

This week at the First Peak

October 25-31, 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 • Watch these horror masterpieces. "The Shining" showing Wed & Sat at 7pm, and Thu at 2:30pm; "Wait Until Dark" showing Thu & Fri at 7pm, and 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, David Giles; Sun, Eric Congdon. 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, Seth and Sara; Sun, Carmody Trio plus Haus Heidelberg food truck. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd, Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

Multiple Horse Shows at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • Free, 8am-5pm. Wed-Sun, Hunter/Jumper competition in the outdoor complex; Fri-Sun, Dressage. 25 Int'l Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.tryon.com

Horse Show at FENCE • Tryon • Free. Fri-Sun 8am-5pm. Blue Ridge Hunter/Jumper. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free, 7pm. Fri, Ryan Henry Band; Sat, Sketoos Ghost. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

Plus see our special edition Halloween newsletter for dozens of themed events from 10/27-10/31

Wednesday October 25 (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 David Giles. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. www.ironkeybrewing.com

Wine Dinner at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • 6pm. Enjoy a delicious 4-course meal prepared by Relish Grill and paired with wine. Advance registration, \$85. See venue info above.

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

Thursday, October 26 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

★ **"Tales of Tryon" at Holy Cross Parish Hall • Tryon** • Free. 5pm. Bruce Johnson discusses his new book about the Tryon Toymakers & Wood Carvers. 150 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. 828-440-1116. www.tryonhistorymuseum.org

Free Music at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • 5:30pm. Hope Griffin. See venue info above.


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

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Thursday, October 26 cont. (more Thursday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

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

Friday, October 27 (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 


4th Friday in Tryon • Tryon • 5-7pm. Galleries offer extended hours & one-of-a-kind artwork. Visit the many shops & restaurants. Tryon Arts & Crafts School jewelry sale at 27 S. Trade St. Downtown, Tryon, NC. www.exploretryon.com 

★ **“Night at the Museum” at the Saluda Historic Depot • Saluda •** Free, 6pm. Watch Saluda history come alive with nine historical vignettes, reenactors in period clothing, food and beverages, and more. Advance reservations required by calling 828-747-8692. 32 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 

Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 6 & 7pm.

- **Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring •** 6pm. Champagne Charlie. See venue info on Pg. 1.
- **Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda •** See info in **reoccurring events** on Pg. 1.

Karaoke Night at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • Free, 6-9pm. Fun for the family. See venue info Pg. 1.

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

Saturday, October 28 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)


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. The Paper Crowns. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097 

Saturday Night Lights & “Firefly Drone Show” at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • 5-9pm. Free festival featuring kids' activities, trick or treating and more. Stay after the Grand Prix competition and enjoy hundreds of drones soaring in sync to music in a dazzling “Firefly Drone Show.” Parking fee after 4pm, \$10 per vehicle. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-863-1000. www.resort.tryon.com 

Movie Night at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Free, 7:30pm at The Lawn. Watch the 1980 classic horror movie “Friday the 13th.” See venue info Pg. 1.

Sunday, October 29 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)


Celebrate Nature at FENCE • Tryon • Free, 12-4pm. Enjoy music, kids' activities, animal encounters, and more. Costumes and treat bags encouraged. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org 

Paint and Sip at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • 2:30pm. Paint a “Pumpkin Pickup Truck” on canvas. Advance registration, \$40. See venue info on page 1.

 Tuesday, October 31 (Lots of Halloween fun -see details in the Halloween events newsletter) 

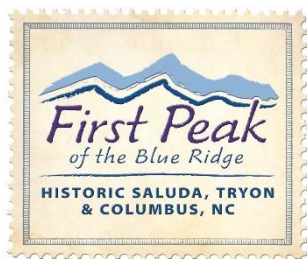
Harvest Tea at the Historic Green River House • Green Creek • 2pm. Teas/coffees, sandwiches, pastries, etc. Reservations required. 6333 Coxe Rd., Rutherfordton, NC. 828-286-1461. www.thegreenriverhouse.com 

Upcoming events

12th Annual Tryon Beer Fest at Historic Tryon Depot • Tryon • Nov 4. Beer, food trucks, live music, and more. Purchase tickets online, \$50/\$55 day of the event. Guests must be 21+. 22 Depot St., Tryon, NC. www.tryonbeerfest.com 

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Special Edition Halloween at the First Peak



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Here's a quick look at all the local Halloween happenings in the area.
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Welcome! This is a special edition to help you get out and explore all things Halloween around Historic Saluda, Tryon & Columbus. Stay safe and have fun!

Happy Halloween!

Friday, October 27

Fall Festival at Sunny View Elementary School • Sunny View • 5-9pm. Come in costume and enjoy games, inflatables, BBQ, and spaghetti dinner. Fundraising activities require cash turned into tickets. 86 Sunny View Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-1050. www.polkschools.org



Trick or Trot at Harmon Field • Tryon • Free, 5:30-6:30pm. Walk along a two-mile course while collecting goodies and treats. Costumes encouraged. Preregister online. 117 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. www.polklibrary.org

Trunk or Treat at Sizemore Gymnastics Academy • Tryon • Free, 6-8pm. Costumes encouraged. Trick or treat in the parking lot. 66 Academy St., Tryon, NC. 864-800-2241

Costume Campfire at Harmon Field • Tryon • Free, 7-8:30pm. Stop in after the Trick or Trot and enjoy campfire fun & s'mores. Bring a chair or blanket. 117 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-894-8199. www.polktrails.org

Saturday, October 28

Trunk or Treat at Tryon Presbyterian Church • Tryon • Free, 4-5:30pm. Come in costume and trick or treat in the church parking lot. 430 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6683. www.tryonpresbyterian.org



Halloween Stroll in Downtown Landrum • Landrum • Free, 5-7pm. Come in costume and enjoy trick or treating, games and costume contest. North Trade Ave., Landrum, SC. 864-457-3000. www.cityoflandrumsc.com



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Fall Festival at Green Creek First Baptist Church • Green Creek • 5-8pm. Trick or treat in the church parking lot, enjoy games, food, and more. 534 Coxe Rd., Columbus, NC. 828-863-2600

Halloween Costume Party at Back Alley Barn • Saluda • Free music, 6pm. Costume contest, live music with Take 3, custom Halloween drinks & treats, and more. 30 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-0204

Halloween Party at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free music, 7-10pm. Costume contest and live music featuring Sketo's Ghost. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

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Saturday, October 28 cont.


Halloween Costume Party at Green River Brew Depot • Saluda • Free music, 8-11pm. Costume contest, music, food & drinks available for purchase. 26 Church St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9033. www.greenriverbrewdepot.com 

Sunday, October 29




Celebrate Nature at FENCE • Tryon • Free, 12-4pm. Enjoy music, kids' activities, animal encounters, and more. Costumes and treat bags encouraged. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org 

Fall Festival at Coopers Gap Baptist Church • Mill Spring • Free, 2pm. Enjoy trunk or treating in the parking lot, hayrides, inflatables, hotdog supper, and more. 730 Coopers Gap Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-625-4628 

Fall Festival at All Good Things Bakery • Tryon • 4-6pm. Shop in the parking lot from a variety of vendors featuring arts, crafts and more. 289 S. Trade St., Suite A., Tryon, NC. 828-440-1018. www.allgoodthingsbakery.com 

Trunk or Treat Fall Festival at Pea Ridge Baptist Church • Mill Spring • Free, 4:30-6:30pm. Come in costume and trunk or treat in the church parking lot. Enjoy games, food and fun. 8732 Hwy 108 E., Mill Spring, NC. 

Tuesday, October 31

Halloween at Polk County High School Farm • Columbus • Free, 3:30-5:30pm. Enjoy face painting, pumpkin picking, games, animals, refreshments, and candy. 1681 NC-108, Columbus, NC. 828-894-2525 



Halloween Stroll in Downtown Tryon • Tryon • Free, 4-6pm. Trick or treat with local businesses downtown. Costume contest at the Clock Tower at 6pm. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6655. www.exploretryon.com 



Spooktacular Halloween Event at Polk County Courthouse • Columbus • Free, 4-7pm. Trick or treat around the courthouse brick sidewalk. Courthouse St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-8236. www.columbusnc.com 


Trunk or Treat at Green Creek Fire & Rescue • Green Creek • Free, 4-7pm. Annual drive-thru trick or treating for some spooky fun and treats. 8645 Hwy 9 S., Columbus, NC. 828-863-2100. www.greencreekfire.org 



Halloween Stroll in Downtown Saluda • Saluda • Free, 5-7pm. Visit local businesses to fill up your bag with goodies. Main St., Saluda, NC. www.cityofsaludanc.com 

Trunk or Treat at Columbus Baptist Church • Columbus • Free, 5-7pm. Trick or treat in the church parking lot and enjoy candy, music, games, and more. 45 Houston Rd., Columbus, NC. 828-894-8588. www.columbus-bc.org 

Trunk or Treat at Polk Co. Sheriff's Office • Columbus • 5-7pm. Come trick or treating for some spooky fun and treats in the parking lot. Costumes encouraged. 164 Government Complex Dr., Columbus, NC. 828-894-3001 

2nd Annual Halloween Spooktacular at Laurelwoods • Columbus • 5:30-7pm. Stop by the retirement community and enjoy games, trick or treating, prizes, and more. 1062 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 

Fall Festival and Trunk or Treat at Midway Baptist Church • Columbus • 6-8pm. Come trick or treating in the church parking lot and enjoy hot dogs and games. 2101 NC Hwy 108 E., Columbus, NC. 828-894-5633 

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