



This week at the First Peak

March 1-7, 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.
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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. Stay healthy, relax and have fun!

Reoccurring events

Historic Tryon Movie Theatre • Tryon • "Living" is showing Wed-Sat at 7pm, Thu & Sun at 3:30pm.
45 South 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 12-5pm, Fri-Sun 12-6pm. **Free Music**, 2pm: Sat, Dan Lane; Sun, Phil. 2275 Whiteside Rd., Mill Spring, NC. 828-894-0154.
www.parkerbinnsvineyard.com

Live Music and Trivia at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • Wed, Flight Night 4-9pm, free music by Emily Martin at 6pm; Thu, free trivia at 7pm. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1045. www.ironkeybrewing.com

"State Fair" Musical at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon • Fri & Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3pm. Tryon Little Theater presents this musical about a family who has a three-day adventure at the annual state fair. Advance tickets available online, \$25 adults/\$12 children under 18. 34 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. 828-859-2466. www.tltinfo.org

Live Music at Green River Eddy's Taproom • Saluda • Free, 7pm. Fri, Danielle Howle Duo; Sat, BJ Cates & Jadon Pace. 435 Main St., Saluda, NC. 828-848-4060. www.saludaoutfitters.com

Horse Show at FENCE • Tryon • Free, Sat & Sun, 9am-12pm. Desensitization training using ramps, poles, cones, barrels, balls, hula hoops, and more in the covered arena. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. www.fence.org

Wednesday March 1 (more Wednesday events in reoccurring list above)

★ **"Music of the Season" at the Holy Cross Episcopal Church • Tryon** • Free, 12pm. Art DeCotiis, pianist, will perform. 150 Melrose Ave., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9741. www.holycrosstryon.org

Live Music at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • 6pm, Emily Martin will be playing, see info above.

Thursday, March 2 (more Thursday events in reoccurring list above)

★ **Winter Bird Walk at FENCE • Tryon** • Free. March 2, 9am. Kevin Burke of Ventures Birding Tours will guide you around the FENCE property looking for winter birds. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. www.fence.org

Wine Tastings • Green Creek • 12-6pm - times vary, four wineries open for tastings, see www.firstpeaknc.com.

"Find Your Seat of Calm" at Lanier Library • Tryon • Free, 3pm. Nancy Nicholson will teach chair-based yoga. Advance reservations required. 72 Chestnut St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9535. www.thelanierlibrary.org

Trivia at Iron Key Brewing Co. • Columbus • 7pm, see venue info above.


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

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Friday, March 3 (more Friday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Film Fridays at Polk Co. Library • Columbus • Free, 1pm. “The Fablemans” is a semi-autobiographical film loosely based on Steven Spielberg’s first years as a filmmaker. 1289 W. Mills St., Columbus, NC. www.polklibrary.org 

Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 5, 6:30 & 7pm, see page 1.

Free Wine Tasting at The Tryon Bottle • Tryon • 5-7pm. Enjoy free wine tastings of featured wines. 15 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-6473. www.tryonbottle.com 


First Friday at eARTHly Minds Gallery • Saluda • 5-8pm. Shop extended hours, enjoy live music with Kool Dewey Kudzu, light refreshments, and more. 19 Pearson’s Falls Rd., Saluda, NC. 828-769-9063 

Free Music at Harper Eatery & Pub • Tryon • Free. 6:30pm, Dean Trakas on piano, reservations recommended. 10 Oak St., Tryon, NC. 828-440-1540 


Saturday, March 4 (more Saturday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Spring Ephemerals Plant Walk at Adawehi Community • Columbus • Free, 9 & 10:30am. June Ellen Bradley will lead a walk through the forest. Afterward, walk the labyrinth with Adawehi founder, Jackie Woods. 93 Adawehi Lane, Columbus, NC. 828-290-7523. www.adawehi.com 



Columbus Winter Market at Iron Key Brewing • Columbus • 10am-1pm. Buy local produce, homemade goods and more. 135 Locust St., Columbus, NC. 828-894-2281. www.polkcountyfarms.org 

Guided Tour at Looking Glass Creamery • Green Creek • Free, 12pm. Meet at the porch of the Farm Store for an outside guided tour. After the tour stop by the Farm Store and shop from the selection of their own cheeses, cider, ice cream, and more. 115 Harmon Dairy Lane, Columbus, NC. 828-222-0751. www.lookingglasscreamery.com 

Free Live Music • Around the Area • Starting at 2, 5:30 & 7pm, see page 1.

Afternoon Tea at Green River Plantation • Green Creek • 3pm. Enjoy a selection of teas and coffees, sandwich assortments, pastries, scones, and more. Advance reservations are required. 6333 Coxe Rd., Rutherfordton, NC. 828-286-1461. www.greenriverplantation.info 

Free Music at The Rural Seed • Columbus • Free, 5:30pm. Hummingtree Band will perform. 322 E. Mills St., Columbus, NC. 828-802-1097. www.theruralseed.com 


 **Comedy Night at Tryon International Equestrian Ctr. • Mill Spring •** 8:30pm. Adult comedy show featuring Darren DS Sanders and Jesse Jones at Legends Club. Advance tickets are required - purchase online, \$20. 25 International Blvd., Mill Spring, NC. www.tryon.com 

Sunday, March 5 (more Sunday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

Wine Tastings • Green Creek • 12-6pm - times vary, four wineries open for tastings, see www.firstpeaknc.com.

“State Fair” Musical at Tryon Fine Arts Center • Tryon • 3pm, see page 1.

Tuesday, March 7 (more Tuesday events in reoccurring list – top of page 1)

“Bogat” Art Exhibit at Upstairs Artspace • Tryon • 12-5pm. Artist Warren Hicks has a different take on religion and redacts select words in Christian scripture leaving an entirely different message that is usually funny, insightful, and thought provoking. 49 S. Trade St., Tryon, NC. 828-859-2828. www.upstairsartspace.org 

Upcoming events

Free Concert at FENCE • Tryon • March 19, 4pm. Friction Farm combines storytelling, social commentary, and humor to create songs of everyday life. 3381 Hunting Country Rd., Tryon, NC. 828-859-9021. www.fence.org 

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