

# 2020 Greater Franklin North Carolina

"Gem of the Smokies"

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# ENJOY YOUR STAY IN THE GEM CAPITAL OF THE WORLD

## 2020 Calendar of Events



**March 31 - April Fool's Trail Days**  
Festival promoting the Appalachian Hiking community. Great entertainment, good food, fun conversation & special exhibits. Support the AT hikers as they begin their trek north to Katahdin.

**May 8-10: 19th Annual Mother's Day GemBoree**  
Macon County Community Building. Contact 828-524-3161

**May 23: Hometown Spring Market Day & Airing of the Quilts** sponsored by Merchants of Downtown - Downtown 9-4. All crafters, entrepreneurs, and businesses in the Franklin area.

**Cowee School Summer Concert Series - Saturday Nights**  
The Cowee School Arts & Heritage Center is host to a number of different musical programs including a full Summer Concert Series, SEBA Jam Sessions, and other concerts sponsored separately throughout the year. Some events are FREE, some require tickets, and all are super fun! info@coweeschool.org

**June 19-21: Annual Taste of Scotland Weekend**

Downtown Street Festival with all things Scottish. Includes entertainment, clans, authentic Scottish foods, music & dancing. Pipe & Drum Bands, parade, Border Collie demonstrations, crafts, shortbread contest, Children's Highland games & many other contests including selecting Little Miss Tartan. Great Scottish fun! Free Admission - 9:00am to 5:00pm. 828-524-2516  
www.tasteofscotlandfestival.org



**July 4th: All American 4th of July Parade and Celebration** in historic downtown Franklin 10:00am - Noon. Parade begins at 10am. Little Miss & Mr. Firecracker Contest, Patriotic Pet Contest, Pie Contest, FREE Kid's Zone, 828-524-2516

**July 4th - Fireworks in the Park**

Macon County Veteran's Memorial Recreation Park. Beginning at 3:00pm, Food, Games, Kid's Fun Land. Fireworks & Fun! Cornhole Tournament. Free shuttle service from Franklin High School starting at 5pm. Fireworks at dark. Donations accepted and appreciated at the gate. For more information, contact 828-524-3161.

**July 18: 6th Annual Appalachian Heritage Festival 9-4**

Nearly 50 live demonstrations featuring the essence of life in Appalachia. Quilters, wood carvers, canoe builders and a live, working gem mining flume. Firetruck display and face painting for the kids. Music from guitar to dulcimer, banjo to flute and even piano. Checker tournament at the Macon County Historical Museum. The Appalachian Heritage Festival is FREE FUN for all ages. For information call Gwen Taylor at 828-524-5676.

**July 24-26: 55th Annual Macon County GemBoree**

The Original Franklin Gem Show! Celebrating 55 years! Macon County Community Building. Fine Jewelry, Rough & Cut Gems, Minerals, Supplies, Door Prizes & Demonstrations! 828-524-3161



**August 15: 16th Annual Franklin Area Folk Festival**

at Cowee School Arts and Heritage Center. 10 am - 4pm. A celebration of Appalachian Heritage. Come to the mountains of WNC for a day of FREE fun by participating in over 100 authentic mountain living exhibits inside the school and all around the campus. Entertainment is scheduled throughout the day and free shuttles run from Downtown Franklin to the school. Sponsored by Folk Heritage Association of Macon Co and Cowee School Arts & Heritage Center. www.franklinfolkfestival.com

**September 5: Hometown Fall Market Day - Downtown 9-4**

sponsored by Merchants of Downtown - All crafters, entrepreneurs, and businesses in the Franklin area.

**September: 66th Annual Macon County Fair**

The last totally agricultural fair in NC. Pet show, poultry show, livestock, tractor pull, best cake contest, food, entertainment. www.themaconcofair.com

**October 17: 24th Annual Pumpkin Fest - Street Festival**

along Main Street with Crafters, World Famous Pumpkin Roll, Live Music All Day, Pie-eating Contest, Games, Costume Contest & Parade, along with Food. 9:00am - 4:00pm. www.pumpkinfestfranklin.com



**October 23-25: 30th Leaf Lookers GemBoree**

Rough & Cut Gems, minerals, fine jewelry, supplies, beads, door prizes, dealers, exhibits & demonstrations. Sponsored by Franklin Chamber of Commerce and Gem & Mineral Society of Franklin. Macon County Community Building. Contact 828-524-3161



**Weekend of November 11: Veteran's Parade**

Join the Town of Franklin as we salute our hometown heroes. Downtown Franklin 10:30am. Featuring Award winning Marching Panther Regiment. 828-524-2516

**November 28: Annual Christmas Tree Lighting, Parade & Candlelight Service** - Thanksgiving weekend. Downtown Franklin 7pm. Free Cider, cookies & music. Call 828-524-2516.

Christmas Parade Nov 28 starting at 3pm. Call 828-524-3161.

**November 28 and December 5: Winter Wonderland** - Historic Downtown Franklin's Holiday Festival.

Downtown Franklin will be changed into a Winter Wonderland Event from 5:00pm - 8:00pm. Live music, Santa Claus, Wagon rides.

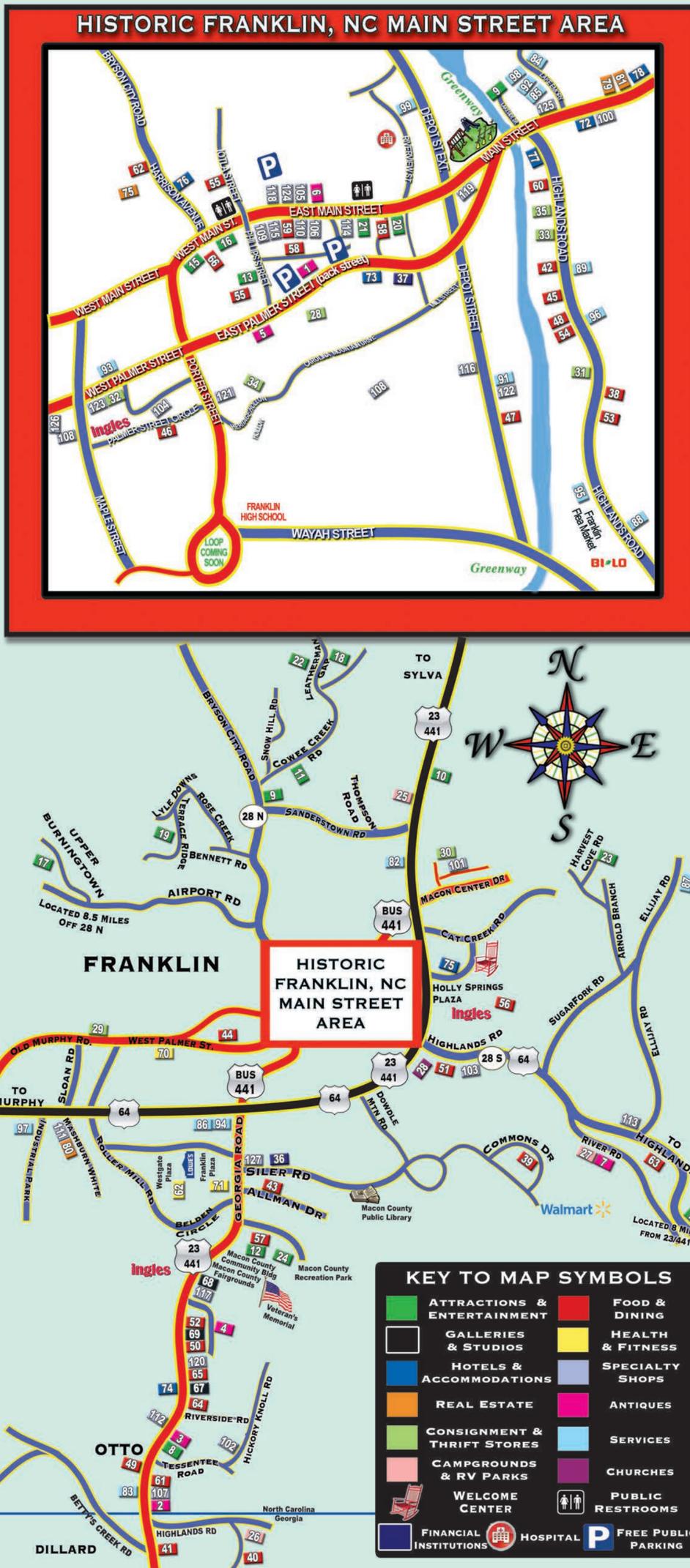


**December 5 - Cowee Christmas 9am - 3pm.**

Sponsored by Cowee School Arts & Heritage Center and the Macon County Folk Heritage Association. Fine Art and Craft Sale and free heritage crafts for kids to make and take.



**December 31: 7th Annual Ruby Drop Plans for New Year's Eve?** Look no further than downtown Franklin. Entertainment by area merchants. Come early & join the fun! Sponsored by Motor Company Grill and Crabtree General Store.



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