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9th annual *How-To Festival* returns to the Main Library Saturday, May 14, 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (April 18, 2022) – After a two-year hiatus, the Louisville Free Public Library’s annual *How-To Festival* is back for its ninth year! Taking place on the second Saturday in May, *How-To* is an annual tradition for thousands of Louisvillians looking for something entertaining, interactive, and educational to do after Derby is over.

While the COVID-19 pandemic prompted the cancelation of the festival the last two years, LFPL is excited to once again offer attendees the chance to learn how-to-do more than 50 different things in five hours, all for free. From learning how to be a circus performer to canning your own vegetables to making amazing cake sculptures, “how-to” sessions cover a range of skills taught by local experts.

This year’s festival includes a mix of past favorites—how to do Tai Chi, homebrew beer, or grow delicious tomatoes—along with new lessons, such as how to make and decorate tasty dog treats, perform modern dance, and create digital music. Other timely topics include how to plan a cross-country trip in an electric vehicle and how to buy and sell a home in a crazy market. And thanks to a partnership with the Louisville Urban Agriculture Coalition, *How-To* will once again feature three gardening tents with classes presented by Urban Ag member groups, including Kentuckiana Beekeepers, Wild Ones, and Master Gardeners.

The *How-To Festival* takes place on **Saturday, May 14, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Main Library**, 301 York Street. Sessions will be located in more than 15 areas throughout the building and surrounding grounds, transforming the entire library into a giant classroom. Food trucks will be onsite.

For more information, including the growing list of how-to sessions, visit [LFPL.org/how-to](https://www.lfpl.org/how-to). A complete schedule with times and locations will be finalized soon.

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