

Explore Orange County, NC

Towns of Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough

Weekly Calendar of Events

September 10 – September 16, 2018

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

MONDAY Sept 10

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 AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

Flyleaf Books / 752 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd Chapel Hill (919) 942-7373
Patrick Winn discusses Hello, Shadowlands. www.flyleafbooks.com

TANK SMITH'S TRUMP TWEETS COMEDY OPEN MIC

8:30 PM

The PIT - Chapel Hill / 462 W. Franklin Street Chapel Hill (516) 849-4474
Admission: \$3. Tank Smith hosts this comedy open mic which features a bowl of random tweets from 45 himself. Comics may riff off the material if they chose to do so. Signup list goes out at 8:00, open mic begins at 8:30. \$3 to perform, free to watch. thepit-chapelhill.com/

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

9 PM

Local 506 / 506 West Franklin Street Chapel Hill (919) 942-5506
Admission: \$15 in advance, \$18 day of show. The Goddamn Gallows, Birdcloud www.local506.com

TUESDAY Sept 11

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

Flyleaf Books / 752 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd Chapel Hill (919) 942-7373
Ivelisse Rodriguez in conversation with Stephanie Elizondo Griest: Love War Stories.
www.flyleafbooks.com

ICON LECTURE SERIES

7 PM TO 8:30 PM

Extraordinary Ventures / 200 South Elliott Road Chapel Hill

Admission: \$10 online and \$15 at the door

ICON is proud to present Rosemary Jenks, Vice President and Director of Government Relations for the organization NumbersUSA. In Washington, she is the single most respected analyst of laws and policies regarding their effects on all aspects of immigration and is widely sought after for advice by both Republicans and Democrats. www.iconlectureseries.com/

ACKLAND FILM FORUM

7 PM

Varsity Theatre / 123 East Franklin Street Chapel Hill

Admission: Free with One Cards. \$7 general public. Join us for a series of seven films in the Ackland Film Forum Fall 2018 series, "Women with a Camera: American Female Directors, 1990-Present." The series is organized by the Ackland Art Museum and the UNC-Chapel Hill Department of English and Comparative Literature and presented in connection with the "CMPL 144: American Films of the 90s" course installation on display in Ackland Upstairs, 17 Oct – 16 Dec 2018. The Virgin Suicides (USA, 2000, dir. Sofia Coppola), R | 1h 37min, A group of male friends becomes obsessed with five mysterious sisters who are sheltered by their strict, religious parents in suburban Detroit in the mid-1970s. ackland.org/

AUTHOR EVENT @ THE CHAPEL HILL LIBRARY

7 PM TO 8 PM

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

Brie Arthur - Chapel Hill Garden Club presents a visit from Brie Arthur, author of The Foodscape Revolution. Brie has fine-tuned Foodscaping, which makes space for both food and beauty in a garden. She invites everyone to "think outside the box," and will show you how to include edibles in your ornamental landscape. chapelhillpubliclibrary.org/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

8 PM

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

Admission: \$13 in advance, \$15 day of show. Remo Drive, Field Medic, Prince Daddy & the Hyena
www.catscradle.com

WEDNESDAY Sept 12

ACKLAND ART MUSEUM TOUR

2 PM TO 2:30 PM

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

Admission: Free

Explore the Ackland's Collection in a free, 30-minute docent-led tour every Wednesday. These tours enable visitors to explore the Ackland Art Museum collection with a guide. Meet at the visitor services desk in the Ackland's lobby. ackland.org/

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

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

Michael Hanson reads from his book Tripping to Dickeyland. www.flyleafbooks.com/

SHERWOOD: THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD PREVIEW

7:30 PM

PlayMakers Repertory Company / 150 Country Club Rd Chapel Hill (919) 962-7529

Admission: Tickets start @ \$15. MERRY MEN, MAID MARIAN, AND MUCH MERRIMENT - Comic genius Ken Ludwig brings his rip-roaring romp through Sherwood Forest to PlayMakers, with all the thrills and romance you could ever ask for. We'll fill the theatre with flying arrows, clanging swords, and perilous feats of daring as you follow Little John, Friar Tuck, Maid Marian, and Robin Hood himself through this timeless story of a hero of the people who takes on the powers that be. www.playmakersrep.org/

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

9 PM

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

Admission: \$8 in advance, \$10 day of show. Spendtime Palace, The Brazen Youth, Green Aisles
www.local506.com

THURSDAY Sept 13

LUNCHBOX TALK

NOON TO 1 PM

NC Botanical Garden / 100 Old Mason Farm Road Chapel Hill (919) 962-0522

LUNCHBOX Talk: The Piedmont Patch Project with Catherine Bollinger, Writer and Naturalist, and Lisa Fischbeck, Vicar, Episcopal Church of the Advocate. Piedmont Patch is a collaborative demonstration of how to restore native habitat for wildlife to public and private landscapes in the North Carolina Piedmont. Lisa Fischbeck, vicar of The Episcopal Church of the Advocate in Chapel Hill, and Catherine Bollinger, volunteer botanical advisor, will describe the origin of the project and ongoing partnerships helping to create native habitat for wildlife displaced by the rapid urbanization of our region on part of The Advocate's 15-acre property. ncbg.unc.edu

MUSIC ON THE PORCH

5:30 PM TO 7 PM

Center for the Study of the American South / 410 East Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 962-5665

Our first fall concert features world-renowned local violinist and composer Jennifer Curtis. An educator with a focus on music as humanitarian aid, Curtis has performed with musical shaman of the Andes, improvised for live radio from the Amazon jungle, and collaborated with Kurdish refugees in Turkey. She will be accompanied by the Melodic Refuge Orchestra, a mixed ensemble featuring artists from Italy, Lebanon, and North Carolina. Their musical realm ranges from Arabic, Romanian, and Italian traditions to the contemporary American South. This event is free and open to the public, and parking is free after 5:00 pm in the Park Place parking lot. Bring a picnic blanket and stay for a while! south.unc.edu/

AUCTION AT LELAND LITTLE

6 PM

Leland Little Auction and Estates Sales / 620 Cornerstone Court Hillsborough (919) 644-1243
Rare and Fine Wine Auction. www.lelandlittle.com/

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 on Thursdays. Parking is available in the municipal lots and at Fitch Lumber (after 5), tonight's music by Rhonda Robichaux www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS**7 PM TO 8:30 PM**

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

Flyleaf Second Thursday Poetry Series & Open Mic feat. Valerie Macon & Dorothy Baird.
www.flyleafbooks.com/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM**8 PM**

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

Admission: \$10. A Different Thread, Chessa Rich, Dreams of Loss and Light www.catscradle.com

AUSTIN PIAZZOLA QUINTET**8 PM TO 10 PM**

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

Admission: \$15. Nuevo Tango comes to The ArtsCenter! Founded by James Anderson (violin), the APQ has been performing and recording since 2009, building a reputation as one of North America's leading interpreters of the Argentinean tango tradition. With Jonathan Geer (piano), Ben Thomas (bandoneon), Tony Rogers (cello), and Phil Spencer (bass), the band continues the tradition of nuevo tango through intense live shows which feature unique arrangements of Astor Piazzolla's groundbreaking works, breathtaking original compositions, and fiery improvisation. artscenterlive.org/

WILD WORLD**8:30 PM**

The PIT - Chapel Hill / 462 W. Franklin Street Chapel Hill (516) 849-4474

Admission: \$5. A singer/songwriter showcase featuring some of the most talented musicians in the area.
thepit-chapelhill.com/

ANDREA & MUD AT THE CAVE**9 PM TO 11:45 PM**

452 W. Franklin St. Chapel Hill (984) 234-0293

Admission: \$5. Hot off their performance at Muddy Roots (TN), Andrea Colburn & Mud Moseley, are heading to Chapel Hill, NC to melt your faces at the Cave with local favorites Lester Coalbanks and the Seven Sorrows. Make sure to come out and see this Ameripolitan approved Surf Western band from Atlanta, GA while they're in your city! About Andrea & Mud: The King and Queen of the Hillbilly Underground from North Georgia. www.facebook.com/events/230274994348422/

FRIDAY Sept 14

JUSTIN JOHN MONIZ, TENOR**NOON TO 1 PM**

Hill Hall Auditorium / 145 East Cameron Ave Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Justin John Moniz, tenor, will give a recital and masterclass in Moeser Auditorium, accompanied by Qiao Zheng Goh on piano. Mr. Moniz holds the Doctor of Music in Voice Performance from Florida State University, a Master of Music in Vocal Performance from the Frost School of Music at the University of Miami, and a Bachelor of Music in Vocal Performance from the Crane School of Music at SUNY Potsdam, where he was recently selected as the recipient of the 2015 Rising Star Award for having demonstrated outstanding professional achievement in the first decade following graduation. music.unc.edu/

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

Football Weekend vs. UCF - 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 Hank Smith. Food Trucks will be Napoli Pizza and Humble Pig. www.carolinainn.com/fridays-on-the-front-porch

UNIQUE AS WE ARE ALIKE**5:30 PM**

Center for the Study of the American South / 410 East Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 962-5665

Opening Reception: This art exhibit is a multidimensional exploration of contemporary Lumbee identity that focuses on the experiences of Lumbees defining themselves and their commonalities despite years of being defined by others. This process, through symbolism and portraiture, creates a feeling of connectedness, compassion, and empathy, which showcases the uniqueness of Lumbee identity while underscoring certain commonalities of the human condition. Join us for the opening reception which includes food, drink, and conversation with the artists. south.unc.edu/

ARTISTS OF "CONVERGENCE" TALK**6 PM TO 8 PM**

FRANK Gallery / 201 S Estes Dr Chapel Hill (919) 636-4135

Please join us on September 14th from 6-8pm where the August/September artists of "Convergence" will be giving a talk about their current collections at the gallery. Austin Cathey, Shelly Hehenberger, Tripp Jarvis, and Luna Lee Ray will be making some remarks about the inspiration behind their work, techniques and how Shelly and Luna's collaborative pieces come together. Hope to see you all there! www.frankisart.com/

2ND FRIDAY ART WALK**6 PM TO 9 PM**

Downtown Chapel Hill / East & West Franklin St Chapel Hill

The 2nd Friday ArtWalk is a great opportunity to experience the creative arts scene in Chapel Hill and Carrboro, explore venues, and socialize with other art lovers! Venues offer live music, food, activities, hands-on art demonstrations, discounts, and more. www.2ndfridayartwalk.com

HILLSBOROUGH HOG DAY

6 PM TO 10 PM

River Park / Margaret Lane Hillsborough

We are celebrating our 36th year as Orange County's largest and longest running festival. Hog Day has received national recognition as one of the top festivals in America. Come to Hog Day to enjoy local bands, fun contests & games, local food vendors, dessert contest, classic car show, children's area, 5K Run Pigs on Parade Art Project and our original BBQ cook-off contest featuring veteran cooking teams! Hog Day will be hosted at the Riverpark in downtown Hillsborough. If you're looking for one-of-a-kind, handcrafted gifts, Hog Day is the place for you. Our juried vendors offer the finest pieces of unique gifts, décor and crafts. From custom-made folk art to jewelry and furniture we have something for you. We dig the pig... back by popular demand is the original BBQ cook-off contest featuring veteran cooking teams perfecting their art. If you like BBQ you'll love ours... www.hogday.org/

TAR HEEL DOWNTOWN

6 PM TO 9 PM

Downtown Chapel Hill / 140 West Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 968-2723

Tar Heel Downtown brings a pep rally atmosphere and fan experience to Franklin Street, featuring a live outdoor concert, interactive games for kids and families, face painting, and more. The UNC Marching Tar Heels, cheerleaders, and of course...Rameses will be there too! tarheeldowntown.com/

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

6:30 PM

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

John Larison discusses Whiskey When We're Dry. www.flyleafbooks.com/

UNC VOLLEYBALL

6:30 PM

Carmichael Arena / 301 South Road Chapel Hill (919) 962-6000

UNC vs. North Dakota State. www.goheels.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. Please check the paperhand website for any weather-related cancellations. Pre-Show at 6:20 PM. 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/

NEKO CASE

8 PM

Memorial Hall / 114 East Cameron Ave Chapel Hill (919) 843-3333

Admission: Tickets start @\$19. In the universe of independent singer-songwriters, Neko Case is near the epicenter. After several years collaborating with kd lang and Laura Veirs, she has released her first solo album since 2013: the acclaimed Hell-On. Speaks for itself, no? This performance is co-produced with Cat's Cradle. Before the concert: Join us for the CPA Block Party! 7pm What better way to launch a season devoted to community than to throw a block party? Join us outside Memorial Hall for food from your favorite local food trucks, live music, interactive activities, and a voter registration drive, just before Neko Case's performance. In line with our theme of citizenship, Neko has partnered with PLUS1, so that \$1 from every ticket will go to Peer Solutions and support their positive youth leadership and development program designed to prevent harm before it begins and engage lifetime ambassadors of positive change. www.carolinaperformingarts.org/

ROBIN FROHARDT PLASTIC BAG STORE

8 PM

Current ArtSpace / 123 W Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 843-3333

Admission: \$27. This is no ordinary store: All of the products that line the shelves are just plastic bags. There are bottles of bags, cans of bags, boxes of bags, and, of course, bags of bags, each product an original design, made from discarded plastic stuffed inside other discarded plastic, creating an endless cacophony of packaging. At night this store comes to life with live performers, dynamic sets, hidden worlds and inventive puppetry to tell a darkly comedic, sometimes tender story that explores how the plastic refuse we are leaving behind might be misinterpreted by future generations. Plastic Bag Store is a tragicomic ode to the foreverness of plastic. www.carolinaperformingarts.org/

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

9 PM

Local 506 / 506 W Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 942-5506

Admission: \$7. Local Flora, The Moon Unit www.local506.com

MEME TEAM

9:30 PM TO 11 PM

The PIT - Chapel Hill / 462 W. Franklin Street Chapel Hill (516) 849-4474

Admission: \$10. Performers use weekly submitted memes to create hilariously improvised scenes.

thepit-chapelhill.com/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

10 PM

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

Admission: \$10 in advance, \$15 day of show. Runaway Gin – A Tribute to Phish www.catscradle.com

SATURDAY Sept 15

CHAPEL HILL FARMERS' MARKET EVENT

8 AM TO NOON

Chapel Hill Farmers' Market / 201 South Estes Drive Chapel Hill

Craft Market at the Chapel Hill Farmers' Market. www.thechapelhillfarmersmarket.com/

HOG DAY 5K

8 AM TO 10 AM

River Park / Margaret Lane Hillsborough

We are celebrating our 36th Hog Day as Orange County's largest and longest running festival. A new and exciting part of Hog Day this year is our 2st Annual Hog Day 5k sponsored by UNC Hospitals Hillsborough Campus. The event will include an official 5k as well as a Kids Fun Run and will be open to participants of all ages. www.hogday.org/

NATURE JOURNALING IN THE GARDEN

9:30 AM TO 12:30 PM

NC Botanical Garden / 100 Old Mason Farm Road Chapel Hill (919) 962-0522

Admission: \$36 (\$32 NCBG members)

Develop your nature journaling skills, whether you are just getting started, want to add visual notes to a written journal, or simply enjoy drawing what you see. Through guided exercises, we'll practice perceptual and drawing skills to quickly establish a framework for a diagram, drawing, or description in your journal, then experiment with portable drawing and painting media. We'll also look at strategies for organizing your journal for outdoor excursions. All skill levels are welcome! Come dressed to venture outside. Bring your favorite journal and tools or refer to the provided materials list. ncbg.unc.edu/

HILLSBOROUGH HOG DAY

10 AM TO 5 PM

River Park / Margaret Lane Hillsborough

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AUCTION AT LELAND LITTLE

10 AM

Leland Little Auction and Estates Sales / 620 Cornerstone Court Hillsborough (919) 644-1243

Important Fall Auction. www.lelandlittle.com/

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/

UNC VS. UCF FOOTBALL

NOON

Kenan Memorial Stadium / 104 Stadium Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 962-2296

Opening Day: UNC Football vs. UCF. Please remember about the new clear bag rule at all home football games – for more information go to goheels.com/documents/2017/9/7/clearbag.pdf
www.goheels.com/

INATURALISTS IN ACTION

1:30 PM TO 4:30 PM

NC Botanical Garden / 100 Old Mason Farm Road Chapel Hill (919) 962-0522

Admission: \$18 (\$16 NCBG Members). Join us for this hands-on introduction to recording plant and wildlife observations with the iNaturalist mobile app and website. We'll give a brief overview of the application and discuss techniques for photographing flora and fauna for identification. Then we'll take a field trip to nearby Mason Farm to make observations. We'll also provide suggestions for recording observations on your own and connecting with the online community of iNaturalists. To participate, you will need to bring with you a digital camera, smartphone or tablet. ncbg.unc.edu/

ALL ABOUT BEES

2 PM TO 3 PM

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

Join us along with The Orange County Beekeeper's Association to learn everything you need to know about bees! Adults and children alike will learn all about bee life and then make a craft. All ages welcome. No registration necessary. www.orangecountync.gov/

TASTE CAROLINA GOURMET FOOD TOUR

3 PM

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

Admission: \$69.50. Culinary Carrboro and Chapel Hill Tour is a Taste Carolina original from our launch in Spring, 2009. This tour ties local ingredients to the restaurants that use them and typically includes food at four different restaurants, substantial tastings with farmers and vendors at the Carrboro Farmers' Market, and a beer tasting. www.tastecarolina.net/chapel-hill-carrboro/

SCULPTURE IN THE GARDEN PREVIEW PARTY

4:30 PM TO 6:30 PM

North Carolina Botanical Garden / 100 Old Mason Farm Road Chapel Hill (919) 962-3531

Admission: \$30. Join us as we celebrate the opening of the 30th annual Sculpture in the Garden, the juried outdoor sculpture exhibition uniting the work of North Carolina artists with the curated landscapes of the North Carolina Botanical Garden to create a stunning and novel way to experience sculpture, the natural world, and the relationship between the two. At the Preview Party you'll have first viewing and the opportunity to purchase sculptures, meet participating artists, and enjoy beverages and hors d'oeuvres. A jurist will announce selections for Best in Show and Honorable Mentions, and you'll be able to cast your vote for the People's Choice Award. ncbg.unc.edu/calendar/

FAMILY-FRIENDLY TRANSACTORS IMPROV

6 PM

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

Admission: \$10 Public, \$8 Senior, \$6 Child. Back to School!! This 45-minute performance features short-form improv – individual scenes running 5-10 minutes and based on audience suggestions. Everything is made up on the spot, and the content is appropriate for children and adults... and adults who act like children. Transactors has a long history of entertaining audiences of all ages. The company originated as a children's theater and has performed in schools throughout the southeast. artscenterlive.org

DINNER DETECTIVE MURDER MYSTERY DINNER SHOW

6 PM TO 9 PM

Sheraton Chapel Hill Hotel / 1 Europa Drive Chapel Hill (866) 496-0535

America's LARGEST interactive comedy murder mystery dinner show is now playing at the Sheraton Chapel Hill! At The Dinner Detective, you'll tackle a challenging crime while you feast on a fantastic dinner. Just beware! The criminal is lurking somewhere in the room, and you may find yourself as a Prime Suspect before you know it! Our shows are geared toward adults and carry a PG-13 rating. Some mild content, loud noises and adult humor will be present. Children ages 15+ with adult supervision are permitted. 4-Course Dinner, Iced Tea & Coffee, Murder Mystery Entertainment, Prize Package For Top Sleuth, Cash Bar Available, Starting At Only \$59.95/Person + Taxes/Fees. www.thedinnerdetective.com/

MEADOWMONT GAZEBO SHOWS

6:30 PM TO 8:30 PM

Meadowmont Village / 101 Old Barn Lane Chapel Hill

Admission: Free and Open to the Public. Coconut Groove is a classic rock and popular cover band based out of Charlotte, NC. They are a group of four seasoned professional musicians/singers with an extremely wide range of musical styles ranging from easy listening, soul, rhythm & blues, Americana, rock'n'roll, pop, funk, blues, country, bluegrass, jazz. Food Truck: El Molcajete Taco Truck, 6-8pm. meadowmont.net/

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

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

Julian Rankin discusses Catfish Dream and Ed Scott's fight for his farm and racial justice. www.flyleafbooks.com/

MUSIC AT THE OASIS

7:30 PM TO 9 PM

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

Rob Gelblum oasisincarmill.com/

SHERWOOD: THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD OPENING

7:30 PM

PlayMakers Repertory Company / 150 Country Club Rd Chapel Hill (919) 962-7529

Admission: Tickets start @ \$15. MERRY MEN, MAID MARIAN, AND MUCH MERRIMENT - Comic genius Ken Ludwig brings his rip-roaring romp through Sherwood Forest to PlayMakers, with all the thrills and romance you could ever ask for. We'll fill the theatre with flying arrows, clanging swords, and perilous feats of daring as you follow Little John, Friar Tuck, Maid Marian, and Robin Hood himself through this timeless story of a hero of the people who takes on the powers that be. www.playmakersrep.org/

TRIFECTA IMPROV

8 PM TO 9 PM

The PIT - Chapel Hill / 462 W. Franklin Street Chapel Hill (516) 849-4474

Admission: \$10. Join some of North Carolina's best improvisers in the ring for the best improv. Each week the PIT invites three of their favorite improv teams to perform the fastest, funniest, most ferocious improv in The Triangle. thepit-chapelhill.com/

FIVE FOR FIGHTING WITH STRING QUARTET

8 PM TO 10 PM

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

Admission: \$49.50. Presented by Cat's Cradle; Never has the phrase "he shoots, he scores" been more applicable than when mentioning rabid hockey fan and chart-topping singer/songwriter John Ondrasik. The Los Angeles native, who goes by Five for Fighting (a five-minute penalty for on-the-ice fist-a-cuffs), burst on the scene some 15 years ago with his Grammy Award-nominated hit "Superman (It's Not Easy)," and has been a mainstay on mainstream radio ever since. While he doesn't wear tights and fight crime as his breakthrough track "Superman" suggests, his songs could bring any maniacal villain to their knees (and tears) with his poignantly sharp songs that cut deeper than a Ginsu knife. artscenterlive.org/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

8 PM

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

Admission: \$10. Mark Hosler of Negativland, AV Geeks www.catscradle.com

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8 PM

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

Admission: \$12 in advance, \$15 day of show. Dead Sara, Welles www.catscradle.com

MUSIC AT LOCAL 506

9 PM

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

Admission: \$10. Console Command, Infinite Eve, Exit Mice 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 Sept 16

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 Jeff Brown Quartet 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. Today's music by Southern Routes

www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

ELIZABETH KECKLY'S QUILTMaking

2 PM

Burwell School Historic Site / 319 North Churton Street Hillsborough (919) 732-7451

QUILTMaking: honoring Keckly's Lincoln Quilt - Quilt show by the African American Quilting Circle of Durham, 2:00 pm - Family - friendly session on quilting, 3:00 pm. Opening reception honoring the quiltmakers and their work; Burwell School; free admission. burwellschool.org/

STORY TIME, PUPPET SHOW, MAKE & TAKE ART ACTIVITY

2 PM TO 3 PM

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

Story Time, Puppet Show and Make and Take Art Activity inspired by the book The Kissing Hand by

Audrey Penn at four community locations. Recommended Ages 4-8 years. www.orangecountync.gov/

SUNDAYS IN HILLSBOROUGH

2 PM TO 5 PM

Hillsborough Courthouse Lawn / 106 E Margaret Lane Hillsborough

Hillsborough is not only historic, it's hip and happening! Sundays In Hillsborough from through November 4th is your opportunity to come and discover all we have to offer plus Local Shops and Eateries, Hillsborough Riverwalk, Art Galleries, Historic Sites & Tours. Mystery Brewing Company and Botanist & Barrel will be on hand to sell their beers and ciders each of the 10 Sundays, and Whit's Frozen Custard will be selling their frozen treats each Sunday October 21st. Also new to this year's Sundays in Hillsborough will be a hayride that will loop between Downtown and West Hillsborough. Tonight's music by Tea Cup Gin. hillsboroughchamber.com/

SHERWOOD: THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD

2 PM

PlayMakers Repertory Company / 150 Country Club Rd Chapel Hill (919) 962-7529

Admission: Tickets start @ \$15. MERRY MEN, MAID MARIAN, AND MUCH MERRIMENT - Comic genius Ken Ludwig brings his rip-roaring romp through Sherwood Forest to PlayMakers, with all the thrills and romance you could ever ask for. We'll fill the theatre with flying arrows, clanging swords, and perilous feats of daring as you follow Little John, Friar Tuck, Maid Marian, and Robin Hood himself through this timeless story of a hero of the people who takes on the powers that be. www.playmakersrep.org/

"THE KISSING HAND" PUPPET SHOW

2 PM TO 3 PM

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Puppet Show Inc. presents a re-telling of Audrey Penn's classic book "The Kissing Hand." A make and take craft will follow the show. Ages 4 and up with a caregiver. No registration necessary.

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CHAPEL HILL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

3 PM

Chapel Hill Public Library / 100 Library Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 929-1793

The Chapel Hill Historical Society Presents: Bayard Wootten: Trainblazer for Women Photographers in the South, Presentation by Jerry Cotton. Bayard Wootten, perhaps North Carolina's best-known photographer in the first half of the twentieth century, is the subject of a presentation on September 16, by Jerry Cotton, author of *Light and Air: The Photography of Bayard Wootten*. Wootten embraced an artistic style of photography known as Pictorialism and operated studios in several NC towns, including Chapel Hill (1928-1954). Her landscape images and insightful portraits of Southerners, both black and white, resulted in numerous exhibitions, lectures, and books illustrated with her photographs. Wootten was known for her independence and determination as a woman and as a photographer. Her career was at its peak during the 1930s. Originally published in 1998, *Light and Air, The Photography of Bayard Wootten* was reprinted by the University of North Carolina Press in 2017 and features striking new scans of the illustrations using the best digital technology. www.chapelhillhistoricalsociety.org/

THIS JOINT IS JUMPIN': A SWING DANCE CONCERT

3 PM TO 4:30 PM

Kenan Memorial Stadium / 104 Stadium Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Admission: \$15. In Celebration of their 25th Anniversary Season, The North Carolina Jazz Repertory Orchestra presents, This Joint is Jumpin': A Swing Dance Concert. Come to dance, come to listen, come to enjoy! Tickets for this concert are \$15 general admission. music.unc.edu/

PAPERHAND PUPPET INTERVENTION "IN THE HEART OF THE FIRE"

3 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. Please check the paperhand website for any weather-related cancellations. Pre-Show at 2:20 PM. paperhand.org/

CURDS AND CRAFTS FESTIVAL

4 PM TO 6 PM

Cloth Mill / 437 Dimmocks Mill Rd Ste 3 Hillsborough

An artisanal cheese and beer festival with a focus on southern cheese-makers and NC breweries, featuring 16 cheese-makers, over 12 breweries, and other artisan food producers. Ticket includes a souvenir tasting glass, unlimited samples of cheese and beer, insulated bag to store cheese purchases, live music, and tasty treats from local artisans including charcuterie, handmade bread, crackers, and small-batch jellies and pickles. Advance tickets only. Organized by Weaver Street Market.

www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

AUTHOR READING WITH JULIAN RANKIN

4:30 PM TO 5:30 PM

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

Julian Rankin reads from his book Catfish Dream-the story of Ed Scott's fight for his family farm and racial justice in the Mississippi Delta. Sponsored by Purple Crow and Friends of the Orange County Public Library www.orangecountync.gov/

KEITH KOONS, CLARINET, AND STEVEN CHICUREL-STEIN, PIANO

7:30 PM TO 9 PM

Hill Hall Auditorium / 145 East Cameron Ave Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Admission: \$15. Guest artists clarinetist Keith Koons and pianist Steven Chicurel-Stein will be joined by UNC faculty member, clarinetist Donald L. Oehler for a program of music for clarinets and piano. Works by Mendelssohn, Gary Shocker and Richard Rodney Bennett. \$15 general admission, \$10 students and UNC faculty/staff; Tickets available at the door. music.unc.edu/

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

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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.

