

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

This Week at the First Peak

June 18-24, 2025 (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! Our small-town main streets of Historic Saluda, Tryon & Columbus are open! Relax and have fun! Check our online events calendar for upcoming events. www.firstpeaknc.com/events/

Reoccurring events

Historic Tryon Movie Theatre • Tryon • “Sinners” shows Wed-Sat at 7pm plus matinees on Thu & Sun at 2:30pm. 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6811. www.tryontheatre.com

Tryon International Equestrian Ctr • Mill Spring • 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.tryon.com

- **Paso Fino Competition** • Free. Thu 11am-5pm, Fri 8am-5pm, Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 8am-5pm. Watch horse & rider performing a smooth four beat gait in the Indoor Complex.
- **Hunter/Jumper** • Free. Fri-Sun 8am-5pm. Watch horse & rider display style & movement in the outdoor arena.
- **Live Music** • Free. Thu 6pm. Rocky Yelton and the Hired Guns performs at the Silver Spoon Saloon.
- **Live Music** • Free. Fri 5pm. Crocodile Smile performs pop, funk and dance.
- **Live Music** • Free. Sat 4pm. The Silver Travis Band performs blues, rock and southern rock.

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Tap Room • Saluda • Free 7pm. Fri, Asheville Junction; Sat, JC Tokes Family Band; Sun 2pm, Highway 52 Duo. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

Live Music at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek • Free Music: 3-6pm. Sat, Bill & Tad's Excellent Duo; Sun, Down Time Habit. **Tastings:** Mon & Wed-Thu 12-6pm, Fri -Sat 12-8pm, Sun 12-7pm. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-722-1037. www.mountainbrookvineyards.com

Live Music at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • Free Music: 3-6pm. Sat, Reverie Woods; Sun, Moonshine State. **Tastings:** Wed 12-5pm, Thu 12-6pm, Fri-Sun 12-7pm. **Relish Grill** open Thu-Sun -closes 30 minutes early. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com

★ **Professional Bull Riding at Tryon Int'l Equestrian Center. • Mill Spring •** Fri at 8pm & Sat at 7pm. Fun for the entire family, bull riding, music, and more. Advance tickets suggested, starting at \$34. See venue info above.

Wednesday, June 18 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list – above)

Live at Lanier Library • Tryon • Free 1pm. Tryon photographer Corrie Woods discusses simple tips and stories behind some of her favorite photos. 72 Chestnut St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9535. www.thelanierlibrary.org

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

Thursday, June 19 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list – above)

“Wildlife Geeks” at Columbus Library • Columbus • Free 2pm. Learn about and interact with amazing and rare animals from around the world. 1289 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-8721. www.polklibrary.org

Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 7:30pm. Music by Michael Reno Harrell. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$10. 16 East Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. www.purpleonionsaluda.com

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


Saluda Tailgate Market • Saluda • 4-6pm. Buy local produce, homemade goods and more. Located at Saluda Elementary School's field by the tennis courts, 214 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org 

Wine Tasting at The Tryon Bottle • Tryon • 5-7pm. Free tastings. 15 South Trade St. Tryon, NC. 828-859-6473 


Summer Solstice at Overmountain Vineyards • Green Creek • 6pm. Includes charcuterie board, arrival wine pour & music. Advance tickets online, \$75. 2012 Sandy Plains Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-863-0523. overmountainvineyards.com 

Live Painting Demonstration at Mirrorball Gallery • Tryon • Free 6pm. Atlanta-based artist and musician Brandon Morrison gives a live painting demonstration. 84 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. 828-222-0740. mirrorballgallery.com 


3rd Friday Sunset Celebration at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring • 6-9pm. Free music by Eric Congdon, beverages for purchase, food available for purchase from Relish Grill & Mountain View BBQ food truck. See page 1.


Summer Tracks Concert Series at Rogers Park • Tryon • \$10 donation. 7pm. Anya Hinkle Band performs. Food truck on-site. No pets allowed. 55 W. Howard St., Tryon, NC. 828-749-2581. www.summertracks.com 

Saluda Train Tales at the Saluda Depot Museum • Saluda • Free 7pm. David Winans discusses “The FDR Funeral Train.” 32 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9016. www.saludahistoricdepot.com 

Karaoke & Line Dancing at Tryon Resort • Mill Spring • 8pm, free line dancing lessons; 9pm-midnight, DJ Honey Bee hosts an evening of fun at the Silver Spoon Saloon. 25 Int'l Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.resort.tryon.com 



Saturday, June 21 (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 Square, Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org 

Community Yard Sale at FENCE • Tryon • 8am-12pm. Shop from household goods, furniture and more offered by sellers from across the community. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org 

Champions for Wildlife at Tryon Depot • Tryon • Free 10am. Kids learn about red wolves and will sculpt their own red wolf creation to take home. Preregister online. 22 Depot St., Tryon, NC. www.championsforwildlife.org 

“Hunters in the Sky” at Walnut Creek Preserve • Sunny View • Free, 10:30am. Carlton Burke talks about raptors, predatory birds, with live examples to meet. Registration required online. www.conservingcarolina.org 

 **Honey Tasting and Apiary Tour at The Orchard Inn • Saluda • 11am.** Enjoy a curated honey tasting, guided tour of the bee yard, including a full bee suit, veil & gloves, and a full charcuterie lunch provided by Newman's. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$125. 100 Orchard Inn Lane., Saluda, NC. 828-749-5471. www.orchardinn.com 

Juneteenth Celebration at Roseland Community Center • Tryon • Free, 12-4pm. Explore historical exhibits, trivia, local vendors, games for kids and adults, DJ, food trucks, and more. 56 Peake St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-5212. 


Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 3, 4 & 7pm. See info in **reoccurring events** on page 1.

Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda • 8pm. Music by Tina and Her Pony, tickets \$10. See venue info on Pg.1.

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

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

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

Free Concert at FENCE • Tryon • 4pm. Izzi Hughes. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. www.fence.org 

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