



# This week at the First Peak

## October 18–24, 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](http://www.firstpeaknc.com).  
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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** • “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](http://www.tryontheatre.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, Bill and Tad's Excellent Duo; Sun, Yesterday Band. **Free movie:** Sat, 7:30pm, outside on the lawn. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd, Tryon, NC. [www.mountainbrookvineyards.com](http://www.mountainbrookvineyards.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, Phil; Sun, Hope Griffin. Fri, 5-8pm, Sunset Party and 8-11pm Halloween Bash. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. [www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com](http://www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com)

**Horse Show at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr. • Mill Spring • Free.** Wed-Sun 8am-5pm. Hunter/Jumper competition in the outdoor complex. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-863-1000. [www.resort.tryon.com](http://www.resort.tryon.com)

**Oktoberfest at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • Free.** Fri-Sat 5-11pm. Enjoy delicious German food, market vendors, live music by the Holzhackern Tyrolean Band, kids' activities, and more. See info above.

**Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free,** 7pm. Fri, The Mac Beatty Band; Sat, Dr. Don & The Medicine Men. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. [www.saludaoutfitters.com](http://www.saludaoutfitters.com)

Wednesday October 18 (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 The Accentrix. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. [www.ironkeybrewing.com](http://www.ironkeybrewing.com)

**Wine Dinner at Overmountain Vineyards • Green Creek • 7pm.** Enjoy a four-course dinner with wine pairings. Advance registration, \$85. 2012 Sandy Plains Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-863-0523. [www.overmountainvineyards.com](http://www.overmountainvineyards.com)

Thursday, October 19 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

★ **4<sup>th</sup> Annual Divertimentos & Dressage at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • 6pm.** Enjoy an evening of freestyle dressage ridden to live performances by the Dorothy Brooke Orchestra, includes a preperformance reception. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$90. See venue info above.

**“The Yard and the World” Lecture at Tryon Arts and Crafts School • Tryon • Free,** 6pm. Artist Barbara Schreiber discusses her work. 373 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-8323. [www.tryonartsandcrafts.org](http://www.tryonartsandcrafts.org)

**“Thanks for the Memories” at Sunnysdale Cabin • Tryon • 7pm.** Tryon Little Theatre performs songs, dances and poetry from 1948. Advance tickets required, \$40. 334 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-2466. [www.tltinfo.org](http://www.tltinfo.org)


**Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 7:30pm.** Michael Reno Harrell will be playing. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$8. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. [www.purpleonionsaluda.com](http://www.purpleonionsaluda.com)


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Friday, October 20 (more Friday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Fall Hiking Series at Walnut Creek Preserve • Sunny View** • Free, 9am. This is a moderate six-mile out and back hike along Walnut Creek to Walnut Creek Falls. Advance registration required online. [www.conservingcarolina.org](http://www.conservingcarolina.org) 

**Saluda Tailgate Market • Saluda** • 4:30-6:30pm. Enjoy the “Fall Market Finale.” Buy fresh local produce and more. W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-894-2281. [www.polkcountyfarms.org](http://www.polkcountyfarms.org) 

**Sunset Party and Halloween Bash at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring** • Free. Sunset party 5-8pm. Enjoy the Halloween costume party 8-11pm. Featuring live music, food trucks, costume contest, & more, see venue info Pg. 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](http://www.tryonbottle.com) 
- **Mewdlie's • Saluda** • 171 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9036 


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


- **Tryon Equestrian Ctr, Green River Eddy's** • See info in **reoccurring events** on page 1.
- **The Rural Seed • Columbus** • 6pm. PJ Brunson. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097 

**Owl Prowl at FENCE • Tryon** • Free, 6:30pm. Join Clifton Avery for an evening walk in search of resident owls. Advance registration required. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. [www.fence.org](http://www.fence.org) 

Saturday, October 21 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Columbus Farmer's Market • Columbus** • 8am-12pm. Enjoy the “Fall Market Finale.” Buy fresh local produce, artisanal goods, baked treats, & more. Courthouse St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. [www.polkcountyfarms.org](http://www.polkcountyfarms.org) 

**“The History of Forestry and Ecological Practices” at Walnut Creek Preserve • Sunny View** • Free, 10:30am. Learn about the practices of the Cherokee Nation. Registration required. [www.conservingcarolina.org](http://www.conservingcarolina.org) 


**Oktoberfest at Russian Chapel Hill Winery • Green Creek** • 3-10pm. Enjoy a traditional “Bavarian feast” including music, food, drinks, & more. Reservations required, \$30. 2662 Green Creek Dr., Columbus, NC. 828-863-0540 

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- **Mountain Brook, Parker-Binns & Green River Eddy's** • See info in **reoccurring events** on page 1.


★ **Open Mic Night at Looking Glass Creamery • Green Creek** • Free, 5-7pm. Come perform or listen to local musicians, friends and neighbors. 115 Harmon Dairy Lane, Columbus, NC. 828-243-4840. [www.lookingglasscheese.com](http://www.lookingglasscheese.com) 


**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.


**Hallowine Party at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek** • 6-9pm. Come in costume, listen to music with DJ Jerry, dance, and enjoy a delicious buffet. Advance tickets suggested, \$35. See venue info on page 1. 

Sunday, October 22 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Sip n' Treat at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek** • 12-7pm. Bring the kids trick or treating. See Pg. 1.

**“Wheels for Whiskers” at Harmon Field • Tryon** • Free, 10am-2pm. Enjoy a car and truck show, vendors, food trucks, & more. Proceeds to Foothills Humane Society. 299 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. [foothillshumanesociety.org](http://foothillshumanesociety.org) 

★ **“A Tribute to Nina Simone” at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon** • 4pm. Reggie Headen and Kelle Jolly perform a variety of music. Advance tickets required, \$22. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. 828-859-8322. [www.tryonarts.org](http://www.tryonarts.org) 

**“Sippin Sunday” at Saluda Inn • Saluda** • 4pm. Jamie Wright will be performing. Food and drink available for purchase. Advance tickets required, \$15. 229 Greenville, St., Saluda, NC. 828-388-9027. [www.thesaludainn.com](http://www.thesaludainn.com) 

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