

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

This week at the First Peak

March 27 - April 2, 2024 (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* • "Bob Marley: One Love" shows 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-Fri 12-5pm, Sat-Sun 12-6pm. Enjoy a bite from Relish Grill, on site Fri-Sun, brunch on Sat 10am-2pm. Free Music: 3pm. Sat, Phil Ruff; Sun, Hope Griffin. 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, Wed & Thu 12-6pm, Fri & Sat 12-8pm, and Sun 12-7pm. Tours by reservation. Free Music: 6pm. Sat, Jorge Garcia, jazz guitarist, performs in the Experience Center. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd, Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

Horse Show at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • Free. Thu-Sun 9am-5pm, Hunter/Jumper competition. Visit the shops and restaurants on site. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.resort.tryon.com f

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free music, 7pm. Fri, Mattocks Johnson Band; Sat, The Marc Higgins Duo. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

Spring Fling Rodeo at FENCE • Tryon • Sat & Sun 7pm. Bronc riding, barrel racing, sheep riding, bull riding, petting zoo, mechanical bull, concessions, and more. Purchase tickets at the gate \$15/adults & \$10/children under 10, cash only. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org

Wednesday March 27 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list above)

Free Live Music at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • Wed, Flight Night 4-9pm, free music at 6pm by Raphael Graves Duo. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. www.ironkeybrewing.com

Broadway Themed Music Bingo at The Saluda Inn • Saluda • Free, 7pm. Meet in The Cellar and play music bingo. Beverages and small bites available for purchase. 229 Greenville St., Saluda, NC. www.thesaludainn.com **f**

Thursday, March 28 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 7:30pm. Amanda Anne Platt will be playing. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$22. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. www.purpleonionsaluda.com f

<u>Friday, March 29 (more Friday events in reoccurring list above)</u>

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

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

Events, info and hours may change • Verify details directly with venue

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Friday, March 29 cont. (more Friday events in reoccurring list - top of page 1)

Free Live Music at The Rural Seed • Columbus • 6pm. The Wilder Flower will be playing bluegrass music. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097. www.theruralseed.com f

Concert at the Mill Spring Agriculture Ctr • Mill Spring • 6:30pm. Jonathan Scales Fourchestra performs in retro auditorium. Advance tickets required, \$25/2 people. 156 Old School Rd., Mill Spring, NC. www.eventbrite.com

Saturday, March 30 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list - top of page 1)

"The Trumpet Shall Sound" at Seventh-Day Adventist Church • Tryon • Free, 10:45am. Enjoy a musical selection from Handel's Messiah. 2820 Lynn Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6047. www.tryonnc.adventistchurch.org

Easter Egg Hunt at Stearns Park • Columbus • Free, 11am-2pm. Bring the kids and enjoy an egg hunt, crafts, face painting and more. Hotdogs, chips and drinks available for purchase. 125 E. Mills. St., Columbus, NC.

April Fools Festival in Downtown Tryon • Tryon • Free, 12pm. Enjoy an Outhouse Race, Trashion Show, music, kid's activities, cotton candy, face painting, and more. Downtown, Tryon. 864-354-2423. www.tryonaprilfools.com

Easter Celebration at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Free, 12pm. Bring the kids and enjoy egg painting and hunting. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

Spring 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.

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

Live Music at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Ctr. • *Mill Spring* • Free, 5pm. Champagne Charlie, will play jazz, blues & country in Legends Plaza. Enjoy carousel rides & kids' activities. 25 Int'l Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.resort.tryon.com

The Dirty South Band at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon • 7pm. Enjoy a night of southern rock & roll.

Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$20. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. 828-859-8322. www.tryonarts.org

Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 8pm. Nikki Talley and Jason Sharp will be performing. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$10. www.purpleonionsaluda.com. See venue info on page 1.

Sunday, March 31 Happy Easter! (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Easter Brunch Buffet at The Rural Seed • Columbus • 10am-2pm. Advance reservations required \$38.95/adult and \$21.95/children under 10. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097. www.the ruralseed.com

Easter Brunch at Tryon International Equestrian Center • Mill Spring • 11am & 1pm. Enjoy a buffet at the Legends Club. Advance reservations required \$55/adult, \$28/children 13+ and \$18/children 5-8. See venue info on page 1.

Easter Brunch at Orchard Inn • Saluda • 11am-3pm. Advance reservations required \$55/adult & \$27.50/child. 100 Orchard Inn Ln., Saluda, NC. 828-827-4708. www.orchardinn.com **f**

Easter Brunch at Azalea Bistro • Saluda • 11am-7pm. Advance reservations required \$55/adult and children under 12 free. 40 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9022. www.azaleabistro.com ¶

Easter Egg Hunt at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • Free, 12-6pm. Bring the kids and enjoy an egg hunt at 12pm. Adults hunt at 1pm with a \$6 entry fee for a chance at prizes. Hope Griffin plays music 3-6pm. See page 1.

Upcoming events

76th Block House Steeplechase at Green Creek Race Course • Green Creek • Sat, Apr 13, 10am-5pm. Watch horses race and jump fences around a scenic grass course. Kids' zone, pony rides, food, and shopping. Plus, fun fashion contests. Advance tickets suggested -purchase online. 6681 S. NC Hwy 9, Columbus, NC. www.tryonsteeplechase.com **f**