

# GREEN COUNTY FCS EXTENSION NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2025



# Greetings from your FCS Agent

Hello everyone! We got a little sneak peak of cooler weather towards the end of August which means fall is almost here! This fall we have some very exciting programs and events that are going to happen at the extension office.

The Lake Cumberland Area FCS Agents will be hosting an "Evolving Leaders Forum" on September 25<sup>th</sup> in Taylor County with registration starting at 9:30am EDT. This Forum will replace the monthly homemakers lesson leader trainings; we would like at least one representative from each club to attend so they can get the materials. This is free of charge and lunch will be provided.

Holiday Bazaar Applications are still available! If you know anyone that would like to set up, have them contact the extension office!

Green County Extension Office is hosting a Family Fall Festival on October 18<sup>th.</sup> If you know of any organizations, businesses, churches, etc. that would like to participate in carnival style games have them contact Katelyn or Sue Ann at the extension office!



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- Just Family Adult Day
- FCS Staff Meetings
- Cooking from the Calendar
- Holiday Bazaar Prep
- Back to School Bashes
- Homemaker Kickoff
- State Fair Assignments
- LEAP at Green County Head Start
- Meetings & Reports!!



Back to School Bashes



**△**Cooking from the Calendar: Slow Cooker
Asian Pork Tacos











# **EVOLVING LEADERS FORUM**

# SEPTEMBER 25, 2025

**Taylor County Extension Office** 

#### **EASTERN TIME**

9:30-10:00 a.m. Registration 10:00 a.m. **Program Begins** 1:30 p.m. Closing Remarks

- **Enhance Your Leadership Skills**
- KEHA Leader Lesson Training

Register with your local Extension Office by September 10th









Heartland of Kentucky Quilt Show



## September 19th 2025

Leaving Green County office at 9:30am CDT Vehicle space is limited so its FCFS Please RSVP by September 17th

\$6 admission fee that you will pay day of at the location

Any questions call 270-932-5311 or visit Katelyn the extension office.

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-JEWELRY

-HANDMADE CRAFT
ITEMS

-BAKED GOODS PHOTOGRAPHY (1) -CANDY -AND SO MUCH MORE

APPLICATIONS ARE ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS!



APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND AT THE QR CODE OR AT THE GREEN COUNTY EXTENSION

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#### COOKING FROM THE CALENDAR

Grits, Green & Eggs Bowl

Banana Pancakes





September 18<sup>th</sup> 2025 at 12pm CDT

Call Green Co Extension Office at 270-932-5311 to register

#### COOKING FROM THE CALENDAR

Cheesy Pumpkin Pasta Bake



October 9th 2025 at 12pm CDT

Call Green Co Extension Office at 270-932-5311 to register



# FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL

Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> 2025 1PM-4PM CDT FACE PAINTING, PUMPKIN DECORATING, CARNIVAL



<u>GAMES, & MORE</u>











We are still accepting organizations to set up carnival style booths!

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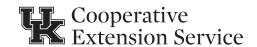


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# **ADULT**

# **HEALTH BULLETIN**



## SEPTEMBER 2025

Download this and past issues of the Adult, Youth, Parent, and Family Caregiver Health Bulletins: http://fcs-hes.ca.uky.edu/ content/health-bulletins

### THIS MONTH'S TOPIC

# LEARN HOW TO HELP: **QPR SUICIDE PREVENTION TRAINING**



nicide is a serious public health issue in Kentucky, especially among young people. It's the second leading cause of death for people ages 10 to 34 in our state. The good news is that we can all be part of the solution. The University of Kentucky is working to make sure that every Kentuckian knows how to help someone in a crisis. They're asking a powerful question: If someone you loved were struggling, would you know what to do?

Many people don't. That's where QPR comes in. **QPR stands for Question**, Persuade, and Refer. These are three simple steps that anyone can learn to help

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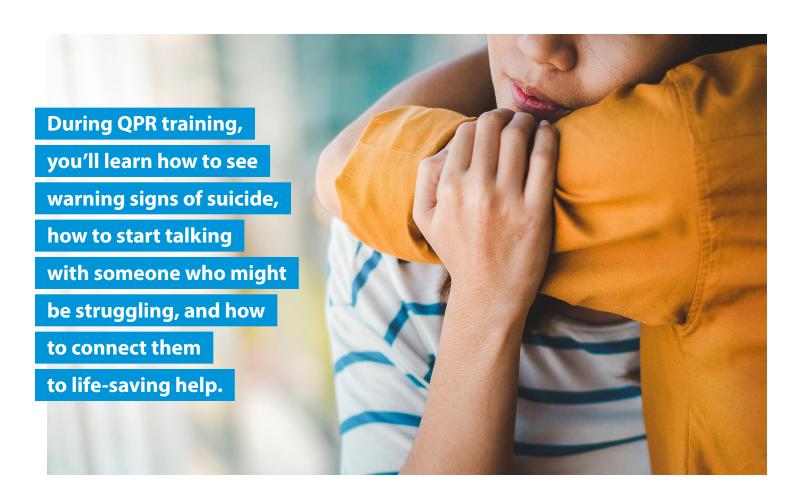
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someone who might be thinking about suicide. It's similar to CPR, which is used in heart emergencies. Just like CPR can save lives, QPR can help save someone going through a mental health crisis.

The QPR training is quick and easy. It's free, it's online, and it only takes about 30 minutes to complete. During the training, you'll learn how to see warning signs of suicide, how to start talking with someone who might be struggling, and how to connect them to life-saving help.

The University of Kentucky and the Healthy Kentucky Initiative are encouraging everyone to take the training, especially during September, which is Suicide Prevention Month. The more people who learn QPR, the stronger the safety net becomes for those at risk.

Whether it's a friend, family member, or someone in your community, you have the power to make a difference. QPR gives you the tools to help when it matters most. You can take

the free QPR training now at **kyqpr.ukhc.org**.

Also important to know, **Kentuckians in crisis** can now connect with suicide prevention, mental health, and substance use counselors using a nationwide, easier-to-dial phone number

— **988.** This service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year, at no charge. Callers to 988 connect with a compassionate, highly trained counselor who can help address their issues as smoothly as possible. You can also call anonymously on behalf of someone else or to obtain information about options for helping someone in need.

If you or someone you know is in crisis, please reach out for help.

#### **REFERENCES:**

- https://988.ky.gov
- https://kyqpr.ukhc.org

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# Easy Peach Cobbler

1/2 cup whole wheat flour 11/2 cups sugar (divided) 1/2 cup all purpose flour

11/2 teaspoons baking powder

1 pinch salt

1 cup skim milk

1/2 cup unsalted butter 4 cups fresh peeled

peaches, sliced

1 tablespoon lemon juice

1 teaspoon ground nutmeg or cinnamon

1. Preheat the oven to 375° F. Combine mixture. Do not stir. Sprinkle with the flour, baking powder, salt and ¾ cup sugar in a large mixing bowl. Add the milk and mix only until the dry ingredients are wet.

2. Melt the butter and pour into a 13 x 9 inch baking dish or pan. Add the flour mixture on top of the butter. Do not stir.

In a saucepan, heat the peaches, ¾ cup sugar and lemon juice until the sugar is dissolved and the peaches are coated. Pour evenly over the flour nutmeg or cinnamon.

4. Bake for 40 minutes or until crust is golden brown. Remove from oven and serve warm.

Yield: 12 servings.

Nutritional Analysis:: 190 calories, 8g fat, 5g saturated.fat, 80 mg sodium, 20mg cholesterol, 32g carbohydrate, 1g fiber, 24g sugar, 2q protein.

Buying Kentucky Proud is easy. Look for the label at your grocery store, farmers' market, or roadside stand.