

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

This week at the First Peak

September 13-19, 2023 (Wed-Tue)

Here's a quick look at what's happening in the area over the next week. You'll find additional events, info & attractions at www.firstpeaknc.com. Message us on Facebook or give us a call during the day at 828-894-2324.

Welcome! Explore Historic Saluda, Tryon & Columbus - shop and eat local. Get out and enjoy our natural beauty and hiking. Relax and have fun!

Reoccurring events

Historic Tryon Movie Theatre • Tryon • "Oppenheimer" is showing Wed-Sat at 7pm, and Thu & Sun at 2:30pm. 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6811. Tickets at www.tryontheatre.com **f**

Live Music and Tastings at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • Tastings: Wed-Thu 12-6pm, Fri-Sun 12-7pm. Enjoy a bite from Relish Grill, on site Thu-Sun. Free Music: Fri, Moonshine State at 6pm; Sat, Eric Congdon at 3pm; Sun, Dan Lane at 3pm. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com

Local Fruit & Wine at Overmountain Vineyards • Green Creek • Tastings: Reservations required Wed-Sun, 12-6pm. Figs for sale, call to inquire. 2012 Sandy Plains Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-863-0523. www.overmountainvineyards.com f

Multiple Horse Shows at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr. • Mill Spring • Free 8am-5pm. Fri-Sun, eventing; Sat-Sun, dressage. 25 Int'l Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-863-1000. www.resort.tryon.com

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free, 7pm. Fri, Bruised Rhino; Sat, Southernly Proper. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com **f**

"Barkarita" Party at The SPOT Taco Restaurant • Saluda • Fri 4-9pm & Sat 12-9pm. Enjoy a doggy photo booth, "puptails", margaritas, and tacos. Proceeds from the sale of the "SPOTed Dog Margarita" go to the Blue Ridge Humane Society. Donations of dog or cat food accepted. 101 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. www.thespotsaluda.com

Wednesday September 13 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list above)

Live Music at Iron Key Brewing Co. • **Columbus** • Wed, Flight Night 4-9pm, free music at 6pm by Josh Dawkins and Chris Brymer. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. www.ironkeybrewing.com

Singo & Trivia at Green River Tavern • Columbus • 7pm. Play Singo (song bingo) & trivia for a chance to win prizes. 155 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1099. www.greenrivertavern20.com

Thursday, September 14 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

Wine Tastings • Green Creek • 12-6pm - times vary, four wineries open for tastings, see www.firstpeaknc.com.

Trivia at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • 7pm. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. www.ironkeybrewing.com

Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 7:30pm. Ménage will be playing. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$8. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. www.purpleonionsaluda.com

<u>Friday</u>, <u>September 15</u> (more Friday events in reoccurring list above)

Saluda Tailgate Market • *Saluda* • 4:30-6:30pm. Buy fresh local produce and more. Canned goods and shelf stable items will be collected for the Feed the Foothills fundraiser. W. Main St., Saluda, NC. www.polkcountyfarms.org

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Friday, September 15 cont. (more Friday events in reoccurring list - top of page 1)

Free Wine Tasting • Around the Area • Starting at 5pm, Free wine tastings of featured wines:

- The Tryon Bottle Tryon 15 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6473. www.tryonbottle.com
- Mewdlic's Saluda 171 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9036

"Fictions of Fauna" Opening Reception at Tryon Arts and Crafts School • Tryon • Free, 6pm. Meet the artists and view art featuring animals. 373 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-8323. www.tryonartsandcrafts.org

3rd Friday Sunset Celebration at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • 6-9pm. Enjoy sunset vineyard views and music by Moonshine State, food and beverages for purchase and more, see venue info pg 1.

Cornhole Tournament at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • Free, 6:30pm. All skill levels. See pg. 1.

Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 7 & 8pm.

- Green River Eddy's See info in reoccurring events on Pg 1.
- Brooks Tavern Tryon 8pm. Live music. 10 Oak St., Tryon, NC. 828-440-1540

Community Campfire Program at the Recreation Complex • Mill Spring • Free, 7pm. Bring the family and enjoy campfire fun & s'mores. Meet at the pavilion. 235 Wolverine Trail, Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-8199. www.polktrails.org

Saturday, September 16 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Columbus Farmer's Market • Columbus • 8am-12pm. Buy fresh local produce, artisanal goods & baked treats. Canned goods will be collected. Courthouse Street, Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org

"Raptors Inspire" at Walnut Creek Preserve • Sunny View • Free, 10:30am. Explore what makes raptors unique and get a chance to see live birds. Advance registration required online. www.conservingcarolina.org f

Wine Tastings • Green Creek • 12-6pm - times vary, four wineries open for tastings, see www.firstpeaknc.com.

Concert at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon • 7:30pm. The Rodney Marsalis Philadelphia Big Brass Band will perform. Advance tickets suggested – purchase online, \$38. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. www.tryonarts.org

Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 3 & 7pm.

- Parker-Binns & Green River Eddy's See info in reoccurring events on Pg. 1.
- The Rural Seed Columbus 6pm. Zendetta. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097

Movie Night at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Free, 7:30pm at the lawn. Watch "Bohemian Rhapsody." 731 Phillips Dairy Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

Sunday, September 17 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list - top of page 1)

Paint and Sip at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • 12pm. Paint a llama on canvas. Advance registration, \$40. See venue info on page 1.

Walk in the Woods at Saluda Library • Saluda • Free, 2pm. Easy to moderate walk across a field, 1.25 miles out and back. Meet in the library parking lot to carpool. 44 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1560. www.saludaclt.org

Sippin' Sunday at The Saluda Inn • Saluda • 4pm. Leeda Jones will be playing. Food & beverages available for purchase. Advance tickets required, \$20. 229 Greenville St., Saluda, NC. 828-388-9027. www.thesaludainn.com

Free Music at Fence • Tryon • 4pm. Tom Fisch. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. www.fence.org

Upcoming events

Harmon Field Music Festival at Harmon Field • Tryon • Sat, Sep 23, 2-7pm. Family friendly fun: inflatables, craft vendors, music, & more. Admission \$10 at the event. 117 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. www.feedthefoothills.com