

# Annual Fairs & Festivals

Each year the delightful small towns of Randolph County provide some of the most interesting and diverse events and festivals in West Virginia. Plan to join our visitors and locals as they celebrate what makes Randolph County

*Festive by Nature.*



## February Fasnacht - Helvetia

The town of Helvetia embraces its Swiss culture by celebrating the end of winter and start of Lent by burning Old Man Winter at Fasnacht. It occurs on the Saturday before Ash Wednesday.



## March West Virginia Maple Syrup Festival - Pickens

West Virginia has a long history of maple syrup producing. Celebrate this tradition with us on the third full weekend in March. Activities include a pancake feast, maple farm tours, arts and craft vendors and more.

## April

### Ramps & Rail Festival - Elkins

Learn about this unique, indigenous Appalachian leek while enjoying local arts, crafts, live music, and train rides. The festival takes place on the last Saturday in April.



## May

### Our Town Cruise-Ins & Concerts - Elkins

A gathering of classic cars and free live concerts at the Elkins Town Square Rotary Amphitheatre on designated Thursday evenings from May - September.

## June

### Coalton Days - Coalton

Carnival rides, contests, a 5k run & walk, the Veteran of Foreign Wars Post 5583 Flag Raising Ceremony, crafts, tractor pulls, entertainment, and concessions are just a few of the activities that take place during the third weekend in June.



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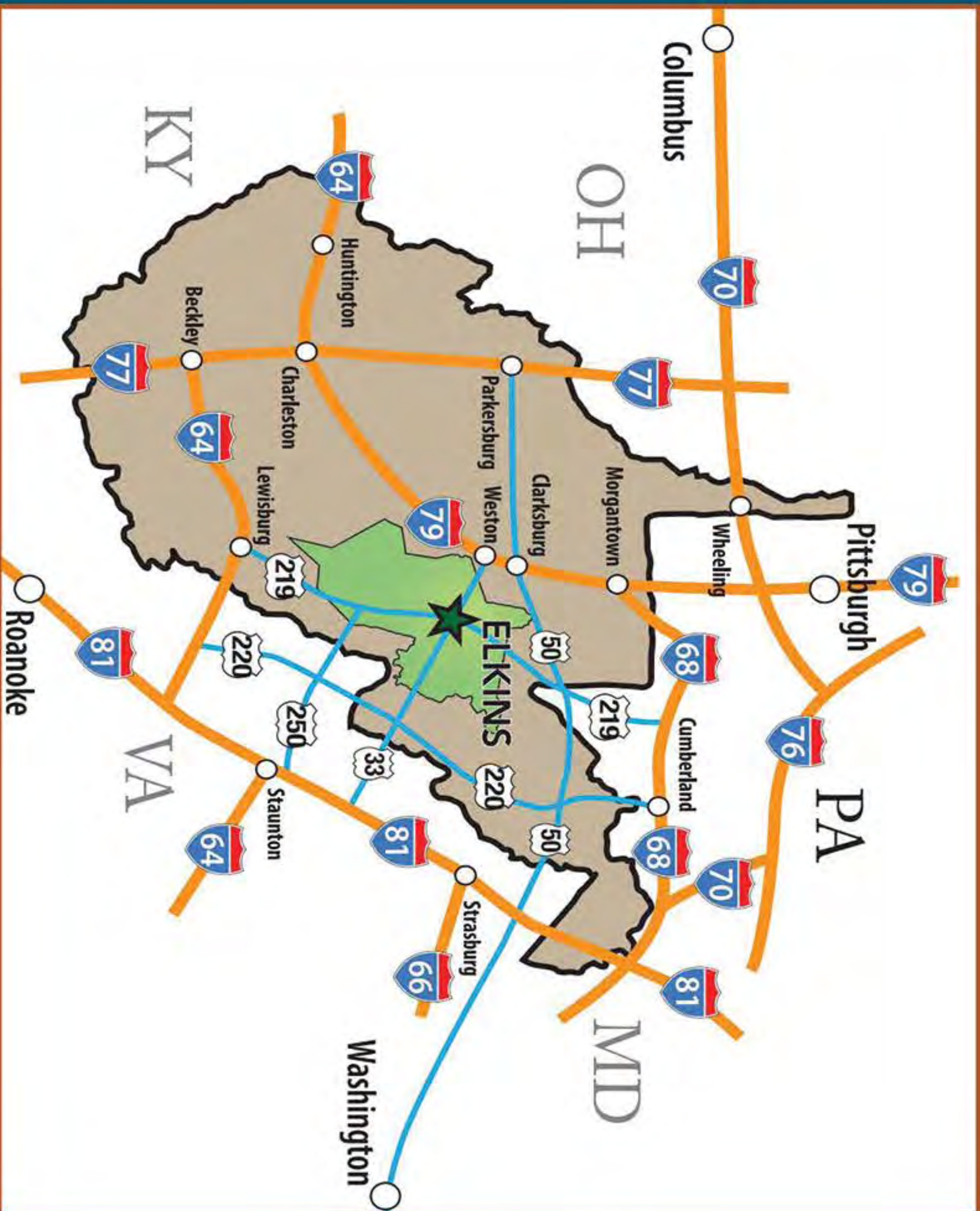
JANUARY - MARCH  
Wednesday - Sunday 10 am - 5 pm

APRIL - OCTOBER  
7 Days per week 9 am - 5 pm

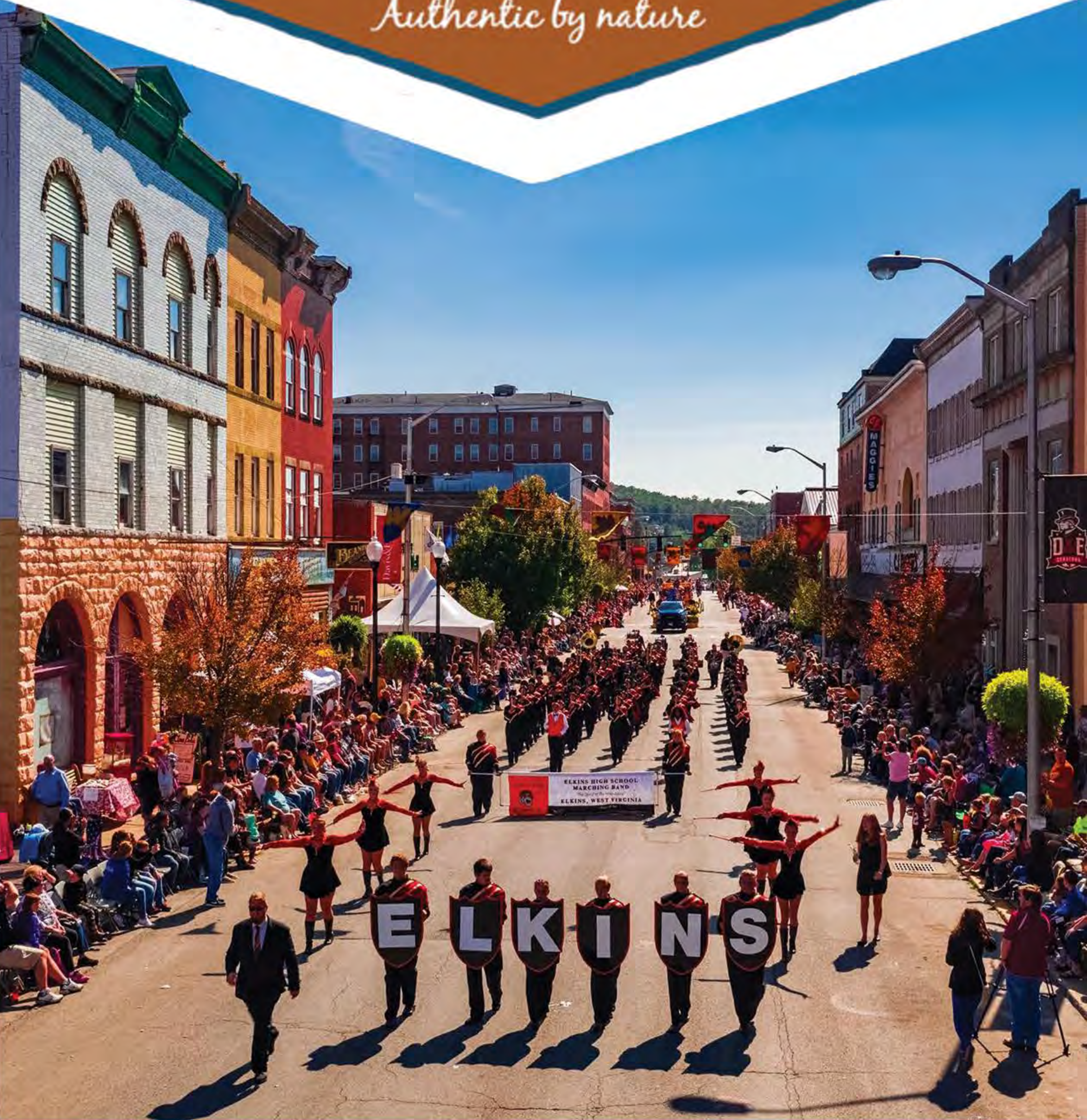
NOVEMBER - DECEMBER  
Tuesday - Sunday 10 am - 5 pm

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## July

### Mountain State Street Machines Auto Extravaganza - Elkins

Celebrate the Fourth of July with stunning new, unique, classic, and antique cars, fun entertainment, fireworks, prizes, delicious food and crafts from area vendors.



### Beverly Heritage Days - Beverly

Activities include heritage inspired music, a multi-period fashion show, a time-travel dance, blacksmith demonstrations, children's games, and reenactors of primitive, frontier, and the Civil War era.



## August

### Augusta Heritage Festival - Elkins

An annual celebration of traditional music, dance, and crafts. The festival, which takes place in the Elkins City Park, includes a juried craft fair featuring regional artisans, live music on two stages, workshops, jam sessions, concessions, and children's activities.



## August

### Randolph County Fair - Beverly

The Randolph County Fair features an evening rodeo show as well as a demolition derby, craft show, livestock, corn maze, and a barn dance. Watch the tractor and truck pulls and ATV drag races, ride the amusement rides, eat some carnival food, and watch a fireworks show.



## September

### Helvetia Community Fair - Helvetia

Festivities include a parade, Swiss folk dancing, Swiss flag swinging, Alphorn playing, yodeling, field games, relays, concessions, arts and crafts, and a square dance.



## October

### Mountain State Forest Festival - Elkins

This festival is the oldest, largest festival in the state of West Virginia. Join us in celebrating our forest heritage and the splendor of our mountains in all their autumn glory with parades, competitions, live music, a carnival, arts and crafts, and more. It is typically held during the first weekend of October.



## December

### Elkins Christmas Parade - Elkins

The Christmas Parade is held in downtown Elkins in early December. Following the Christmas Parade, there are children's activities and a chance to meet Santa Claus at the Elkins YMCA.



### Roamin' in Randolph Christmas Lights Display - Elkins

Get in the holiday spirit by driving around Randolph County and viewing the Christmas light displays. This is a two-week county wide holiday lights display featuring places like Whoville, the Elkins Town Square, a variety of businesses, and residential homes.



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