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On the Web

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Kidzu Children’s Museum
A hands-on museum dedicated to inspiring young children (0-8 years) to learn through play. http://www.kidzuchildrensmuseum.org/

Talks and Special Events

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Fri, 6/13, 2–6pm
Chapel Hill Public Library, 100 Library Dr. Chapel Hill, NC 27514

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English and Local Culture

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The Southern Culture Series: A Man Named Pearl
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FedEx Global Education Center, Mandela Auditorium 301 Pittsboro Street, Chapel Hill, NC, 27516

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"Solar Hot Water for NC Households" Lecture
Slides from a UNC-funded project on DIY & professional installations examining types of systems, efficiencies and projected savings. $5 suggested donations, no one turned away.
Fri, 6/13, 6:30-8:30pm
Recyclique, 2811 Hillsborough Rd, Durham,

Local Tour

Coffee Cupping
A chance to taste interesting varieties of coffee and join a guided tour of the roastery and headquarters.
Fri, 6/13, 10am
Counter Culture Coffee, 4911 South Alston Avenue

Weekly Wine Tasting
Fri, 6/13, 6-8pm
Veritas in Vino at Brandywine Cellars, 6905 Fayetteville Rd

Art Market at Vega Metals
Outdoor market showcasing some most creative local artists. There are art and craft vendors, food trucks, and musicians creating a festive family oriented atmosphere.
Sat, 6/14, 9am-1pm
Vega Metals, 214 Hunt St

Bull Fest
Get back to the Bull City's roots and celebrate everything from our history to our local artists, food and businesses! Featuring arts and crafts vendors, food vendors, and Durham organizations, with live music by the NC Song Writer's Co-Op. FREE admission, but donations accepted.
Sat, 6/14, 10am-4pm
Duke Homestead State Historic Site, 2828 Duke Homestead Rd

Arts and Music

Balsam Range - Music On The Lawn Concert
The series features WUNC's "Back Porch Music." Blankets and chairs are welcome on the lawn, but no coolers.

Thu, 6/12, 6-9pm
American Tobacco Campus Amphitheatre, 318 Blackwell St.

Jack Lawrence & Tommy Edwards - Brightleaf Square Concert
Fri, 6/13, 7-9pm.
Brightleaf Square, Gregson St. at Main St.

The Chit Nasty Band: Find Your Cool Summer Concert Series
Ecstasy. It's the mental state that fills the faces of fans at the live shows, emanates from the bodies shaking to the powerful rhythms of three guitars, drums, and keyboards.
Fri, 6/13, 7-8:30pm.
CCB Plaza, E Chapel Hill and Corcoran St

A Celebration of Flags and Fathers
Sing along with patriotic melodies, familiar tunes, and selections from "The Wizard of Oz" and "Frozen" (Kids are welcome!). With Special Guests: The Durham Jazz Orchestra. Food and drink will be available for purchase. Bring lawn chairs and/or picnic blankets to sit on the lawn.
Sat, 6/14, 4-6pm
Durham Central Park, 501 Foster St

Nasher Museum Public Tour
Sun, 6/8, 2-3pm
Nasher Museum of Art, 2001 Campus Drive

Volunteer and Community Contribution

Duke Farm Workday
Thu, 6/5 & Sun, 6/8, 6-8pm
Email dukecampusfarm@gmail.com if you need a ride at least 24 hours in advance.
4934 Friends School Rd.

Church World Service Immigration and Refugee Program provides housing for more than 250 refugees in the Triangle each year. Refugee's apartment needs beds, dishes, tables, chairs, couches, lamps, towels, blankets, sheets, trash cans, shower curtains, etc. Donate items (IN GOOD CONDITION) to 112 S. Duke Street, Suite 4B, Durham NC 27701.