

2022 NC Black Bear Festival

All events and times subject to change. • Limited tickets on all ticketed events-so sign up soon!
 Tickets for all events can be found at ncbearfest.com/ActivitySchedule.aspx

Friday

Time	Event	Location
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Port O’Plymouth Museum	302 E Water St, Plymouth
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Bear-Ology – NC Black Bear Museum	111 West Water St. Plymouth
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	God’s Creation Wildlife Museum	111 West Water St. Plymouth
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Maritime Museum & Lighthouse	204 West Water St. Plymouth
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Boat Rides on the River (approx. 30 min.) (Free, but must sign up at the dock)	Departs Dock Behind the Port O’Plymouth Museum
5:00 pm- 8:00 pm 6:15 pm – 9:15 pm	Bear Tour (Online registration required)	Departs from the Plymouth Church of Christ - 905 Washington St. Plymouth
Evening - TBD	The Stanley Baird Group - Jazz	Downtown - TBD

Saturday

Time	Event	Location
5:30 am – 8:30 am 6:30 am – 9:30 am	Bear Tour (Online registration required)	Departs from the Plymouth Church of Christ - 905 Washington St. Plymouth
7:30 am	“Run with the Bears” 5K (Online registration required)	Port O’Plymouth Museum 302 E Water St.
9:00 am - Until	Biplane Rides (Online registration required)	Plymouth Airport (5 miles away from Festival at 1069 Airport Rd. Plymouth)
9:00 am – 11:00 am	Rowing Races on the River	On the Waterfront
9:30 am	“Bear Necessities Paddle” \$20 w/ your own boat \$50 with rental (Online Prior registration required)	Bear Track Landing East Main St. past the High School
9:30 am	Baby Bear Dress-Up Contest (Prior Registration Required)	Small Stage between Music Stage & River
10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Bear Tour (Online registration required)	Departs Roanoke River Maritime Museum at 204 West Water St.
10:00 am	Festival Official Opening	302 East Music St. Festival Park
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Port O’Plymouth Museum	302 E Water St.
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Bear-Ology – NC Black Bear Discovery Center	111 West Water St.
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	God’s Creation Wildlife Museum	111 West Water St.
10:00 am – 4:00 pm	Roanoke River Maritime Museum - Lighthouse	204 West Water St. Plymouth
10:00 am – Until	Helicopter Rides - \$40 per person	516 East Main St.
10:00 am – 5:00 pm	Water Slides - Free	Near Bear Tunnel
10:00 am – 5:00 pm	Bear Towne Market	118 Washington St.
10:00 am – 5:00 pm	Black Bear Theater - 25 min. film about NC’s Giant Black Bears - <i>air conditioned</i> . \$2	NC Cooperative Extension Building 128 East Water St.
10:00 am – 3:30 pm	US Cellular Carolina Communications’ Classic Car Show – Awards at 3:30 pm	East Water St.
10:00 am – 1:00 pm	Magic 95.9 Live Remote	Festival Park
10:00 am – Until	Can You Out Run a Bear? Race	Hill Behind Food Vendors

10:00 am – 10:30 am	Ed’s Dinosaurs Live Show under the tent	Port O’Plymouth Museum Parking Lot
10:00 - Noon	Spare Change in Concert – Top 40 Variety	Music Stage - 302 E Water St.
10:30 am – 11:30 am	Presentation by State Bear Biologist	Bear-Ology Black Bear Museum 111 West Water St.
11:00 am – 6:00 pm	Boat Rides on the River (approx. 30 min.) (Free, but must sign up at the dock)	Departs Dock Behind the Port O’Plymouth Museum
11:00 am – 5:00 pm	Air Boat Rides - \$30	Behind Port O’Plymouth Museum
11:00 am – 5:00 pm	Lazy River Tubing - \$5	Behind Port O’Plymouth Museum
11:00 am – 11:30 am	Ed’s Dinosaurs Live Show under the tent	Port O’Plymouth Museum Parking Lot
11:00 am – Noon	Photographing Bears & Wildlife Seminar by Mark Buckler - Take better wildlife photos	Building Across from Bear-Ology Black Bear Museum (111 West Water)
Noon –12:30 pm	Ember Fire Arts Show	Near Music Stage – 302 E. Water St.
Approx. 12:30 pm – 1:15 pm	B’Air Show: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skydiving Bears • Bandits Flight Formation Team • Army Golden Knights Skydiving Team • Bear Drop – 300 plush parachuting bears 	Along the Waterfront Note: Black Bear Theater & Museums will be closed during the B’Air Show
1:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Bear Tour (Online registration required)	Departs Roanoke River Maritime Museum at 204 West Water St.
2:15 pm – 2:45 pm	Ember Fire Arts Show	Near Music Stage – 302 E. Water St.
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Ed’s Dinosaurs Live under the tent	Port O’Plymouth Museum Parking Lot
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm	Presentation by State Bear Biologist	Bear-Ology Black Bear Museum 111 West Water St.
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Car Show Award Presentation	Mini Park at the end of Washington St.
3:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Rhythm Express in Concert – R&B/Top 40	Music Stage - 302 E Water St.
5:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Ed’s Dinosaurs Live under the tent	Port O’Plymouth Museum Parking Lot
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Bear Tour (Online registration required)	Departs Roanoke River Maritime Museum at 204 West Water St.
5:45 pm – 6:15 pm	Ember Fire Arts Show	Near Music Stage – 302 E Water St.
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Tethered Hot Air Balloon Rides (\$15)	Festival Park
6:15 pm – 9:15 pm	Bear Tour (online registration required)	Departs Roanoke River Maritime Museum at 204 West Water St.
6:30 pm – 6:55 pm	Sara Hardison in Concert – Christian	Music Stage - 302 E Water St.
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	The Original Rhondels in Concert - Top 40 & Beach	Music Stage - 302 E Water St.
9:15 pm	Laser Show & “Reflections on the Roanoke Fireworks Show”	Viewing from anywhere on waterfront

Sunday

Time	Event	Location
5:30 am – 8:30 am	Bear Tour (online registration required)	Departs from the Plymouth Church of Christ - 905 Washington St. Plymouth
5:45 am – 3:00 pm	Eastern NC Bass Challenge’s Bear Fest Tournament Registration required: www.ncbasschallenge.com	NC Wildlife Boat Ramp next to the Lighthouse on West Water St.