

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

This week at the First Peak

October 11-17, 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* • "A Haunting in Venice" 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

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, Bill and Tad's Excellent Duo; Sun, Dan Lane. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com

Live Music and Winery Tours at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Tastings: Mon & Thu 12-6pm, Fri-Sat 12-8pm, Sun 12-7pm. Tours by reservation. **Free Music:** 3pm. Sat, Simple Folk Trio & Arepitas on the Go food truck; Sun, Emily with Strings Attached. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd, Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

Local Fruit & Wine at Overmountain Vineyards • Green Creek • Tastings: Reservations required Wed-Sun, 12-6pm. Muscadines 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. Wed-Sun 8am-5pm, Hunter/Jumper competition in the outdoor complex. Visit the shops and restaurants on site. 25 Int'l Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.resort.tryon.com

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free, 7pm. Fri, Charlie Alexander Saunders Band; Sat, The Gilkey Cattle Company. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com f

Wednesday October 11 (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 Mad Academy. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. www.ironkeybrewing.com

Singo & Trivia at Green River Tavern • Columbus • 7pm. 155 W. Mills St. www.greenrivertavern20.com

Thursday, October 12 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

Outdoor Fall Festival at Tryon Elementary School • Tryon • 5-7pm. Enjoy music, food, games, inflatables, raffles, cake walk, and more. Cash only event. 100 School Place, Tryon, NC. 828-859-6584. www.polkschools.org

Live Music at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • 5:30pm. Izzi Hughes. See venue info above.

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

Friday, October 13 (more Friday events in reoccurring list above)

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

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Friday, October 13 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 f
- Mewdlic's Saluda 171 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9036

Oyster Roast at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr. • *Mill Spring* • 5:30-8pm. Enjoy oysters, live music, and more in Legends Plaza. Advance tickets suggested, buy online, \$17.50 per bucket. See venue info on page 1.

Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 5:30 & 7pm.

- Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr Mill Spring 5:30pm. Reedy River String Band. See info on Pg 1.
- Green River Eddy's Tap Room Saluda See info in reoccurring events on Pg 1.

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

Concert at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon • 7pm. Mercury Rising will be playing. Advance tickets suggested, \$10 or purchase at the door, \$13. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. 828-859-8322. www.tryonarts.org

Community Campfire Program at Harmon Field • Tryon • Free, 7-8:30pm. Bring the family and enjoy spooky campfire fun & s'mores. Bring a blanket or chair. 299 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-894-8199. www.polktrails.org

<u>Saturday</u>, <u>October 14</u> (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, and more. Courthouse Street, Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org

"A Day on the Homestead" Local Tours • Around the Area • 9am-4pm. Explore three Polk County homesteads. Advance tickets required, \$20 per vehicle. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org

Car Cruise In at Old Mill Market Square • Tryon • Free,12-4pm. Live music, games for kids, bouncy house, food truck, shopping, and more. 151 Southern Mercerizing Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-5467. www.oldmillmarketsquare.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, 6 & 7pm.

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

Saturday Night Lights at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • *Mill Spring* • 5-7pm. Free festival featuring kids' activities surrounding horse competition from 7-9pm. Parking fee after 4pm, \$10 per vehicle. See venue info Pg. 1.

Sunday, October 15 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list - top of page 1)

Paint and Sip at Parker-Binns Vineyards • Mill Spring • 12pm. Paint "The Poison Apple" on canvas. Advance registration, \$30, text 828-674-8964. See venue info on page 1.

Paint and Sip at Overmountain Vineyards • Green Creek • 1pm. Paint "The Summer of Flowers" on canvas. Advance registration, \$35. 2012 Sandy Plains Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-863-0523. www.overmountainvineyards.com

Walk in the Woods at Saluda Library • Saluda • Free, 2pm. This is a moderate walk including a picnic area and rock outcroppings. Meet in the library parking lot to carpool. 44 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. www.saludaclt.org

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