

## **Cherokee County, Kansas Calendar of Events**

- September 28, 2017: Ag Expo from 10 am to 6 pm  
4-H Building, 114 W. Country Road, Columbus, KS  
Contact: Columbus Chamber of Commerce at 620-429-1492
- September 28, 2017: Harvest Fest with Crafts/Music/Food/Fun from 5 to 7 pm  
Johnston Public Library, 210 W. 10<sup>th</sup>, Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: 620-856-5591
- September 29 –  
October 1, 2017: Steel Guitar Rendezvous  
Baxter Springs Community Building at East & 11th  
Contact: Lee Ogle at 620-284-1420.
- September 30, 2017: Miss Columbus Pageant  
CUHS Auditorium, Columbus, KS  
Contact: Columbus Chamber of Commerce at 620-429-1492
- October 1, 2017: Mother Road Marathon  
Baxter Springs – Riverton – Galena  
Contact: Twelveone Race Management at 417-434-0862  
<https://localraces.com/twelveone/the-mother-road-marathon>
- October 6, 2017: Really Fast Car Reunion Show with Kyle Ogle, Dru Weaver, & Trent Faulkner  
from 8 to 11:30 pm  
Red Ball Bar & Grill, 539 W. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Red Ball Bar & Grill at 620-856-2020
- October 7, 2017: City Wide Garage Sale  
Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Baxter Springs Chamber of Commerce at 620-856-3131
- October 6-8, 2017: Hot Air Balloon Regatta  
Columbus, KS  
Contact: Columbus Chamber of Commerce at 620-429-1492  
[www.columbusdayballoons.com](http://www.columbusdayballoons.com)
- October 7, 2017: Columbus Day Festival  
Columbus, KS  
Contact: Columbus Chamber of Commerce at 620-429-1492

- October 7, 2017: Artist Reception with T.D. Scott from 4 to 6 pm  
Maple UnCommon Guest House & Gallery, 120 E. Maple, Columbus, KS  
Contact: Laura Lowry-Greene 620-429-3130  
ARTWORK WILL BE ON DISPLAY THROUGHOUT SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER.
- October 7, 2017: Run Like a Girl 5K & Fun Run  
Galena, KS  
<https://localraces.com/twelveone/run-like-a-girl-5k-and-fun-run-2017>
- October 7, 2017: October Fest from 12 to 7 pm  
200 Front Street, Galena, KS  
Music, pumpkin decorating contest, food, & craft vendors.  
Contact: Renee at 620-783-5265
- October 13-15, 2017: The Addams Family Musical at 7 pm Friday & Saturday and 2:30 pm Sunday  
Galena High School Performing Arts Center  
<https://cherokee-county-arts.ticketleap.com/addams-family/>
- October 14, 2017: Baxter Springs Lions Club Fall Pancake Feed from 6:00 to 10:00 am  
14<sup>th</sup> & Park, Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Mabelle Smith at [lionmachellesmith@gmail.com](mailto:lionmachellesmith@gmail.com)
- October 14, 2017: City Wide Garage Sale  
Galena, KS  
Contact: City Hall at 620-783-5265
- October 14, 2017: Baxter Springs Cruise Night starting at 6 pm  
Monarch Pharmacy, 1601 Military Ave., Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: KMO Cruisers Car Club at  
<https://www.facebook.com/KMO-Cruisers-Car-Club-291589261291736/>
- October 21, 2017: Coffee & Canvas – Art Class with Hannah Plank at 10:30 am & 2:30 pm  
Angels on the Route, 1143 Military Ave., Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: 620-856-2266  
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- October 31, 2017: Halloween Walk on the Square from 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm  
Columbus, KS  
Contact: Columbus Chamber of Commerce at 620-429-1492
- October 31, 2017: Trunk or Treat at 6:00 pm  
211 W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Galena, KS  
Contact: City Hall at 620-783-5265
- November 11, 2017: Veteran's Day Celebration, Parade, Memorial Service and Lunch  
Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Charlene at 620-429-0190

- November 11, 2017: See Spot Run! Event Sponsored by C.J. Foods, Inc.  
8:30 am – Pet Parade and Fun Run (1K)  
9:00 am – 5K Mutt Strut & 9K for Canines  
Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Ron Tucker at 620-856-2091  
<https://localraces.com/cjfoods/>
- November 18, 2017: Coffee & Canvas – Art Class with Hannah Plank at 10:30 am & 2:30 pm  
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- November 29, 2017: Christmas Parade and Celebration  
Columbus, KS  
Contact: Columbus Chamber of Commerce at 620-429-1492
- December 2, 2017: Christmas Parade  
Riverton, KS
- December 2, 2017: Christmas Parade  
Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Baxter Springs Chamber of Commerce at 620-856-3131
- December 2, 2017: Christmas Parade  
Galena, KS
- December 2, 2017: Baxter Springs Lions Club Holiday Arts & Crafts Fair from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm  
14th & Park, Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Mabelle Smith at [lionmachellesmith@gmail.com](mailto:lionmachellesmith@gmail.com)
- December 10, 2017: Kris Kringle Market on Route 66 from 2 to 6 pm  
200 Front Street, Galena, KS  
Seasonal craft vendors, music, food, and a few special guest appearances.
- January 28 –  
March 5, 2018: Snowball Classic XX Youth Basketball Tournament  
Columbus, KS
- January 27 & 28: 4th Grade Divisions  
February 3 & 4: 2nd & 3rd Grade Divisions  
February 10 & 11: 5th Grade Division  
February 17 & 18: 6th Grade Division  
February 24 & 25: Junior High Girls Division  
March 3 & 4: Junior High Boys Division

March 10, 2018: Baxter Springs Lions Club Spring Pancake Feed from 6:00 to 10:00 am  
14<sup>th</sup> & Park, Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Mabelle Smith at [lionmablesmith@gmail.com](mailto:lionmablesmith@gmail.com)

March 30, 2018: Big Brutus Easter Egg Hunt at 3:30 pm  
6509 NW 60th St., West Mineral, KS  
Contact: 620-827-6177

April 1, 2018: Easter Sunrise Service at Big Brutus at 6:30 am  
6509 NW 60th St., West Mineral, KS  
Contact: 620-827-6177

May 5, 2018: Cowtown Spring Fling  
Baxter Springs, KS  
Contact: Jeff McCandless at 620-674-2310

May 31 –  
June 2, 2018: Galena Days  
Galena, KS  
Contact: Bill Hall at 620-783-5184

June 2, 2018: Miner's Day Reunion at Big Brutus starting at 1 pm  
6509 NW 60th St., West Mineral, KS  
Contact: 620-827-6177

August 25, 2018: Big Brutus Polka Fest at 7:00 pm  
6509 NW 60th St., West Mineral, KS  
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