

Honors & Awards ceremony schedule

Thursday, April 11

Humanities Awards Ceremony

4 p.m., MG 125

Monday, April 15

Business and Organizational Leadership Awards Ceremony

6 p.m., Porter Center, Scott Commons

Tuesday, April 16

Campus Honors and Awards Ceremony

4:30 p.m., Ingram Auditorium

Campus Honors and Awards Reception

5:15 p.m. Jones Library

Campus Life Student Leaders Awards Ceremony

6 p.m. Porter Center, Francis Pavilion

Wednesday, April 17

Fine Arts Honors Awards Ceremony and Recital

2 p.m. - Gather in Francis Pavilion to view Theatre senior project posters

2:30 p.m. - Awards ceremony begins in Francis Pavilion

3:30 p.m. - Honors recital begins in Francis Pavilion

4:30 p.m. - Refreshments served in Spiers Gallery while students and guests enjoy the Senior Art Exhibition

Thursday, April 18

Criminal Justice Awards Banquet

6 p.m. Francis Pavilion

Tuesday, April 23

Psychology Awards Ceremony

6 p.m. MG Lobby/MG 125

Wednesday, April 24

Teacher Education Community Potluck Dinner

4:45–6:15 p.m. Porter Center, Scott Commons

Thursday, April 25

Athletics Banquet

Boshamer Gym

Saturday, April 27

Wilderness Leadership Experiential Education Gathering

6 p.m. John Buford's House

Trail Review

Looking Glass Rock

By Brock Tuttle
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If you have been wanting to take advantage of the beauty that is in Brevard College's backyard, consider adding the Looking Glass Rock hike to your list. Looking Glass Rock is the perfect hike in the sense that it is good exercise with a very rewarding view.

Looking Glass Rock is a mountain that appears to be nestled perfectly between mountain ranges. You probably have seen it if you have been on the Blue Ridge Parkway because it sticks out like a sore thumb.

The Looking Glass Rock hike starts at a pull off where you can park your car. The pull off is just before the Pisgah Forest Fish Hatchery.

This hike is approximately 6 miles round-trip and climbs an elevation of 1,700 feet. Doesn't sound very fun does it?

The hike starts out nice and easy near a stream before the trail turns into a long series

of switchbacks that will take up most of your time. The real elevation gain is during these switchbacks, so the journey might not be as strenuous as it sounds.

The trail is marked pretty well and if you end up on a helicopter pad you should be headed in the right direction. From the helicopter pad it is about a ten minute walk past a few campsites to the destination.

The destination is a bald portion of the rock that faces the Blue Ridge Parkway and some spectacular mountains. If you're lucky you may be swarmed by ladybugs.

Bring water and some snacks so that you can relax and enjoy the view because you're not going to want to come down once you are up there. Also, be careful not to fall off the face of the rock.

Hopefully the rain will clear up long enough so that plans can be made and the trails can dry up a little bit.



Incredible view from the top of Looking Glass Rock

What you need to know about consent

By Aia Andonovska
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Recently all over campus, students have been discovering flyers and brochures on consent and healthy sex. These flyers and brochures were provided to the school by SAFE, which is an organization dedicated to helping victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse. They have been placed in the bathrooms.

The information on these flyers and brochures provide details about what consent is, how to communicate and the definition of sexual assault.

Consent is when someone says yes to engaging in sexual activity with another person. Consent must be freely given, meaning that the person you are engaging with feels that they

can say yes or no at any time. Consent cannot be given if someone is impaired by alcohol or drugs. Consent does not count as consent if it is obtained by the use of force, pressure, intimidation or fear.

Consent has to be verbally communicated. Non-verbal cues are important but someone needs to say what they want in order for consent to be present. Consent should be enthusiastic, both parties should be willing. If one person is hesitant, then it is not consent.

It should also be an ongoing conversation. Communication is crucial and keeps both parties on the same page. It also fosters an attitude of respect. Consent should be mutual. Everyone involved has to agree.