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Month	Activity	Adult	Families	Youth	Affiliate	Details	Leader
January							
5	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
6	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
7	Bald Knob Artist Meeting				x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
9	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library	Sharon Davidson
12	Lake Players Acting Class	x				Westlake Cinema 6 to 9 pm \$65/\$75	Matt Karris
13	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
15	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
16	SML Gives	x				Resurrection Catholic Church, 1 pm meeting	Carla Fosbre
19	Lake Players Acting Class	x		x		Westlake Cinema 6 to 9 pm \$65/\$75	Matt Karris
21	Art of Pasta Making	x				11:00 AM To 2:00 PM at Kaleidoscope \$40/\$35.	Stephen Blancett
23	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish	Sharon Davidson
26	Lake Players Acting Class	x		x		Westlake Cinema 6 to 9 pm \$65/\$75	Matt Karris
27	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
29	Bedford Chamber Expo	x	x	x		Bedford Welcome Center	Neal Howes
February							
2	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
2	Lake Players Acting Class	x		x		Westlake Cinema 6 to 9 pm \$65/\$75	Matt Karris
3	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
4	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
9	Lake Players Acting Class	x				Westlake Cinema 6 to 9 pm \$65/\$75	Matt Karris
10	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music	x		x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
13	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
16	Lake Players Acting Class	x				Westlake Cinema 6 to 9 pm \$65/\$75	Matt Karris
17	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins

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19	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
23	interview for Sharon Davidson					WSET 12:30 show - channel 13	Sharon Davidson
24	Lake players acting class	x				presentation Westlake Cinema 7 to 9 PM	Matt Karris
24	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
27	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
27,28	Noises Off - Little Town Players				x	Little Town Players, Bedford, VA	
March							
1	Noises Off - Little Town Players				x	Little Town Players, Bedford, VA	
2	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
2,3	Bonnie and Clyde auditions	x		x		Monday and Tuesday 6:30 to 8:30 PM Call backs by invitation March 5th .	Matt Karris
3	Art Fair Planning					12:30 - 2:30 - Dunham's house	Rob Dunham
3	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
3	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
4	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
5	Call backs for Bonnie and Clyde audition	x		x		tbd	Matt Karris
6	Sockhop Planning Meeting	x				SMLA Office 10 am	
6,7,8	Noises Off - Little Town Players				x	Little Town Players, Bedford, VA	
9	Rehearsals begin for Bonnie and Clyde	x		x		tbd	Matt Karris
9	Art Supply Swap	x	x	x	x	Kaleidoscope, 4 - 6 pm, set up at 3:15	Lisa-Jo Dunham/Brenda Sherry/ Diane W.
10	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music	x		x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
10	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
13	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson

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14	Lake Writers Meet and Greet about Anthology: It Started With a Shot	x	x			4-6 pm at Read Between the Wines, Union Hall 11970 Old Franklin Tpk, Union Hall 24176	Sharon Davidson
17	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music	x		x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
17	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
18	SML Gives	x	x	x	x	Non Profit Fair 2 - 5 pm at Resurrection Catholic Church	Carla Fosbre
19	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
21	Appalachian Folk Music	x	x	x		7-9 pm at Kaleidoscope	Jim Mullins and Carla Fosbre
21	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey
24	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music	x		x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
24	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
26	Bedford Chamber Event	x				Bedford Welcome Center 4-6 pm	
26	Pilates	x		x		6:30 - 7:30 pm, Kaleidoscope, ages 16+	Brenda and Kelly/ Renee Beerman instructor.
27	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
31	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
April							
1	Bald Knob Artist Meeting				x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
6	Photo Club Meeting		x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
7	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
10	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
14	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
14	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music			x		Gereau Center - 4 pm	Jim Mullins
16	SM Arts Council Board Meeting					Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown

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21	JAM - Junior Appalachian Music Program	x		x		Gereau Center	Jim Mullins
21	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey
21	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
24	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
28	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
28	Chambers Business ExPo	x	x	x		Eastlake Church 3-7 pm	Sheridan Brown
30	Bonnie and Clyde the Musical Preview show	x	x			Westlake Cinema 7:30 pm	Matt Karris
May							
1,2	Bonnie and Clyde the Musical	x	x			Westlake Cinema 7:30 pm	Matt Karris
3	Bonnie and Clyde the Musical	x	x			Sunday 2pm	Matt Karris
4	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
5	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
6	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
8	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
8,9,10	Camelot					Little Town players, Bedford	
8,9	Bonnie and Clyde the Musical	x				Westlake Cinema 7:30 pm	Matt Karris
10	Bonnie and Clyde the Musical					Sunday 2pm	Matt Karris
12	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
15, 16, 17	Camelot					Little Town players, Bedford	
15-18	Photo Show	x	x	x	x	Kaleidoscope	Kathryn Orth
19	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
21	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
22	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
26	Lakeside Singers Rehearsal	x				Tuesdays 5:30 - 7:30, BUMC	Michelle Bartsch
TBD	Scholarships distributed			x		presentations to schools	Diane Wallace
TBD	Line Dancing Class	x				TBD	Angela Lancaster

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June							
1	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
3	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
5	Lakeside singers Concert	x				7 pm, Radford Baptist Church	Michelle Bartsch
6	Lakeside singers Concert	x				2 pm Radford Baptist Church	Michelle Bartsch
11, 12, 13, 14	Songwriters Festival	x	x		x	Various music events around town	Hooks Lines and Singers - Laurie Anderson
12	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
18	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
20	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Lisa-Jo??
26	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
July							
1	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
6	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
10	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
18	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey
17- 19	Pirate Days Weekend	x	x				SML Chamber of Commerce
24	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
27-31	Summer Youth Arts Camp	x		x		Kaleidoscope	Karen DeBord
TBD	Writing Class	x		x		TBD	Sharon Davidson or Jim Morrison

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August							
3	Photo Club Meeting	x				Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
5	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
14	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
15	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey
28	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
September							
2	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
5	60th Lake Birthday Sock Hop/ Boomers concert	x	x	x		"Sock Hop" with the Boomers - give away socks?? YMCA, Moneta	BrendaSherry Brown
7	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
11	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
12	Antique and classic boat show		x			Bridgewater Plaza	
17	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan gone
19	Lakeside Local	x	x	x	x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey
25	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
25, 26, 27	Wine Festival	x				Bernards Landing	
October							
5	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
7	Bald Knob Artist Meeting				x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
TBD	Art show	x	x	x		TBD	Lisa-Jo Dunham
9	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson

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15	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
17	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	James Tarantino
19	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
TBD	SM Arts Council Annual Meeting					TBD	Sheridan Brown
23	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 10 am	Sharon Davidson
November							
2	Photo Club Meeting	x	x			Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
TBD	Wreath Contest and sale?	x					Stephen Blancett, Marion Wetcher?, Carol?
4	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
7	Chili Festival	x	x	x		Bridgewater	Neal Howes
13	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
21	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey
December							
2	Bald Knob Artist Meeting	x			x	First Wednesday of the Month at Rocky Mount Library at 1 pm	Diane Butera
TBD	Gingerbread Event						Diane Wallace
7	Photo Club Meeting	x				Downtown Moneta Library at 7 pm - first Monday of the month	John O'Connell
??	Wiley concert	x	x	x		TBD	
11	Lake Writers Meeting	x				Smith Mountain Lake Library 10 am	Sharon Davidson
17	SM Arts Council Board Meeting	x				Trinity Ecumenical Parish 9 am	Sheridan Brown
19	Lakeside Local	x	x		x	Halesford Center, 16483 Moneta Road, Moneta. 10 am - 2 pm	Celeste Bailey

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February							
March							
April							
May							
x	Photo Show	x	x	x	x		??
TBD	Scholarships distributed			x		presentations to schools	Diane Wallace
June							
	Lakeside singers Concert	x				7 pm, Radford Baptist Church	Michelle Bartsch
??	Songwriters Festival						
July							
end of	Kids Art Camp						
	Pirate Days Weekend	x	x				SML Chamber of Commerce
summer	Expo/Arts Festival						Marcia Malconian-vendors
August							
September							
	Wine Festival	x				Bernards Landing	
	Antique and classic boat show		x			Bridgewater Plaza	
October							
November							
7	Chili Festival	x	x	x		Bridgewater	Neal Howes
December							
??	Wiley concert	x	x	x		TBD	