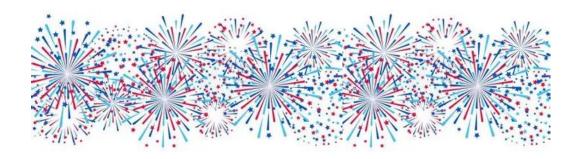


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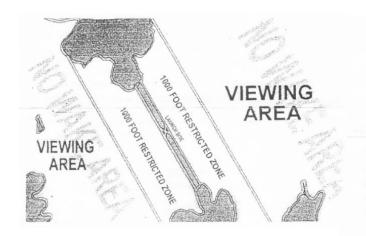
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Lake Anna Fireworks Display



Saturday, July 5th, at 9:20
Dike 2
View the show from either side of Dike 2

For your safety and the safety of others:

- Use bow and stern lights when moving, stern only when stopped.
- · Note on map THE VIEWING AREA IS A NO-WAKE ZONE.
- · Outside the no-wake zone, practice safety and courtesy toward others.
- Understand wakes the worst is produced at speeds of 2-15 mph.
- Please use spot lights sparingly, they can disrupt night vision to other boaters.

Jerdone Island Association, Inc. Picnic

We had a good turnout for the picnic on June 28th. Thanks to Allan Perry and the Board of Directors for a great BBQ!



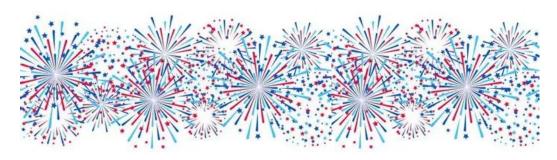














Lake Anna Wellness Studio



Did you know that the Valere Real Estate building at 9942 Kentucky Springs road houses the Lake Anna Wellness Studio? This studio holds classes regularly for yoga, aerial yoga, and pilates. They also have a gym and provide personalized training.

Find more information here: https://lakeannawellnessstudio.com/

Volunteering Louisa

Have you thought about doing volunteer work but you're not sure where to start? Volunteering Louisa matches volunteers with the organizations that need them. Whether you are looking for opportunities to make a positive impact on our community or an agency looking for volunteers, Volunteering Louisa is there to help!

Find more information here:

https://louisaresource.org/programs-and-services/volunteering-louisa/

Community Yard Sale

Unfortunately, we had zero responses to the June newsletter suggestion for a community yard sale to be held on August 5 so that yard sale will NOT take place.



Callie Opie's Orchard (4533 Zachary Taylor Highway, Mineral) will hold a **Pre-4th-of-July concert and fireworks** show from 6:00 to 9:30 p.m featuring Significant Others. Bring a lawn chair and stay for fireworks after the concert, weather permitting. Cover charge is \$10.

July 8-12

Mineral Volunteer Fire Department will host the **Mineral City Carnival** Tuesday, July 8, through Saturday, July 12 at Walton Park, 201 E 5th Street, Mineral. Gates open at 6:00 p.m. daily and close at 11:00 p.m.

Friday, July 12

The **Mineral City Parade** will leave the Mineral Volunteer Fire Department fire station (201 E 1st Street, Mineral) at 6:00 p.m. and travel to Walton Park (201 E 5th Street, Mineral) via Mineral Ave. The parade may be delayed due to weather. Announcements will be made on Facebook: <u>facebook.com/mv2fd</u>.

Friday, July 18

Louisa County Historical Society will present "From Headlines to History: True Crime in Louisa County." Journey with the past CV staff to explore the most gripping true crime stories ever reported in The Central Virginian. This event will run from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Sargeant Museum, 214 Fredericksburg Avenue, Louisa. For more information, call 540-967-5975.

July 26, August 15, September 27, October 17, November 22

Flotilla 87, Lake Anna, will hold a **free safe boating class** throughout the rest of 2025. The class is NASBLA approved and satisfies the Virginia safe boating requirement for operating a boat or PWC (jetski) on the waterways of Virginia. To register for any of these class dates, please email Jean at jeanmccor12@gmail.com or call 571-236-5247.

Fridays: August 15, October 17, Louisa County Library, 881 Davis Hwy, Mineral, 4:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Saturdays: July 26, September 27, November 22, Mt Pleasant Methodist Church, 3091 Mt Pleasant Church Rd, Louisa, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Fun for Creative Minds meets monthly each 3rd Tuesday from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Louisa County Library (881 Davis Hwy, Mineral). This gathering is suitable for ages 18 to 100+. Activities may include parlor and board games, guided discussions, talent shows, scavenger hunts and other creative pursuits. Free and open to all—just bring your imagination. Inquiries may be emailed to xialowei@aol.com.

Writers Unite is an informal gathering of people who write or would like to begin writing. They meet at the Louisa County Library (881 Davis Hwy, Mineral) on the 4th Thursday of each month from 4 to 5:45 p.m. Join them to read, write, share, play writing games, and discuss writing habits and strategies.

Upcoming Events

- July 2, 2:00 pm Write In Louisa at Louisa Arts Center <u>louisaarts.org/write-in-louisa</u>
- July 3, 4-9:00 pm Country American at Lake Anna Winery
- July 5, 9:00 pm Lake Anna Civic Association Fireworks at dike 2
- July 5, 10:00 am Cowboy Critters & Crafts at Ohana Horse Farm in Louisa
- July 7 11, 5 7 pm 2025 Kid's Cadet Academy at Locust Creek Vol Fire Dept.
- July 8 12 Mineral City Carnival
- July 11-12, 8:00 am 1:00 pm Indoor Yard Sale at Mineral United Methodist Church
- July 12 Professional Rodeo at Oakland Heights Farm in Gordonsville
- July 25, 4:00 pm Cruise in at Century Farm Market at 1632 Daniel Road, Louisa
- July 26, 9:00 am Indoor/Outdoor Flea Market at 16388 Competition Drive, Culpeper
- July 31 Aug 2 Louisa County Fair at Walton Park
- August 2 Holly Grove Fire Department Annual Seafood Dinner
- September 20, 2025 Lake Anna Bluegrass Festival at Coyote Hole
- October 11, 11:00 am Empty Bowls for Louisa Humane Society at Fifty-third Winery
- October 11, 10:00 am Fall Festival at Walton Park, Mineral

Louisa Arts Center: https://www.tix.com/ticket-sales/louisaartslist/7011

Riverside Theater: https://www.riversidedt.com/box-office

John Paul Jones Arena: https://www.johnpauljonesarena.com/events

Altria Theater: https://www.altriatheater.com/events

The Birchmere Alexandria: https://www.birchmere.com/calendar/

Virginia Repertory Theater: https://va-rep.org/calendar/

Every Wednesday 6:00 pm - Bingo at Coyote Hole Every First Friday 8:00 pm - Lake Anna Comedy Night at Coyote Hole Every Third Friday 7:00 pm - Free Line Dancing Lessons at Coyote Hole

Do you have some news or events to share? Email us at theboard@jerdoneisland.org with a subject line of "newsletter" or post it in the non affiliated public Jerdone Island Lake Anna Facebook group which is privately administered.