

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 2018 • 4-8pm Corner of Cross Main & Ballard (Behind the Judicial Center)

Why?

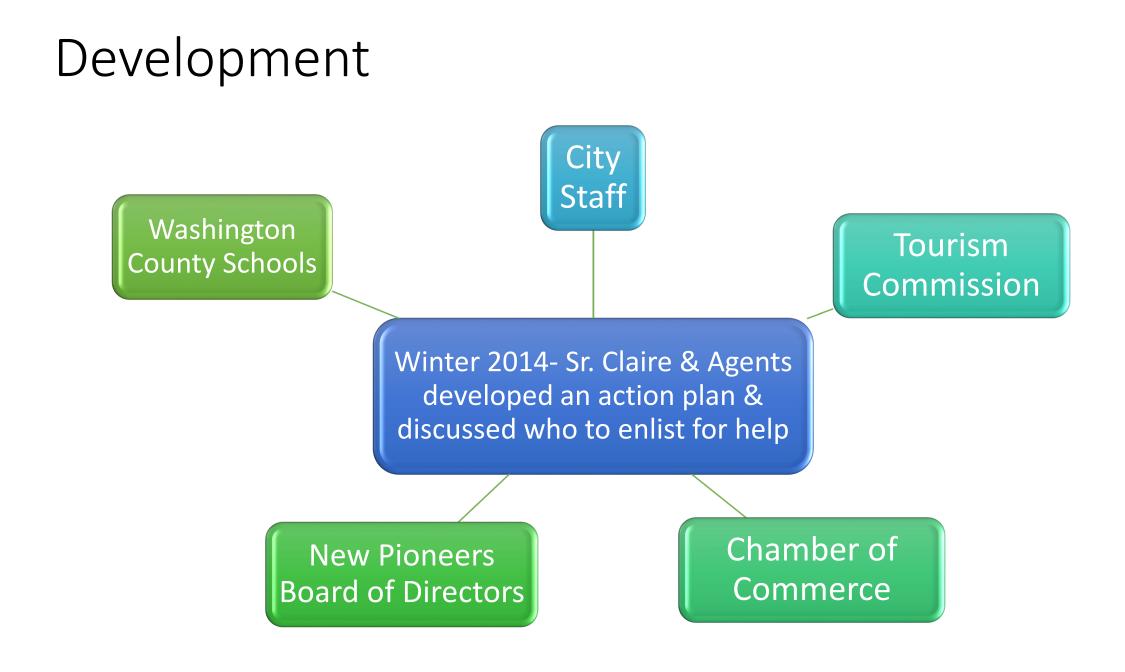
- New Pioneers for a Sustainable Future Board of Directors had the idea to have a "Green Festival"
- <u>newpioneersfsf.org/news/</u>

Fall 2013

Goal

 A fun & creative way to expose Washington County & surrounding communities to the importance of sustainable living in all its many aspects Sister Claire McGowan, Director of New Pioneers, reached out to the Extension Service for help

Assembling the Team



Planning

Goal:

 Create an outdoor festival that will attract families, business people, farms, school kids, and anyone that we could influence and educate about the importance of sustainability



Planning for our 6th Festival

Changes in Date & Time

- This year's festival: April 26, 2019
- Try to plan for weekend around Earth Day
- Avoid weekends with major events, like Thunder over Louisville
- Last year, we changed from Saturday to Friday evening with success

Weather

- Always unpredictable 3 wet & 2 dry so far
- Plays a role in attendance

Vendors & Attractions

- Food Variety: taco truck, a grilled cheese truck, a BBQ truck, & gelato truck
- Vendors: have been attracting more crafters & artists
- Attractions: Kermit the Frog, Raptor Rehabilitation of KY, Inc., creating an Imagination Station

Festival Attractions...

Educational Booths

- Extension
- Solar panel systems
- Geothermal groups
- Partially electric cars
- Recycling center
- Solar ovens for cooking
- Beekeepers

Food & Drink

- WC Cattlemen with locally sourced beef
- Blue Bird Café
- Barbecue
- Gelato
- Grilled Cheese
- Local church fish fry
- West Six Brewers
- Horseshoe Bend Wine/Slushy

Kids' Activities

- Paint a pot
- Seed planting
- Scavenger hunt
- Bouncy house
- Face painting
- Nature photo contest
- Kermit the Frog

Pictures Worth a 1000 Words





