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UNESCO CREATIVE CITY

Welcome to QUILT CITY USA

AQS QUILTWEEK® | APRIL 23-26, 2025

PADUCAH-MCCRACKEN COUNTY CONVENTION & EXPO CENTER

QUILT SHOW HOURS: ADMISSION:

Wednesday-Friday
9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Saturday
9 a.m.-4 p.m.

AQS Member:
\$12 Daily
\$21 Two-Day
\$28 Multi-Day

Non-Member:
\$15 Daily
\$27 Two-Day
\$35 Multi-Day

SPECIAL EXHIBITS:

AQS Medallion Inspirations Collection
AQS Creativity Challenge
Cherrywood Challenge: Poppy

Name That Tune, Art Quilt Guild
New Quilts from an Old Favorite
Two of Us, Pat Holly and Sue Nickels

WORKSHOPS & LECTURES

Take advantage of quilting education opportunities with some of the best instructors in the world! Advance registration recommended.

[270.898.7903](tel:270.898.7903)

MERCHANT MALLS

A quilter's shopping paradise, vendor aisles will be open during show hours at these locations:

- Schroeder Expo Center
- Second Floor of the Convention Center
- Dome Pavilion

AQS SPECIAL EVENTS

APRIL 22	AQS QuiltWeek 2025 Awards Presentation with Alex Anderson 4:30-6:30 p.m. Walker Hall	APRIL 22	Sneak Preview 7-9 p.m. Exhibit Areas & Merchant Mall Areas	APRIL 23	AQS Quilt Parade 8:30 a.m. Outside Expo Center Door
APRIL 23	Quilt Art Meet and Greet 2-4 p.m. 1st Floor Hallway (across from Roosevelt)	APRIL 23	Private VIP Tour: A Behind-the-Scenes Look at "Two of Us" Special Exhibit with Pat Holly and Sue Nickels 5-6 p.m. 2nd Floor River Rooms Entrance	APRIL 23	All-Star Review 6-8 p.m. Walker Hall
APRIL 24	Private VIP Tour: A Behind-the-Scenes Look at "Two of Us" Special Exhibit with Pat Holly and Sue Nickels 7:30-8:30 a.m. 2nd Floor River Rooms Entrance	APRIL 24	Lifetime Member Social 4:30-5:30 p.m. Holiday Inn River Room	APRIL 24	Private VIP Tour: A Behind-the-Scenes Look at "Two of Us" Special Exhibit with Pat Holly and Sue Nickels 5:30-6:30 p.m. 2nd Floor River Rooms Entrance
APRIL 24	AQS Game Night with Alex Anderson 6-8 p.m. Walker Hall	APRIL 25	A Musical Evening with Ricky Tims 7-9 p.m. Clemens Fine Arts Center	APRIL 25	Private VIP Tour: A Behind-the-Scenes Look at "Two of Us" Special Exhibit with Pat Holly and Sue Nickels 7:30-8:30 a.m. 2nd Floor River Rooms Entrance

Getting AROUND



SHUTTLE ROUTES

Complimentary shuttle service to the show is provided by the Paducah Convention & Visitors Bureau and participating hotels and attractions. To learn more, visit

paducah.travel/quiltweek



PUBLIC PARKING

Free public parking is available in several lots downtown. Hop on the trolley as it makes its downtown route to catch a ride to the show.



PARK & RIDE

Park your vehicle at Kentucky Oaks Mall and ride the shuttle to and from the AQS Shuttle Stop and Kentucky Oaks Mall. Look for AQS Shuttle Stop signage adjacent to Best Buy.

5101 Hinkleville Rd. at I-24

Plan Your ITINERARY

TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS IN PADUCAH

CITY TOURS OF PADUCAH

Narrated 90-minute bus tours of Historic Downtown, Lower Town, Paducah landmarks, and Whitehaven will be offered Thurs., April 24 at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., compliments of the Paducah Convention and Visitors Bureau and Paducah Ambassadors. Sign up in the Convention Center lobby at the Paducah information booth.

1.800.Paducah • paducah.travel

MORE TRANSPORTATION

Paducah is serviced by Blue Dream Taxi, **270.558.3928**, Lyft, and Uber. Transportation between Barkley Regional Airport and area hotels may be scheduled with Paducah Area Transit System (PATS) Dial-A-Ride (24-hour advance reservation required). **270.444.8700**



VISIT THE NATIONAL QUILT MUSEUM

SPECIAL QUILTWEEK HOURS

MONDAY APRIL 21	TUESDAY APRIL 22	WEDNESDAY APRIL 23	THURSDAY APRIL 24	FRIDAY APRIL 25	SATURDAY APRIL 26
10 a.m.-5 p.m.	10 a.m.-5 p.m.	9 a.m.-6 p.m.	9 a.m.-7 p.m.	9 a.m.-6 p.m.	10 a.m.-5 p.m.

SPECIAL QUILTWEEK EVENTS

Wednesday, April 23

Private VIP Meet-and-Greet with Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry
6:15 p.m. | Ticketed event. Limited capacity.
Tickets \$25 at quiltmuseum.org.

Saturday, April 26

Meet the Artist
11 a.m. | Victoria Findlay Wolfe
Free event at the NQM Gallery.

Thursday, April 24

Friends of The National Quilt Museum Reception
5:30-7 p.m. | Members of the National Quilt Museum are invited to an annual reception in thanks for their ongoing support.

Annual Quilt Auction

6 p.m. | This favorite annual event is the perfect opportunity to purchase beautiful quilts while supporting the National Quilt Museum. A longstanding QuiltWeek tradition, the auction is now located at the museum.

Exhibits:

Option Expedition—Victoria Findlay Wolfe
A Life In Color—Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry
National Quilt Museum Collection



Admission:

\$12 admission for all adults during AQS QuiltWeek, Monday through Saturday.

\$15 multi-day flex pass available for QuiltWeek online at quiltmuseum.org

Regular admission on Sunday, April 27.
For more information: **270.442.8856**

215 Jefferson St.

Maker's Market

ECLECTIC SHOPPING

ARTIST ENDEAVORS

📍 222 Kentucky Ave. Ste. 106

Wools, cottons, threads, and notions. Demos available upon request.

Hours:

Mon.–Fri. 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

270.994.4254

FRENCHTOWN STATION

📍 1102 Jefferson St.

Upscale mercantile offering smart gifts from curated lines, as well as a tasteful melding of antique, industrial, and vintage pieces.

Hours:

Mon.–Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

French Breakfast Treats Reception:

Tues.–Fri. 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Spring Fete Vendors & Live Music:

Sat. 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.210.0516

frenchtownstation.com

MESSY CAT CREATIONS

📍 119 S. 3rd St.

Shop local art, including quilt-themed jewelry, hand-printed fabrics, and quilt-themed gifts.

Hours:

Sun.–Mon. 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–8 p.m.

270.559.7948 | messycatcreations.com

PAPER PIECES

📍 533 N. 5th St.

Paper pieces, fabric, notions, and great deals! Live demos and workshops are available.

Hours:

Tues.–Fri. 8:30 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sat. 8:30 a.m.–12 p.m.

270.534.5475 | paperpieces.com

BRICOLAGE ART COLLECTIVE

📍 107 Market House Square

Enjoy an array of 2025 quilt-related tees designed in-house and printed locally, along with local/regional art displays and over 75 local artists represented in a variety of mediums.

Hours:

Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

270.538.9625

bricolageartcollective.com

HANCOCK'S OF PADUCAH

📍 3841 Hinkleville Rd.

World's largest supplier of quilting fabrics.

Hours:

Tues.–Fri. 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.443.4410 | hancocks-paducah.com

MICHAELS ARTS & CRAFTS

📍 5187 Hinkleville Rd.

Fabrics, quilting, arts & crafts, baking, and home decor.

Hours:

Mon.–Sat. 9 a.m.–9 p.m.
Sun. 10 a.m.–7 p.m.

270.443.7284 | michaels.com

PINECONE GALLERY & CHERRYWOOD FABRICS

📍 421 N. 7th St.

This gallery is Kentucky's premier seller of Cherrywood Hand Dyed Fabrics and features the art of Char Downs.

Hours:

April 1–14, 12–5 p.m.
April 22–25, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
April 26, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.443.0895 | chardowns.art

CALICO COUNTRY SEW & VAC

📍 3401 Park Ave.

6800 sq. ft. of quilting supplies, fabrics, patterns, sewing machines, and accessories. Authorized dealer of Baby Lock, BERNINA, and Juki sewing, quilting, and embroidery machines.

Hours:

Mon.–Tues. 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Wed.–Fri. 9 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

270.444.0301 | calicocountry.com

HOBBY LOBBY

📍 3240 James Sanders Blvd.

Fabrics, quilt supplies, and creative center.

Hours:

Mon.–Sat. 9 a.m.–8 p.m.

270.444.9307 | hobbylobby.com

MUPPIN'S SEWING EMPORIUM

📍 117 N. 4th St.

A unique quilt and sewing boutique with notions, fabric, vintage, and more.

Hours:

April 21–27, 9 a.m.–7:30 p.m.

Regular Hours:

Tues.–Sat. 10 a.m.–4 p.m.

270.883.6627 | muppin.com

SHANE LEE BOUTIQUE

📍 118 Market House Square

Curated selection of clothing and accessories, plus the annual QuiltWeek pop-up fabric shop.

Hours:

9 a.m.–5 p.m.
270.444.5045

ENGLISH'S SEW & VAC

📍 7010 U.S. Hwy 68

Sewing, quilting, and embroidery machines, notions, and accessories.

Hours:

Mon.–Fri. 9 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m.–2 p.m.

270.898.7301 | englishsewvac.com

JEFFERSON STREET STUDIOS

📍 1149 Jefferson St.

Art quilts, hand-dyed fabrics, and original porcelain beads.

Hours:

Mon.–Fri. 10 a.m.–6 p.m.
Sat. 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.217.3976

THE PAPA GALLERY

📍 124 Broadway

Gallery featuring art for sale by local painters with a special quilt exhibit for QuiltWeek.

Hours:

Tues.–Sat. 11 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.575.3544 | thepapagallery.com

TROUTT OLD TIME GENERAL STORE AND MARKET

📍 433 N. 4th St.

QuiltWeek Open House at Troutt Old Time General Store and Market. Browse local goods, as well as new and antique quilts. To-go lunches and sweet treats available.

Hours:

Tues.–Fri. 10 a.m.–5 p.m.
Sat. 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.443.0858

trouttoldtimegeneralstoreandmarket.com



DINING AVAILABLE

A Stitch in Time CLASSES & EVENTS

A.I.R. STUDIO

621 Madison St.

Diana Fox, Donalee Kennedy, and Beth Schilling will host several events. Unique boutique shopping, artist meet and greet, and demonstrations.

Hours:

Open House with Light Refreshments:
Wed. April 23, from 3–7 p.m.

Open Studios:

Thurs. April 24, from 12–5 p.m.
Fri. April 25, from 12–5 p.m.

May Day Event:

Thurs. May 1, from 4–7 p.m.

202.374.5650 | airstudiopaducah.com

ART GUILD OF PADUCAH

115 Market House Square

The gallery showcases diverse works for sale, created by visual artists in Paducah and the surrounding region.

Hours:

Mon.–Sat. 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

Sun. 1–5 p.m.

QUILTWEEK DEMOS

Fabric Bowls: Thurs.–Sat. 1–3 p.m.

Kawandi Stitching: Wed.–Thurs. 10–11 a.m.

Basket Weaving: Fri. 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Block Printing on Fabric: Sat. 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

270.443.9420 | artguildofpaducah.org

BETTER THAN EVER

100 Cave Thomas Dr.

Barn Quilts & Walk-in Painting. Paint-your-own pottery, canvas painting, wood signs, and more.

Hours:

Thurs.–Sat. 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

270.210.9512

betterthaneverhome.com

CHERRYWOOD FABRICS AT THE RESPITE

502 N. 5th St.

Be inspired and learn something new with Elaine Wick Poplin. Located at the Respite Event Center. Pre-registration required at cherrywoodfabrics.com.

Hours:

Classes Hosted by Cherrywood Hand Dyed Fabrics:
Tues.–Thurs. 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

The Poppy Cherrywood Challenge:

Tues.–Fri. 9 a.m.–5 p.m.

Sat. 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

270.709.2848 | cherrywoodfabrics.com

HOTEL METROPOLITAN

724 Oscar Cross Ave.

Quilt Show and Meet-and-Greet:

Browse quilt exhibits and meet quilt artist “Sunshine” Joe Mallard.

Hours: Thurs. April 24, 6 p.m.

270.443.7918

508 S. 8th St.

W.C. Young Community Center

Southern Fish Fry & Keynote Speech:

Enjoy hand-breaded fish and sides and stay for a keynote by “Sunshine” Joe Mallard.

Fish Fry:

Plate includes hand-breaded fried fish, home-cooked white beans, coleslaw, cornbread, dessert, and drink. A special price of \$37.50 for the speaker and the meal.

Hours:

Keynote, Fri. April 25, 10 a.m.

Fish Fry, Fri. April 25, 11 a.m.

Price:

\$18 for meal, \$25 for speaker, or

\$37.50 for both.

MAKE PADUCAH

628 Broadway

Celebrate QuiltWeek by making a beautiful, 12-in. wooden quilt with a wooden base and scrollwork topper. BYO food and drink for a fun night out in Paducah.

Hours:

Dimensional Wooden Quilt:

Wed. April 23, 5:30–7:30 p.m.

Barn Quilt Painting:

Thurs. April 24, 6–8 p.m.

270.201.2474 | makepaducah.com

THE PADUCAH QUILT SHOW

301 Joe Clifton Dr.

Enjoy 19 vendors and three quilt exhibits at Floral Hall in Carson Park/Fairgrounds.

Free parking and gift basket raffle. \$3 (30% of proceeds donated to St. Jude Children's Hospital.)

Hours:

Tues.–Fri. 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Sat. 9 a.m.–2 p.m.

thepaducahquiltshow.com



Cherrywood Challenge: Poppy
Quilt by Karen Coates



Medallion Quilts
Quilt by Hana Kasane

See the Sights ARTFUL TOURS & EXHIBITS

THE CARSON CENTER

📍 100 Kentucky Ave.

Come for QuiltWeek, stay for the shows!

Hours:

April 18, 7 p.m.
Golden Girls: The Laughs Continue

April 25, 6 p.m.
Sesame Street LIVE

April 29, 7:15 p.m.
CLUE: Live on Stage!

270.450.4444 | thecarsoncenter.org

LLOYD TILGHMAN HOUSE & CIVIL WAR MUSEUM

📍 631 Kentucky Ave.

1852 Greek Revival home was once the residence of a Confederate General.

Hours:

Mon.–Sat. 10 a.m.–4 p.m.

270.575.5477

MAIDEN ALLEY CINEMA

📍 112 Maiden Alley

Independent nonprofit theater featuring regular film screenings Friday–Monday of classic and independent films

Hours:

Fri.–Mon.

270.442.7723 | maidenalleycinema.org

MARKET HOUSE THEATRE

📍 132 Market House Square

Market House Theatre presents: The Bachelorette Party by Karen Schaeffer

Hours:

April 17–20; April 24–27
Thurs.–Sat. 7:15 p.m.
Sun. 2:30 p.m.

270.444.6828
markethousetheatre.org

MCCRACKEN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

📍 555 Washington St.

Quilts by the Paducah Stitch & Quilt Guild will be on display throughout the month of April. Evenings Upstairs Series presents The Southern Culture in Kentucky's Shaker Villages led by Tommy Hines, Executive Director, South Union Shaker Village. Co-sponsored by Kentucky Humanities—a nonprofit affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

Hours:

Mon–Thu: 9 a.m.–7 p.m.

Fri–Sat: 9 a.m.–5 p.m.

Sun: 1 p.m.–5 p.m.

Lecture:

Thurs. April 24, 5:30–6:30 p.m.

270.442.2510 | mcclib.net

MCCRACKEN COUNTY QUILT BLOCK TRAIL

📍 McCracken County

Follow a trail of barn quilts through Paducah–McCracken County. Brochures are available at: Paducah Visitors Bureau, National Quilt Museum, Whitehaven Welcome Center, and McCracken County Cooperative Extension Service. Sponsored by McCracken County Civic Beautification Board and McCracken County Cooperative Extension Service.

270.554.9520

bit.ly/quiltblocktrail

PADUCAH RAILROAD MUSEUM

📍 200 Washington St.

A local railroad museum bringing the early days of rail travel to life, complete with a hands-on simulator.

270.908.6451 | paducahrr.org

PADUCAH SCHOOL OF ART & DESIGN

📍 905 Harrison St.

Paducah School of Art & Design Exhibits:

The Art of Memory Painter Helen LaFrance is exhibited in the PSAD Library, located in the 2D and Graphic Design Building. It can be viewed on Mon. and Wed. from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. or by appointment.

April 24–30

Annual Student Exhibition, Bill Ford Gallery, located in the 2D and Graphic Design Building.

April 17–30

Survival Skills Group Exhibition, located in the PJC Alcove Gallery.

Hours:

Mon.–Fri. 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

270.534.3901
psad.westkentucky.kctcs.edu

PADUCAH STITCH 'N QUILT SHOW

📍 300 S. 5th St.

View over 50 traditional and art quilts created by local members of the Paducah Stitch & Quilt Extension Guild. Free admission.

Hours:

Mon.–Fri. 8 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

270.444.8800





PADUCAH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

401 Walter Jetton Blvd.

We invite you to tour our new facility in the historic Walter Jetton School.

Hours:

Mon.-Fri. 1-5 p.m.

[270.444.0065](tel:270.444.0065) | paducahsymphony.org

PADUCAH WALL-TO-WALL MURALS

Water St. from Jefferson St. to Washington St.

More than 60 life-size images and interpretive panels along three blocks on the downtown floodwall. Public viewing 24/7. Paducah's creativity and heritage are depicted by the Dafford Murals team.

paducahwalltowall.com

QUILT CITY USA® MURALS

Floodwall adjacent to the Carroll Convention Center, 415 Park St.

Step up and take a selfie against the beautiful backdrop of this photo-realistic quilt mural series painted by local artists. New addition features The Cheyenne Has Gone by British denim artist Ian Berry, painted by Tanya Neitzke, Associate Professor of Painting at Paducah School of Art & Design.

Hours:

Open for public viewing 24/7.

The Cheyenne Has Gone mural ceremony:

Thurs. April 24, 4 p.m.

quiltcityusamurals.org

RIVER DISCOVERY CENTER

117 S. Water St.

Interactive exhibits, including pilothouse simulator. Special hands-on activities. Adults, \$12; ages 5-17, \$8; seniors, \$10.

Hours:

Mon.-Sat. 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

[270.575.9958](tel:270.575.9958)

riverdiscoverycenter.org

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH

520 Broadway

Luncheon & Quilt Display:

Enjoy a hot meal, see quilts, and take a historic church tour. Thurs. meal: meatloaf and sides. Fri. meal: chicken & dressing with sides. Includes dessert. Takeout orders available. Adults, \$12; Children, \$4.

Hours:

April 24-25, 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Tours at 10:45 a.m. and 12:45 p.m. each day.

[270.442.1923](tel:270.442.1923) | parishsfds.com

WHITEHAVEN WELCOME CENTER

1845 Lone Oak Rd. (Off I-24, Exit 7)

Ongoing QuiltWeek tours of 1860s antebellum mansion decorated with more than 50 hand-stitched quilts. Complimentary tours available daily.

Hours:

Tours start at 9 a.m. with the last tour at 3:45 p.m. Break from 12-1 p.m. for lunch.

[270.554.2077](tel:270.554.2077)

WILLIAM CLARK MARKET HOUSE MUSEUM

121 Market House Square

View exhibits and artifacts from Paducah's past.

Hours:

Wed.-Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

[270.443.7759](tel:270.443.7759)

YEISER ART CENTER

200 Broadway St.

Paducah's oldest arts nonprofit, featuring the international fiber art exhibit, Fantastic Fibers, on display through May 3.

Hours:

Tues.-Sat. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Open until 6 p.m. during QuiltWeek

[270.442.2453](tel:270.442.2453) | theyeiser.org



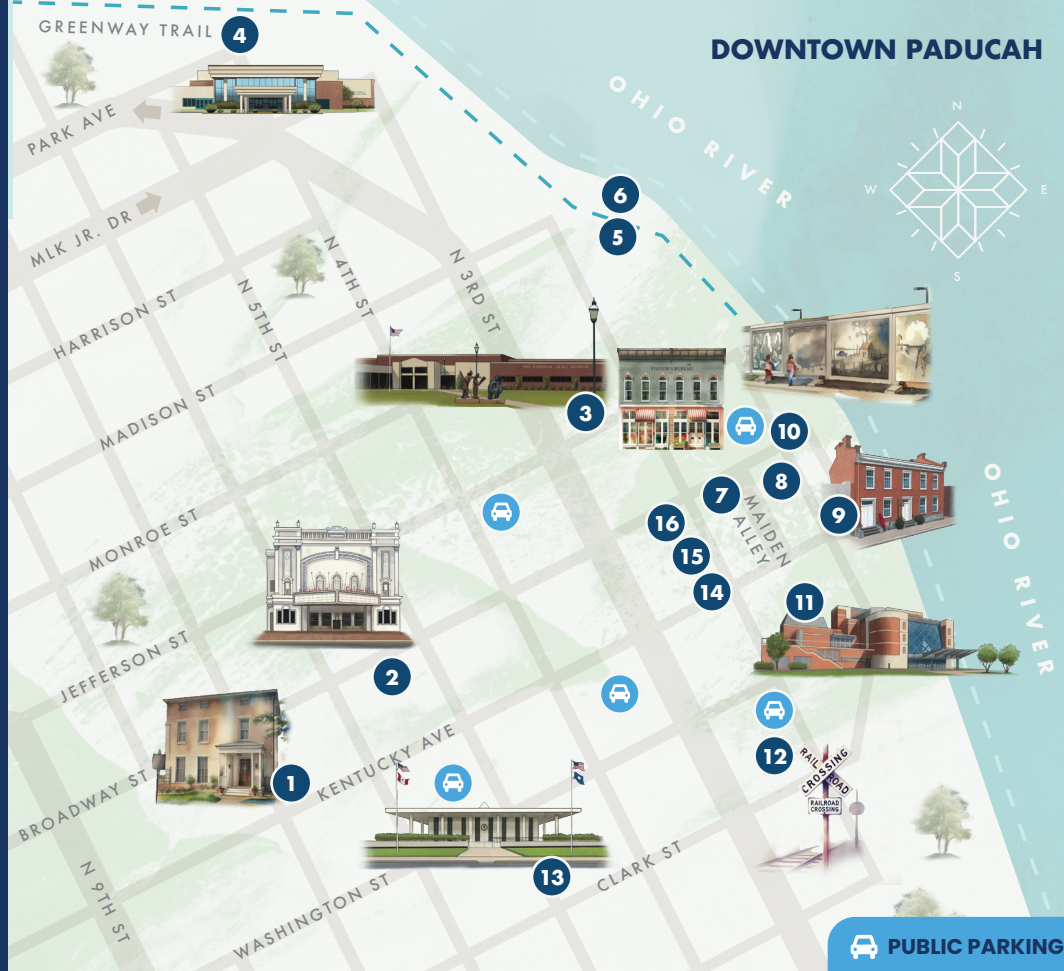
LANDMARKS & ATTRACTIONS

- 1 **Lloyd Tilghman House & Civil War Museum**
631 Kentucky Ave.
- 2 **Columbia Art House**
504 Broadway St.
- 3 **National Quilt Museum**
215 Jefferson St.
- 4 **Paducah-McCracken County Convention & Expo Center** 415 Park St.
- 5 **Greenway Trail**
- 6 **Transient Boat Dock**
500 N. Riverfront
- 7 **Paducah CVB / Visitors Center**
128 Broadway St.
- 8 **Maiden Alley Cinema**
112 Maiden Alley
- 9 **River Discovery Center**
117 S. Water St.
- 10 **"Wall to Wall" Murals**
100 Water St.
- 11 **The Carson Center for the Performing Arts**
100 Kentucky Ave.
- 12 **Paducah Railroad Museum**
200 Washington St.
- 13 **Paducah City Hall**
300 S. 5th St.

MARKET HOUSE SQUARE

- 14 **Market House Theatre**
132 Market House Sq.
- 15 **William Clark Market House Museum**
121 Market House Sq.
- 16 **Yeiser Art Center**
200 Broadway St.

DOWNTOWN PADUCAH



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UNESCO CREATIVE CITY

Paducah Convention & Visitors Bureau
128 Broadway
Paducah, Kentucky 42001