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# Ringgold Review

A monthly newsletter to keep you up to date with all the latest news, events, and announcements for the City of Ringgold. Visit [cityofringgoldga.gov](http://cityofringgoldga.gov) for more information.

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## It's Earth Day Everyday! Recycling Resources Available in Ringgold

For over fifty years, people have demonstrated their support for environmental protection on Earth Day with events coordinated locally, nationally, and even globally! In Catoosa County, LIFT Youth Center shows its love for the planet by organizing Clean Catoosa, a county-wide clean-up effort that picked up 4,150 pounds of trash last year. Sign up at [liftyouthcenter.org](http://liftyouthcenter.org), for this year's Clean Catoosa on April 26th. Can't make it? There are other ways you can help save the planet! Join Ringgold's recycling efforts by signing up for our curbside recycling program, or take advantage of our cardboard recycling container, which is open 24/7. The container is located to the left of The Depot and is free to use. Visit [cityofringgoldga.gov](http://cityofringgoldga.gov) for more recycling information.



## Volunteer for Veterans Ringgold's Festival of Flags Returns in May

Last year, volunteers raised over 2,000 flags and crosses to honor fallen soldiers for the bi-annual Festival of Flags. As the number of flags continues to grow, so does the need for volunteers. Please get in touch with Gilbert Childers (865) 300-7057 or Pete Pedigo (423) 240-9034 to volunteer to help raise our veterans' memorial flags. To procure a flag for a loved one, please complete and return a Memorial Flag Information form to Ringgold City Hall at least one month before the Festival of Flags. Forms are available at the link below.

[www.nothinlikeringold.com/event/festival-of-flags](http://www.nothinlikeringold.com/event/festival-of-flags)



# The Magnificent Markets of Spring

Spring has wrapped us in its warm and comforting embrace, and with the season's return, many Ringgold traditions are shaking off their Winter slumber. Two of these traditions, the Junk Market and Rabbit Valley Farmers Market, will debut this month! The Spring Junk Market, which highlights Ringgold's thriving antique industry and features special promotions, tent sales, and dozens of additional antique vendors, runs on April 18th and 19th. Find further details on the Ringgold NOW Facebook page. RVFM makes its return on April 26th with a Wine and Art Market, which marks the beginning of its 2025 season. The event runs from 5–8 pm at the Ringgold Market Pavilion, and attendees can expect live music, a variety of delicious wine and food, and works from several local artists. RVFM will continue its season with markets every Sat. 9 am to 1 pm.



## Our Upcoming Events

Visit [nothinlikeringgold.com/events](http://nothinlikeringgold.com/events) for more information

- Cruzin the Depot \_\_\_\_\_ April 5th
- TRP's Proof \_\_\_\_\_ April 10th – 13th
- Spring Junk Market \_\_\_\_\_ April 18th – 19th
- RVFM's Wine & Art Market \_\_\_\_\_ April 26th
- Clean Catoosa \_\_\_\_\_ April 26th
- Dolly Days & Dash \_\_\_\_\_ May 10th
- Ringgold Depot Opry \_\_\_\_\_ May 10th
- Festival of Flags \_\_\_\_\_ May 19th – June 2nd
- 1890 Days Jamboree \_\_\_\_\_ May 23rd – 24th

[Visit www.rabbitvalleyfarmersmarket.com](http://www.rabbitvalleyfarmersmarket.com) for full schedule