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PROGRAM BROCHURE



Southern
Legislative
Conference



saturday

07.11.2026

Youth Lounge

12:00 PM – 5:00 PM

The Youth Lounge is open daily and provides a relaxing spot to grab refreshments and take a load off.



sunday

07.12.2026

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

(all ages)

Youth Lounge

The Youth Lounge is a great spot for kids! Enjoy a snack, play games and make friends with kids from other states!

8:00 AM – 12:30 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 13–17)

Shaker Village Candle-Making Experience

Step back into Shaker history at Pleasant Hill, where participants explore how the Shakers used beeswax and honey as part of daily life. Guided by on-site staff, this hands-on experience introduces traditional candle-making over an open flame, using historic techniques while highlighting the craftsmanship and traditions that defined the Shaker community.

8:30 AM – 2:00 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 13–17)

Mega Cavern Underground Glow Zip Line Experience

Experience the world's only fully underground zip line course at Louisville Mega Cavern, reimagined with a glow-in-the-dark twist. This guided adventure sends riders soaring through illuminated caverns filled with color, light and music, creating a high-energy journey beneath the city. Participants must weigh between 55 and 280 pounds, wear closed-toe shoes, and dress comfortably for underground temperatures ranging from 58 to 60 degrees.

9:00 AM – 2:30 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 13–17)

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(ages 6–12)

Activate Games

Enter the world's first active gaming facility, where movement and problem-solving drive the experience. Participants jump, climb, and strategize through a series of technology-driven challenge rooms that respond in real time, creating an energetic and collaborative adventure built around teamwork and physical activity.

10:00 AM – 3:00 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 13–17)

Fun Float on Elkhorn Creek

Glide through a secluded, wildlife-rich section of Elkhorn Creek on the Fun Float, a scenic canoe and kayak adventure ideal for nature lovers and outdoor enthusiasts. Drift past rock-bottom riffles, calm pools, and wooded valleys while taking in the beauty of Kentucky's waterways. Guests should bring clothing that can get wet, a change of clothes, sunscreen, hats, and sunglasses. A signed waiver is required for all participants.

11:50 AM – 1:10 PM *(includes travel time)*

(all ages)

McConnell Springs Guided Nature Walk

Take a guided hike along the trails of McConnell Springs Park, the historic site where Lexington was founded. Follow scenic paths past springs, woodlands, and natural features while learning about the area's history and significance. This experience combines outdoor adventure with an immersive look at the city's roots.

12:45 PM – 3:15 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 13–17)

Battle Axes Adventure Park

Step into an action-filled destination where adrenaline and entertainment come together at Battle Axes Adventure Park. From high-speed go-kart racing and zip lines to bowling, axe throwing, and a rage room, this all-in-one venue offers a dynamic mix of experiences designed to keep the energy high. Go-kart participants must meet a minimum height requirement of 58 inches, and closed-toe shoes are required for participation.

1:45 PM – 3:15 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 6–12)

Ninja Athletic Training Experience

Test agility, strength, and coordination on a dynamic ninja-style course designed to challenge and inspire. Participants move through a series of obstacles that encourage physical skill-building, problem-solving, and perseverance in a structured, safety-focused environment.

2:00 PM – 5:00 PM *(includes travel time)*

(ages 6–12)

Sky Zone

Sky Zone is an indoor active entertainment and trampoline park featuring wall-to-wall interconnected trampolines, foam pits, ninja warrior courses, and ultimate dodgeball.

monday

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(ages 13–17)

Old Friends Equine Retirement Farm

Explore Old Friends, a sanctuary for retired Thoroughbreds, and discover the stories of these once-celebrated horses. Learn about their racing and breeding careers, the importance of equine aftercare, and experience the joy of feeding the horses during a guided tour.

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10:45 AM – 2:00 PM (includes travel time)

(all ages)

Rail Explorers Adventure

Pedal an electrically powered railbike through the heart of Kentucky along the Bluegrass Scenic Railroad in Versailles. Ride past thoroughbred farms, cruise through limestone cuts, and enjoy sweeping views of the Kentucky River Valley, Young's High Bridge, and Wild Turkey Distillery. Participants weighing less than 50 pounds are provided a special seat.

12:30 PM – 4:30 PM (includes travel time)

(all ages)

Malibu Jack's Indoor Adventure Park

Step into nonstop indoor fun at Malibu Jack's, featuring go-karts, laser tag, mini golf, arcade games, and more. This all-weather venue combines excitement, friendly competition, and interactive play, ensuring every visit is packed with laughter and energy. Height restrictions apply by activity, and all participants must wear closed-toe shoes.

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1:30 PM – 3:15 PM (includes travel time)

(ages 13–17)

Breakout Games: MONOPOLY Escape Room

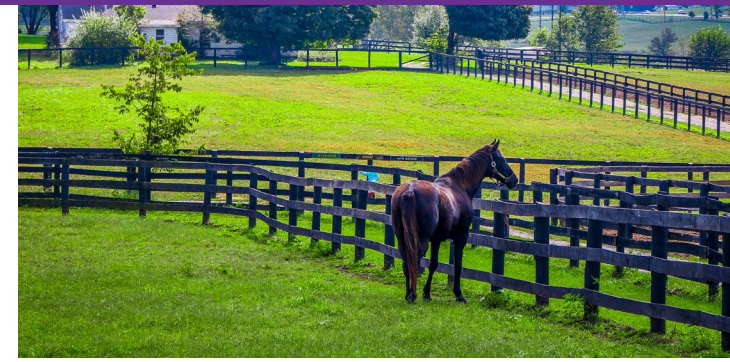
Step into the iconic world of MONOPOLY and test your wits in this thrilling escape room adventure. Solve puzzles, outsmart challenges, and "Get Out of Jail" before time runs out in a fast-paced, immersive experience. Perfect for fans of the classic game, this adventure combines teamwork, strategy, and nonstop excitement.

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM (NIGHT TIME)

(all ages)

Gattitown Fun Center

Step into Gattitown, a 30,000-square-foot entertainment center packed with excitement. Enjoy more than 150 video and redemption games, bumper cars, a full-size carousel, a drop ride, VR attractions, and an indoor playground. Participants must be at least 42 inches tall to ride the bumper cars and drop ride.



tuesday

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Red River Gorge Underground Kayak Adventure

Experience the world's only fully underground zip line. Paddle through a century-old flooded limestone mine in Kentucky's Red River Gorge. Explore historic tunnels, spot fossils and rainbow trout, and enjoy crystal-clear waters in a cool, 50–55 degree environment. Participants remain seated for the full hour while wearing helmets and headlamps and following safety instructions from guides.

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(all ages; all tours are set time)

Ale-8-One Factory Tour

Step inside the historic home of Ale-8-One and discover how Kentucky's iconic soft drink has been crafted for nearly a century. This behind-the-scenes experience introduces the brand's history, production process, and lasting place in Kentucky culture, offering an engaging look at a local favorite that has been enjoyed for generations.

9:15 AM – 3:45 PM (includes travel time)

(ages 13–17. *Anyone 17 or younger must be with an adult 18yrs or older)

Boone Creek Outdoors Zip Line & Challenge Course

Experience the thrill of Boone Creek Outdoors with a canopy tour and challenge course set in a stunning natural gorge. Glide across six zip lines, three sky bridges, and unique aerial obstacles while taking in perspectives of the hardwood forest and Boone Creek otherwise impossible



to reach. Participants must weigh at least 70 pounds for the zip line portion of the adventure.

10:45 AM – 1:00 PM (includes travel time)

(all ages; all tours are set time)

Ale-8-One Factory Tour

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11:00 AM – 2:45 PM (includes travel time)

(ages 6–12)

Salato Wildlife Education Center

Discover more than 40 native Kentucky species at Salato Wildlife Education Center, from black bears and bald eagles to bobcats and elk. Explore engaging habitats, learn fascinating facts about local wildlife, and enjoy an educational experience designed to inspire curiosity and wonder.

12:30 PM – 4:30 PM (includes travel time)

(ages 6–12)

Monkey Joe's Indoor Play

Bounce, climb, and race through expansive inflatable play zones at Monkey Joe's. This high-energy indoor adventure challenges agility, encourages friendly competition, and provides endless opportunities for active fun, teamwork, and laughter in a safe, all-weather environment.

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Main Event Entertainment

Step into Main Event, where classic games meet immersive social VR challenges. Test your skills on laser tag, gravity ropes, and other attractions in a dynamic space designed for fun, teamwork, and excitement.

6:00 PM – 10:00 PM (NIGHT TIME)
(all ages)

LexArts

Ready to create, move, and taste something new? Dive into the ultimate evening of activities designed just for you. You will master the latest TikTok dances, break science limits with epic STEM hacks, design custom art projects, and whip up delicious foodie snacks. Don’t miss out on the fun.



