

Explore Orange County, NC

Towns of Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough

Weekly Calendar of Events

July 23, 2024

***Town-Operated Parking will be free in Downtown Chapel Hill in Saturday & Sunday in July!**

Restaurant News: The Chapel Hill Magazine, **Best of Issue** July/August 2024

Barbecue:

Acme Food & Beverage Company <https://acmecarrboro.com/>

Hillsborough BBQ Company <https://hillsboroughbbq.com/>

Mama Dip's Kitchen <https://mamadips.com/>

The Pig <https://thepigrestaurant.com/>

Music Events:

Hillsborough - Yonder: Southern Cocktails & Brew: Jul 23, 7:30pm Open Mic Music, Spoken Word, Poetry **Jul 25, 8-10pm** Thursday Jazz With Les Trois Chats **Jul 26, 8-11pm** Joe Bell And The Stinging Blades **Jul 27, 8-11pm** The Gravy Boys **Jul 28, 7pm** Jeremy Alder's The Sunday Show <https://yonderbarnc.com/>

Carrboro - Cat's Cradle: Jul 23, 7:45pm Back Room: Hot Freaks, Dante Elephante, 723 **Jul 24, 7:45pm** Merge 35 - Wednesday **Jul 27, 7:45pm** Merge 35 - Saturday catscradle.com/

Chapel Hill - Local 506: Jul 23, 8pm Fredag Den 13:E with Loud Night, Paranoid Maniac, Mile End **Jul 24, 8pm** Mates of State, Al Menne **Jul 26, 6pm** Overcome Fest Presents: One Step Closer, Anxious, Koyo & Prize Horse **Jul 27, 8pm** Fancy Gap Album Release Show W/ She Returns From War, Old Heavy Hands **Jul 28, 6pm** Crank it Loud: Wizard Fest <https://local506.com/> **The Cave:** No shows listed at this time, check website for updates. <https://caverntavern.com/> **Gizmo Brew Works: Tue & Thu 7-9pm**, Music Bingo **Wed 7-9pm** <https://gizmobrewworks.com/> **La Vita Dolce** Wine Down Wed Music **Jul 24, 6-8pm** No Worries <https://www.lavitadolcecafe.com/> **Outdoor Music** on the Southern Village Green **Jul 25, 7pm** Thursday Open Mic Night! **Jul 26, 7pm** Too Many Cases **Jul 28, 7pm** Brett Harris <https://www.southernvillage.com/>

Movies with Goats on select Saturday nights (get tickets on the website) at Spring Haven Farm, 5306 Homer Ruffin Road in Chapel Hill. Goat Snuggles + Outdoor Movies Under the Stars = The Perfect Summer Night, **until Sep 14.** <https://www.springhaven.farm/>

Fridays on the Front Porch at the Carolina Inn **suspended until Aug 2**

<https://www.destinationhotels.com/carolina-inn/chapel-hill-event-calendar/fridays-on-the-porch>

Movies on the Southern Village Green Jul 27. Bring a blanket or low lawn chair and watch a movie under the stars on the Southern Village Green provided by the Lumina. Tonight's movie will be Harry Potter & the Sorcerer's Stone. <https://www.carolinacinemas.com/lumina/movies-on-the-green>

Lantern Restaurant's outdoor Garden Spot is open on **Fridays and Saturdays from 5 - 9 pm**, featuring fresh local seafood, oysters, sangria, cocktails, beer, and live music. <https://www.lanternrestaurant.com/>

The Summer Youth Conservatory proudly presents **The Prom**, a heartwarming and hilarious musical that celebrates love, acceptance, and standing up for what is right. Performed from **July 17-Jul 28**, see website for days and times. <https://playmakersrep.org/show/the-prom/>

Manchester City vs. Celtic Soccer Game to be played at Kenan Memorial Stadium **Jul 23, 7pm**. Manchester City of England and Celtic FC of Scotland will play at Kenan Stadium in Chapel Hill, NC as part of the 2024 FC Series. The FC Series is a collection of friendly matches between top international soccer clubs. This will be the second international match to take place at Kenan Stadium, following Chelsea's 5-0 victory over Wrexham in July 2022. Proceeds from the Manchester City vs. Celtic FC match will go to UNC Children's Hospital. <https://www.visitchapelhill.org/chapel-hill-fc-series/>

Explore Downtown Chapel Hill and Carrboro by Trolley! Jul 22-24, 1-9pm Coming to Chapel Hill for the FC Series Manchester City vs Celtic FC soccer match? Just visiting our lovely town? the Chapel Hill/Orange County Visitors Bureau in partnership with The Towns of Carrboro and Chapel Hill are offering a free hop on, hop off trolley service to select stops, making it easier for visitors and locals to explore downtown businesses in Chapel Hill and Carrboro. <https://www.visitchapelhill.org/downtown-trolley/>

Last Fridays & the Art Walk! In Downtown Hillsborough **Jul 26, 6-9pm**, With 20+ participating venues, each event features a new variety of gallery openings, live music, roaming poets, Living Arts Collective drum circles & dancewaves in River Park, Makers Markets, family activities/crafts, and so much more! <https://www.hillsboroughartscouncil.org/last-fridays> Also **Courtyard Concert at the Colonial Inn** on **Jul 26, 6-8pm** Music by Erik Hawks <https://colonialinn-nc.com/dining-at-the-inn/events/>

Wild Mind Improv presents "Summer Adventures Show" at the ArtsCenter **Jul 27, 6pm** Celebrate Summer with family friendly improv! Delightful entertainment for the kids, the grands and everyone in between! The improvisers will take your suggestions, play games & make up quick, short form scenes on the spot, fully improvised and highly ridiculous. <https://artscenterlive.org/july-27th-wild-mind-improv-presents-summer-adventures-show/>

Churton Street History Stroll, meet at River Park **Jul 27, 10am-Noon** Join us for the Churton St History Stroll, a fascinating walking tour that uncovers hidden stories and cherished landmarks of one of North Carolina's oldest streets. As we stroll along, we will encounter captivating tales

of the people, events, and buildings that have shaped Churton Street into what it is today. From historical anecdotes to architectural wonders, this stroll offers a unique glimpse into the past. <https://www.zeffy.com/en-US/ticketing/67562535-3d95-449c-8453-dd9c682850fd>

Deep Roots at the Burwell School, lecture given **Jul 27** at **6:30pm** The Mayo family left an unmistakable impact on Hillsborough. Historic Hillsborough Commissioner Rodney Mayo will tell the story of his family, who have lived right here in town for generations. Learn about figures like Umstead Mayo, a free Black laborer who worked at the Burwell School. Listen to Commissioner Mayo trace his lineage across time during this fascinating lecture. <https://www.burwellschool.org/events>

Last Sundays at Moorefields stroll the grounds and gardens and take a free tour of the historic house on **Jul 29, 1-4pm**. <https://moorefields.org/>

