



What's Shakin in the Valley! September 2017

September is North Carolina Wine and Grape Month!

September 1, 2017 - Wine Down event featuring Part Time Party Band at Weathervane Winery. The event will be held from 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Admission will be \$15.00 per person. Food will be available for purchase from Marco's Pizza and Subs. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 793-3366.

September 1 – 4, 2017 – Last chance to ride Big Woods Zipline at Sanders Ridge Vineyards! Last day of operation will be Monday, September 4th. Book your ride today for only \$45.00 per person. Info: Big Woods Zipline (336) 677-1509.

September 2, 2017 - Yadkin Farmers Market located behind the Yadkinville Community Park on Tennessee Street. The market is open on Tuesdays from 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m., and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Info: Cooperative Extension Office (336) 679-2061.

September 2, 2017 – Celebrate the last weekend of summer with Laurel Gray Vineyards. The Wolf Down Food Truck will be on site from 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. serving up delicious and creative tacos, quesadillas, and fries. Live music on the new Veranda from 11am until 2pm by vocalist/acoustic guitarist Marie Reid. In addition to Laurel Gray Vineyards wine, they will be offering glasses of Sangria and Song of the South for only \$5.00 (regularly \$8.00) on Saturday, Sunday and Labor Day Monday. Laurel Gray will be open on Labor Day from 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Info: Laurel Gray Vineyards (336) 468-9463.

September 2, 2017 – Come out for food truck Saturday at Sanders Ridge Vineyards from 11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. There will be food, wine specials, tastings and giveaways! Food truck this week will be BJ's Fry Shack. Info: Sanders Ridge Vineyards (336) 677-1700.

September 2, 2017 – Foothills Cloggers will have your toes tapping to pop, rap, jazz and traditional music all afternoon at RagApple Lassie Vineyards from Noon to 6:00 p.m. RagApple Lassie's wines and White Street's beers will be available for tasting, and

a favored food truck will keep your tummy happy. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 2, 2017 – Classic movie - “To Kill A Mockingbird” at the Willingham Theater, Yadkin Cultural Arts Center. Movie will begin at 1:00 p.m. Admission is free, donations are welcomed. Info: Yadkin Cultural Arts Center (336) 679-2941.

September 2, 2017 - Live acoustic music on the terrace by Emma Lee at Shelton Vineyards. Picnic lunches will be available from Harvest Grill. Event will be held 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m., no charge. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

September 3, 2017 – Spend a relaxing afternoon swooning to the music of Larry Wishon on the guitar at RagApple Lassie Vineyards. Also, enjoy tasting RagApple Lassie wines, White Street beer and savoring your personally designed Patio Pizza direct from the grill. Event will be held from Noon to 6:00 p.m. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 3, 2017 – Come listen to the music of Darrell Hoots and Dustin York as you enjoy food from the Taqueria Luciano's Food Truck at Flint Hill Vineyards from 4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Flint Hill Vineyards will be offering their wines by the bottle or glass as well as soda, water and "Velvet Daiquiris" for sale. No outside picnic baskets or alcohol allowed. Please bring your blankets and chairs. Info: Flint Hill Vineyards (336) 699-4455.

September 4, 2017 – Yadkin County Chamber & Visitor Center will be closed in observance of Labor Day.

September 4, 2017 – RagApple Lassie Vineyards will be open on Labor Day from Noon to 6:00 p.m. for your wine and beer tasting pleasure. Frank Hobson will be offering spontaneous hayrides through the vineyards. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 5, 2017 - Dine Out for Yadkin County United Fund! Taste of Italy in Yadkinville is donating 10% of all sales on the 1st Tuesday from 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. of each month to help Yadkin County United Fund. Info: Yadkin County United Fund (336) 679-4462.

September 8, 2017 - Join Yadkin Family YMCA in the racquetball court for a demonstration of the Tai Chi for Arthritis for Fall Prevention class. The TCA program focuses on weight transference, movement control, and the integration of mind and body. The exercises are low impact and put minimal stress on the joints and muscles, making it ideal for the older adult. Demonstration will be held from 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 8, 2017 – Fit After 50 Potluck event at Yadkin Family YMCA with special guest Dr. Tyler Groce, Yadkin Vision Center. Did you know that eye diseases often

have no early symptoms? Dr. Tyler Groce from the Yadkin Vision Center will be joining us to discuss the importance of routine eye exams, some common age-related eye issues, and what risk factors contribute to eye diseases. Please bring a favorite dish to share, and remember to sign up at the events table. Event will be held from 11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 8, 2017 - Yadkin Cultural Arts Center presents Mike Farris in the Willingham Theater. Grammy winner Mike Farris brings his soulful stylings to the Willingham stage this September in a one-night show you won't want to miss. His album, Shine for All the People, became the first recipient of the Grammy for Best Roots Gospel Album in 2015 and features his signature blend of traditional spirituals and Appalachian heritage music. We invite you to feast your ears on what Rock and Roll Hall of Fame President and CEO Terry Stewart calls a "diminutive, self-described, southern boy,...an extraordinary soulful voice," and "a range, talent, and emotions that make him seem possessed." Cost is \$35.00 per person, show time at 7:30 p.m. Info: Yadkin Cultural Arts Center (336) 679-2941.

September 9, 2017 - Alpha & Omega Corn Maze Opening Day located at 1129 Cheek Road in Hamptonville. The opening weekend will unveil a maze design that feature, Rid-A-Bug, our primary sponsor. There are seven new attractions for your family this year. September hours are Saturday 10:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. and Sunday 1 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. October hours are Friday 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m., Saturday 10:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Cost for the maze & all attractions \$11.00 plus tax. Children 3 and under are free. Discounted tickets are available for groups. Purchase your season pass today! Great place for birthday parties, church groups, Boy Scout / Girl Scout troops, office staff, etc. For more information, visit their website www.alphaomegacornmaze.com or contact them (336) 466-1003.

September 9, 2017 - "It's A Wonderful Life" auditions at the Willingham Theater, Yadkin Cultural Arts Center. Open auditions for this holiday classic performance will be held from 11:00 am. - 1:00 p.m., roles for all ages 8 to 80. "It's a Wonderful Life" performances will take place on December 8 - 10. No registration or appointments are necessary to audition.

September 9, 2017 - Come out for food truck Saturday at Sanders Ridge Vineyards from 11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. There will be food, wine specials, tastings and giveaways! Food truck will be Wolf Down. Info: Sanders Ridge Vineyards (336) 677-1700.

September 9, 2017 - Yadkin Civitan Music in the Park 2017 presents Phatt City, beach music beginning at 6:30 p.m. There will be food available from the Yadkin Civitan Club including hamburgers, hotdogs, drinks, snacks and homemade ice cream. Free event, bring your lawn chairs for a family night out with great music! No alcohol and no coolers. In case of rain, concerts will be moved to Yadkinville Elementary School.

September 10, 2017 - An afternoon of music at Weathervane Winery featuring Ken

Davis. The event will be held from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in the courtyard, free admission. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 701-5235.

September 10, 2017 – Sip-n-Shop at Sweet Home Carolina Vineyards. A representative of LuLaRoe will be on hand to exhibit and sell their line of comfortable, affordable, and stylish clothing including their super luxurious leggings. All the while you will be able to purchase wine and sip the afternoon away, enjoying a lovely cheese accompaniment with your wine. Simply Sip 'n Shop! Hosting this event is their dear friend, Melissa Bruce. Event will be held from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Info: Sweet Home Carolina Vineyards (336) 469-9905.

September 10, 2017 – Football Sundays at RagApple Lassie Vineyards from Noon to 8:00 p.m.! Come watch the games, enjoy wine and beer tastings (beer tasting is free if you wear your favorite NFL team jersey) and feast on made-to-order pizzas, burgers and hotdogs. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 12, 2017 – Rocky Horror Picture Show auditions at the Yadkin Cultural Arts Center. Come act these iconic characters out alongside the movie! Looking for: Brad, Janet, Rocky, Frankenfurter, Magenta, Eddie, Columbia and about 10 ensemble. You must be over 18 or have parent permission to audition. Auditions will take place in the Front Yard from 5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin Cultural Arts Center (336) 679-2941.

September 14, 2017 – Nutrition Seminar “Portion Distortion” with Registered Dietitian, Cheryl Bey at the Yadkin Family YMCA. Over the past few decades there has been a steady growth in portion sizes in America. Super-sized portions have become the norm and have brought rising rates of overweight and obesity. In this seminar learn about: -why portion size matters -how to eat the right amount for you -portion size tips for eating out. Seminar will be held from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 15, 2017 - American Red Cross Blood Drive from 7:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Starmount High School. Please visit www.redcross.org for more details or contact Starmount High School for more information (336) 468-2891.

September 15, 2017 - American Red Cross Blood Drive from 3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at Divine Redeemer Catholic Church. Please visit www.redcross.org for more details or contact Divine Redeemer Catholic Church for more information (336) 367-7067.

September 15, 2017 - Wine Down event featuring “Mark Tuttle & Boogie Nights” at Weathervane Winery. The event will be held from 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Admission will be \$5.00 per person. Food will be available for purchase from Marco’s Pizza and Subs. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 793-3366.

September 15 – 17, 2017 – Carolina Outlaws Mounted Shooting Competition at Lone Hickory Indoor Arena in Yadkinville. Come out and see why this is the fastest growing

equine sport. Horses, guns and awesome Wild West style competition. Competition will be held each day from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Arena Grill will be open serving breakfast, burgers, sandwiches and seasonal favorites. Free to spectators. Info: Mike Lewallen (336) 442-2198.

September 16, 2017 - 5th annual Race More for Macemore 5K Run/Walk is a chip timed race that takes place in downtown Yadkinville. This event honors Austin Macemore, who passed away at the age of 19 after a courageous race against cancer. On his inspirational legacy and passionate spirit to help others, Big A Ministries was founded. His ministry supports others battling serious health conditions, missions, the YMCA, athletics and scholarships for local college bound students. Registration held from 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. at Collide Church in Yadkinville. Race will begin at 9:00 am.. followed by the awards ceremony at 9:45 a.m. Cost is \$25.00 for 15 and under and \$30.00 for 16 and older. To guarantee a race t-shirt, register by September 11th. Register online <http://www.active.com/yadkinville-nc/running/distance-running-races/race-more-for-macemore-2017>.

September 16, 2017 - 41st Annual Yadkin Valley Harvest Festival sponsored by the Yadkin Arts Council. There will be craft vendors, live music, kids rides, food vendors and more. The Third Branch Cafe will be open for business. Festival will run from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin Arts Council (336) 679-2941.

September 16, 2017 - Vintage & Antique Décor Pop-Up Show by The Gray Door Market at Divine Llama Vineyards. There will be antique vendors, artisans, food trucks, live music, hayrides, wine tasting and more. Event will be held from 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Info: Divine Llama Vineyards (336) 699-2525.

September 16, 2017 - Come out for food truck Saturday at Sanders Ridge Vineyards from 11:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. There will be food, wine specials, tastings and giveaways! Food truck will be Good Times BBQ. Info: Sanders Ridge Vineyards (336) 677-1700.

September 16, 2017 - Historic Richmond Hill Law School, the restored home of Judge Richmond Pearson, will be open for tours from 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month. The Park is located at 4641 Law School Road in East Bend.

September 16, 2017 – Merlot & Van Gogh class at Sanders Ridge Vineyards. Create your own masterpiece in the class led by local artist Sharon Grubbs! All materials and instruction included, light appetizers served, and take home your own masterpiece. There will be wine specials. Cost is \$40.00 per person / \$35.00 for wine club members. Reservations & deposit required by Wednesday, September 13 by calling 336-677-1700.

September 16, 2017 - Yadkin Valley Cruisers "Cruise-In" at the Yadkin Plaza Shopping Center. Come out and see the old classic cars gathered in the parking lot

starting at 4:00 p.m. There will be music, door prizes and lots of fun. View their Facebook page for more information: Yadkin Valley Cruisers.

September 16, 2017 – Shelton Vineyards presents Band of Oz. Purchase your tickets in advance for \$20.00 per person, \$25.00 at the gate. Concert will be held from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Food will be available to purchase from the Harvest Grill Express. No pets, personal tents, or outside alcohol allowed. For more information on the concert event or to purchase tickets, please contact Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

September 17, 2017 - Annual Post Harvest Celebration with Big Daddy Mojo Band at Flint Hill Vineyards. Pizzas and other food items will be available to purchase. This will be a ticket only event and tickets can be purchased until September 21st at \$5.00 each. If tickets are available the day of the concert, the price will be \$10.00 at the door. In case of rain, the event will be rescheduled, no refunds. Ages 15 and under are free. Celebration will be held from 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. You can purchase tickets by phone by calling (336) 699-4455 or visiting the tasting room during their open hours of Friday and Saturday Noon to 5:00 p.m. and Sundays 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

September 17, 2017 - Football Sundays at RagApple Lassie Vineyards from Noon to 8:00 p.m.! Come watch the games, enjoy wine and beer tastings (beer tasting is free if you were your favorite NFL team jersey) and feast on made-to-order pizzas, burgers and hotdogs. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 18, 2017 – Kids Night Out at Hot Rods & Food Trucks in Downtown Boonville. Come out to Kids Night Out at Boonville's family friendly cruise-in hosted by the BBDDA on Monday, September 18 from 5:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Joins us as all types of cars, trucks and bikes line the streets of Downtown Boonville. Make sure to bring your dancing shoes as the Dirty South Band will be providing live entertainment for the event. The Kid Zone will feature cotton candy, a bouncy house, and a bouncy slide! \$5.00 wrist bands will be available for purchase which allows your child to bounce and slide the night away! Individual purchases are available as well. Also in the Kid Zone will be Texas Roadhouse - Winston-Salem handing out free appetizer passes and peanuts. Make sure to stop by and say hey to special guest, Andy the Armadillo from Texas Roadhouse! There will be a variety of food vendors including BJ's Fry Shack as they bring their classic American food on wheels. The Boonville Business and Downtown Development Association is partnering with Chick-Fil-A of Mount Airy to sell Chick-Fil-A sandwiches for \$4.25. The Green Mesa Blueberry Farm will be selling blueberry smoothies for \$4.00. Enjoy savory fried fish sandwiches from the Boonville First United Presbyterian Church. The Friends of the Boonville Community Library will be selling gourmet sandwiches made from D & F Catering. Info: Town of Boonville (336) 367-7941.

September 18 – 22, 2017 – Preschool & Youth Mini Swimming Lessons at Yadkin Family YMCA. Preschool lessons will be held from 6:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. and youth mini lessons from 7:15 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 19, 2017 –Grand Opening & Ribbon Cutting Celebration will be held at Noon for The Resource located at 528A Hawthorne Drive in Yadkinville. Chick-fil-A will be served after the ribbon cutting. Info: Yadkin Chamber (336) 679-2200.

September 19, 2017 - Come join in on the fun by participating in the Art a la Carte at the Yadkin Cultural Arts Center. This month's session is Hibiscus with Lynn MacMartin. It's time to play! Join Lynn as she guides you through step-by-step- process creating your own masterpiece. Cost is \$35.00 per person; includes all materials. Class held from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Register by September 12, 2017. Info: Yadkin Cultural Arts Center (336) 679-2941.

September 19, 2017 - October 12, 2017 - Intro to Strength Training Boot Camp at Yadkin Family YMCA. Are you overwhelmed and confused about strength training? Do you need more assistance with creating a program that is tailored to your needs? Certified Personal Trainer, Hunter Welch, will guide you through strength training sessions that will make your daily chores easier, help you burn fat and gain muscle and also make you feel better! Classes are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 22, 2017 - Novant Health will be at the Yadkin Family YMCA from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. for a Know Your Numbers screening. They will be testing several different values, all completely free. Schedule your appointment today and finish 2017 strong. Registration is required, contact (336) 277-1880 or email communitywellness@novanthealth.org.

September 22, 2017 - Fit After 50 Brain Games at Yadkin Family YMCA. Come on out and exercise your brain with some fun, no-pressure, word games! If you have a favorite puzzle or game bring it along. Drinks and snacks will be provided, but feel free to bring a bagged lunch too! Please sign up at the AOA table. Games begin at 11:00 a.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 22 - 24, 2017 - The Willingham Theater proudly presents Alfred Uhry's Pulitzer Prize-winning play, Driving Miss Daisy. Don't miss director Ron Stacker Thompson's production of the classic story set in the deep south, circa 1948. When the white, widowed, seventy-two-year-old Daisy Werthan (Cle Thompson) is forced to rely on chauffeur Hoke (Derrick Parker Jr.), a thoughtful, black man whom Daisy immediately regards with disdain. Their initial friction gives way to a decades-long friendship and uncommon kinship neither could have imagined possible. Witness the magic that a small cast and heartwarming story can bring to our intimate stage. Cost is \$22.00 per person, Saturday & Sunday performance at 7:30 p.m. Sunday matinee performance at 3:00 p.m.

September 23, 2017 - RagApple Lassie Vineyards Harvest Festival from Noon to 6:00 p.m. There will be live music from The Barefoot Believers, blue cheese prime rib burgers, cooked to order and served with a Rockford Red Wine, free wine tastings, old

fashioned grape stomping and engaging games of luck and skill. Price is \$15.00 per person. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 23, 2017 - NC Wine and NC cheese tasting at Flint Hill Vineyards from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 pm with Amanda Joines, guest host. Bottles & Boards specializes in artisan cheeses, charcuterie and accompaniments sourced locally in North Carolina from small creameries and farms. Amanda Joines will walk you through the whole experience from pairings to building a custom cheese and charcuterie board. You will receive a sample of each of Amanda's locally sourced or homemade cheeses and accompaniments with each of Flint Hill wines. Amanda will have cheeses/spreads, etc for sale after the event. The cost for the pairing is \$25.00 per person (Wine Club members can receive 10% discount) Seating is limited and a credit card is required in advance to hold your seats. Info: Flint Hill Vineyards (336) 699-4455.

September 23 – October 28, 2017 - Preschool & Youth Swimming Lessons on Saturdays at Yadkin Family YMCA. Preschool lessons will be held from 10:00 p.m. – 10:30 a.m. and youth lessons from 10:30 p.m. – 11:15 p.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 24, 2017 - An afternoon of music at Weathervane Winery featuring Lyn Koonce & Friends. The event will be held from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. in the courtyard, free admission. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 701-5235.

September 24, 2017 - Football Sundays at RagApple Lassie Vineyards from Noon to 8:00 p.m.! Come watch the games, enjoy wine and beer tastings (beer tasting is free if you were your favorite NFL team jersey) and feast on made-to-order pizzas, burgers and hotdogs. Info: RagApple Lassie Vineyards (336) 367-6000.

September 25 – 29, 2017 - Safety Around Water Program for non-swimmers at Yadkin Family YMCA from 6:30 p.m. – 7:15 p.m. Free program, ages 4 – 12 years old. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 26, 2017 – Yadkin County Chamber Investors Luncheon will be at Noon at Unifi - Allen G. Mebane Industrial Complex conference room in Yadkinville . This month's luncheon is sponsored by Unifi, Inc.

September 28, 2017 – Nutrition Seminar “Weight Loss Q&A” with Registered Dietitian, Cheryl Bey at Yadkin Family YMCA. What is the best way to lose weight? Carb counting? Calorie counting with MyFitness Pal? No counting but balancing the plate with a variety of foods? Clear up the confusion with these seminar and learn about the pros and cons of different weight loss techniques. Seminar will be held from 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 29, 2017 - American Red Cross Blood Drive from 7:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Forbush High School. Please visit www.redcross.org for more details or contact

Forbush High School for more information (336) 961-4644.

September 30, 2017 - National Family Health & Fitness Day at Yadkin Family YMCA. Several classes will be held that day 8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.: BodyCombat (Gym), 8:15 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.: Sprint (GX-sign up at the front desk: 11yrs+ to participate), 9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.: Hip Hop (GX), 9:25 a.m. – 10:25 a.m.: BodyPump (Gym) *16yrs+ to participate due to safety. Join Yadkin Family YMCA and celebrate health and fitness. This event promotes family involvement in physical activity. Come meet our registered dietitian, Cheryl Bey, and learn more about healthier options for your family and yourself! Take a class and let's get moving together. This event is free and open to everyone in the community. All ages are welcome! Info: Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 679-7962.

September 29-30, 2017 - National Junior Bull Riders Association event at Lone Hickory Indoor Arena. Great fun for the entire family or group outing! Cost \$8.00 adults / kids 6 & under free. The Arena Grill will be open, serving plates and sandwiches. Info: Brandy Guiton (704) 689-2592.

September 29 – 30, 2017 - 6th Annual Yadkin County Glory Days Show will feature truck, tractor , lawnmower pulls and antique tractor and engine show. There will be great country food for purchase. Admission is \$5.00 per person, children 8 and under are free. Events begin at 11:00 a.m. on Friday and 9:00 a.m. on Saturday. Gates will open at 8:00 a.m. The show is held at 2937 Radiator Road in Yadkinville. Info: Charles Neal (336) 671-8094 after 4:00 p.m.

Also, mark your calendars for the 14th Annual Yadkin Valley Grape Festival to be held on **October 21, 2017** held in Downtown Yadkinville. Yadkin Valley wineries will be showcasing their excellent wines along with food, entertainment, and specialty vendors. Please visit www.yvgf.com to purchase advance tickets and for more details!

If you have any questions regarding these upcoming events, call or email the Chamber office.

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