

# Greater Scottsville Happenings

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The purpose of **Greater Scottsville Happenings** is to promote events and entertainment opportunities offered in the Greater Scottsville Community and keep all informed of **Greater Scottsville Chamber of Commerce** events and initiatives. **Greater Scottsville Happenings** is also a vehicle to promote our Chamber Business Members. To be included in the '**Happenings at Local Businesses**' section you must be a GSCC member.

**Businesses that are a Chamber member are designated with GSCC. Please support our Greater Scottsville Chamber of Commerce members!**

*Your GSCC members are working with the Town of Scottsville, the Economic Development Committee, Tourism Committee, other area Chambers and local organizations to initiate enhancements to commerce and quality of life in our community.* All businesses in the Greater Scottsville Community are encouraged to be “**a part of the solution**” - contribute your talents and ideas to making Scottsville a more desirable business community by being a GSCC member. Applications available on-line at [www.scottsvilleva.com](http://www.scottsvilleva.com) or by contacting President Linda LaFontaine at [scccpresident@gmail.com](mailto:scccpresident@gmail.com)

## CHAMBER HAPPENINGS

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## CHAMBER EVENTS & NEWS

Keep an eye out for these Greater Scottsville Chamber of Commerce Events

## GREATER SCOTTSVILLE COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS

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**Business After Hours** – **Avon Hill Lodge** (**GSCC**) on Wednesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>. More details to come.

## SCOTTSVILLE FARMER'S MARKET 2017

Saturdays at Farmer's Market Pavilion – 8:00am until 12:00Noon

The **Scottsville Farmer's Market** takes place at the **Scottsville Farmer's Market Pavilion** on **Fleet Street (behind Tavern on the James)**. Market hours are **8:00 am until 12:00 Noon**.

*We ask our Market visitors to be considerate of our neighbors at Tavern on the James and not park in their parking lot – those spaces are for their customers. Thank you!*

## 5<sup>th</sup> YEAR CELEBRATION AT THISTLE GATE VINEYARD

Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> – Thistle Gate Vineyard

**Thistle Gate Vineyard (GSCC)** is pleased to celebrate 5 years of serving wine enthusiasts in central Virginia! A special **anniversary wine-paired dinner** will kick off the weekend celebration on **Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>** – reservations required. More information on menu, cost and time to follow.

On **Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>** celebrate our **5-year anniversary** with us! Enjoy music by Byron and Billy Massie, try your skills at grape stomping, take a chance of winning prizes with your raffles, partake in the Blessing of the Harvest, enjoy great food and, of course, our Thistle Gate wine.

## HOPS & HYMNS

Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup> – James River Brewery – 7:00PM to 8:00PM

**Join us for an hour of singing and craft beer at James River Brewery (GSCC)!**

All are welcome to participate in Hops & Hymns. An hour of joyful hymn singing and enjoying the fine craft beer of **James River Brewery (GSCC)**. **EVERYONE Welcome** – bring your friends and family. James River Brewery also has a fine selection of non-alcoholic beverages and snacks for your enjoyment.

## OLD FASHIONED TENT SERVICE

September 21 through September 24 – Antioch Baptist Church – 7:00 PM

**Antioch Baptist Church** of Scottsville will be holding a **tent service** from **September 21 through September 24**. Evening services will start at **7:00PM**. There will be a baptizing in the Hardware River on Sunday followed by a covered dish dinner. Worship service on Sunday the 24th. For more information please call the church office at (434) 286-6315.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL BBQ ON THE BEND COMPETITION

Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> – Reeling & Rafting Campground – Gates Open At 11 am

You are invited to attend the **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual BBQ on the Bend Competition!** This People's Choice competition will feature eight great teams smoking up some of their best pulled pork for you to try and rate your favorite! **Proceeds from this year's BOTB will benefit the James River Boys & Girls Club.**

It will be held on **Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Reeling & Rafting campground** next to the Scottsville Public Boat Landing. Competitors will be cooking off for a grand prize of \$1,000. Cookers will begin their smoking on Friday night and the **gates will open to the public at 11:00 a.m.** on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Throughout the day we will have raffle prizes and live music. It's going to be a smoking good time so spread the word! Can't wait to see you there!

## FREE CHICKEN BAKE COMMUNITY DINNER

Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> – Scottsville United Methodist Church – 5:00pm to 6:00pm

**Scottsville United Methodist Church** will host a **FREE Chicken Bake Community Dinner** on **Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>** in the church's fellowship hall at 158 Main Street. Dinner will be served from **5:00pm to 6:00pm**, with a tasty menu that will include baked chicken, yellow rice, green beans, and dinner rolls plus a generous dessert buffet. A sing-along Gospel Jam will follow, featuring local musicians. More info at (434) 286-4736.

## ALL GOD'S CHILDREN FUNDRAISER

Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup> – Thistle Gate Vineyard – 5:00 to 7:00 pm

You are invited to attend a fundraiser for the **All God's Children Child Development Center** at **Thistle Gate Vineyard** on **Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm**. Donation is \$25 per person which includes a glass of wine and a buffet of snacks as well as live music from 4 Hits and a Miss. There will also be a silent auction consisting of gifts from local businesses.

## CONCERT ACROSS AMERICA TO END GUN VIOLENCE

Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup> – Scottsville Presbyterian Church – 7:00 PM

**Scottsville Presbyterian is hosting a concert!** Our annual **Concert Across America to End Gun Violence** will take place on **Sunday, October 1, 2017 at 7:00 PM** at **Scottsville Presbyterian Church**, 148 Bird Street, Scottsville, VA. We will, once again, turn up the volume and turn down the hate! Featuring local musicians and some not so local. For more information contact Pastor Gay Einstein at (434) 409-3324 or email at [gleinstein@gmail.com](mailto:gleinstein@gmail.com)

## TWILIGHT TOURS THROUGH SCOTTSVILLE HISTORY

Saturday & Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> – Scottsville Museum – Tours Depart Every 20 Minutes

**Scottsville Museum** announces the fifth annual "**Twilight Tours through Scottsville History,**" happening on **Saturday and Sunday, 21-22 October 2017**. Come and take a lamplight stroll through historic Scottsville with your tour guide and encounter town residents from bygone eras. Hear their tales and recollections, see notable places and people brought to life from the pages of history. Meet Isaac A. Coles, local planter, gallant colonel, friend of presidents, and prototype of the Washington insider. Feel what Scottsville was like during the 1930's as you witness a local family, inspired by local author, Earl Hamner, Jr., as they deal with the Great Depression. Wonder what it was like when the Scottsville High School was bustling with teenyboppers? Listen in as two students from the class of '56 share gossip and news from the school. These and several other figures from the past complete the cast and cover events spanning from the 1800's until the 1980's.

**These hour-long outdoor, walking tours are not handicap-accessible and depart every 20 minutes from the Scottsville Museum on Saturday and Sunday, 21-22 October. Please dress appropriately for an outdoor, evening walking tours.**

**New this year to our Twilight Tours is an indoor performance (handicap accessible) at Scottsville's Victory Hall located at 401 Valley Street. This indoor performance is scheduled for 2-3PM on Sunday, 22 October 2017.**

**Ticket prices for both outdoor and indoor performances are \$5.00 and proceeds go to the Scottsville Museum, a non-profit organization dedicated to the preservation of Scottsville's history.**

**Space is limited. Reserve your spot by ordering online at smuseum.avenue.org or by calling the museum at 434-286-2247.**

Please note, no refunds will be given. Event occurs rain or shine.

If you have questions, please e-mail Twilight Tour co-chairman, Lisa Bittner, at smuseum@avenue.org or leave a voice message for Lisa Bittner at 434-286-2247.

## HALLOWEEN IN SCOTTSVILLE

Tuesday, October 31, 2017 – Throughout Scottsville – Time to be Determined

Be prepared for **Halloween in Scottsville** on **Tuesday, October 31, 2017**. This annual Halloween celebration offers many activities for families and great opportunities for children to dress in costume and Trick or Treat. Scottsville Happenings will bring you more detailed information on activities and times as the information comes in.

## SCOTTSVILLE MUSEUM

Scottsville Museum, 290 Main Street, Scottsville, VA 24590 – Tel: (434) 286-2247

The **Scottsville Museum** is now open for the 2017 season, **Saturdays from 10 to 5 and Sundays from 1-5**. The ongoing exhibit, "**Where the River Bends: Scottsville on the James,**" features many photographs of the floods, the remains of a mid-19th century canal boat, and a film on the geology of the river bend. Admission is free and all are welcome. To arrange special tours or midweek opening, call 286-2247.

# HAPPENINGS AT SCOTTSVILLE LIBRARY

Scottsville Library, 330 Bird Street, Scottsville, VA 24590 – Tel: (434) 286-3541

Scottsville is fortunate to be part of the **Jefferson-Madison Regional Library** system. JMRL comprises of eight libraries servicing Albemarle County, Greene County, Louisa County, Nelson and the City of Charlottesville. As a part of the system the Scottsville Branch can offer services, reference materials and books that an independent library could not. A friendly, active and fun atmosphere prevails at our local library. **Programs for toddlers, youth, teens and adults abound.** Please visit the [Scottsville Library Web Page](#) for a complete schedule of all that is happening.

## Library Hours

Monday:	11:00 am – 7:00 pm
Tuesday:	1:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Wednesday:	9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Thursday:	9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Friday:	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Saturday:	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Sunday:	Closed

For More Info please visit the [Scottsville Library Web Page](#)

## RECURRING EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Events and meetings that happen on a regular schedule

### THE BREAD OF LIFE MINISTRY – SCOTTSVILLE COMMUNITY CENTER

**The Bread of Life Ministry** is a food distribution program providing food and supplies to those in need through the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank. Donors and contributors include local organizations, churches and businesses. Food is distributed the **3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month from 8:15AM – 9:15AM at the Scottsville Community Center and on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month at 10:00AM at the Scottsville Farmer’s Market Pavilion.** Zip codes served: 24590, 24562, 22937, 22946 & 22969.

**Volunteers** are the pillars of **Bread of Life**. If you would like to help, please call 286-3355 or email [acdebosis@gmail.com](mailto:acdebosis@gmail.com) for more information.

Tax-deductible donations and memorial gifts to the Bread of Life Ministry are always welcomed and may be sent to: PO Box 884, Scottsville, VA 24590.

### JABA Senior Center – Scottsville Community Center – Every Wednesday

On **Wednesdays** from **9:30am until 2:00pm** the **Senior Center** is open at the **Scottsville Community Center**. Activities include music, presentations, crafts, exercise, visits from Scottsville Elementary students, trips, puzzles and bingo. A hot lunch is served at noon. Anyone aged 60+ is invited and anyone younger than 60 is welcome to volunteer!

**Mid-Week Rest in God – Scottsville United Methodist Church – Every Wednesday**

On **Wednesdays** at **6:30 PM** Pastor Bruce offers a brief worship – “**Mid-Week Rest in God**” at the **Scottsville United Methodist Church**, 158 E. Main Street, Scottsville. We will hear Scripture, prayer, have conversation and celebrate Communion. **This mid-week service is open to all.** Service is 20 to 25 minutes.

**AA and Al Anon**

**Every Tuesday at 7:30 pm - Scottsville United Methodist Church.** AA meets in the Fellowship Hall and Al Anon (for families of problem drinkers) meets in the Sunday School Room.

**AA meeting on Wednesdays 6pm Emmanuel Episcopal Church Howardsville Rd. Glenmore in Buckingham**

**Baby Steps**

Baby Steps opening day is September 7th.

**Recurring Community Events at Scottsville United Methodist Church – ALL Invited**

- **Wednesday Evenings at 6:30PM – Mid-Week Rest With God Worship**
- **4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at 5PM – Community Dinner & Gospel Jam**
- **2nd Fridays at 6:30 PM – Family Dinner & Game night**

**HAPPENINGS AT LOCAL GSCC BUSINESSES**

Local business events that are open to all

**Thistle Gate Winery (GSCC)**

**Open: Friday & Saturday 12 Noon – 5:30 p.m. / Sunday 1:00 – 5:30 p.m.**

<b>Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Special Anniversary Dinner – Reservation Required
<b>Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>:</b>	5 Year Celebration. Music, Food, Raffles, Grape Stomping! Food presented by The Barefoot Country Store.
<b>Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>:</b>	Music with The Local Vocals, 5:00 – 8:00pm. Food Available for Purchase
<b>Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Music with Four Hits and a Miss – All God’s Children Preschool Fundraiser
<b>Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Music with Powers and Brown
<b>Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Breast Cancer Awareness Day
<b>Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Music with David Tewksbury
<b>Sunday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>:</b>	Music with Gangplank Road

November 24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup>	Thistle Market
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**James River Brewery (GSCC)**

Monday-Friday	2:00PM – 9:00PM
Saturday	12 Noon – 9:00PM
Sunday	12 Noon – 8:00PM

<b>Friday, September 15<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Open Music Jam, 7 – 10 PM
<b>Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Gangplank Road – Live Music – 4 – 7 PM
<b>Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Fulltone to the Max – Live Music – 4 – 6 PM
<b>Sunday, September 17<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Hops & Hymns, 7 – 8 PM
<b>Thursday, September 21<sup>st</sup>:</b>	Trivia with Tom Green, 7 – 9 PM
<b>Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>:</b>	Open Music Jam, 7 – 10 PM
<b>Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>:</b>	Settle Down Jack – Live Music – 4 – 7 PM
<b>Sunday September 24<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Help Me Helen – Live Music – 4 – 6 PM
<b>Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Open Music Jam, 7 – 10 PM
<b>Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>:</b>	Craig Dodson – Live Music – 4 – 7 PM

SIGN UP FOR THE JRB WEEKLY NEWSLETTER AT: [WWW.JRBREWERY.COM](http://WWW.JRBREWERY.COM)

**Tavern on the James (GSCC)**

*Regular Events:*

- Texas Hold ‘Em, Every Wednesday – 7:00 PM
- Party on the Patio Every Thursday 5 – 7 PM
- DJ 2 Low – Every Friday – 8:30 PM to 11:30 PM
- Music Every Saturday Night! 8:30 – 11:30 PM

<b>Saturday, September 16<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Lo Country – Live Music: 8:30 – 11:30 PM
<b>Thursday, September 21<sup>st</sup>:</b>	Bluegrass with Bennie Dodd – Live Music: 6:30 – 9:00 PM
<b>Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>:</b>	The Bennie Dodd Band – Live Music: 8:30 – 11:30 PM
<b>Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Megan Mullins – Live Music: 8:30 – 11:30 PM

**Barefoot Country Store (GSCC)**

<b>Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Country Apple Day: 11am – 6pm. Live Music by Red Knierim, Apple Butter Making Demo, Fresh Local Apple Cider, Pumpkins & Gourds, Petting Zoo and Face Painting
<b>Saturday, November 25<sup>th</sup>:</b>	Shop Local Saturday & Holiday Craft Bazaar: 10am – 6pm

# LINKS OF INTEREST

Links of importance and interest to our readers

- We recommend the '[Randolph for Scottsville District](https://www.facebook.com/RandolphforScottsvilleDistrict/timeline)' Facebook page where you can find valuable information and opinions on **Albemarle County Board of Supervisor** decisions, issues and actions that affect us all.  
<https://www.facebook.com/RandolphforScottsvilleDistrict/timeline>
- The [Scottsville Weekly \(GSCC\)](http://www.scottsvilleweekly.com) is our 'home-grown' news publication. Learn all about what is newsworthy! [www.scottsvilleweekly.com](http://www.scottsvilleweekly.com)
- The [Greater Scottsville Events Calendar](#) can be found here: [Greater Scottsville Events Calendar](#)
- The [Greater Scottsville Chamber of Commerce](http://www.scottsvilleva.com) webpage is here: [www.scottsvilleva.com](http://www.scottsvilleva.com)
- The [Town of Scottsville \(GSCC\)](http://www.scottsville.org/) has a web presence too!: <http://www.scottsville.org/>
- [Festivals & Events Community Calendar](#)

We are pleased to offer a **Community Calendar** to help organizations coordinate events and festivals in the Greater Scottsville area. **On Wednesdays, attached to this email edition of Greater Scottsville Happenings will be a PDF file with a 2-month list showing all the events happening in the Greater Scottsville Community.** We ask that any organization planning an event to please check this calendar to help prevent duplication and to decrease the risk of a poor turnout for your event. **To view events further out please go to the link below where you can access the full Google Calendar:**

- [Greater Scottsville Events Calendar](#)

*Did You Know?.....*

**Support your community by being a member of the Greater Scottsville Chamber of Commerce!** Individuals and businesses can join. Apply online at:

<http://www.svillechamber.org/membership/join/>

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