

Explore Orange County, NC

Towns of Chapel Hill, Carrboro and Hillsborough

Weekly Calendar of Events

October 14 – October 20, 2019

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

MONDAY Oct 14

AUTHOR EVENT AT FLYLEAF BOOKS

7 PM

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

Clay McLeod Chapman brings campfire storytelling to Flyleaf with THE REMAKING.

www.flyleafbooks.com/

GUEST ARTIST RECITAL: JOHN PARKER, TRUMPET

7:30 PM

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

Hear alumnus John Parker, trumpet, in recital with Tim Hudson, trumpet, and Suzanne Polak, piano.

music.unc.edu/event/guest-artist-recital-john-parker-trumpet/

TUESDAY Oct 15

KATIE PARLA: "FOOD OF THE ITALIAN SOUTH" COOKBOOK PIZZA PARTY

5:30 PM TO 9 PM

Coronato Pizza / 101 Two Hills Rd #140 Carrboro (919) 240-4804

Admission: \$70

Join author Katie Parla and Chef-Owner Teddy Diggs of Coronato for a special collaborative dinner.

Communal seating is available with two arrival times available: 5:30-7pm or 7:30-9pm. Acclaimed author

and food journalist Katie Parla takes you on a tour through these vibrant destinations so you can sink

your teeth into the secrets of their rustic, romantic dishes. [www.eventbrite.com/e/katie-parla-food-of-](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/katie-parla-food-of-the-italian-south-cookbook-pizza-party-tickets-72674454249?aff=ebdssbdestsearch)

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JANE S. GABIN READING: THE PARIS PHOTO

6:30 PM TO 7:45 PM

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

Join local author, Jane S. Gabin, as she reads from "The Paris Photo." Inspired by actual events, this is

the story of American soldier, Ben Gordon, and his relationship with a young mother and her son just

after the Liberation of Paris from Nazi occupation in 1944. www.orangecountync.gov/156/Library

THE DAY

7:30 PM

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

Admission: \$27

THE DAY is a new music/dance work by cellist Maya Beiser, dancer Wendy Whelan, choreographer Lucinda Childs, with music by David Lang. A collaboration among legends, THE DAY is an evening-long sensory exploration of two journeys—life and the eternal, post-mortal voyage of the soul. This bold, highly collaborative work explores universal themes through the shared language of music and dance. www.carolinaperformingarts.org/

WEDNESDAY Oct 16

“ALL THE REMBRANDT DRAWINGS!”

10 AM – 5 PM

Ackland Art Museum, 102 S. Columbia Street, UNC Chapel Hill

The Ackland Art Museum at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill has an unprecedented exhibition of all seven of the Museum’s drawings by Rembrandt van Rijn (1606-1669), a singular genius in the history of world art. “All the Rembrandt Drawings!” marks the 350th anniversary of the artist’s death in 1669. **The brief exhibition runs through Oct. 20.** The Ackland is the only public university art museum in the United States to own a collection of Rembrandt’s drawings. **Wed – Sat 10 am – 5 pm, Sun 1 – 5 pm.** <https://ackland.org/exhibition/all-the-rembrandt-drawings/>

WEST END POETRY FESTIVAL

6:30 PM TO 8:30 PM

Johnny's Gone Fishing / 901 West Main Street Carrboro (919) 932-5070

The festival will bring together poets of different styles, ages, races and ethnicities, and stages of development to share poems and their love of poetry. www.westendpoetryfestival.org/

DAIRYLAND

7:30 PM

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

Admission: starts at \$15

Sometimes you really do put your foot in it. Raw from an office romance, stinging from a journalistic rivalry, and exhausted by a never-ending series of baby showers, Allie, a food writer in New York City, never expected to find herself on the wrong side of an epic food fight. When she escapes to her father’s dairy farm in Wisconsin, she meets a cow named Patches who promises to show her the way home.

playmakersrep.org/

THURSDAY Oct 17

POPOP CHORUS

7 PM TO 9 PM

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

Admission: \$13, \$8 Students

PopUp Chorus is no audition, no commitment community chorus. Just show up, learn popular songs, and sing with an ad hoc bunch of other lovely, excellent people! artscenterlive.org/

FRIDAY Oct 18

MCKEE CORNFIELD MAZE

3 PM TO 8 PM

McKee Cedar Creek Farm / 5011 Kiger Rd Rougemont (919) 732-8065

Admission: \$12, Children 0-2 Free

McKee's Cornfield maze has been a Fall Family Tradition since 2001. We do not call it Getting Lost but Getting Corn-Fused. A source of healthy and wholesome entertainment for the entire family. Our mazes consist of walking pathways in a 12 acre field of corn, one of the largest in the area. There is also smaller maze for children or the young at heart. Families enjoy visiting our farm in the Fall season to pick out pumpkins, take a hayride, have a picnic, celebrate birthdays and explore the mazes.

mckeecornfieldmaze.com/

CAROLINA WOMEN'S SHOW

5 PM TO 8 PM

Sheraton Chapel Hill Hotel / 1 Europa Drive Chapel Hill

Join us the weekend of October 18-19, 2019 at the Sheraton Chapel Hill Hotel! A Two Day Women's Event: Networking, Food, Fun, Shopping. Exhibitors from all over our area! Prizes and Giveaways!

thecarolinawomensshow.com/

MUSIC AND STORIES UNDER THE STARS

5 PM TO 7:30 PM

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

Sip some cider and munch a cookie while the ghoulishly good events unfold. A costume contest will begin at 5pm which will be followed by the music and stories. Winners of the costume contest will be announced before the storyteller. Bring a blanket or a low chair and snuggle up for these stellar shows.

Appropriate for all ages. www.weaverstreetmarket.coop/

SUSAN WERNER

8 PM TO 9:30 PM

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

Admission: \$24

Best known for her work in the contemporary folk genre, Susan Werner's talent as a songwriter and vocalist continually drives her to explore new styles. artscenterlive.org/

SATURDAY Oct 19

VIETRI FALL WAREHOUSE SALE

9 AM TO 5 PM

Vietri Outlet / 343 Elizabeth Brady Road Hillsborough (919) 245-4181

We're officially counting down the days until our Fall Warehouse Sale! Visit us on October 19 & 20 from 9AM - 5PM. Receive up to 80% off discontinued, slightly flawed, and one-of-a-kind Italian handcrafted dinnerware, glassware, flatware, home décor, and more! Limited selection, while supplies last.

www.vietri.com/pages/warehouse-sale

RIVER PARK CONCERT

NOON TO 7 PM

River Park / Margaret Lane Hillsborough

Join us on Saturday October 19th, 2019 in beautiful downtown Hillsborough, NC in River Park- along the banks of the Eno River- to enjoy a day full of music, arts, food trucks, craft beverages, AND FUN. The event is family friendly and FREE. See you at River Park Concert! www.hillsboroughartscouncil.org/

CARVING PUMPKINS WITH GOATS!

NOON TO 4 PM

Spring Haven Farm / 5306 Homer Ruffin Rd Chapel Hill (919) 407-1806

Welcome to the most popular event of the entire year at Spring Haven Farm! The farm will be full of Pumpkins, fall fun and spooky decorations! Come and meet all the animals like Peppa pig, Annie the Donkey, and Huck the Horse. www.springhaven.farm/pumpkin-carving-with-goats

“HAUNTED HILL” HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

5 PM

Chapel Hill Community Center / 120 South Estes Dr Chapel Hill

Featuring a trunk-or-treat, games & activities, glow in the dark climb, and a movie in the park! Local organizations and individuals will participate by decorating their vehicles trunk and provide pre-packaged candy for trick or treating for youth in the community. Don't forget your costumes! The Trunk-or-Treat, games & activities from 5-7pm. Glow in the dark climb from 7-9pm (ages 6 and older with signed waiver). The Movie begins at 6:45pm. www.townofchapelhill.org/

MYERS HOUSE HALLOWEEN BASH

6:30 PM TO MIDNIGHT

Myers House / Churton St Hillsborough NC

The boogeyman returns to The Myers House NC this Halloween for my 11th Annual Halloween Bash! There will be outdoor movie showings, bonfires, jack-o-lanterns, food trucks, tricks, treats, raffles & MORE! I encourage everyone to come dressed up in costume, but it's not required to attend. This year I will be showing PUMPKINHEAD (1988) and two movies from the HALLOWEEN franchise! Please Bring Your Own Lawn Chairs, Blankets And A Flashlight. See website for more information on purchasing tickets. www.myershousenc.com/halloweenbash

SUNDAY Oct 20

SUNDAYS IN HILLSBOROUGH

1 PM TO 4 PM

Courthouse Lawn / 106 E Margaret Lane Hillsborough

Hillsborough is not only historic, it's hip and happening! Sundays In Hillsborough is your opportunity to come and discover all we have to offer plus Local Shops and Eateries, Hillsborough Riverwalk, Art Galleries, Historic Sites & Tours. Whit's Frozen Custard will be selling their frozen treats. Also new to this year's Sundays in Hillsborough will be a hayride that will loop between Downtown and West Hillsborough, check for dates. Today's music by Jazztones. visithillsboroughnc.com/

MUSIC AT CAT'S CRADLE

8 PM

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

Admission: \$15 in advance, \$17 day of show

The Band CAMINO, Valley catscradle.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.



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