

NOVEMBER 2025

FCS NEWS LETTER

Kelly Alsip, FCS Agent



Notes from Kelly:

Fall is here!

I hope everyone has stayed cool through our extended summer. I'm looking forward to all the upcoming holiday festivities, and I hope you are too!

Please be sure to **attend and support our Holiday Bazaar** on **Saturday, November 1st**.

Also, keep an eye on the calendar—we have **several exciting new programs** scheduled for **November and December**. You won't want to miss them!

I'm thankful for my community and all who support extension. I hope you all have a blessed and **Happy Turkey Day!**

Kelly Alsip



Upcoming Events



Holiday Bazaar November 1st

Arts & Crafts November 14th

Toss The Toxins November 17th

Attention:

Homemaker Mailbox Members
can pick up a McCracken
County Homemaker Yearbook
at the office anytime
Monday - Friday
8:00 am - 4:30 pm

The Extension Office will be
closed November 27th & 28th for
Thanksgiving



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Can't make it to the Bazaar? No worries!
You can still support our fundraiser by
ordering your Rada Cutlery today – and
get it delivered just in time for the
Holidays!



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Homemaker News

November 2025

Notes from your Homemaker President

Thankful...but are we?

Two months left in 2025. What have we done this year? Above all, let's be thankful for all we have been given.

Our Homemaker Year has just kicked into gear. We have lots planned for the year. Holidays are always busy, so let's focus on 2026.

Watch your Event and FCS newsletters for all the upcoming adventures.

I am grateful to be your President! My goal is to serve you well. I have done a lot of canning this season, and we are set for years. My husband even had to make new shelving for me in my canning room. I must say, it's impressive. So, I'm grateful for this abundance. Kelly and Stephanie are doing a great job with Family and Consumer Science. Stephanie has been such a blessing to have with us.

Homemakers, remember our goal is **PLUS 1** this year. Bring a friend to a meeting with you or a Homemaker event, an arts and crafts class, etc. You never know how much this invitation will mean to them and what it will do for their lives

As Reba McEntire says, "I have a lot to be thankful for. I am healthy, happy and I am loved."

Counting My Blessings,

Carmela



"Reminder"

**Homemaker
Enrollment Forms
& Dues Need To Be
In By 11/26/2025**

Proclamation

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, The Kentucky Extension Homemakers Association, Inc. has over 11,353 members in more than 700 clubs throughout the Commonwealth; and

WHEREAS, This organization is dedicated to improving the quality of life for families and communities through education, leadership development, and volunteer service; and

WHEREAS, This organization has worked to achieve this mission for over 90 years, providing service in communities across Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, This organization continues to endeavor to strengthen, develop, coordinate, and extend adult education in Family & Consumer Sciences in cooperation with the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service; and

WHEREAS, The 191 members of the McCracken County Extension Homemakers Association completed more than 43,260 hours of volunteer service in 2024-2025. A donation was made through the Homemaker Events "Taste of McCracken County and the Homemaker Scrapbook Event" with all proceeds benefiting the Juanita Ammonett Scholarship Fund, which supports children and grandchildren of McCracken County Homemakers. Additionally, a contribution was made to the McCracken County 4-H Backpack Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Craig Clymer McCracken County Judge Executive of the McCracken County do hereby proclaim October 12th to 18th, 2025, as

KENTUCKY EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS' WEEK

and urge all citizens to participate in Extension Homemakers activities in their communities.

This 19th day of September 2025



Craig Z. Clymer, Judge Executive
McCracken County Kentucky

**Proclamation for Kentucky
Extension Homemakers Week,
October 12th - 18th**

Homemaker Highlights



KEHA Homemaker Week - Donuts and Coffee



SCRAPBOOK



let us be
THANKFUL



CROP 2025



Arts
&
Crafts



Upcoming November Events

Happy Thanksgiving
to you and your family

All FCS Programs
are for
Ages 18 & UP
unless otherwise
stated. Be sure to
check out our
event calendar
for 4-H youth
programming.

NOVEMBER 2025

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Holiday Bazaar 8:00 AM-3:00 PM



Arts & Crafts
Needle Tatting
9:30Am-Noon



Big Blue Book Club
Zoom In office Watch Party
12:30- 1:30pm



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Zoom In office Watch Party
12:30 -1:30 PM

Toss The Toxins 5:30-6:30 PM



Pathway to Sewing 9am-12pm
Game Day 9:00AM-12:00 PM



Bags of Love 9:30 AM-1:30 PM

Laugh & Learn held off site
(McCracken County Library)

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM



Chair Yoga 10:00-10:45 AM



Scrapbooking
9:00 AM-3:00 PM
Chair Yoga 10:00-10:45 AM



Needlework Circle
10:00 AM-12PM
Crochet Alley & Knitting Row
1:00 -3:00 PM



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Big Blue Book Club
Zoom In office Watch Party
12:30 -1:30 PM



FCS / Homemaker Lesson
10:00 -11:00
Composition in Photography

Homeschool Homemakers 6PM



Pathway to Sewing 9 AM-12 PM
Golden Days 10:00 AM
Happy Club 10:00 AM



Pathway to Sewing 9am-12pm



Chair Yoga 10:00-10:45 AM
Tech Class 11:00 am-12:00 PM
(McLib Digital Library)
Heartside 6:00 PM
St. John Club 6:00 PM

