



What's Shakin' in the Valley!

April 2023

April 3 - 7, 2023 - Adult Easter egg Hunt in Downtown Boonville. Eggs are placed all around the Downtown Boonville area to find. Inside each egg will be a number and participants who find an egg will return it to town hall to collect their prize donated by local businesses. One egg per person! Info: Town of Boonville (336) 367-7941.

April 3 - 7, 2023 - Spring Break Fun at Yadkin Family YMCA! This free event is for Forbush and Starmount Middle students only (grades 6-8). Children will have fun doing character building, stem activities, physical activities, games, and so much more. This program will be held at Yadkin Family YMCA. Event time is 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Info: Lauren Scales, Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 778-6026.

April 3 - 7, 2023 - Spring Break Fun at Yadkinville United Methodist Church! This free event is for Yadkinville Elementary students only (grades K-5). Children will have fun doing character building, stem activities, physical activities, games, and so much more. This program will be held at Yadkinville United Methodist Church. Event time is 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Info: Lauren Scales, Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 778-6026.

April 4, 2023 - Vaya Health Trainings at the Yadkin County Public Library. First presentation will be held from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. on "Understanding Schizophrenia and Psychosis". The second presentation will cover "Antipsychotics: Indications, Risks and Challenges." starting at 11:00 a.m. This is hosted by Yadkin County Public Library and Vaya Health Geriatric & Adult Mental Health Specialty Team. All Vaya Health trainings are free and accredited through the NC Division of Health Service Regulations which awards one contact hour for each hour of training. Event is open to the public. Yadkin County Public Library (336) 679-8792.

April 4, 2023 - Enjoy the Moment - Coloring and Gaming at the Yadkin County Public Library. Explore your artistic side with coloring club and exercise your mind with gaming from 3:30 - 4:30 p.m., for young adults! Info: Yadkin County Public Library (336) 679-8792.

April 4, 2023 - Surry Community College Small Business Center presents "Marketing your Small Business" online seminar. Marketing for the 21st Century small business is more dynamic and challenging than ever. Discover how to most effectively and efficiently use the many

marketing tools available. Gain insights to understand and reach your customer, analyze your industry and business environment and differentiate between branding, advertising, and grassroots marketing techniques. Explore the components of an effective marketing plan in this comprehensive seminar. Meeting and access information for this webinar will be available upon registration. Speaker will be Ruben Gonzales. Seminar will be held from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., no cost. Info: SCC Small Business Center (336) 386-3685.

April 5, 2023 - Wiggle Worm Wednesdays program at Jonesville Public Library at 10:00 a.m.! This program is designed for ages 0 to 5 with crafts available at the library for that week's subject. In person story time is available upon registration. Virtual story times are on the Jonesville Library Facebook page every Wednesday. Info: Jonesville Public Library (336) 835-4894.

April 5, 2023 - Knitting and crocheting group meets every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. at Yadkin County Public Library. You do not have to be experienced in either skill to attend. This is for both beginners and high skilled. Bring your current project and come join the group. Info: Yadkin County Public Library (336) 679-8792.

April 7 – 8, 2023 – 8th Annual Helicopter Egg Drop Event at Alpha & Omega Corn Maze. More than 30,000 plastic eggs will fall out of the sky on Friday, April 7th & Saturday, April 8th. Hi-tech helicopters will be offering helicopter rides between drop times at an additional fee of \$25.00. Thumper the Easter Bunny will join the event for pictures with the children. Special entertainment throughout the day. Explore this 20-acre agritourism complex farm consisting of over 30 attractions including Corn Cob Express, Corn Box, Picnic Pavilion, See Saws, Tug of War, Animal Acres, and more! On-site restaurant Alpha & Omega Barn Grill will be serving a delicious lunch menu. The event is from 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.. Three egg drops each day during the event: 11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 3:00 p.m. Cost for the event is \$12.00 per person (Group rate of 20 or more is \$10.00 a person). Food is priced separately. Children 2 and under are free. Info: Alpha & Omega Corn Maze (336) 466-5402.

April 7, 2023 – Yadkin County Chamber & Visitor Center will be closed in observance of the Easter holiday. Happy Easter!

April 7, 2023 – Adult Painting Day at Jonesville Public Library. Painting and art made easy, class is free. All supplies are available at the library. Reserve your spot by calling the library at (336) 835-7604 and speaking with staff. Please let them know what time you would prefer 10:00 a.m. or 2:00 p.m.

April 7, 2023 – Easter Egg Hunt at Parkwood Independent Living Community located at 601 Johnson Ridge Road, Elkin, NC. Join Parkwood for this family, fun event between 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. and remember to bring your basket! Info: Parkwood Place (336) 526-6000.

April 7, 2023 - Friday Night Live at Raylen Vineyards! Enjoy live music by Ryan Clark and tasty

food for purchase from Wraps Around the World from 5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Music is complimentary and open to the public. Feel free to bring a lawn chair! No outside alcohol or coolers is permitted, rain or shine event. Info: Raylen (336) 530-5937.

April 8, 2023 - Cousin's Maine Lobster Food Truck returns to Laurel Gray Vineyards. Back by popular demand at Laurel Gray Vineyards, join them for some amazing lobster delicacies from the famous Cousin's Maine Lobster Truck from Noon - 3:00 p.m. Info: Laurel Gray Vineyards (336) 468-9463.

April 8, 2023 - Community Easter Egg Hunt for Kids in Downtown Boonville beginning at Noon. This event is sponsored by local churches. Donated eggs filled with candy and 100 hot dogs free for the kids! You don't want to miss this event. This event is sponsored by local churches. Info: Town of Boonville (336) 367-7941.

April 8, 2023 - Boonville Improvement Group Port-A-Pit Chicken Fundraiser from Noon - 6:00 p.m. Plates are \$10.00 each and can be picked up at the Harvey E. Smith Municipal Building. Tickets may be purchased from B.I.G. members as well as at Boonville Town Hall. Proceeds from this will go towards additional events B.I.G. will be hosting. Info: Town of Boonville (336) 367-7941.

April 8 - 9, 2023 - Relax on the terrace with live music at Shelton Vineyards this weekend. Enjoy live acoustic music by Clay Lunsford on Saturday from 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Scarlet Lemonade on Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Kick back and enjoy the day at Shelton Vineyards. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

April 8, 2023 - Easter Egg Hunt in the Vineyard at Hanover Park beginning at 2:00 p.m. This will be open to children of all ages. Bring a basket, bring a picnic and of course enjoy some Hanover Park wine. Info: Hanover Park (336) 463-2875.

April 9, 2023 - Easter Brunch at the Harvest Grill located at Shelton Vineyards. Hop on over to Harvest Grill on Easter Sunday and join Shelton Vineyards for a delicious Easter Brunch! Gather your loved ones and celebrate the holiday with a delightful meal, surrounded by the beautiful spring scenery of the vineyard. Reserve your table now, and let Shelton make your holiday celebration even more special. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

April 10, 2023 - Spring Break Fun at Yadkin Family YMCA! This free event is for Forbush and Starmount Middle students only (grades 6-8). Children will have fun doing character building, stem activities, physical activities, games, and so much more. This program will be held at Yadkin Family YMCA. Event time is 7:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Info: Lauren Scales, Yadkin Family YMCA (336) 778-6026.

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April 11, 2023 - Surry Community College Small Business Center presents “Email Marketing – A Crash Course” online seminar. This is a session where you will learn tips, techniques, and strategies to guide you through the tools and features for basic email marketing in Constant Contact. It's great for beginners who want to learn how to start creating email marketing campaigns for their business or for email marketers who aren't getting the results they expect. In this session, you'll learn how to design a custom email template, create stand out subject lines and creative content, grow and segment your list and how to measure your marketing and analyze your results. Meeting and access information for this webinar will be available upon registration. Speaker will be Melanie Diehl. Seminar will be held from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., no cost. Info: SCC Small Business Center (336) 386-3685.

April 12, 2023 - American Red Cross Blood Drive from 7:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Unifi Plant #5 Conference Room. Please visit www.redcross.org and enter code Unifi or contact Unifi (336) 679-8891.

April 13, 2023 - Make It, Take It Craft Program at Yadkin County Public Library. This is a program where you “make” a craft that you can “take” home to enjoy. Some projects will be finished in one session, but others may take a little more time. A variety of crafts are planned, and will welcome input from participants as to future creations. To participate, contact the library at least two days before the scheduled session so they can have enough supplies on hand. This Adult Program will begin at 3:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin County Public Library (336) 679-8792.

April 13 - 15, 2023 – Yadkin Arts Council presents “Clue” in the Willingham Theater at the Yadkin Cultural Arts Center. Based on the iconic 1985 Paramount movie which was inspired by the classic Hasbro board game, Clue is a hilarious farce-meets-murder mystery. The tale begins at a remote mansion outside of Washington DC in 1954, when six mysterious guests assemble for an unusual dinner party where murder and blackmail are on the menu. When their host turns up dead, they all become suspects. Led by Wadsworth – the butler, Miss Scarlett, Professor Plum, Mrs. White, Mr. Green, Mrs. Peacock and Colonel Mustard race to find the killer as the body count stacks up. Clue is the comedy whodunit that will leave both cult-fans and newcomers in stitches as they try to figure out...WHO did it, WHERE, and with WHAT! Tickets are \$24.00 per person, show time is 7:30 p.m. Info: Yadkin Arts Council (336) 679-2941.

April 14, 2023 - Wind Down Friday Night with DJ Mark Tuttle at Weathervane Winery. Event will be held from 6:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$10.00 per person. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 701-5235.

April 15, 2023 – Come and witness the grandest showcase of vintage British automobiles in the Southeast, exclusively presented by Shelton Vineyards. Explore the extensive collection of over

200 cars, including the iconic Austin Healeys, Jaguars, MG's, Triumphs, Bentleys, and many more. Enjoy the picturesque views while lounging on lawn chairs or blankets, and sipping on fine wine. Indulge in a delicious lunch or dinner at the Harvest Grill restaurant, or take a tour of the winery and enjoy the tastings. Event time 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Admission to the event is free, while a fee applies for exhibiting your vehicle. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336)-366-4724.

April 15, 2023 – Healthy Kids Day sponsored by Yadkin Smart Start and the Yadkin Family YMCA. FREE activities for the whole family! Mr. Vic Magic Show & Balloon twist, Inflatable Obstacle Course, Fun Run/Fun Walk, Car Seat Safety Information, Games and Healthy Snacks, Fire Trucks, Cartoon Characters, Community Resources and Door Prizes! You don't want to miss this event! Located at Yadkin County Park (behind the YMCA) from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin County Smart Start (336) 679-7833.

April 15, 2023 - No Forks Given Cuban Food Truck at Laurel Gray Vineyards from 11:30 am – 4:00 pm! Pair a glass of Laurel Gray Scarlet Mountain with a Cubano sandwich to enhance the delicious pork and pickle garnish or a Choripan, a Spanish chorizo sandwich with potato sticks, with our barrel fermented Chardonnay and take your taste buds on a Latin journey through the Caribbean. Info: Laurel Gray (336) 468-9463.

April 15, 2023 – Join RayLen Vineyards for their Spring Market from 11:00 am – 5:00 pm! Come support some of the area's best local vendors while strolling around the vineyard beginning to bloom. Delicious food for purchase will be available throughout the event from JJ's Cuban Kitchen, Sur Chilean, and Victory Donuts. Live music by The Williamson's Band from Noon to 4:00 p.m. Info: Raylen Vineyards (336) 530-5937.

April 15 - 16, 2023 – Relax on the terrace with live music at Shelton Vineyards this weekend. Enjoy live music by Reggie Johnson on Saturday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Rob McHale on Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Kick back and enjoy the day at Shelton Vineyards. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

April 15 – 16, 2023 – Carolina Spring Ranch Show at Lone Hickory Indoor Arena presented by the North Carolina Quarter Horse Association beginning at 8:00 a.m. both days. This Event is free to Spectators. The Grill will be open. Info: Pat Benton (336) 469-5360.

April 16, 2023 - Enjoy Sunday Brunch & Mimosas at Sanders Ridge Vineyard. Each Sunday, Sanders Ridge will feature a special Brunch option (regular menu will also be available) plus Mimosas from Noon – 3:00 p.m. Reservations recommended. (Check event calendar for any closings due to weddings). Info: Sanders Ridge (336) 677-1700.

April 16, 2023 - Enjoy the afternoon at Weathervane Winery listening to live music featuring Kelly Jackson! The event will be held from 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., free admission. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 701-5235.

April 16, 2023 – Lobster Dogs Food Truck at Laurel Gray Vineyards from Noon – 3:30 p.m.! Serving the best Maine Style Lobster, Crab and Shrimp Rolls in North Carolina. Also, specializing in Stuffed Avocados! Pair a glass of Laurel Gray wine and enjoy an afternoon on the terrace. Info: Laurel Gray (336) 468-9463.

April 17, 2023 – Yadkin Arts Council presents “Clue” in the Willingham Theater at the Yadkin Cultural Arts Center. Based on the iconic 1985 Paramount movie which was inspired by the classic Hasbro board game, Clue is a hilarious farce-meets-murder mystery. The tale begins at a remote mansion outside of Washington DC in 1954, when six mysterious guests assemble for an unusual dinner party where murder and blackmail are on the menu. When their host turns up dead, they all become suspects. Led by Wadsworth – the butler, Miss Scarlett, Professor Plum, Mrs. White, Mr. Green, Mrs. Peacock and Colonel Mustard race to find the killer as the body count stacks up. Clue is the comedy whodunit that will leave both cult-fans and newcomers in stitches as they try to figure out...WHO did it, WHERE, and with WHAT! Tickets are \$24.00 per person, show time is 3:00 p.m. Info: Yadkin Arts Council (336) 679-2941.

April 18, 2023 - Hammer Jax & Sports Bar Grill Special Wine Tasting event from 5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. A flight of five varieties from a Yadkin Valley winery will be available for \$15.00. There will be three different appetizers available for purchase. Hammer Jax & Sports Bar Grill is located at 902 West Main Street in Yadkinville. Info: Hammer Jax (336) 677-5299.

April 18, 2023 – History Night with Jenn presents The Holocaust at the Jonesville Public Library. April 18 is Holocaust Remembrance Day according to the USHMM. Some images and information in this presentation can be disturbing for some ages. Parental guidance is advised for those wanting to bring children younger than 17. Event will be held from 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Info: Jonesville Public Library (336) 835-4894.

April 18, 2023 - Surry Community College Small Business Center presents “How to Write a Business Plan” online seminar. A business plan can be the most important tool a small business owner has. Learn how to turn your ideas into a solid plan for financing and long-term success. This seminar teaches you the important components of a business plan and helps you lay the foundation for a winning plan. Find out how marketing, operations, and finance are interrelated. Discover how a business plan is used by potential lenders, the dos and don'ts of writing a plan and steps for making the process easy. This seminar is designed for new and established business owners. Meeting and access information for this webinar will be available upon registration. Speaker will be Ruben Gonzales. Seminar will be held from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., no cost. Info: SCC Small Business Center (336) 386-3685.

April 20, 2023 – Teen Advisory Board Meeting at the Jonesville Public Library from 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. In the April session, discussions will include summer planning, outdoor bowling and spend time on the Oculus Quest 2. All tweens and teens ages 12 to 17 are welcome to come. Parents are not required to attend with their teens. The teen advisory board meets every third Thursday of each month. Info: Jonesville Public Library (336) 835-7604

April 21 - 23, 2023 – Leaps & Bounds NADAC Agility Trials at Lone Hickory Indoor Arena. Awesome folks and their furry companions in fast-paced competition. Event will be held each day from 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., free to spectators. The Arena Grill will be open serving wonderful food. Info: Sarah Fix (336) 414-4242.

April 21, 2023 – Chef and Winemaker Dinner at Shelton Vineyards. Executive Chef Mark Thrower has crafted a delicious four-course meal perfectly paired with wines selected by winemaker, Ethan Brown. Join the Harvest Grill for fine dining and impeccable wine pairings. Savor every bite and sip as Chef Mark and Winemaker Ethan present a culinary journey that will delight the senses. Don't miss out on this unique opportunity to indulge. This will be a fun-filled evening of learning how wine can enhance your food experience. Reservations required. Event time 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$94.00 per person. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

April 22, 2023 – Get Ready for the Ultimate Spring Celebration at Shelton Vineyards! Join this lively event featuring local craft vendors, delicious food trucks, and a full day of music on the terrace. And that's not all – Shelton will be bringing out the yard games, so get ready to challenge your friends to some friendly competition. ½ price classic tastings all day in the tasting room. Some amazing vendors will be on site including The Hook Nook, Grace Lee Panes, Green Mesa Blueberry Farm LLC, Ann Inspired Creation, Walls Nursery, and What a Latte, there's something for everyone at Spring Fling. So gather your friends and family and come on down to Spring Fling – you won't want to miss this incredible event. Event time 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724

April 22, 2023 – Yadkin Bluegrass and Old Time Fiddlers Convention presented by the Yadkin Arts Council at Yadkinville Elementary School. Cost is \$12.00 for general public and \$10.00 for competitors which includes admission & entry free. Doors will open at 11:30 a.m. Individual competitions will begin at 1:00 p.m., band competitions at 6:30 p.m. Cash prizes and food trucks! Info: Yadkin Arts Council (336) 679-2941.

April 22 - 23, 2023 – Relax on the terrace with live music at Shelton Vineyards this weekend. Enjoy live music by Craig Vaughn on Saturday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Scarlet Lemonade on Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Kick back and enjoy the day at Shelton Vineyards. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

April 22, 2023 – Wraps Around the World Food Truck at Laurel Gray Vineyards from 11:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Pair a trendy, delicious, spicy or savory wrapped sandwich inspired from different countries, with one of Laurel Gray's award winning wines. Info: Laurel Gray (336) 468-9463.

April 22, 2023 – Come Celebrate Earth Day at Laurel Gray Vineyards by enjoying a free vineyard tour that day. Join Owner, Kim Myers as she explains the family heritage and shares their sustainable farming practices here at Laurel Gray. Tour time is 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., reservations required. Info: Kim Myers (336) 466-0553.

April 23, 2023 - An afternoon of music at Weathervane Winery featuring Keith Burkhart. The event will be held from 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m., free admission. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 701-5235.

April 23, 2023 - Welcome back Crazy Dog Mexican Food Truck at Laurel Gray Vineyards from 11:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. We know you love delicious Mexican food and Crazy Dog has incredible food including Carnitas, Birria Tacos, Quesadillas, Nachos, and Cheeseburgers. Grab a bottle of Nectar or Sangria to enjoy with your meal and make it a great Sunday. Info: Laurel Gray (336) 468-9463.

April 25, 2023 - American Red Cross Blood Drive from 2:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at Yadkin Family YMCA. Please visit www.redcross.org for more details or contact the YMCA (336) 679-7962.

April 25, 2023 - Chamber Investors Luncheon to be held at Noon at the Yadkin County Agricultural & Educational Building. This month's luncheon sponsor will be Smart Start of Yadkin County and catered by Regal Catering. Info: Yadkin County Chamber (336) 679-2200.

April 26, 2023 - American Red Cross Blood Drive from Noon - 4:30 p.m. at Union Grove Amish Church. Please visit www.redcross.org for more details or contact Union Grove Amish (336) 468-1985.

April 27, 2023 - Surry Community College Small Business Center presents "Instagram for Business" online seminar. This course will help you master Instagram marketing strategies, which will help you grow your business at a rapid pace and gain thousands of the right kind of followers. You will learn how to convert Instagram followers into paying customers, generate top notch quality content for your account and learn how pictures sell your products! Also, by the end of this course you will be able to implement powerful strategies for your marketing campaign. Meeting and access information for this webinar will be available upon registration. Speaker will be Nick Hawks. Seminar will be held from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., no cost. Info: SCC Small Business Center (336) 386-3685.

April 28, 2023 - Friday Night Live at Raylen Vineyards! Enjoy live music by Poundcake and tasty food for purchase from Havana Flavor from 5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Music is complimentary and open to the public. Feel free to bring a lawn chair! No outside alcohol or coolers is permitted, rain or shine event. Info: Raylen Vineyards (336) 530-5937.

April 28, 2023 - Wind Down Friday Night with the Moxie Band at Weathervane Winery. Event will be held from 6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Cost is \$10.00 per person. Info: Weathervane Winery (336) 701-5235.

April 29, 2023 - Flite Time Wings Food Truck at Laurel Gray Vineyards from 11:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Enjoy yummy grilled Chicken Wings, Grilled Chicken Sandwiches, Chicken & Vegetable

Rice Bowls or Vegetarian Rice Bowls. Info: Laurel Gray (336) 468-9463.

April 29, 2023 - Music on the Pavilion at Sanders Ridge Vineyards featuring Larry Wishon from 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Wine, beer, slushee & food specials will be available for purchase. No outside food, alcohol or picnics allowed. Pets on leash are welcome. Reservations are recommended. Info: Sanders Ridge Vineyards (336) 677-1700.

April 29 - 30, 2023 - Relax on the terrace with live music at Shelton Vineyards this weekend. Enjoy live music by Doug Alt on Saturday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Tyler Millard on Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Kick back and enjoy the day at Shelton Vineyards. Info: Shelton Vineyards (336) 366-4724.

April 30, 2023 - Join Raylen Vineyards for their Second Annual Wine Run 5k beginning at 11:30 a.m.! Whether you are looking to run, walk or just enjoy the wine, this event offers something for everyone to have a great time. This race is timed and scored by J3 Timing. Results will be posted at www.J3Timing.com. The Waffle Chick will be on site for all pre and post-race food cravings. Stay after the race to enjoy music from Noon - 3:00 p.m. Info: Raylen Vineyards (336) 530-5937.

Please come out and support all Yadkin County and surrounding area events. If you have any questions regarding these upcoming events, call or email the Chamber office.

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