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May 2025

Mark Your Calendars!

- Logan County Homemaker Officer Training / Council Meeting is June 18, 2025 @ 10 AM.
- The Logan County Extension Office will be closed May 26, 2025 for the Memorial Day holiday!
- The Logan County Extension Office will be closed June 19, 2025 for the Juneteenth holiday!

Logan County Fair Open Exhibits

If you are interested in entering exhibits in the Logan County Fair here are some important dates to remember:

June 16 & 17 - Exhibits turned in to Extension Office

June 21 - Exhibits on display

June 23 - Exhibits ready for pick up

Please contact the Logan County Extension Office if you have questions about fair exhibits.

Logan County Fair Kick Off Day Quilt Show

Make plans to enter a quilt in the Logan County Fair Kick Off Day Quilt Show on Saturday, June 21, 2025! More details to come!

Officers Training / Council Meeting

Please make plans to attend our officer's training and council meeting on June 18, 2025 at 10 AM at the Logan County Extension Office. All county officers, chairmen, club Presidents, and other club representatives are invited to attend. I will be distributing all new year materials for 2025-2026. Morning refreshments will be provided. I hope to see everyone there!

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FOLLOW THE LOGAN COUNTY EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS **ON FACEBOOK!**

Homemaker Club Meetings

Sew Fun Quilting Homemakers **President Sue Jordan** 270-542-6403 Meets 3rd Saturday 9 AM—3 PM

South Union Meets 2nd Wednesday @ NOON

Neighbors **President Emily Hayes** 270-542-4287 Meets 4th Tuesday @ 11 AM

ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS AT LARGE AND ALL NEW **MEMBERS:**

OUR CLUBS WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU TO ATTEND THE MEETING DAY OF YOUR CHOICE. WHICHEVER WORKS BETTER FOR YOUR BUSY SCHEDULE.

If your club has participated in an outing, event or activity that you would like to highlight in our monthly newsletter please feel free to send me information and pictures!

O & H Homemakers President Donna Washington 270-893-1467 Meets 3rd Monday @ 2:30 PM

Corinth **President Sharon Travis** 270-539-4604 Meets 3rd Thursday @ 10 AM

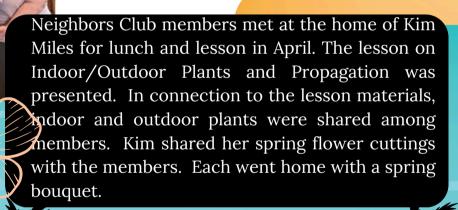
Homemaker Leader Trainings

June Leader Training "Jewelry Making" June 4, 2025 @ 10 AM

Any changes in leader trainings will be announced

Growing and Glowing Edition

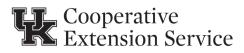
Logan County Homemaker HIGHLIGHTS



Sew Fun Homemakers were having fun at A Place of Grace Quilter's Retreat in Clarkrange, TN in April!



Recipes from the 2025 Food and Nutrition Recipe Calendar



Banana Pancakes



Prep time: 10 minutes Cook time: 20 minutes

- 2 large very ripe bananas
- 1 cup low-fat milk
- 2 tablespoons packed light brown sugar
- 11/2 tablespoons vanilla extract
- 11/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/4 cup chopped pecans or walnuts (optional)
- Nonstick cooking spray

Optional Topping

- Nonfat light vanilla yogurt
- Peanut butter
- Sliced bananas
- Cinnamon
- **1.** Wash hands with warm water and soap, scrubbing for at least 20 seconds.
- 2. Preheat a skillet or griddle on the stove over medium-low heat.
- **3.** In a medium bowl, mash the verv ripe bananas using a fork or masher. Stir in the milk, brown sugar, and vanilla extract. Mix until combined.

- 4. Add the flour, baking powder, salt, and cinnamon. Mix just until the batter is moistened with no drv spots remaining. Batter will be lumpy. Fold in nuts if using.
 - Spray the heated skillet or griddle with nonstick cooking spray. Drop about a 1/4 cup of the batter into sections of the pan and spread out each into a 4-inch round.
- 6. Cook pancakes until bubbles form on top and the edges start to brown, about 6 to 8 minutes. Flip and continue cooking until the bottoms of the pancakes are golden brown and easily release from the pan, about 3 to 4 minutes more.
- Transfer the pancakes to a 7. warm plate. Repeat, cooking the remaining batter.
- To serve, stack 2 pancakes on 8. a plate and top with desired toppings. Serve immediately.
- 9. Refrigerate leftovers within 2 hours.

Makes 8 servings

Serving size: 2 pancakes Cost per recipe: \$9.03 Cost per serving: \$1.13



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Nutrition facts per serving:

140 calories; 0.5g total fat; Og saturated fat; Og trans fat; Omg cholesterol; 85mg sodium; 29g total carbohydrate; 2g dietary fiber; 9g total sugars; 4g added sugars; 3g protein; 0% Daily Value of vitamin D: 15% Daily Value of calcium; 6% Daily Value of iron; 4% Daily Value of potassium

Source:

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May: Mental Health Awareness Month

With so much talk about mental health, there are many people who do not fully understand what mental health is, the right language to use when talking about mental illness, or where to go when they or others need mental health help. May is mental health awareness month. It is the perfect time to talk about mental health and ending mental health stigmas.

What is mental health? According to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), mental health includes our emotional, psychological, and social wellbeing. It affects how we think, feel, and act. It also helps decide how we handle stress, relate to others, and make choices.

What is mental illness? Mental Illness refers to mental health disorders, such as depression, anxiety disorders, and stress-related disorders. These disorders negatively affect how we feel, think, and act.

How can we end the mental health stigma? Before we can end mental health stigma, there are a few things that we must do:

Educate ourselves on mental health, signs of mental illness, and where we can go for help.
Talk openly about mental health and mental illness.

 \cdot Be aware of the language we use.

 \cdot Keep in mind that mental health is just as important as physical health.

 \cdot Show kindness toward those who are experiencing mental illness.

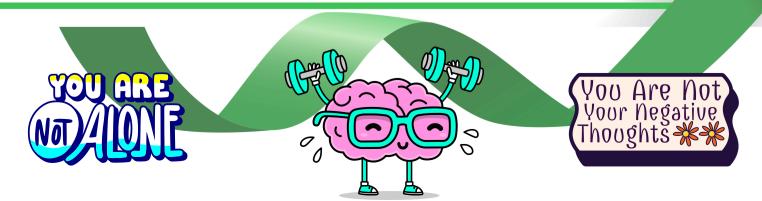
Where can we go when we need mental health help?

There are several places where people can seek mental health help. Websites such as psychologyToday.com and https://findtreatment.gov/ are great starting points. If you are in crisis, you can contact the Suicide and Crisis Lifeline at 988.

Resources: https://www.nami.org/education/9-ways-to-fight-mental-health-stigma/ https://www.samhsa.gov/mental-health

https://www.mayoclinic.org/diseases-conditions/mental-illness/symptoms-causes/syc-20374968

Source: Dr. Natese Dockery, Assistant Clinical Professor and Extension Specialist, Mental Health and Well-being





Logan County Fair

LOGAN COUNTY EXTENSION OFFICE SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 2025 9 AM - 1 PM

Lexington, KY 40506

Quilt Drop Off: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 Quilt Pick Up: Monday, June 23, <u>2025</u>

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