



This week at the First Peak

September 6-12, 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.

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

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 • Batter up! Enjoy these classic movies about baseball. "Bull Durham" showing Wed & Sat at 7pm, and Thu at 3:30pm; "A League of Their Own" showing Thu & Fri at 7pm, and Sun at 3:30pm. 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6811. Tickets at www.tryontheatre.com

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:** 3pm: Sat, Beau Beaumont; Sun, Bill & Tad's Excellent Duo. 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 & watermelons for sale. 2012 Sandy Plains Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-863-0523. www.overmountainvineyards.com

Horse Show at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr. • Mill Spring • Free. Fri-Sun, 8am-5pm. National level hunter/jumper competition in the outdoor arena. 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, Bald Mountain Boys; Sat, Road House Rodeo. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

Blue Ridge Agility Show at FENCE • Tryon • Free. Fri-Sun, 8am-5pm. Dogs and handlers complete a series of obstacles, jumps, tunnels, and more. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org

Wednesday September 6 (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 Emily Martin. 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 7 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

Fall Bird Walk at FENCE • Tryon • Free, 8am. Kevin Burke, Venture Birding Guide, will lead a guided walk while discussing the birds in our area. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org

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. Goldpine will be playing. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$8. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. www.purpleonionsaluda.com

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Friday, September 8 (more Friday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

7th Annual Pink Day Spectacular at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr. • **Mill Spring** • Free, 8am-5pm. Enjoy a pink amateur derby, parade, decorated stalls, hobby horse derby, and more. See venue info page 1.

Saluda Tailgate Market • **Saluda** • 4:30-6:30pm. Buy fresh local produce and more. Asheville Junction will be performing. W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org 


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 
- **Mewdlie's** • **Saluda** • 171 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9036 


Westside Mixer at Tryon Arts and Crafts School • **Tryon** • Free, 6-9pm. Live music with Double Naught Spies, crafts, demonstrations, food trucks, and games. 373 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. www.tryonartsandcrafts.org 

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 


Saturday, September 9 (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. Courthouse Street, Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org 


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

Afternoon Tea at the Historic Green River House • **Green Creek** • 3pm. Teas/coffees, sandwiches, pastries, etc. Reservations required. 6333 Coxe Rd., Rutherfordton, NC. 828-286-1461. www.thegreenriverhouse.com 


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. Collin Smith. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097 


★ **Bluegrass Concert and 9/11 Memorial Ceremony at Veterans Park** • **Columbus** • 5pm. Fundraiser with live music from four bands, patriotic ceremony, food for purchase, and more. Bring a chair. Gibson St., Columbus, NC.

Movie Night at Mountain Brook Vineyards • **Green Creek** • Free, 7:30pm at the lawn. Free popcorn and beverages available for purchase. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com 

Tuesday, September 12 (more Tuesday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Team Trivia at Green River Tavern • **Columbus** • 6pm. Prizes for top teams. Food and drink available for purchase. 155 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-8721. www.polklibrary.org 

Upcoming events

★ **Harmon Field Music Festival and The Mane Event at Harmon Field** • **Tryon** • Sat, Sep 23, 10am-8pm. Family friendly fun: Equestrian activities from 10am-2pm; pony rides, petting zoo, horse-drawn hay rides, lots of music, food and more. Free admission with a canned good donation. 117 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. feedthefoothills.com 

★ **9th Annual Tryon International Film Festival** • **Tryon** • Oct 6-8. Explore 2 full days of independent film screenings at various locations throughout the historic downtown area. The festival will open with a gala on Friday night and run through Sunday evening's award ceremony. Advance tickets required, and options include day, weekend & online passes starting at \$30. www.tryoninternationalfilmfestival.com 

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