

# This Week at the First Peak

## May 6-12, 2026 (Wed-Tue)

20 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC 28722

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). Message us on Facebook or give us a call during the day at 828-894-2324.

**Welcome! Relax and have fun around our scenic areas and small towns of Historic Saluda, Tryon & Columbus! Check our online events calendar for more upcoming events. [www.firstpeaknc.com/events/](http://www.firstpeaknc.com/events/)**



Reoccurring events (More events listed below for each day)

**Historic Tryon Movie Theatre • Tryon • “H is for Hawk”** shows Wed-Sat at 7pm plus matinees on Thu & Sun at 2:30pm. Tickets for all showings - \$12.00. 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6811. [www.tryontheatre.com](http://www.tryontheatre.com)

**Tryon International • Mill Spring •** 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. [www.tryon.com](http://www.tryon.com)

- **Horse Show** • Free. Thu-Sun 8am-4pm. Dressage, Cross-Country & Show Jumping in the outdoor arena and at the White Oak Cross-Country Course.
- **Horse Show** • Free. Fri-Sun 8am-5pm. Hunter/jumper. Watch horse & rider compete in the outdoor arena
- **Double Dan Horsemanship Performance** • Free. Fri 6:30-7pm. Watch a blend of horsemanship & entertainment in the outdoor arena.

**“Steel Magnolias” at Tryon Little Theater • Tryon •** Thu-Sat 7:30pm & Sun 3pm. A beloved story of friendship & love in a small southern town. Tickets \$25/adult & \$15/student, available online [tltinfo.org](http://tltinfo.org). 516 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC

**Live Music at Green River Eddy’s Tap Room • Saluda •** Free Music: 7pm. Fri, **Rich Hornyak & The Highway Companions**; Sat, **Bruised Rhino**. The grill is open until 10pm. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. [www.saludaoutfitters.com](http://www.saludaoutfitters.com)

**Live Music at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring •** Free Music: 3-6pm. Sat, **Raphael Graves**; Sun, **Teddy & West Duo**. Tastings: Wed-Thu 12-5pm, Fri 12-6pm, Sat-Sun 12-7pm. Relish Grill open Fri 12-5:30pm, Sat-Sun 12-6:30pm. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154. [www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com](http://www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com)

**Live Music at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek •** Free Music: 3-6pm. Sat, **Seth & Sarah**; Sun, **Kayla McKinney**, plus Taco Mundo food truck Sat & Sun. Tastings: Mon, Wed & Thu 12-6pm, Fri -Sun 12-8pm. 731 Phillips Dairy Rd., Tryon, NC. [www.mountainbrookvineyards.com](http://www.mountainbrookvineyards.com)

Wednesday, May 6 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list – above)

**Free Live Music at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus •** Flight Night, free music at 6pm by **Trophy Husbands**. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. [www.ironkeybrewing.com](http://www.ironkeybrewing.com)

Thursday, May 7 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list – above)

**Italian Night at The Fitz Lounge • Tryon •** 6pm. Enjoy house-made lasagna, salad & dessert, \$29/plate while watching “My Big Fat Greek Wedding.” 69 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. 828-513-9241. [www.thefitzgeraldtryon.com](http://www.thefitzgeraldtryon.com)

★ **Americana Concert Series at Tryon Fine Arts Center Amphitheater • Tryon •** 6:30pm. **Tanasi** perform traditional American roots music. Advance tickets, \$15. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. [www.tryonarts.org](http://www.tryonarts.org)


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


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Friday, May 8 (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](http://www.polkcountyfarms.org) 


★ **Opening Reception at Mirrorball Gallery • Tryon** • Free, 6pm. Exhibit “Beyond the Forest: Contemporary Visions of Flora & Fauna” will be on display through May 31. 84 Pacolet St., Tryon, NC. [www.mirrorballgallery.com](http://www.mirrorballgallery.com) 


**Free Live Music at Silver Spoon Saloon • Mill Spring** • 9pm. Music by **Caution! Blind Driver!** Food is available for purchase plus enjoy the game room. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-863-1121. [www.tryon.com](http://www.tryon.com) 


Saturday, May 9 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)


**Columbus Farmers Market • Columbus** • 8am-12pm. Buy fresh local produce, artisanal goods, baked treats, and more. Courthouse Square, Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. [www.polkcountyfarms.org](http://www.polkcountyfarms.org) 


**Flea Market at Harmon Field • Tryon** • 8am-1pm. Shop from a wide variety of treasures, household goods, gardening/household items & more. 117 Harmon Field Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6654. [www.tryon-nc.com](http://www.tryon-nc.com) 

**Saturday Night Lights at Tryon Int'l • Mill Spring** • 4pm. Free festival featuring kids' activities surrounding Grand Prix horse competition at 7:30pm. Parking fee after 3pm, \$10 per vehicle. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. 


**20th Annual Spring Green River Bash at Green River Adventures • Saluda** • Free. 5-9pm. Celebrate the summer reopening with live music by **The Saylor Brothers**, and lots of fun. 150 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-2800 

**“Walk for Peace” at Adawehi • Columbus** • Free. 7pm. Continue the “Walk for Peace” started by the Monks. Meet at the labyrinth entrance for a short intro and labyrinth walk. 93 Adawehi Lane, Columbus, NC. [adawehi.com](http://adawehi.com) 

**Live Music at The Purple Onion • Saluda** • 8pm. Music by **Tina and Her Pony**. Advance tickets required – purchase online, \$15. 16 E. Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-749-1179. [www.purpleonionsaluda.com](http://www.purpleonionsaluda.com) 

**Free Live Music at Sully's Place • Columbus** • 8-11pm. Music by **Misdemeanor**. 155 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 


Sunday, May 10 Happy Mother's Day (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Hunter Pace at FENCE • Tryon** • Free, 10am-4pm. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. [fence.org](http://fence.org) 


 **Mother's Day Brunches/Buffets • Around the Area** • Starting at 11am:

- **The Orchard Inn • Saluda** • 11am-3pm. Advance reservations required, \$65/adults & \$32.50/children under 11. 100 Orchard Inn Lane, Saluda, NC. 828-749-5471. [www.orchardinn.com](http://www.orchardinn.com) 
- **Legends Grille at Tryon International • Mill Spring** • 11:30am-3pm. Advance reservations required, \$66/adults, \$30/children 9-13 and \$18/children 5-8. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. [www.tryon.com](http://www.tryon.com) 
- **Relish at Parker-Binns Vineyard • Mill Spring** • 12-6pm. See venue info on page 1.

**Tipsy Tea Party at Mountain Brook Vineyards • Green Creek** • 2-5pm. A twist on a classic tea, complete with a traditional tea menu paired with wine. Tickets \$45, purchase online at [www.mountainbrookvineyards.com](http://www.mountainbrookvineyards.com). See Pg. 1.

**Walk in the Woods at Saluda Library • Saluda** • Free, 2pm. This is a moderate 1 mile walk at Reclamation Preserve. Meet in the library parking lot to carpool. 44 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. [www.saludacommunitylandtrust.org](http://www.saludacommunitylandtrust.org) 

Tuesday, May 12 (more Tuesday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

**Speaker Series at Saluda Library • Saluda** • Free, 2pm. Steve Pettis discusses environmentally friendly garden techniques that you can use this spring in your garden. RSVP at [conservingcarolina.org](http://conservingcarolina.org). 44 W. Main St., Saluda, NC. 

**Film Series at the Historic Tryon Theatre • Tryon** • 7pm. Watch “A River Runs Through It,” a drama based on an American family. Purchase tickets from Tryon Fine Arts Center at [www.tryonarts.org](http://www.tryonarts.org), \$11. 45 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 

**Swing Dance Lessons at Silver Spoon Saloon • Mill Spring** • Free 6-9pm. Instructors Charlie & Carisma will teach basic moves and the history of swing dance. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-863-1122. [www.tryon.com](http://www.tryon.com) 

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