



How-To Festival
12th Annual

Celebrating a dozen years!

**SAT., MAY 10
10AM-3PM
MAIN LIBRARY
301 YORK ST**

A FREE EVENT!

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Learn more than 50 things in 5 hours!







2025 How-To Schedule*

ALL DAY

How to create solar combustion art. Billy Keith, The Sun Shop
LIBRARY LANE

How to be a ham(amateur) radio operator. ARTS Club
LIBRARY LANE

How to fix a flat bike tire. Falls City Community Bikeworks
LIBRARY LANE

☺ **How to rethink your drink and discover the benefits of water.** Louisville Water Company
LIBRARY LANE

How to save seeds & seed swap. Urban Ag Coalition
GARDEN TENT AREA

☺ **How to write in calligraphy.** Louisville Calligraphy Collective
ALCOVE

How to adapt your home for low and no vision. American Printing House for the Blind
SOUTH BASEMENT

How to broadcast your passion on Community radio. Forward Radio 106.5fm WFMP
CENTER STAGE

☺ **How to make a button.** Friends of the Library
EAST ROOM

How to register to vote. League of Women Voters of Louisville
EAST ROOM

10:00 AM - 10:45 AM

☺ **How to grow food as a family.** Food Literacy Project
GARDEN TENT #1

How to garden safely in urban soil. Dave Nichter, Jefferson County Soil & Water Conservation District & Kelly Rawlt, KSU Extension
GARDEN TENT #2

How to capture storm water with barrels and gardens. Sarah Beth Sammons, Jefferson County Soil & Water Conservation District,
GARDEN TENT #3

How to make a mixed media collage. (limit 20) Vrinda Kumar, LFPL
UNDERGROUND

☺ **How to do Tai Chi.** Nu Chapter, Tai Chi Chuan & QiGong Institute
CENTER STAGE

How to blend your own tea leaves. Soo Young Cho, Kiwa
KITCHEN

☺ **How to identify fossils and understand deep time.** Maria Tori, Louisville Metro's Office of Sustainability
CENTENNIAL

How to grow vegetables from seed to harvest. Laura Bungura, Common Earth Gardens
MAKER SPACE

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

☺ **How-to instrument petting zoo.** Out Loud Louisville
CHILDREN'S DEPT.

☺ **How to plant a seed.** Arabella Paulovich, Food Literacy Project
KIDS' TENT

☺ **How to make a SWAP (Some Whatchamacallit Affectionately Pinned Somewhere).** Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana
KIDS' TENT

☺ **How to make a paper helicopter.** Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana
KIDS' TENT

11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

How to be a backyard blacksmith (1 of 2). Collin Sage, Hippo Head Forge
LIBRARY LANE

How to grow native plant gardens Trilba Smith, Master Gardeners
GARDEN TENT #1

☺ **How to raise goats & other livestock in the city** Von Barnes, Kentuckiana Backyard Farms
GARDEN TENT #2

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How to get over your fear of grafting. Rachel Palacios, Beautiful Beginnings Nursery **GARDEN TENT #3**

☺ **How to create balloon art.** Amber Weiland **AUDITORIUM**

How to pack your backpack. Zach Rudd, REI **COMMUNITY ROOM**

How to find food in your neighborhood: community food mapping workshop. Abby Rudolph **UNDERGROUND**

How to Salsa dance. Andrea Valarezo, Salsa Underground **CENTER STAGE**

How to cook without eggs. Martha Morgan, Allergy Dragon **KITCHEN**

☺ **How to do Laughter Yoga.** Melanie Rudolph, Laughter Yoga **CENTENNIAL**

How to prepare healthy snacks kids will love. Andrea Wright, JCPS Nutrition & Chef Chris Byrd **MAKER SPACE**

How to start a small business. Nicholas Block, PNC Bank **BOARD ROOM**

How to podcast, broadcast, and do citizen journalism. Justin Mog, Ruth Newman, Bob Cline - Forward Radio 106.5fm WFMP **CLC**

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

How to do simple car maintenance. Luke Schiavi **LIBRARY LANE**

12:00 PM - 12:45 PM

How to start seeds at home. Jeff Masters, UofL **GARDEN TENT #1**

How to grow a tree that lives 100 years. Morgan Grubbs Trees Louisville **GARDEN TENT #2**

How to raise chickens for their eggs. Bethany Pratt, Urban Ag Coalition **GARDEN TENT #3**

☺ **How to improvise on a musical instrument.** Stephanie Nilles, Louisville Academy of Music **AUDITORIUM**

How to prepare for death and have fun doing it. Becky Robison **COMMUNITY ROOM**

How to WOW with your gift wrap. Krista Janes **UNDERGROUND**

How to practice Jiu-Jitsu. Yani Nikole, Old Louisville Jiu-Jitsu Academy **CENTER STAGE**

How to paint with watercolors. (Limit 25) Norma Drish **CENTENNIAL**

How to make canapés. Nathaniel Lamar **KITCHEN**

How to make cider. John Ronayne, Brewgrass Homebrew **MAKER SPACE**

How to write an op-ed. Bonnie Jean Feldkamp **BOARD ROOM**

How to stay safe on the internet. Jeff Jarecki, Volta Inc. **CLC**

1:00 PM - 1:45 PM

How to be a backyard blacksmith (2 of 2). Collin Sage, Hippo Head Forge **LIBRARY LANE**

How to grow a bird-friendly garden. Luke Pearson, Louisville Audubon Society **GARDEN TENT #1**

How to garden when you don't have a yard (container gardening). Terry Gibson, Master Gardeners **GARDEN TENT #2**

How to care for fruit trees. Mateo Barnett, Common Earth Gardens **GARDEN TENT #3**

How to do Pilates anywhere. A-jah Gibbs, Holly's Pilates Village **AUDITORIUM**

How to explore historic cemeteries. Kaira Tucker, LFPL **COMMUNITY ROOM**

How to design a food forest. Matt Robertson **UNDERGROUND**

☺ **How to do American folk dance.** Greer Hannan, Louisville Country Line Dancers **CENTER STAGE**

How to master the art of charcuterie. Courtnie Simpson, Keeping it CharCUTERie **KITCHEN**

☺ **How to mix arts and activism.** Keith McGill & Meg Caudill, StageOne **CENTENNIAL**

How to decorate cookies. Deepa Karande **MAKER SPACE**

How to eat healthy on any budget. Emily Smith, KSU Extension Office **BOARD ROOM**

How to use AI in everyday life. Jeff Jarecki, Volta Inc. **CLC**

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

☺ **How to build a fort.** LFPL **KIDS' TENT**

☺ **How to make sun prints.** LFPL **KIDS' TENT**

☺ **How to create a mandala.** LFPL **KIDS' TENT**

2:00 PM - 2:45 PM

How to save seeds & cultivate native plants for future generations. Jody Dahmer & Mariah Corso, Louisville Seed Bank **GARDEN TENT #1**

How to grow the most delicious tomatoes. Terry Gibson, Master Gardeners **GARDEN TENT #2**

How to keep bees in the city. Keith Griffith, BEEing2gether **GARDEN TENT #3**

How to use kettle bells. Zachary Combs, Mighty Mammal Fitness **AUDITORIUM**

How to trace your family history. Kaira Tucker, LFPL **COMMUNITY ROOM**

How to read Tarot cards. Bri Gardner, Mugwort Media **UNDERGROUND**

☺ **How to become a circus performer.** Turner Circus **CENTER STAGE**

How to make sourdough pizza crust. James Bridges, Sourdough Geeks **KITCHEN**

How to travel alone. Emily Koenig **CENTENNIAL**

How to pickle & ferment your harvest. Emily Coleman & Amanda Fuller, Urban Agriculture Coalition **MAKER SPACE**

How to take better photos. John Nation & Denny Dempster, Ripple Effects **BOARD ROOM**

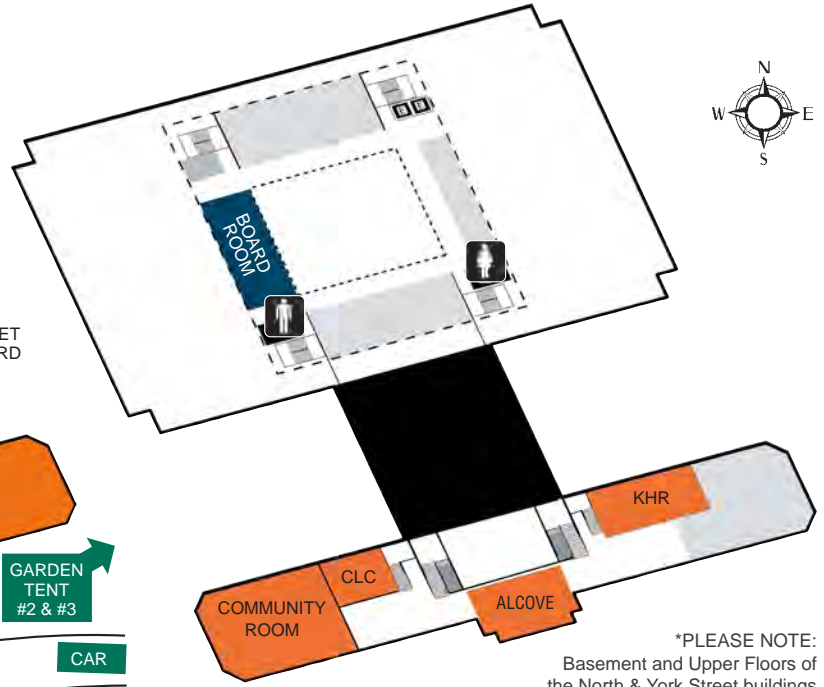
How to sustainably downsize. Diane Moon, kNOw Waste Louisville **CLC**



1ST FLOOR & OUTSIDE

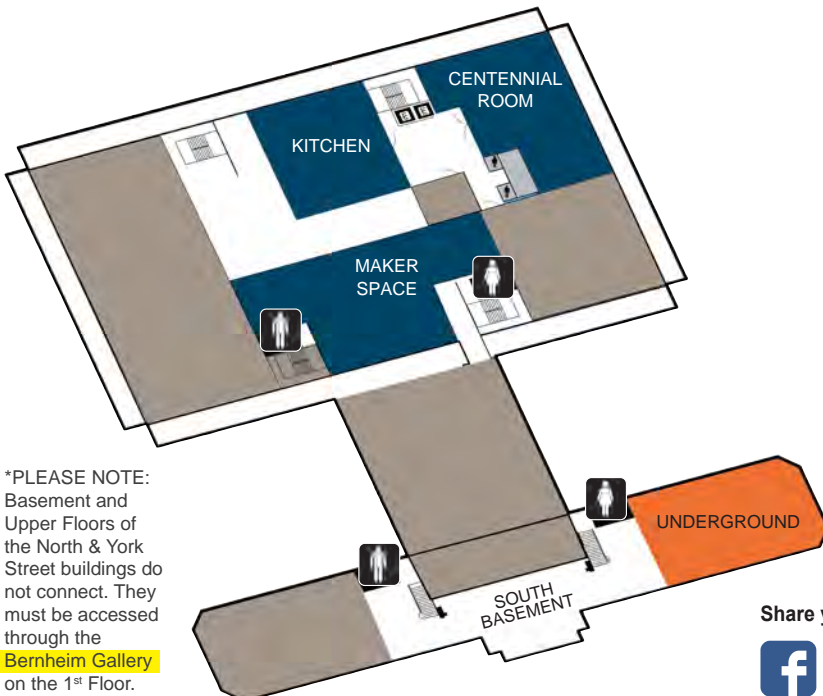


2ND FLOOR *



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the North & York Street buildings
do not connect. They must be
accessed through the
Bernheim Gallery on the 1st Floor.

BASEMENT LEVEL *



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