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Towns of Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough

Weekly Calendar of Events

November 18 – November 24, 2019

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

MONDAY Nov 18

FREE WALKING TOURS CHAPEL HILL

1 PM

Morehead Planetarium & Science Center / 250 East Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 971-0437

This free walking tour starts at the sundial in front of the Morehead Planetarium, the place where the astronauts from the Gemini, Mercury and Apollo Missions trained. From there we travel down Franklin Street, learning the history of this town that grew up around the oldest public university in America.

Most tours daily at 1pm, Sat & Sun 1:30pm, check for times and sign up on the website.

www.freewalkingtourschapelhill.com/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE BACK ROOM

7:30 PM

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

Admission: \$15

Guardin, Carousel Kings, thebreathingbackwards www.catscradle.com

TUESDAY Nov 19

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

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

"I know the grandmother one had hands" - Readings and conversation on race and family history with Jaki Shelton Green and Andrew Taylor-Troutman. www.flyleafbooks.com/

BRASS CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERT

8 PM TO 10 PM

Kenan Music Building / 125 S. Columbia St Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Join us in Kenan Rehearsal Hall for an evening of brass chamber music! music.unc.edu/

WEDNESDAY Nov 20

FRANKLIN STREET COMEDY FESTIVAL

6 PM

The PIT / 462 West Franklin St Chapel Hill

The inaugural Franklin Street Comedy Festival, which takes place at The PIT Chapel Hill Nov 20-25th, features standup, improv, sketch and storytelling. In all, 3 sketch groups, 25 improv groups and 50+

comedians will be performing. Shows start around 6pm. The headliner is Judah Friedlander, from 30 Rock. You can purchase tickets for the individual shows, or you can get a festival pass for \$50, which includes admission to all shows except: Danny Canoe \$13, Transactors \$15 & Judah Friedlander \$20. Tickets to the shows, individually, cost \$10. thepit-chapelhill.com/

LOCH NA HEALA (SWAN LAKE)

7:30 PM

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

Admission: \$27

Loch na hEala (Swan Lake) - Teac Damsa; Loch na hEala, by Irish choreographer, writer, and director Michael Keegan-Dolan, is a unique and transcendent new work inspired by a seminal classical ballet. This contemporary collision of dance, theater, and live music from the founder of Teac Damsa (House of the Dance) is rooted in the meeting of ancient folklore and the modern world, and is infused with a raw, majestic energy. www.carolinaperformingarts.org/

RAGTIME

7:30 PM

PlayMakers Repertory Company / 120 Country Club Rd Chapel Hill NC (919) 962-7529

Tickets start at \$15

Nominated for thirteen Tony Awards® including Best Musical, this triumphant masterpiece bursts forth with show-stopping splendor and unbridled passion. Prepare to be swept away by the diverse rhythms of the turn of the 20th century as three intersecting narratives capture the rich complexity of the American experiment past, present, and future. Cultures clash, people change, and hope shines in the darkness. playmakersrep.org/

SAN FERMIN

8 PM TO 9:30 PM

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

Admission: \$20

San Fermin's third studio album, *Belong*, marks a shift in songwriting perspective for bandleader Ellis Ludwig-Leone. "In the past I'd usually write through characters from books or movies, as a way to try to distance myself from what I was writing about," says the Brooklyn-based artist. "As I've become more confident as a songwriter, I decided that I could drop some of the artifice and write something more direct. artscenterlive.org/

UNC MEN'S BASKETBALL

8:30 PM

Dean E. Smith Center / 300 Skipper Bowles Dr Chapel Hill (919) 962-2296

Admission: \$25

UNC vs. Elon www.goheels.com/

THURSDAY Nov 21

UNC VOLLEYBALL

6:30 PM

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

UNC vs. Duke. www.goheels.com/

POPUK CHORUS**7 PM TO 9 PM**

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

Admission: \$13, \$8 Students

Do you like to sing? Have you thought about joining a chorus but are too busy to commit? Do you sing in the shower, in your car, or along to the radio? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, then you belong in PopUp Chorus! PopUp Chorus is the only chorus where you can show up when you want and skip it when you're too busy. No audition, no ongoing commitment. Just show up and sing with an ad hoc bunch of other lovely, excellent people. artscenterlive.org/

JAVIER MARTÍNEZ CAMPOS, CELLO & CLARA YANG, PIANO**7:30 PM**

145 E. Cameron Street Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Admission: Tickets are \$15 general admission, \$10 students/UNC faculty and staff.

Guest artist Javier Martínez Campos, cello, and UNC Music faculty Clara Yang, piano, join together for an exciting evening of cello and piano works. music.unc.edu/

FRIDAY Nov 22**UNC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL****6 PM**

Carmichael Arena / 301 South Road Chapel Hill (919) 962-2296

Admission: \$10

UNC vs. Elon www.goheels.com/**FACULTY RECITAL: HANK SMITH, BANJO****7:30 PM**

181 E Cameron Ave Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Hank Smith, banjo, presents a faculty recital joined by string students Waverly Leonard, Sophie Nachmann, Ian Mayes and Akul Narang, as well as his band, The Current. music.unc.edu/

SUPER FREE FRIDAY**8 PM TO MIDNIGHT**

The PIT - Chapel Hill / 462 W. Franklin Street Chapel Hill

Admission: \$0

Every Friday at the PIT - all our shows are FREE! Stop by and see our House Teams for Improv and Stand-Up, catch the Open Mic, and more! thepit-chapelhill.com/

SATURDAY Nov 22**AUCTION AT LELAND LITTLE****9 AM**

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

Leland Little Holiday Gallery Auction. Previews - November 22 10am-5pm, November 23 8-9am.

www.lelandlittle.com/**UNC VS. MERCER FOOTBALL****3:30 PM**

Kenan Memorial Stadium / 104 Stadium Dr. Chapel Hill (919) 962-2296
UNC Football vs. Mercer - Senior Day. Please remember about the new clear bag rule at all home football games – for more information go to <https://bit.ly/2kkkMyM> goheels.com/

MUSIC OF PEACE, WAR, AND REMEMBRANCE

8 PM

Hill Hall / 145 E. Cameron Street Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Admission: \$10, \$5 students/UNC faculty and staff

Carolina Choir and UNC Chamber Singers: Music of Peace, War, and Remembrance, Featuring the premiere performance of Songs of War by Kenneth Frazelle, from poems and diaries of Paul Green, commissioned by the Paul Green Foundation. music.unc.edu/

SUNDAY Nov 24

ARTS ON MARKET

NOON TO 4 PM

Southern Village / 400 Market Street Chapel Hill

Arts on Market is a bi-annual celebration and shopping event featuring local and regional artists, artisans, bakers, and makers. We are excited to welcome local makers to the Southern Village Green, where visitors can bring their whole family to enjoy an afternoon of art, entertainment, and shopping. Our vendors create Jewelry, Pottery, Paintings, Textiles, Accessories, Food, Home Accessories.

www.southernvillage.com/

THE LONGEST NIGHT - OPENING SHOW

2:30 PM

Morehead Planetarium & Science Center / 250 East Franklin St Chapel Hill (919) 962-1236

"The Longest Night: A Winter's Tale" is a one-of-a-kind full-dome planetarium show that captures its audience with a timeless fable of courage, generosity and renewal. Its story explores the concept that winter is a time for Earth to rest, waiting for new growth in the spring. moreheadplanetarium.org/

UNC GUITAR ENSEMBLE

5 PM

Person Hall / 181 E Cameron Ave Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Join the UNC Guitar Ensemble for an evening of gorgeous guitar music. music.unc.edu/

UNIVERSITY CHAMBER PLAYERS

7:30 PM

Hill Hall / 145 E. Cameron Street Chapel Hill (919) 962-1039

Student chamber ensembles, coached by Professors Nicholas DiEugenio, Brent Wissick, Tonu Kalam, Mimi Solomon, and Laura Stevens, in performance. music.unc.edu/

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.

