

# This week at the First Peak

**November 13-19, 2024** (Wed-Tue)

View our list of open tourism businesses (updated daily), linked from the alert bar at the top of [firstpeaknc.com](http://firstpeaknc.com). Confirm info before you visit anywhere not listed there or below – we can help at 828-894-2324 or check their Facebook page/call them directly.

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

Welcome! Our small town main streets of Historic Saluda, Tryon & Columbus are open! Please support our local businesses, restaurants and attractions, and plan a visit soon.

## Reoccurring events

**Historic Tryon Movie Theatre • Tryon** • “My Old Ass” shows Wed-Sat at 7pm and Thu & Sun at 2:30pm. Special weekend showings for 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration- see below. 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. Tickets at [tryontheatre.com](http://tryontheatre.com)

**Live Music and Tastings at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • Free Music:** 2pm. Sat Phil Ruff; Sun Hope Griffin. **Tastings:** Wed 12-5pm, Thu-Sun 12-6pm. Relish Grill open Thu-Sun 12-5:30pm. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. [www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com](http://www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com)

**Live Music & Tastings at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Free Music:** 3pm. Sat, Bill and Tad’s Excellent Duo; Sun, Danny Greyshock. **Tastings:** Mon, Wed & Thu 12-6pm, Fri-Sat 12-8pm, Sun 12-7pm. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd, Tryon. 828-722-1037. [www.mountainbrookvineyards.com](http://www.mountainbrookvineyards.com)

**“Miss Bennet: Christmas at Pemberley” Play at Tryon Little Theater • Tryon** • Thu-Sat 7:30pm & Sun 3pm. Local actors present this play that takes place two years after the end of Jane Austen’s Pride and Prejudice. Tickets are \$25 adult/\$15 student, purchase tickets online. 516 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-2466. [www.tltinfo.org](http://www.tltinfo.org)

★ **10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration at Tryon History Museum • Tryon** • Fri-Sat. Enjoy new exhibits at the Museum. 26 Maple St., Tryon, NC. 828-440-1116. [www.tryonhistorymuseum.org](http://www.tryonhistorymuseum.org)

**Includes free events at the Historic Tryon Theatre** – must reserve tickets online, see venue information above.

- **“National Velvet”** • Sat at 2:30pm. This 1944 movie stars Elizabeth Taylor and Mickey Rooney.
- **“Sherlock Holmes: A Play by William Gillette”** • Sun at 7pm. Original 1916 silent film starring famous Tryon resident.

**Live Music at Green River Eddy’s Tap Room • Saluda** • Free music. Fri 7pm, Mattocks-Johnson Band; Sat 7pm, Quickchester. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. [www.saludaoutfitters.com](http://www.saludaoutfitters.com)

Wednesday November 13 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list above)

**Fall Bird Walk at FENCE • Tryon** • Free, 9am. Ventures Birding Tours will guide you around the FENCE property looking for birds. Birders of all levels are welcome. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. [www.fence.org](http://www.fence.org)

**Free 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)

Thursday, November 14 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

**Wine/Hard Cider Tastings • Green Creek** • 12-6pm - times vary, 5 venues open for tastings, see [firstpeaknc.com](http://firstpeaknc.com).

**Speaker at Columbus Library • Columbus** • Free, 4pm. Naturalist, writer and historian Dennis Chastain will present “Historical Findings of Cherokee Living in the Carolinas.” 1289 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. [www.polklibrary.org](http://www.polklibrary.org)

**Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda** • 7:30pm. Music by Lyle de Vitry. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$10. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. [www.purpleonionsaluda.com](http://www.purpleonionsaluda.com)



-over-

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


Let the First Peak Visitor Center help with your plans!  
Use our website planner or give us a call • [www.firstpeaknc.com](http://www.firstpeaknc.com) • 828-894-2324  
- Sign up [in the green section](#) at the bottom of our home page to receive this as a weekly e-mail -


Friday, November 15 (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](http://www.tryonbottle.com) 
- **Mewdlic's • Saluda** • 171 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9036 

Saturday, November 16 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Winter Extravaganza Sale at Adawehi • Columbus** • 9am-3pm. Clothing, handmade gifts, jewelry, handbags. Gift sale continues until 12/21, Mon-Sat, 10am-6pm. 93 Adawehi Ln., Columbus, NC. 828-894-5260. [www.adawehi.com](http://www.adawehi.com) 

★ **Tally Ho Wagon Ride at Green Creek Hounds • Green Creek** • 9am-12pm. Ride in the Wagon and watch formal riders & trained Penn-Marydel Hounds hunt. Enjoy an assortment of food and drink. Advance tickets \$100; call Elaine at 864-426-3638. This event is rain or shine. 6689 Poors Ford Rd., Rutherfordton, NC. [greencreekhounds.com](http://greencreekhounds.com) 

**Columbus Winter Market at Iron Key Brewing • Columbus** • 10am-1pm. Buy local produce, homemade goods, crafts and more. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. [www.polkcountyfarms.org](http://www.polkcountyfarms.org) 

**Outdoor Fall Craft Show at Old Mill Market Square • Tryon** • 10am-4pm. Shop from multiple vendors set up in the parking lot. 151 Southern Mercerizing Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-5467. [www.oldmillmarketsquare.com](http://www.oldmillmarketsquare.com) 

**Tastings at Looking Glass Creamery • Green Creek** • 11am-5pm. Enjoy great views. Sample/buy cheese/ice cream, plus grilled cheese & hard cider. 335 Harmon Dairy Lane, Columbus, NC. 828-222-0751. [lookingglasscheese.com](http://lookingglasscheese.com) 


**Free Live Music • Around the Area** • Starting at 2, 3 & 7pm.

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

**“Dare to Dream” Opening Reception at Tryon Painters and Sculptors • Tryon** • Free, 5-7pm. All member exhibit on display through Dec. 22. 78 N. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-0141. [www.tryonpaintersandsculptors.com](http://www.tryonpaintersandsculptors.com) 

**Boot Scootin' BBQ at Greenlife Inn at the Mimosa • Tryon** • 5-7pm. This BBQ fundraiser benefits Big Brothers Big Sisters. Tickets are \$40; contact Jessica at 828-429-7626. 65 Mimosa Inn Dr., Tryon, NC. [www.bbbswnc.org](http://www.bbbswnc.org)


**Gobble til you Wobble at The Fitzgerald • Tryon** • 6-10pm. Enjoy a holiday buffet and music by DJ Good Vibrations. Must call in advance for tickets, \$35. Adults only event. 69 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. 828-513-9241 


**Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda** • 8pm. Music by The Feels. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$14. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. [www.purpleonionsaluda.com](http://www.purpleonionsaluda.com) 

Sunday, November 17 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)


**Free Live Music • Around the Area** • Starting at 2 & 3pm.

- **Parker-Binns & Mountain Brook** • See info in **reoccurring events** on page 1.


**Sippin Sunday at The Saluda Inn • Saluda** • 4pm. Adam Thompson performs. Advance reservations required, \$15. Beverages & small bites available for purchase. 229 Greenville St., Saluda, NC. 828-388-9027. [www.thesaludainn.com](http://www.thesaludainn.com) 

**Free Concert at FENCE • Tryon** • 4pm. Tom Fisch. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. [www.fence.org](http://www.fence.org) 

Tuesday, November 19 (more Tuesday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Dance the Night Away at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon** • 6:30pm. Learn how to shag with dancers Karen Workman & Roger Carr. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$10. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. [tryonarts.org](http://tryonarts.org) 

Upcoming event

★ **10<sup>th</sup> Annual Tryon International Film Festival • Tryon** • Nov 22-24. 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 include day, weekend & online pass options starting at \$40. [www.tryoninternationalfilmfestival.com](http://www.tryoninternationalfilmfestival.com) 

**Find more events on our website or give us a call • [www.firstpeaknc.com](http://www.firstpeaknc.com) • 828-894-2324**

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