

Spring 2021



# HIGGINS

CENTER FOR NONPROFITS

*Quarterly Newsletter*



*New Conference Table in the John and Linda Kelly Community Room*

## HIGGINS CENTER ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Weekly Virtual Discussions

Each Wednesday at 10 a.m. over Zoom, nonprofit professionals and those interested in supporting nonprofit development come together for a one hour round table discussion. Guest Speakers come on to share about opportunities for nonprofits to grow.

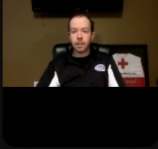
### Upcoming Roundtable Speakers - 10:00 a.m. on Zoom

4/21 - Cassie Lain  
4/28 - Janie Hurt  
5/5 - Shannon Sales  
5/12 - Jennifer Capps  
5/19 - Courtney Morton



### Volunteers Needed:

We will be looking for people to man a desk in the Higgins Center lobby when COVID restrictions start lifting. If you are interested please call 270-842-2259 or email [ashley@kykob.org](mailto:ashley@kykob.org)

For more information and to see what's going on visit [higginscenter.org](http://higginscenter.org)



**For the Serious**  
Shure SM58 & RODEcaster Board



Cameron Coats from WOVU 106.3 presenting on Audio as a community building tool.



*Cameron Coats - WOVO 106.3  
March 10, 2021 speaker*



*Janette Boehman - WBKO Sales  
March 17, 2021 speaker*



*Savannah Crystal - HeartSpeak Naturals  
March 31, 2021 speaker*



*Max Marley - Success Principles  
April 7, 2021 speaker*

"Service to others is  
the rent you pay  
for your room here  
on Earth"  
- Muhammad Ali

## HIGGINS CENTER MERCHANDISE



Higgins Center  
Merchandise is available!  
Would you like a tote bag, a  
baseball cap, or a comfy  
shirt with the Higgins  
Center logo on it? Email  
[ashley@kykob.org](mailto:ashley@kykob.org) to place  
your order!

## KY KIDS ON THE BLOCK

Kids on the Block is looking for new members to join their Youth Board! If you know a student in grades 3-6 that's looking for a fun way to serve their community, email [katie@kykob.org](mailto:katie@kykob.org)

The purpose of our Youth Board is to introduce children to philanthropy at an early age with the hope of them continuing to be engaged as they grow up. Our Youth Board view the Kids on the Block programs, sharing their reactions and opinions on what they liked, what they didn't like, the puppets' clothes, and whether the wording in the script is up to date. The Youth Board also helps prepare for Kids on the Block activities, by filling goody bags or eggs for our events, volunteer at our kids runs, and participate in the Bowling Green and Glasgow Christmas parades.







# VOLUNTEER OF THE QUARTER

Hannah Barahona has served on the Higgins Center Building Committee and on the Kids on the Block Board of Directors since 2018.



She volunteers her time and offers her real estate expertise, keeping the building consistently at full capacity for the last two years. Under Hannah's leadership, the Higgins Center maintains a waiting list for available space. She currently is overseeing updates of the lobby and John and Linda Kelly community room. The Higgins Center currently houses eight nonprofits and four other businesses, while also being a place for several other local nonprofits to hold meetings. We are thankful for Hannah's commitment to giving nonprofits affordable space in the heart of Bowling Green and development opportunities that will help their missions grow.

*"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."*  
- Mahatma Gandhi

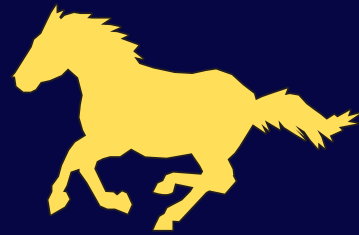
# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

## New Beginnings Therapeutic Riding:

Rider & Volunteer Orientation

April 17th, 2021

9:00 AM - 10:30 at 600 Bill Ferguson Rd



Individuals that would like to learn more about our program and want to volunteer, must attend this orientation. For more information contact 270.777.3600.

## Phoenix Rising:



Mark your calendars for Eeeyore's Birthday Bash on Saturday April 17, 2021

Join us to build community, spread awareness for Phoenix Rising, and celebrate everyone's favorite donkey at the Higgins Center for Nonprofits!





The Lord Chamberlain is commanded by  
The Queen and Lord Keebler, the Duke of Phoenix Rising to invite

*All Community Subjects are Welcome*

to the Marriage of  
His Royal Highness, The Duke of Keebler  
with  
Lady Deanna Megan Ewing  
at The Historic Railpark  
on Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> of June, 2021 at 7:00 pm

Preregistration is required  
Tickets are available NOW  
at [www.phoenixrisingky.org](http://www.phoenixrisingky.org)

Annual  
**JEWEL  
Heist**  


All proceeds benefit Phoenix Rising,  
a local nonprofit organization serving kids  
affected by sex trafficking and exploitation.



## Down Syndrome of South Central KY:

Duffing for Down Syndrome

May 10, 2021

(Rain date: May 17)

Bowling Green Country Club

Check in: 8:30 a.m.

Shotgun Start: 10:00 a.m.

Team Registration \$400

Includes 4 players, 18 holes, breakfast, lunch, 2 drink tickets, and a goody bag!

Register before it's too late!



THE LAST TUESDAY OF EVERY  
MONTH:

# GROUP ACTION

- Education
- Free Meals
- Self-Care Kits
- Guest Speakers
- Independent Living Skills
- Social Interaction & Peer Support
- Community Resources & Partnerships



5:30-7:30 PM

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For the teens in  
your life!



## Current Higgins Center Tenants - Nonprofits



American  
Red Cross



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of kentuckiana



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Community  
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Glory Baby



KENTUCKIANS FOR THE  
COMMONWEALTH  
35 YEARS OF ACTION FOR JUSTICE



## Other businesses

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SmartSteps

