seems to be lighting the path of time. It may well be the dynamic between the two impulses that gives her haunting images their appeal—at once ancient and contemporary—a blend of mythology and graffiti.

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Savané Silver

130 N Broadway
(859) 455-8111
SavaneSilver.com

HOURS Tues-Sat 10-6



Savané Silver is the studio/gallery of jewelry artist, Rachel Savané. Sterling silver/fine gemstone jewelry of many genres (rings, pendants, earrings, bracelets, haircuffs, belt buckles, cufflinks) are artistically displayed.

Studios

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Sprout Studios

LexArts on Mill, 161 N Mill St, Lower Level
(859) 940-2841

FlourishStudios.us

HOURS Mon, Tues, Thrs 2-9

Sprout Studios (formerly Flourish Studios) is the home base of artist Christine Kuhn and her students. It's a place where creativity grows and where community flourishes. Stop by during the LexArts HOP to try your hand at a creativity building exercise and to see new works in progress.



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Mon- Fri 10- 5 | Sat 12- 5

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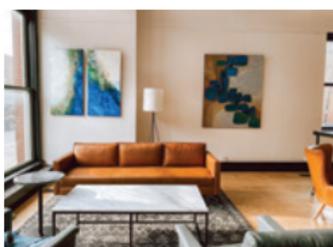
249 E Main St, Suite 150

(859) 363-6600

basehere.com

HOURS Mon-Fri 9-5

Base249 is home to some of Lexington's brightest people in tech, creatives and entrepreneurs. Located in the heart of downtown, Base249 is Lexington's newest co-working, meeting, and event space. Local artwork is highlighted throughout the space while cultural and community events are hosted on evenings and weekends. Stop in during business hours or during Hop.



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Bodley-Bullock House

200 Market St

(859) 252-8014

LexJrLeague.com

HOURS by appointment

The Bodley-Bullock house is open to the public throughout the year for tours and special events such as LexArts HOP and ghost tours. The home is also a popular rental venue for meetings, weddings and private parties.



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Gray Solutions

266 E Short St, Suite 210

(859) 474-8666

GraySolutions.com

HOURS HOP 5-8

A member of the Gray Family of companies, Gray Solutions is a full service process and automation integrator specializing in Food & Beverage, CPG and Life Sciences markets around the world. Gray Solutions headquarters hub is located in the historic First African Baptist Church on Short Street, which was originally completed in 1856. They welcome temporary exhibitions for HOP in addition to rotating collections as part of their workplace. Exhibitions will begin in September 2021.

Gray
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Art Venues

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Lexington Ballet

LexArts on Mill, 161 N Mill
(859) 233-3925

LexingtonBallet.org

HOURS M, T, W, F 10-8 | Sat 9-8 | HOP 5-8



Lexington Ballet Company was chartered May 24, 1974 by Nels Jorgensen with a grant from the National Endowment for the Arts and the mission

remains the same today; to present high caliber productions, to educate youth in the art of ballet, and to engage with the community through outreach. The ballet moved into its current studios at ArtsPlace in 1986, becoming a fixture in the heart of downtown Lexington.

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Mill & Max Contemplative Arts *at the Lexington Shambhala Center*

305 W Maxwell

(859) 225-4183

MillAndMaxGallery.com

HOURS See website | HOP until 9



Art is not a thing, but a sacred path for pure potential. Whether as makers or as audience, we can experience the present through art. We foster engagement with the whole of art so to enliven, awaken, and contribute as inspired human beings in the creation of enlightened society.

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Mulberry & Lime

216 N Limestone

(859) 231-0800

MulberryAndLime.com

HOURS Mon-Sat 10-6 | Sun 12-5

Located in the historic Matthew Kennedy House, Mulberry & Lime showcases paintings, drawings, prints and photography. It is an eclectic offering, featuring local as well as international artists.



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Pella Windows & Doors

1387 E New Circle Rd

(859) 269-5833

PellaLexington.com

HOURS HOP 5-9 | Mon-Fri 9-5 | Sat 10-2

Keep your HOP evening going at our Experience Center with talented artists on display. We offer creative, modern and historical solutions to design your perfect home. Visit our Facebook and Instagram for additional events.



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Third Street Stuff & Coffee

257 N Limestone

(859) 255-5301

ThirdStStuff.com

HOURS Mon-Sat 6:30-11 | Sun 8-11

Continuing to raise the bar by serving the best locally-roasted and fair trade certified organic coffee and espresso.

We happily do our part to serve our community and the world, one cup at a time.



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Zim's Cafe/The Thirsty Fox

215 West Main St

(859) 785-3690

ZimsCafe.com

HOURS Mon-Fri 11-9 | Sat 9-9 | Sun 9-2

Easygoing option spotlighting regional southern cooking & local artists in retro-style surroundings. Zim's Cafe honors Great-Grandpa Zim,

who fed his family with vegetables from his garden, and found fun around every corner. He captivated us with tall tales and whimsical rhymes. Share stories with loved ones at Zim's, and enjoy a menu inspired by the bounty from Kentucky farms.



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MAHATMA GANDHI

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