

Explore Orange County, NC

Towns of Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough

Weekly Calendar of Events

August 13 – August 19, 2018

An annotated list of interesting events happening in **Orange County** over the next week, prepared by Chapel Hill/Orange County Visitors Bureau.

MONDAY Aug 13

SENSE OF PLACE TOURS

11 AM

UNC Visitors' Center / 250 East Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 962-1630

Daily visitor tours on the UNC Campus at 11 am. Tour registration is required prior to attendance. Visit website to sign up or email us at uncvisitorscenter@unc.edu. Tours are not held during holidays or campus closures. *Guests are advised that tours may be cancelled due to severe weather or high temperatures. Questions? Please call at (919) 962-1630. www.unc.edu/visitors/explore-carolina/

AUTHOR EVENT @ THE CHAPEL HILL LIBRARY

6:30 PM TO 8 PM

Chapel Hill Public Library / 100 Library Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 968-2777

A meet-the-author discussion of the book *Suspect Citizens: What 20 Million Traffic Stops Tell Us* about Policing and Race will be held at Chapel Hill Public Library, 100 Library Drive. Sponsored by the Town of Chapel Hill Justice in Action Committee, the book explores an analysis of traffic stops in North Carolina. chapelhillpubliclibrary.org/

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

9 PM

Local 506 / 506 West Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 942-5506

Admission: \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show. Emo Raleigh Presents: Plans, The Happy Alright www.local506.com

TUESDAY Aug 14

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

Flyleaf Books / 752 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd Chapel Hill (919) 942-7373

Brian Biswas discusses his book *A Betrayal and Other Stories*. www.flyleafbooks.com

WEDNESDAY Aug 15

END OF SUMMER COOL DOWN

6 PM TO 7 PM

Chapel Hill Public Library / 100 Library Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 968-2777

It's the last day of the Summer Blast and we are cooling down with some music and popsicles! Bring a chair, listen to music from the band Big Fat Gap, grab a Locopop, and relax outside!

chapelhillpubliclibrary.org/

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

9 PM

Local 506 / 506 West Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 942-5506

Admission: \$10. King Django, The Spectacles www.local506.com

THURSDAY Aug 16

AFTER HOURS LATE SUMMER

6 PM TO 8 PM

Weaver Street Market Carrboro / 101 East Weaver St Carrboro (919) 929-0010

Join us for music on the Carrboro lawn. Parking is available in the municipal lots and at Fitch Lumber (after 5), tonight's music by Squandered Bongos <http://www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/>

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

Flyleaf Books / 752 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd Chapel Hill (919) 942-7373

David Joy discusses his new novel The Line That Held Us. www.flyleafbooks.com

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

8 PM

Cat's Cradle / 300 E Main St Carrboro (919) 967-9053

Admission: \$15 in advance, \$17 day of show. Vacationer, Segó, Dirty Art Club www.catscradle.com

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

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MOVIES UNDER THE STARS

8:30 PM

Wallace Parking Deck / 150 E Rosemary St Chapel Hill

The Town of Chapel Hill and Chapel Hill Downtown Partnership's FREE Movies Under the Stars summer series held outdoors is on top of the Wallace Parking Deck at 150 E. Rosemary St. Movie-goers of all ages will enjoy free popcorn, giant games and activities. Bring your own blankets or chairs. The movies start at approximately 8:30pm; or when it gets just dark enough to see the screen. Tonight's movie will be Beauty and the Beast (2017). For more information, visit www.downtownchapelhill.com/movies.

FRIDAY Aug 17

FAMILY MOVIE

2 PM TO 3:30 PM

Chapel Hill Public Library / 100 Library Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 968-2777

Popcorn and great family movies! In Meeting room B. Wrinkle in Time (PG). chapelhillpubliclibrary.org/

FRIDAYS ON THE FRONT PORCH

5 PM TO 8 PM

Carolina Inn / 211 Pittsboro Street Chapel Hill (919) 918-2777

Admission: No cover charge or reservation required

Come to The Carolina Inn each week for Fridays on the Front Porch (#FOFP) a popular end-of-the-work-week celebration in Chapel Hill. Relax on our shady front porch listening to live music, sipping on refreshing beverages and enjoying delicious food truck fare. Tonight's band will be Old Well Wishers. Food Trucks will be Bulkogi Truck and Napoli Pizza. www.carolinainn.com/fridays-on-the-front-porch

FRIDAY AFTER HOURS

5 PM TO 7 PM

Weaver Street Market Southern Village / 716 Market St Chapel Hill (919) 929-2009

Join us on the patio at our Southern Village store to unwind with some free music. Parking is available on the streets or in the lot. Tonight's music by The Nashvilifiers. www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

TGIFRIDAY ON THE VILLAGE GREEN

7 PM

Southern Village / 400 Market Street Chapel Hill

TGIFriday on the Village Green with Neville's Quarter and Richard Edwards, original folk and Americana. www.southernvillage.com/

PAPERHAND PUPPET INTERVENTION "IN THE HEART OF THE FIRE"

7 PM

Forest Theatre / 123 S. Boundary St Chapel Hill

Admission: Tickets \$15, \$8 Kids, Suggested Donation. Paperhand Puppet Intervention returns for their 19th annual puppet pageant of unlikely proportions. Mask and dance, shadow puppetry and stilt walking unite as cardboard comes to life and paper-mache' flies to the music of the band. This year's show, "In the Heart of the Fire" explores the paradoxical gift of fire. We ask, "What makes us who we are? Is it our cleverness, the machines we forge and the towers we build? Or is it the stories we share and the fire in our hearts?" We tell tales of fire, of giants and trolls, of trickster creators and how we came to be human. Paperhand's yearly spectacle inspires young and old alike. paperhand.org/

TEACHER'S LOUNGE

8 PM TO 9:30 PM

The PIT – Chapel Hill / 462 W. Franklin St. Chapel Hill (919) 240-5012

Admission: \$10. Come join our faculty for a variety hour that showcases what they do best. Featuring the best improvisers and stand ups in the Triangle as well as visiting artists from New York and LA, this is one class you don't want to skip. thepit-chapelhill.com/

GODSPELL

8 PM

ArtsCenter / 300-G East Main St Carrboro (919) 929-2787

Admission: \$12, \$10 Children & Students. GODSPELL (presented by Chapel Hill School of Musical Arts), This successful rock opera took the world by storm when it debuted on Broadway in 1971 and is the first musical theatre offering from composer Stephen Schwartz (who went on to write such well-known hits as Wicked, Pippin, and Children of Eden). Based on the Gospel according to Matthew, it broke new ground in its dramatization of Jesus' parables and the community that formed around them. This joyful musical is appropriate for all ages, and features a vibrant and eclectic musical score including the international hit "Day by Day." artscenterlive.org/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE

9 PM

Cat's Cradle / 300 East Main Street Carrboro (919) 967-9053

Admission: \$12 in advance, \$15 day of show. Abbey Road LIVE! performs Abbey Road album!

www.catscradle.com/

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MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

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Cat's Cradle / 300 E Main St Carrboro (919) 967-9053

Admission: \$7. Flash Car, Lilac Shadows, and Salt Palace <http://www.catscradle.com>

SATURDAY Aug 18

FRIENDS FALL BOOK SALE

9:30 AM TO 5:30 PM

Orange County Public Library / 137 West Margaret Lane Hillsborough (919) 245-2525

Come to the Main Library in Hillsborough for the Fall Book Sale hosted by the Friends of the Orange County Public Library. Hardcover, Paperbacks, CDs, DVDs and more. www.orangecountync.gov

TASTE CAROLINA GOURMET 2 FOOD TOURS

10:45 AM & 3 PM

Open Eye Cafe / 101 S Greensboro St Carrboro (919) 237-2254

2 tours, the 10:45am Culinary Carrboro Tasting and Market Tour ties local ingredients to the restaurants that use them. This tour includes food at four different restaurants, substantial tastings with farmers and vendors at the Carrboro Farmers' Market, and a beer tasting. \$61.50/person. The 3pm Culinary Carrboro & Chapel Hill Afternoon Tasting Tour includes visits to four to five different restaurants with a few drink pairings. \$71.50/person. www.tastecarolina.net/chapel-hill-carrboro/

HISTORIC HILLSBOROUGH SATURDAY GUIDED TOURS

11 AM TO 12:30 PM

Hillsborough Visitors Center / 150 East King Street Hillsborough (919) 732-7741

Admission: \$6. Experience American history through the unique perspective of one of North Carolina's oldest and most historically significant towns, with a guided walking tour of downtown Hillsborough. Established in 1754 as the seat of government for Orange County, Hillsborough's colonial legacy and signs of its importance in North Carolina and American history can be seen everywhere. The tour begins at the Hillsborough Visitors Center, located in the eighteenth century Alexander Dickson Farm House, and guides visitors to a variety of historic places from the site of a 1790s African American-owned distillery to the 1840s Orange County Courthouse and the grave of one of North Carolina's signers of the Declaration of Independence. visithillsboroughnc.com/

FAIRVIEW LIVE! A DAY IN THE PARK

NOON TO 4 PM

Fairview Park / 195 Torain St Hillsborough (919) 296-9543

Fairview Live is a free community event sponsored by Fairview Community Watch, Hillsborough Police Department and Orange County Parks and Recreation. The event consists of food, live entertainment, information booths, games and bouncy houses for the kids, and door prizes.

HAUNTED HILLSBOROUGH TOUR

6 PM TO 8 PM

Riverwalk Entrance / Nash & Kollock St Hillsborough (336) 538-3117

Admission: \$12.50, \$10 Students, Seniors, Military

Historic Ghost Tour - In 1771, Enoch Pugh swung from the gallows in Hillsborough, and he has been hanging around (well, buried close by) ever since. Join Enoch for a 2 hour, 1.5-mile walk around downtown Hillsborough. At a dozen stops along the way ~ including haunted houses and the execution site ~ Enoch will describe real history, native and post-colonial legends, and numerous "haints" reported in homes or in the area. You will hear about...Old Poplar, a house with only a dozen or so varied spirits. Spirits of Seven Hearths, and the possible identities of both. A perfumed lady spirit in the Roulhac Hamilton house. And the Declaration signer who is buried here, and elsewhere. Enoch also tells about his pre-Revolution exploits, gruesome death, and mysteries about him that have recently been solved, and others that have not....Join us for tales of history, mystery, murder, and imagination! You may also choose from two other tour options. Consult website for info. www.hauntedhillsborough.com/

CAR RACES AT THE ORANGE COUNTY SPEEDWAY

7 PM

Orange County Speedway / 9740 NC Highway 57 Rougemont (336) 364-1222

Admission: \$10, \$8 Seniors 65+ & Students/Military with ID, \$1 10 yrs & under

KIDS RIDE ALONG - LMSC/LTD/PS/MOD 4/CHARGER/SMT. ocstrack.com/

DANCE HOUR & OUTDOOR MOVIE ON THE GREEN

7:15 PM TO 10:45 PM

Southern Village / 400 Market Street Chapel Hill

Southern Village Dance Hour with Center of Motion from 7:15-8:15pm, Outdoor Movie on the Village Green with Solo: A Star Wars Story, starts at 8:45. www.southernvillage.com/

MUSIC AT THE OASIS**7:30 PM TO 9 PM**

Oasis / 200 N Greensboro St, Carr Mill Mall Carrboro (919) 904-7343

Samadhi LIVE!! oasisincarrmill.com/**GODSPELL****8 PM**

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MUSIC AT LOCAL 506**9 PM**

Local 506 / 506 West Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 942-5506

Admission: \$5. Into the Groove: An Eighties Dance Party www.local506.com**IMPROV AT THE VARSITY****9:30 PM TO 11 PM**

Varsity Theatre / 123 East Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 967-8665

Admission: \$6. Improv at the Varsity hosts local improv teams (and stand-up comedians) every Saturday night at 9:30! Check website for upcoming acts. www.improvatthevarsity.com/

SUNDAY Aug 19**JAZZ BRUNCH AT WEAVER STREET MARKET CARRBORO****11 AM TO 1 PM**

Weaver Street Market Carrboro / 101 East Weaver St Carrboro (919) 929-0010

Free "Jazz and More" music on our lawn in Carrboro. Bring a picnic blanket or chairs. There's plenty of parking at Fitch Lumber on N Greensboro Street and at the municipal lots on S Greensboro and West Weaver Streets. Today's music by Squandered Bongos www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

JAZZ BRUNCH AT WEAVER STREET MARKET HILLSBOROUGH**11 AM TO 1 PM**

Weaver Street Market Hillsborough / 228 South Churton St Hillsborough (919) 245-5050

Free "Jazz and More" music on our patio in Hillsborough. Today's music by Jeff Brown Quartet www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

SUMMER SESSION FESTIVAL

11:30 AM TO 10 PM

Mystery Brewing Company / 230 South Nash St Hillsborough (919) 245-1325

Join us for our second annual Summer Session Festival. This year, we're hosting the festival at our Public House on 230 S. Nash Street in beautiful, Hillsborough! We'll have beers on tap inside and on our back patio! The fun starts at 11:30 AM when we open and goes until 10 PM when we close! Exciting special beers will be tapped staggered throughout the day so no matter when you come there will be something great for you to enjoy! This event is open to the public, so anyone is welcome in the Pub on the day of the event! Tickets must be purchased for beer. <http://www.mysterybrewing.com/events.html>

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MUSIC IN THE GALLERIES: SING THE BEATLES & ELVIS COSTELLO

2 PM TO 5 PM

Ackland Art Museum / 101 South Columbia Street Chapel Hill (919) 966-5736

This summer, the Ackland welcomes Flash Chorus to Music in the Galleries for a series of three community singing events! All are invited (regardless of singing ability/experience) to join the Flash Chorus at the Ackland, where directors Seamus Kenney and Kerri Lockwood will select two "portraits-in-song" to be rehearsed, practiced, and performed at each afternoon session with a live band. Presented in connection with The Outwin: American Portraiture Today (on view through 26 August 2018). \$7 in advance, \$10 at the door, child 12 & under free. ackland.org/

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MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

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Cat's Cradle / 300 East Main Street Carrboro (919) 967-9053

Admission: Free Donations Encouraged

Forever Young: A Benefit for Andy www.catscradle.com/

CONCERT ON THE VILLAGE GREEN

6 PM

Southern Village / 400 Market Street Chapel Hill

Sunday Concert Series, tonight's music by Graymatter (Acoustic/Rock Blend). www.southernvillage.com/

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

8 PM

Local 506 / 506 West Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 942-5506

Admission: \$8 in advance, \$10 day of show. Barely Civil, Heart To Gold, Condado www.local506.com

You can find a complete listing of all programs and events offered by our major attractions by visiting www.visitchapelhill.org and viewing individual websites listed by attraction.

