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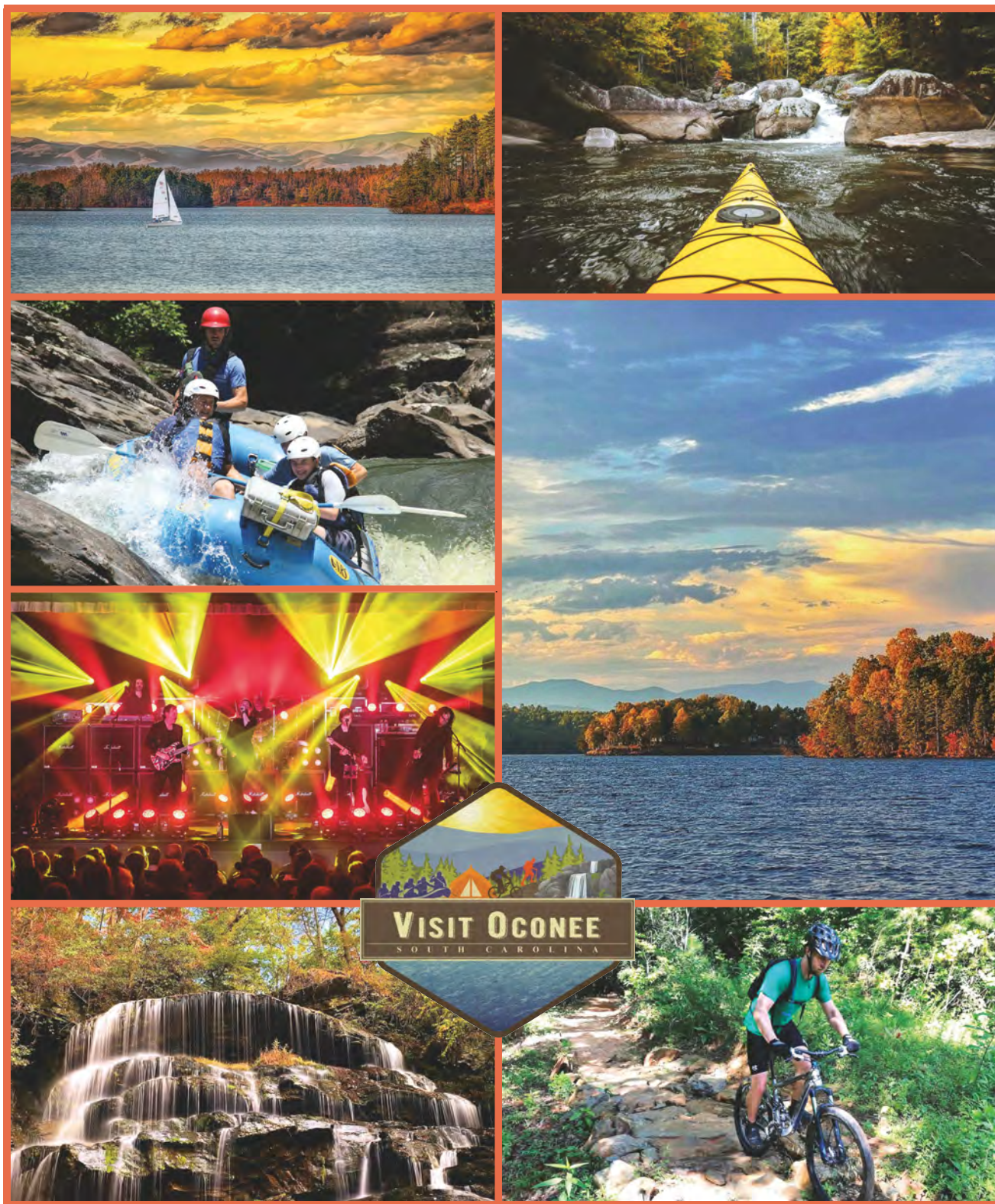
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1. Caesars Head State Park
2. Croft State Park
3. Devils Fork State Park
4. Jones Gap State Park
5. Keowee-Toxaway State Park
6. Kings Mountain State Park
7. Lake Hartwell State Park
8. Battle of Musgrove Mill State Historic Site
9. Oconee State Park
10. Oconee Station State Historic Site
11. Paris Mountain State Park
12. Sadlers Creek State Park
13. Table Rock State Park



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From mountains and lakes, waterfalls and

trails to award-winning urban centers, historic sites, culture and arts, the Upcountry has a seemingly endless supply of ways to entertain and excite visitors.

Nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, the Upcountry of South Carolina has been dazzling visitors for decades. Natural wonders abound in lakes, rivers and state parks. More than 120 waterfalls, miles of hiking trails and over 40 golf courses make the Upcountry an outdoor lover's dream.

Cultural pursuits are also prevalent in towns across the Upcountry. Multiple museums and galleries, public art and performance venues all give a glimpse into the talented artists and creativity that residents and visitors to the Upcountry enjoy.

Add in world-class cuisine, charming boutiques and top-rated festivals and you'll want to discover the Upcountry time and time again.

To learn more, visit us online at UpcountrySC.com. With our interactive Visitors Guide, maps and itineraries, we make it easy for you to pack your suitcase and begin to explore this beautiful area.

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On the cover: Jumping Off Rock Overlook on Lake Jocassee.

Photo by Casey Shoub - The Upstate Outdoor Adventurer

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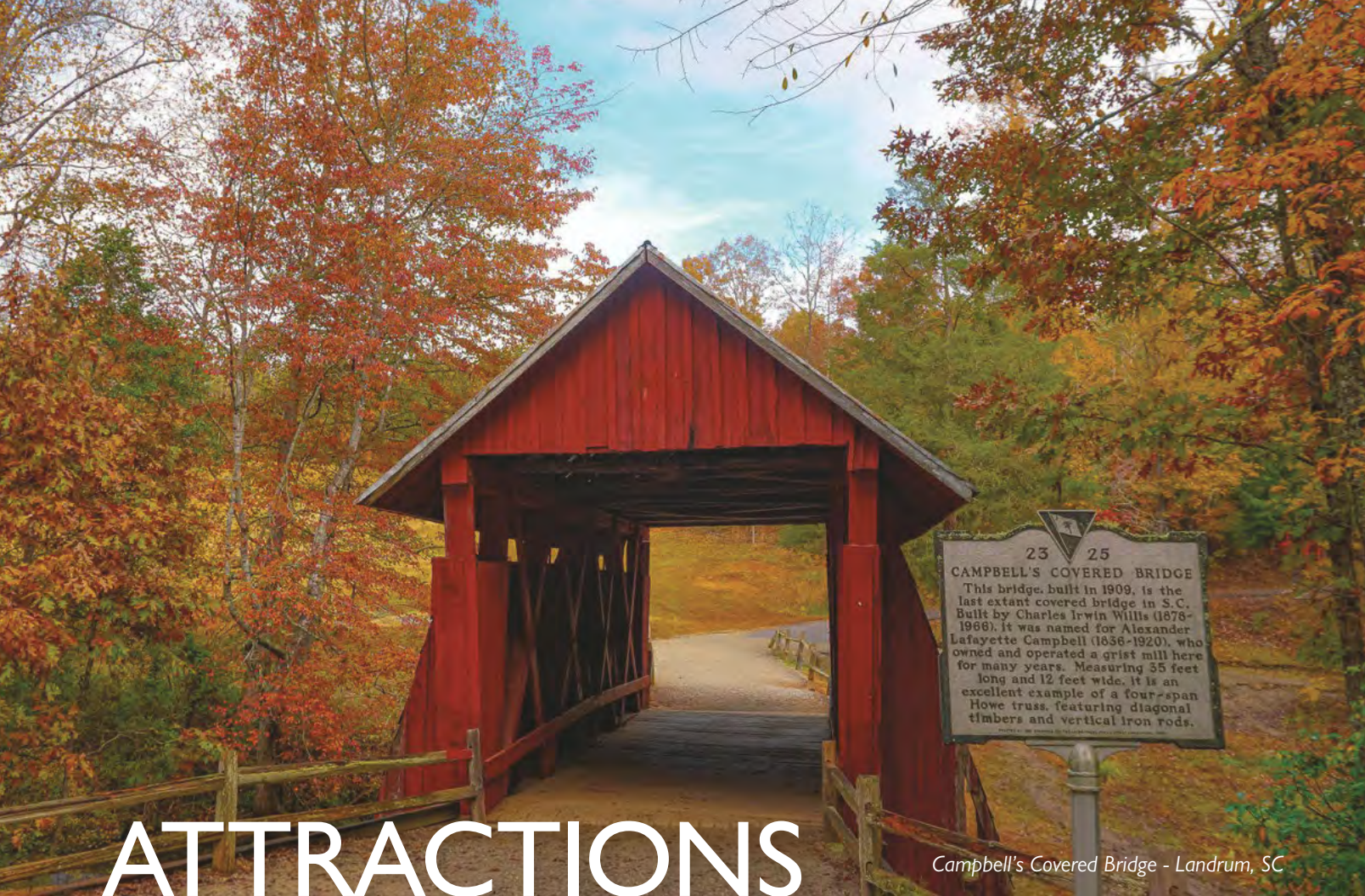
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Spartanburg



Islas on the Square
113 N Church St,
Spartanburg, SC 29306



ATTRACTIONS

Campbell's Covered Bridge - Landrum, SC

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ANDERSON COUNTY

ANDERSON ARTS CENTER

110 Federal Street
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 222-2787
andersonarts.org

The Anderson Arts Center is home to visual arts galleries open to the community to celebrate and support the creativity of all. We provide a broad range of creative and collaborative experiences for both adults and children in arts education, exhibits, entertainment performances, and community use of our facility. We provide a home for artists to work together on their talents, and we engage in the active promotion of artists and their work.

ANDERSON COUNTY MUSEUM

202 East Greenville Street
Anderson, SC 29621
(864) 260-4737
andersoncountymuseum.sc.gov

For 42 years the Anderson County Museum (ACM) has collected, preserved, and interpreted artifacts that document the history of Anderson County and South Carolina. We educate a diverse audience by creating a place where visitors find meaning in learning the local, regional, and national significance of Anderson and South Carolina.

ASHTABULA HISTORIC HOUSE

2725 Old Greenville Highway (SC88)
Central, SC 29630
(864) 646-7249
pendletonhistoricfoundation.org

This 10-acre historic site includes the main house (c.1825) built by Lewis Ladson Gibbes & wife, Maria Drayton Gibbes, and a detached brick building (c.1790), one of the earliest licensed taverns in the SC Upcountry. Ashtabula is listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is a site on the SC National Heritage Corridor. Open by reservation only. Call or visit our website for directions, pricing, and upcoming events.

BART GARRISON AGRICULTURAL MUSEUM OF SOUTH CAROLINA

120 History Lane
Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 646-7271
bgamsc.org

The Bart Garrison Agricultural Museum of South Carolina is dedicated to South Carolina's agricultural heritage. Our interpretation ranges from historic practices and artifacts to the Future of Agriculture, and how sustainable, local agriculture is experiencing a resurgence in our state. We have many outdoor educational exhibits, including gardens, livestock, and 19th-century buildings. Group tours are available. Come Grow With Us!

BELTON AREA MUSEUM ASSOCIATION

100 North Main Street
Belton, SC 29627
(864) 338-7400
beltonmuseum.com

Come visit the Ruth Drake Museum of Local History, the SC Tennis Hall of Fame, and the North End Exhibition Gallery, all located inside the historic Train Depot on the square in Belton, SC. This 1908 train depot showcases Belton and upstate history, memorabilia from SC's tennis greats, and an exhibit gallery for rotating historical topics. Hours: Wednesday - Friday, 9 am - 2 pm, Saturday, 10 am - 12 Noon.

BELTON CENTER FOR THE ARTS

306 City Square, Belton, SC 29627
(864) 338-8556
beltoncenterforthearts.org

Belton Center for the Arts is an art and cultural center for our community. The historic building houses a Gallery, six rotating exhibits, a multi-use classroom, a pottery room, and a gift shop promoting local artists. Open Tuesday - Friday, 10 am - 5 pm.

FARMERS HALL

105 Exchange Street
Pendleton, SC 29670

The landmark building on the town square is the centerpiece of historic Pendleton. Built in 1826 - 1828 on the site of the courthouse after

Attractions

the district was divided, this is the oldest farmers' hall in continuous use in the nation.

SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

328 E. Queen Street
Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 654-5071

holycrinityclermson.org

The white clapboard church, built in 1822, has a Jardine pipe organ that has filled the church with music since 1848. The churchyard includes burial sites for several historically important people, including a Polish countess and soldiers who died in the War Between the States.

SPLIT CREEK FARM

3806 Centerville Road
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 287-3921

splitcreek.com

Split Creek Farm is a Grade A goat dairy and true farmstead operation that produces the finest artisan goat milk products. The shop is open Monday - Saturday from 10 am - 5 pm, while the farm and museum are open for visitation on Fridays & Saturdays from 10 am - 5 pm. Educational tours are arranged by appointment.

SOUTH CAROLINA TENNIS HALL OF FAME

Belton Depot
100 N. Main Street
Belton, SC 29627
(864) 338-7400

The Tennis Hall of Fame features portraits painted by Belton native Wayland Moore, as well as memorabilia donated by the inductees. It houses artifacts and trophies relating to tennis history in South Carolina. The Hall of Fame is located on the south end of the depot. Enter through the Belton Museum located on the north end of the depot.

WOODBURN HISTORIC HOUSE

130 History Lane
Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 646-7249

pendletonhistoricfoundation.org

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, this 12-acre historic site includes the four-story mansion, built as a summer residence by Charles Cotesworth Pinckney c.1830; historic Moorhead Cabin; the 2-room replica slave/tenant cabin, birthplace of Jane Edna Hunter; a nationally recognized African-American activist and reformer; a Victorian carriage house replica; and a nature trail to the ruins of the 1880s farm buildings. Open by reservation only. Call or visit our website for directions, wedding and special event pricing, and a full list of our upcoming educational events.

UPSTATE HERITAGE QUILT TRAIL ANDERSON STUDIO

405 N. Main Street
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 723-6603

uhqt.org

The Upstate Heritage Quilt Trail (UHQT) has the largest number of hand-painted quilts displayed outdoors in South Carolina. The UHQT's website and app provide the stories about each quilt, and the interactive map helps visitors develop a route to over 300 quilt sites. Walking or driving the trail leads you to a variety of unique sites.

CHEROKEE COUNTY

CHEROKEE COUNTY HISTORY AND ARTS MUSEUM

301 College Drive
Gaffney, SC 29340
(864) 489-3988

ccmuseumsc.org

Exhibits and programming related to our region from prehistoric to modern times, incorporating Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math into the mission to preserve local history and cultural heritage. Multiple spaces are available for rentals. Check the website for upcoming events, exhibits, hours, and pricing.

CHEROKEE COUNTY VETERANS MUSEUM

200 S Logan Street
Gaffney, SC 29341
(864) 812-4136

Cherokee County's first museum houses more than 1,000 artifacts from all the wars in which our nation has fought. Hours: 9 am -12 Noon on Saturday, 2 - 4 pm on Sunday, 1 - 3 pm on Monday. Group tours by appointment.



Falls Park on the Reedy



Juniper



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COWPENS NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD

4001 Chesnee Highway
Gaffney, SC 29341
nps.gov/cowp
(864) 461-2828

Cowpens Battlefield commemorates a decisive battle that helped to turn the tide of war in the Southern Campaign of the American Revolution. On this field on January 17, 1781, Daniel Morgan led his army of tough Continentals, militia, and cavalry to a brilliant victory over Banastre Tarleton's British army. The battlefield offers interpretive facilities, a visitor center with exhibits, a tour road, a walking trail through the battlefield, and special events throughout the year, including a commemoration on the weekend closest to the anniversary of the battle. Closed New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, Washington's Birthday, Juneteenth, Columbus Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. Please check the website for current hours before visiting.

KINGS MOUNTAIN NATIONAL MILITARY PARK

2625 Park Road
Blacksburg, SC 29702
(864) 936-7921
nps.gov/kimo

The park commemorates a pivotal and significant victory by Patriot militia over Loyalist forces under the command of British Major Patrick Ferguson. The October 7, 1780 battle destroyed the left wing of Cornwallis' army and effectively ended Loyalists' dominance in the Carolinas. The Patriot victory at the Battle of Kings Mountain is considered by most historians to be the "turning point of the American Revolution in the South." The park visitor center features a film, museum exhibits, and a bookstore. Visitors can walk the 1.5-mile battlefield trail or hike on the 16-mile backcountry trail. (Free Admission)

THE PEACHOID

I-85 at Exit 92 near Gaffney

The iconic One Million Gallon water tank has long been Gaffney's claim to fame. Designed in the shape of a peach, it was built by the Gaffney Board of Public Works in 1981. Constructed by the Chicago Bridge & Iron Company, the Peachoid was later painted by artist Peter Freudenburg, who was tasked with painting the tank in colors matching the types of peaches grown in the area. Today, the Peachoid stands guard over Interstate 85 near Gaffney, capturing the attention of hundreds of thousands of travelers who drive past each year.

GREENVILLE COUNTY**CAMPBELL'S COVERED BRIDGE**

171 Campbells Covered Bridge Road
Landrum, SC 29356
greenvillerec.com/parks/campbells-covered-bridge

The bridge was built in 1909 and is the oldest remaining covered bridge in South Carolina. From US Highway 25 north of Travelers Rest, take State Road 414 through Tigerville. Turn right on Pleasant Hill Road, right on Campbell Bridge Road, and travel approximately 1/4 mile to the bridge.

FALLS PARK ON THE REEDY RIVER

601 S. Main Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 467-4350
fallspark.com

Located in the heart of downtown Greenville, Falls Park features scenic overlooks, landscaped gardens, nature trails, and the Reedy River with its impressive series of falls. The centerpiece of Falls Park is the Liberty Bridge, a one-of-a-kind curved suspension bridge that appears to float above the waterfalls and gardens below.

FOUNTAIN INN HISTORY CENTER

102 Depot Street.
Fountain Inn, SC 29644
(864) 862-2586
www.fountaininnmuseum.com

The Fountain Inn History Center is committed to expanding the public's sense of community through an understanding of the city's history and how it relates to South Carolina history, as well as being reflective of American society as a whole. The organization is dedicated to the belief that we can learn from the past in order to better understand the present and the challenges of the future. The general purpose is to collect, preserve, and exhibit objects of value for understanding the history, art, and natural environment of the Fountain Inn area.

GREENVILLE CENTER FOR CREATIVE ARTS

101 Abney Street
Greenville, SC 29611
(864) 735-3948
artcentergreenville.org

Greenville Center for Creative Arts is a hub for the visual arts, serving Greenville and beyond. Founded in 2015 by a dedicated group of artists, teachers, and community leaders, GCCA has become the anchor for Greenville's visual arts community. GCCA offers classes and workshops

for students of all ages and interests, ongoing exhibitions by contemporary artists, and 26 studio artists working on-site. GCCA is located in the historic Brandon Mill, in the heart of Greenville's arts district, the Village of West Greenville.

GREENVILLE COUNTY MUSEUM OF ART

420 College Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 271-7570
gcma.org

Home to major holdings of work by two of the greatest artists in the country, Andrew Wyeth and Jasper Johns, the GCMA also boasts an important group of pre-Civil War vessels by enslaved potter and poet David Drake and an exceptional collection of modernist works by William H. Johnson. In addition, the GCMA offers its popular Sundays at 2 programs, featuring gallery talks, musical performances, artist demonstrations, and family art adventures.

GREENVILLE ZOO

150 Cleveland Park Drive
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 467-4300
GreenvilleZoo.com

Enjoy wildlife from around the world as you tour this 14-acre facility nestled inside Cleveland Park. The Greenville Zoo is accredited by the Association of Zoos and Aquariums and houses more than 300 animals across 90 species. Zoo grounds also have picnic shelters, playgrounds, and amphitheater seating available for use. Please visit our website for hours, admission information, education programs, conservation initiatives, special events, and membership information.

CONESTEE NATURE PRESERVE

840 Mauldin Road
Greenville, SC 29607
(864) 277-2004
conesteepreserve.org

Conestee Nature Preserve, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, opened its first trails to the public in 2006. The Preserve consists of over 600 acres of beautiful natural habitat on the Reedy River, just 6 miles south of downtown Greenville, South Carolina. The entire Preserve is protected under conservation easement and is a statutory Wildlife Sanctuary, recognized as an Important Bird Area of Global Significance by the National Audubon Society, with 226 species identified to date. Open to visitors every day of the year, over 13 miles of trails traverse this unique landscape, of which seven miles are paved. There are over a mile of boardwalks, eleven wildlife observation decks, and to enhance your visit, a mobile guide featuring interactive maps, wildlife scavenger hunts, and education about the natural and human history of this area. The Conestee Nature Preserve is truly the wildest place in Greenville!

HISTORY MUSEUM OF TRAVELERS REST

3 Edwards Street
Travelers Rest, SC 29609
(864) 380-4979
travelersresthistoricalsociety.org

DID YOU KNOW that during the American Revolution over 200 battles took place in South Carolina? A few of the Upcountry battles were fought at Cowpens National Battlefield, Kings Mountain National Military Park, and Musgrove Mill State Historic Site. Find out about others at RevWarUpcountrySC.com.

The museum houses artifacts and exhibits related to Travelers Rest and the surrounding area, highlighting our history of being a resting place for people traveling back and forth between the mountains and the coast and beyond.

MILITARY HISTORY CENTER OF THE CAROLINAS (MHCC) MUSEUM

14 Airport Road Ext.
Greenville, SC 29607
milhcc.org

The Military History Museum displays vehicles, uniforms, weapons, and other artifacts from America's conflicts, beginning with the Spanish-American War and extending through the 20th century to the present day. Free to the public, the museum is open Saturdays from 10 am - 4 pm and Sundays, 12 Noon - 4 pm, and is available throughout the week for group tours. The Museum is a favorite stop for homeschool groups, scouts, veterans' organizations, and many others. As part of our mission to honor veterans, we also provide displays at public and private events throughout the upstate.

POINSETT BRIDGE HERITAGE PRESERVE

580 Callahan Mountain Road
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
(803) 734-3893

heritagetrust.dnr.sc.gov/properties.html

The bridge is named for Joel Roberts Poinsett, a legislator, physician, and botanist from South Carolina. Poinsett was a Charleston native, a

prominent early resident of Greenville, and a US ambassador to Mexico. Opened in 1820, the stone-arched bridge was part of the state road from Charleston through Columbia to North Carolina. Robert Mills, architect of the Washington Monument and many significant South Carolina buildings, is thought to have designed Poinsett Bridge. This preserve is comprised of 120 acres.

RUNWAY PARK AT GREENVILLE DOWNTOWN AIRPORT

21 Airport Road Ext
Greenville, SC 29607
(864) 242-4777

greenvilledowntownairport.com/runway-park

Aviation-themed park to watch planes take off and land, exercise, and rent a picnic hangar. Located in the airport's Community Corridor adjacent to Takeoff Mini Golf.

SHOELESS JOE JACKSON MUSEUM

356 Field Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 434-3088

shoelessjoejackson.org

Located in the home where baseball legend "Shoeless" Joe Jackson lived and died, the museum and new gift shop display items of interest associated with the historic baseball career of the greatest natural hitter in MLB history. Check our website for hours and further information, and follow us on social media @ShoelessMuseum.

SIGAL MUSIC MUSEUM

516 Buncombe Street
Greenville, SC 29601
sigalmusicmuseum.org

Sigal Music Museum is home to one of the largest collections of historical instruments in the United States, featuring over 400 years of music history. The museum also features concerts, lectures, and other events throughout the year. Hours are Tu - Sa, 10 am - 5 pm, and Su, 1 - 5 pm.

SUBER'S CORN MILL

2002 Suber Mill Road
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 416-4474

facebook.com/SubersCornMill

The mill, built circa 1908, still grinds corn using water power. Open Fridays, 12 pm - 4 pm, and Saturdays, 9 am - 1 pm.

SYMME'S CHAPEL "PRETTY PLACE"

4399 YMCA Camp Road
Cleveland, SC 29635
(864) 836-3291

campgreenville.org

The outdoor chapel at YMCA Camp Greenville is commonly referred to as "Pretty Place" because of the breathtaking view from Standing Stone Mountain. The chapel is located 5 miles off US Highway 276 near Caesars Head State Park. More than 250 private events are booked at Pretty Place Chapel each year; the majority being weddings. It is open to the public when not reserved for a private event. To check the

Cultivating Legacies: The Story of African Americans in South Carolina Agriculture

On display at the Bart Garrison Agricultural Museum of South Carolina
Sponsored by South Carolina Humanities

Open Thursday - Saturday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
120 History Lane, Pendleton



visitation schedule, please visit the website at campgreenville.org/visitation-schedule

THE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF THE UPSTATE

300 College Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 233-7755
tcmupstate.org

The Children's Museum of the Upstate, located in downtown Greenville, offers 60,000 square feet of exhibit and learning space for hands-on learning and play! Over 23 unique exhibits reflect programming in areas of arts, humanities, sciences, health, nutrition, and the environment, and free weekly programming provides opportunities for families to further learn and discover together.

UPCOUNTRY HISTORY MUSEUM

540 Buncombe Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 467-3100
upcountryhistory.org

The Upcountry History Museum is a great place to start your exploration of Greenville's past and discover one-of-a-kind experiences as you journey through Frontier beginnings, textile dominance, and transformative events that shaped the Upcountry's story of revitalization, charm, and cultural distinctiveness. Unrivaled traveling exhibitions expand the experience by introducing visitors to displays that further the UHM mission of connecting people, history,

and culture. Holiday closings: Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve, New Year's Day, Easter, Thanksgiving Day, and 4th of July. Admission Rates: \$14 Adults, \$13 Senior Adults (ages 65 and up) and college students with valid ID, \$10 Children ages 3 to 18, Free Children ages 2 and under.

OCONEE COUNTY

BERTHA LEE STRICKLAND CULTURAL MUSEUM

208 West South 2nd Street
Seneca, SC 29678
(864) 885-2705
arthistoryculture.org

Bertha Lee Strickland Cultural Museum shares the rich history of Oconee County's African Americans through research, preservation, exhibitions, programming, and virtual presentations.

CHATTOOGA BELLE FARM

454 Damascus Church Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9768
ChattoogaBelleFarm.com

Chattooga Belle Farm is a 199-acre working farm and event destination nestled in the Blue Ridge Mountains boasting a stunning 270-degree view of rolling hills, vineyards, orchards, and berry patches. Selling over 20 kinds of fruit, Black Angus all-natural beef (when available), eggs from free-range chickens, several varieties of wine, a

distillery, serving lunch (check website for hours), and farm-made products. It is a must-see!

UPSTATE HERITAGE QUILT TRAIL

150 School House Road
Westminster, SC 29693
(864) 723-6603
uhqt.org

The Upstate Heritage Quilt Trail (UHQT) has the largest number of hand-painted quilts displayed outdoors in South Carolina. The UHQT's website and app provide the stories about each quilt and andersoncountymuseum.sc.gov helps visitors develop a route to over 300 quilt sites. Walking or driving the trail leads you to a variety of unique sites.

DUKE ENERGY'S WORLD OF ENERGY

7812 Rochester Highway
Seneca, SC 29672
(864) 873-4600

duke-energy.com/worldofenergy

Duke Energy's World of Energy education center at Oconee Nuclear Station, north of Seneca, is designed for visitors of all ages and features self-guided exhibits and activities, including games, a butterfly garden, and a nature trail.

JOCASSEE LAKE TOURS

538 Jocassee Lake Road
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 280-5501

www.jocassee-laketours.com

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tcmupstate.org

Attractions

waterfalls that are only seen by boat! Enjoy fall's color explosion, winter's solitude, and spring's rebirth of nature. National Geographic declared the Jocassee Gorges one of the World's 50 Last Great Places!

MUSEUM OF THE CHEROKEE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

70 Short Street
Walhalla, SC 29691

(864) 710-9210

cherokeemuseumsc.org

The museum provides a resource for a deeper, more meaningful understanding of the Cherokee heritage of South Carolina. We gather and maintain a repository of artifacts and historical information related to the Cherokee people's history, formation, and development in South Carolina, and provide a facility for ongoing educational opportunities for students, county residents, and visitors to Oconee County. Admission is \$5.00 per person.

OCONEE HISTORY MUSEUM

123 Brown Square Drive
Walhalla, SC 29691

(864) 638-2224

oconeehistorymuseum.org

Located in Walhalla, SC, the Oconee History Museum brings history to life through museum exhibits, educational programs, and much more. The museum is housed in a historic tobacco warehouse (1892). Visitors explore the history of Oconee County through exhibits about Native American life, immigration and settlement, railroads, business & industry, agriculture, and much more.

OCONEE HISTORY MUSEUM: GENERAL STORE MUSEUM

126 E. Main Street
Westminster, SC 29693

(864) 638-2224

oconeehistorymuseum.org

Take a step back in time and visit Oconee History Museum's General Store Museum in downtown Westminster. The General Store Museum features items from historic England's General Merchandise Store of Westminster; and much more.

OCONEE MILITARY MUSEUM AT PATRIOTS HALL

13 Short Street
Walhalla, SC 29691

(864) 638-5455

OconeeMilitaryMuseum.org

Dedicated to Veterans in honor of their service and sacrifices. Visit to see artifacts and learn the contributions and legacies of Veterans and local heroes who fought for our nation. Open Thursday - Saturday, 11 am - 4 pm. Free.

OCONEE STATION STATE HISTORIC SITE/RICHARDS HOUSE

500 Oconee Station Road
Walhalla, SC 29691

(864) 638-0079

southcarolinaparks.com/oconee-station

Oconee Station was built in 1792 as one in a series of blockhouses along the SC frontier and was garrisoned with troops until 1799. The buildings were established during a period of tension between European settlers and the

Pendleton Historic Foundation



Visit Pendleton and journey 200 years into the historical 19th century upstate SC. Experience the enchantment of these historic homes, learn the fascinating history and culture as you stroll the grounds, walk the piazzas, view the priceless antiques and artifacts with your personal guide. Groups, Educational, School and Ghost Tours Available.





864-646-7249

pendletonhistoricfoundation.org

Native American population. The adjacent William Richards House, built in 1805, is believed to be the first brick house built in the northwest corner of South Carolina, and was a successful trading post. Nearby, the beautiful Station Cove Falls can be enjoyed.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

301 West Main Street
Walhalla, SC 29691

(864) 638-6363

stjohnswalhalla.org

The church was organized in 1853 by German immigrants who founded the town of Walhalla in 1850, and it is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The original building, begun in 1859, still stands today. Call for an appointment to tour the church.

STUMPHOUSE MOUNTAIN PARK AND ISSAQUEENA FALLS

150 Stumphouse Tunnel Road
Walhalla, SC 29691

(864) 638-4343

visittoconeesc.com/stumphouse-park

Stumphouse Mountain Park is a beautiful day-use destination located 5 miles north of the City of Walhalla, at the entry to the Blue Ridge Mountains. The Park offers a variety of historical, natural, and recreational features. Bring a flashlight and explore the Historic Stumphouse Tunnel, take a hike on the Blue Ridge Railroad Trail, and photograph the beautiful Issaqueena Falls. The newest feature includes a state-of-the-art mountain bike facility with multi-purpose

hiking and biking through Stumphouse and Ross Mountain Passages of the Palmetto Trail. Bring a picnic and spend the day exploring. Admission is \$5 per vehicle and may be purchased online or on-site. For more information, visit cityofwalhalla.com or stumphousepark.com

TAMASSEE DAR SCHOOL

1925 Bumgardner Drive
Tamassee, SC 29686

(864) 944-1390

tamasseekids@tdarschool.org

Tamassee DAR School is a non-profit organization with a rich history of educating and caring for children. We believe every child and family can achieve their dreams and become exceptional citizens, and we're here to help them on the journey.

THE LUNNEY MUSEUM

211 West South 1st Street
Seneca, SC 29678

(864) 885-1954

artshistoryculture.org

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, the Lunney Museum is Oconee County's only historic house museum. Built in 1909, this Arts & Crafts bungalow styled home features the renowned Scarborough-Hamer furniture and textiles collection. Delve into the history of Seneca, South Carolina's elite during the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

WALHALLA STATE FISH HATCHERY

198 Fish Hatchery Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-2866
hatcheries.dnr.sc.gov/walhalla

The only cold-water hatchery in South Carolina, the Walhalla Fish Hatchery raises nearly 1 million brown, brook, and rainbow trout a year. Managed by the Department of Natural Resources, the hatchery is open for visitation from 8 am - 4 pm daily, except for Christmas and during inclement weather.

PICKENS COUNTY**BEE WELL HONEY & NATURAL MARKET**

205 Hampton Avenue
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 898-5122 option 2
beewellhoneyfarm.com

Our market features raw local honey from Upstate South Carolina. We have raw milk, butter, free-range eggs, jams, jellies, spices, and other healthy foods. We have our own homemade line of soaps and beeswax candles available, too. Please visit our coffee shop, where we are now serving New Yorker Bagel sandwiches and other great food items. This is a great place to pick up a gift for that special someone or yourself. Please visit our Bee Supply store at 909 W Main St, Pickens, SC 29671.

BOB CAMPBELL GEOLOGY MUSEUM

140 Discovery Lane
Clemson, SC 29634
(864) 656-4600
clemson.edu/geomuseum

Come discover the Earth! See Clemson's oldest tiger, Smilodon, the ferocious saber-toothed cat that once roamed this state. Our Fluorescent Mineral Room houses one of the region's largest displays of fluorescent (glowing) minerals – the light show is fantastic to witness! Marvel at fossilized plants and animals that were once buried in layers of rock. Get up close and personal with the samples on our touch tables or browse the gift shop for one-of-a-kind items like gemstone jewelry, books, puzzles, and polished stones.

CENTRAL RAILWAY MUSEUM

108 Werner Street
Central, SC 29630
(864) 508-7126
crmha.org

The centerpiece of our Central Railway Museum is a double-decked HO scale model railroad, which mostly fills our museum building in Central, South Carolina. Two additional "heritage" layouts (Lionel and American Flyer) occupy smaller rooms; they both feature the classic toy trains that many of our members grew up with in the 1940s and 1950s. We also have several other layouts in various scales and a fine collection of real railroad artifacts from the local area. The

museum is open from 9 am - 2 pm on Saturdays. Admission is always FREE!

CLEMSON AREA AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSEUM

214 Butler Street
Clemson, SC 29631
(864) 654-2944
www.caaam.org

Founded in 2007, the Clemson Area African American Museum (CAAAM) highlights the rich history of African Americans in the city of Clemson and the greater Pickens County. CAAAM is located at the Calhoun Bridge Center, the site of the former Calhoun Colored School and the Morrison Elementary Annex. The only museum in Pickens County exclusively focused on the history of African Americans, CAAAM's mission is to collect and preserve the local history of African Americans and engage the Clemson community with this history through exhibits, relevant programming, and other culturally relevant events.

FORT HILL NATIONAL HISTORIC LANDMARK

520 Fort Hill Street
Clemson, SC 29634
(864) 656-2475
clemson.edu/fort-hill

This historic house museum focuses on the story of the People who, throughout the 19th century, shaped the land that became Clemson University.



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(864) 898-2936

On the National Register of Historic Places, Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site is accessible to all! Visitors can view a narrated light show highlighting petroglyphs in their found location in a climate-controlled building. The gallery area features exhibits of Native American art and artifacts. Open Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm.

HAGOOD-MAULDIN HOUSE/IRMA MORRIS MUSEUM OF FINE ARTS

104 N. Lewis Street
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 421-4771
PCHS.com

Hagood-Mauldin House is open on the third Saturday, April - October, 10 am - 4 pm. Free Tours. Donations appreciated.

HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE AND FOLKLIFE CENTER

138 Hagood Mill Road
Pickens, SC 29671
visithagoodmill.com
(864) 898-2936

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Hagood Mill Historic Site features an operating 1845 grist mill, restored log cabins, a blacksmith & woodworking shop, moonshine still, prehistoric petroglyphs, a gift shop, Third Saturday folklife festivals, nature trails, an 18-hole disc golf course, and primitive camping. The site is open Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm. Festivals are held on the third Saturday of each month, featuring historical reenactments, demonstrations, vendors, food trucks, and more. Restored water wheel, 1845 grist mill runs and produces products for sale. The petroglyph site is also open. See the website above and our Facebook page for details on monthly entertainment specials. Admission fee for 10+.

HANOVER HOUSE

113 Hanover Circle
Clemson, SC 29634
clemson.edu/about/history/properties/hanover
(864) 656-2241

Located in the SC Botanical Garden, Hanover House was moved to Clemson University in the 1940's. It focuses on the lives of the French Huguenots and the Africans and African Americans who shaped South Carolina.

HOPEWELL TREATY OAK MARKER

Old Stone Church Road
Clemson, SC 29631
(864) 656-2475
clemson.edu/hopewell

The first treaty between the United States and the Cherokee Nation, on November 28, 1785, was negotiated at this historic site, part of the Hopewell Plantation of General Andrew Pickens. Treaties were signed with other southern Native Americans, including the Choctaw and Chickasaw, in January 1786. Take US Highway 76 south of

Clemson and turn onto West Cherry Road. Travel one mile and turn left onto Old Cherry Road (Road 149) and travel approximately 7/10 of a mile. The marker is located on the right side of the road. A moderate Treaty Oak trail leads to a historic marker and to the Cherokee Reflection site.

OLD STONE CHURCH

101 Stone Circle
Clemson, SC 29631
(864) 654-2061
oldstonechurchsc.com

The Old Stone Church was built in 1802. Listed in the National Register of Historic Places. One of the most historic churches and cemeteries in the Upstate. Revolutionary War hero General Andrew Pickens was a founding elder. The cemetery is open during daylight hours. The church is open by appointment and is available for weddings and other events.

PICKENS COUNTY MUSEUM OF ART & HISTORY

307 Johnson Street
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 898-5963
co.pickens.sc.us

Discover local culture and creativity at the Pickens County Museum of Art & History, where art and history come to life through rotating exhibits and community events. Visit us today and explore the brand-new Andrew Pickens Interpretive Center, a dynamic space dedicated to the life and legacy of the county's namesake.

SOUTH CAROLINA BOTANICAL GARDEN

150 Discovery Lane
Clemson, SC 29634
clemson.edu/scbg
(864) 656-3405

This public garden, the official state botanical garden of South Carolina, offers something for everyone. Visit dozens of specialty gardens, a gift shop, a gallery, a geology museum, historic homes, and more, including the unique Natural Heritage Garden Trail. This trail showcases South Carolina's habitats from the mountains to the sea, providing unparalleled insight into the state's botany and history. The Garden is open from dawn to dusk, 365 days a year, and is free of charge. The garden hosts events and educational opportunities for all ages year-round. Visit our website for more information.

UPSTATE HERITAGE QUILT TRAIL Q STUDIO

321 E. Main Street
Pickens 29671
(864) 723-6603
uhqt.org

The Upstate Heritage Quilt Trail (UHQT) features the largest number of hand-painted quilts on display outdoors in South Carolina. The UHQT's website and app feature stories about each quilt, and the interactive map helps visitors plan a route to more than 300 quilt sites. Walking or driving the trail leads you to a variety of unique sites.

SPARTANBURG COUNTY

BATTLE OF MUSGROVE MILL STATE HISTORIC SITE

398 State Park Road
Clinton, SC 29325
(864) 938-0100
southcarolinaparks.com/musgrove-mill

The Battle of Musgrove Mill State Historic Site is the location of a pivotal Revolutionary War battle fought on August 19, 1780, between Patriot militia and a much larger combined force of British Provincial regulars and Loyalist militia. This surprising Patriot victory was a turning point in the war, boosting the morale of the country following the disastrous Patriot defeats at Camden, on August 16, 1780, and at Fishing Creek, on August 18, 1780, showing the British that there were still people in the Backcountry willing to resist and fight on.

BMW PERFORMANCE DRIVING SCHOOL

1155 Highway 101 South
Greer, SC 29650
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bmwperformancecenter.com

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1400 SC-101
Greer, SC 29651
(888) 868-7269
bmwusfactory.com

Located next to the world's largest BMW manufacturing plant, the BMW Zentrum Museum brings together the brand's past, present, and future. Rotating exhibits feature historic vehicles and current models—plus a café and gift shop for a complete visitor experience.

COWPENS DEPOT AND MUSEUM

120 Palmetto Street
Cowpens, SC 29330
(864) 463-3201
townofcowpens.com/visitors

The museum is housed in a 100-year-old freight depot that is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The museum is a showplace for relics belonging to the crew of the USS Cowpens, a World War II aircraft carrier CVL25 and the USS Cowpens Aegis Guided Missile CG 63. The ships were named after the Battle of Cowpens, a pivotal battle of the American Revolution that took place at the "Cow Pens." The depot and museum are open by appointment and during special events and holidays.

HATCHER GARDEN AND WOODLAND PRESERVE

820 John B. White Sr. Boulevard
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 574-7724
hatchergarden.org

Nestled in the heart of Spartanburg, this 13-acre woodland preserve is a place of inspiration, enjoyment, and education. The scenic paths feature over 10,000 trees, shrubs, and flowers indigenous to our region. Tranquil water features and the sound of wildlife offer a sense of peace and solitude as you walk through the Woods in the City! The garden is open every day from dawn to dusk. Admission is free. Donations are welcome.

HUB CITY RAILROAD MUSEUM

298 Magnolia Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 278-4453
hubcityrrmuseum.org

The museum, located on the Norfolk Southern and CSX mainlines in the Spartanburg depot, presents the history of the area through its relationship with the seven railroads that met here and resulted in the Hub City nickname. Advanced Train Control System, RailroadRadio, and Virtual Railfan are available to know when trains are approaching. Free admission (donations appreciated).

MARTHA CLOUD CHAPMAN GALLERY SANDOR TESZLER LIBRARY

Wofford College
260 Wofford Campus Drive
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 597-4180
wofford.edu

The Martha Cloud Chapman Gallery is a primary venue to present the Sandor Teszler Library's special collections as well as the artwork of

students and the Upstate community. The gallery promotes special collections through exhibits that foster their understanding, and thus stimulates active learning through research, teaching, and learning. The gallery also provides unique opportunities for students and community art enthusiasts to exhibit works of art.

MILLIKEN ART GALLERY AT CONVERSE UNIVERSITY

580 E Main Street
Spartanburg, SC 29302
(864) 596-9000
converse.edu

Milliken Art Gallery hosts a wide variety of professional artists throughout the year. In addition to exhibiting, visiting artists present workshops and lectures that are often open to the public. In April and May, the gallery displays exhibits by Converse University students. The Milliken Art Gallery also houses the J. Frank Toms Permanent Collection, containing works of some of the most famous artists of the 20th century.

RICHARDSON FAMILY ART MUSEUM & GALLERY

ROSALIND SALLENGER RICHARDSON CENTER FOR THE ARTS

Wofford College
130 Memorial Drive
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 597-4602
wofford.edu/student-experiences/arts-culture/museum-gallery

The Richardson Family Art Museum and Gallery, located in the Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts, serves as a dynamic resource for our community, a working laboratory for the college, and a platform for visiting exhibitions and the college's permanent collection. Visitor Information: The Richardson Family Art Museum is open to the public on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday from 1 - 5 pm and on Thursday from 1 - 7 pm. Admission is free, and no reservation is necessary.

SPARTANBURG ART MUSEUM (SAM)

200 E. St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 582-7616
spartanburgartmuseum.org

The Spartanburg Art Museum (SAM) offers a wide variety of visual arts opportunities, including rotating contemporary art exhibitions, a permanent collection, educational tours, and art classes through the Art School. SAM also offers a range of community events throughout the year, including a free lecture series at the library, community yoga in the museum, Family Fundays, and its signature annual gala, Oddball.

THE CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF THE UPSTATE

130 Magnolia Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
tcmupstate.org

The Children's Museum of the Upstate in downtown Spartanburg offers 6,000 square feet dedicated to play-based learning. Exhibits and weekly programs encourage early childhood development and Kindergarten readiness.

TOWN OF PACOLET

180 Montgomery Avenue
Pacolet, SC 29372
(864) 474-9504
townofpacolet.com

"Close to everything, far from Ordinary" uniquely identifies the Pacolet Community. You can spend the day or weekend exploring this charming southern town. Be sure to mark your calendar for the third Saturday in October for the Pacolet River Fest.

WALNUT GROVE PLANTATION

1200 Otts Shoals Road
Roebuck, SC 29376
(864) 576-6546
SpartanburgHistory.org

Walnut Grove Plantation recounts how free and enslaved people settled the South Carolina Backcountry, fought for independence, and built a new nation. Tours will take you through the doctor's office, kitchen, cabin, and Rocky Spring Academy, where you will learn about the history of the Moore Family, their settlement of the South Carolina Backcountry, the family's involvement in the Revolutionary War, and everyday life during Colonial times. You will also be able to visit the dry cellar, blacksmith forge, barn, smokehouse, wheat house, historic gardens, family cemetery, and newly updated nature trail. Bring a picnic to enjoy in our covered pavilion.



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CHATTOOGA NATIONAL WILD & SCENIC RIVER

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

Designated as a National Wild and Scenic River in 1974, the Chattooga is one of the premier whitewater rivers in the Eastern US, dropping an average of 49.3 feet per mile. The Chattooga is one of the longest and largest free-flowing mountain rivers in the Southeast that remains in a relatively undeveloped condition. The Chattooga forms the boundary between South Carolina, North Carolina, and Georgia. Offering wonderful hiking and fishing experiences and also offers challenging boating and rafting experiences.

CHAUGA RIVER SCENIC AREA

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

The area's fourteen miles of the small, but rugged, Chauga River flows through the scenic area's 3,275 acres.

CHEROKEE FOOTHILLS NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY
Scenic11.com

Looming majestically beyond the low, soft hills of the Piedmont, the southernmost peaks of the Blue Ridge Mountains follow the highway. Once known as "Keowee Path" or "Cherokee Path," this 112-mile road was the route used by the Cherokees, the English, and French fur traders. The scenic highway winds its way through SC's northwest corner and passes through quaint villages and parks.

ELLICOTT ROCK WILDERNESS

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

The US Congress designated the Ellicott Rock Wilderness area in 1975 where the mountainous regions of SC, NC, and GA converge. The Ellicott Rock Wilderness straddles the Wild and Scenic Chattooga River and is the only wilderness area in three states, and includes 8,300 acres. The area has dense stands of white pine and hemlock in the lower coves and streams, with hardwoods on the slopes. Deer, squirrels, grouse, and wild turkeys are common sights, along with the elusive black bear. Remains of old moonshine stills are visible. The terrain is rugged and lies just south of the area that receives the highest rainfall in the eastern US.

HERITAGE PRESERVES OF THE UPSTATE

PO Box 167
Columbia, SC 29201
(864) 654-1671 ext. 15 or (803) 734-3893
www2.dnr.sc.gov/ManagedLands/ManagedLand/Preserve

The Heritage Trust Program protects significant natural and cultural areas. These areas protect endangered or threatened wildlife and plant species, as well as significant historical and archaeological features. The preserves are havens for unusual and endangered species. These properties are open to the public for birding, wildlife watching, and hiking. Some properties also provide limited hunting and fishing opportunities.

LAKE BOWEN AND LAKE BLALOCK

Popular Upcountry lakes, both owned and operated by Spartanburg Water, are open to the public for recreational activities like fishing, canoeing, kayaking, picnicking, and more.

LAKE CUNNINGHAM

greercpw.com/lakes-recreation/
Lake Cunningham serves as Greer's drinking water source but is also a beautiful 200 acres to fish, boat, and kayak. One shelter is available to rent and is quite popular for birthdays and other gatherings.

LAKE HARTWELL

One of the Southeast's largest and most popular public recreation lakes, Lake Hartwell's nearly 56,000 acres of water provide many recreation opportunities. There are numerous natural sand beaches along the 962-mile shoreline in addition to campgrounds, recreation areas, and boat access areas. Hartwell borders Georgia and South Carolina on the Savannah, Tugaloo, and Seneca Rivers.

LAKE JOCASSEE

The lake has 9,000 acres of deep water and 90 miles of shoreline. The lake, named "Place of the Lost One" because of a Cherokee legend. Jocassee, an Indian maiden, was said to have drowned herself in grief over the murder of her lover. The popular recreation area is surrounded by mountains and waterfalls. The lake is located in Oconee and Pickens Counties.

LAKE KEOWEE

Lake Keowee covers Keowee Town, site of the capital of the Lower Cherokee Nation. Keowee, meaning "Place of the Mulberries," was visited by Spanish explorer Hernando DeSoto when he came through the area in 1540. With 18,500 acres of water and a 300-mile shoreline, the Lake Keowee area is a popular place for boating, fishing, waterskiing, swimming, camping, and picnicking. The lake is located in Oconee and Pickens counties.

LAKE ROBINSON

greercpw.com/lakes-recreation

Lake Robinson has been described as the "hidden gem" of Greer. The 800-acre man-made lake is a wonderful place to fish, kayak, canoe, or paddleboard. There are two shelters for rent, and both provide great views of the lake as well as Glassy and Hogback Mountains.

OTHER UPCOUNTRY LAKES

Popular Upcountry lakes include Lakes Edwin Johnson and Cooley in Spartanburg County; Saluda Lake, Matthews Creek, and Oak Grove in Greenville County; Lake Whelchel in Cherokee County; and Lake Oolenoy at Table Rock State Park in Pickens County.

DID YOU KNOW

that the **Cherokee Foothills National Scenic Byway** is 118 miles long and has eight state parks that are less than twelve miles from the byway? Find out about these parks and many other things to do along the byway at Scenic11.com.

MIDDLE SALUDA RIVER

The Middle Saluda River became the first river protected under the Scenic Rivers Program in SC. Located in northern Greenville County, about 500 miles of the river and its major tributary, Coldspring Branch, are protected. Dropping almost 1,000 feet in four miles, the river is a typical mountain stream that supports reproducing trout populations. The Middle Saluda River is entirely contained in Jones Gap State Park. The Upcountry wilderness is known for its natural features and diverse plant life. More than 400 species of plants can be found here. The valley is a haven for rare and endangered plants and state record-sized trees.

MOUNTAIN BRIDGE WILDERNESS AREA

Caesars Head State Park (864) 836-6115
Jones Gap State Park (864) 836-3647
SouthCarolinaParks.com

Along the southeastern edge of the Blue Ridge Mountains lies the Mountain Bridge Wilderness Area. With 40,000 acres of public and private land focused on conservation that forms a narrow, 45-mile corridor along the state line that "bridges" the watersheds of the Table Rock and Poinsett reservoirs. The Mountain Bridge features the Blue Ridge Escarpment, where the mountains drop abruptly 2,000 feet to the Piedmont. The Mountain Bridge Wilderness Area is a 17,000-acre area consisting of Jones Gap State Park, Caesars Head State Park, and Wildcat Wayside. The area includes four waterfalls with drops of several hundred feet and the Dismal, a dense, mature hardwood forest beneath Caesars Head. Mountain peaks over 3,200 feet offer fabulous views of Table Rock reservoirs and neighboring mountain ranges. The area is rich in wildlife that includes wild turkey, deer, black bear, grouse, peregrine falcons, and trout. An abundance of rare and endangered plants calls the Mountain Bridge home.

SUMTER NATIONAL FOREST/ANDREW PICKENS RANGER DISTRICT

USDA Forest Service
112 Andrew Pickens Circle
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

The Andrew Pickens Ranger District is the gateway to the mountains. It encompasses an 85,000-acre portion of the Sumter National Forest and features high plateaus, mountains, waterfalls, and other scenic attractions. European settlement began in this area in the late 1700s, and the mountains served as a stronghold for the Cherokee Indians until the early 1800s. Recreational opportunities are plentiful, and the area is popular for hiking, camping, horseback riding, hunting, and fishing.

Orchards

In early spring, the Upcountry's peach orchards produce lovely blossoms for the delight of visitors to the area. From mid-June to September, the luscious fruit can be found at numerous stands along the roadsides. Late September brings the



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enticing aroma of apples permeating the cool, crisp air and lingering until Thanksgiving. Cherokee and Spartanburg Counties are famous for their peach orchards, while Oconee County is known for its many apple orchards.

Waterfalls

SOUTHCAROLINAWATERFALLS.COM

More than 120 waterfalls are found in South Carolina's Upcountry and range in height from 40 to 700 feet. The falls can be found in the area's parks and are easily reached, while others are hidden away and must be hiked to over rugged terrain. Issaqueena Falls, located in Stumphouse Tunnel Park, drops about 200 feet and is one of the most-visited waterfalls in the Upcountry. Whitewater Falls, located off secondary road S-39-171 north of Salem, is a set of two falls and is the highest series of falls in eastern America. The falls plunge nearly 700 feet for more than half a mile before emptying into Lake Jocassee. Raven Cliff Falls, located off Highway 276 in Greenville County, is a 420-foot-high cascade in the Mountain Bridge Wilderness and Recreation Area and is one of the most breathtaking waterfalls in the state. A two-mile hike is necessary to reach the area. Don't miss the 60' waterfall in downtown Greenville at Historic Reedy River Falls Park.



Chattooga River

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RECREATION

Bicycling

Whether you want to rent a bike and see the city, challenge yourself on our mountains, or log many miles through our rolling hills, your two-wheeled adventure awaits in the Upcountry. Several popular routes include the Cherokee Foothills National Scenic Byway, The Swamp Rabbit Trail, The Doodle Trail, and Croft State Park. For all of the information you need to begin planning your ride, visit BikeUpcountrySC.com.

LOGISTIC MYSTIC
1259 Ross Mountain Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(828) 707-5376
logisticmystic.com

Logistic Mystic offers customized logistics, including lodging, bike rentals, shuttles, and more for hikers and bikers visiting Oconee County, SC. Let's get you out there!

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ANDERSON COUNTY

ANDERSON SC KOA CAMPGROUND
200 Wham Road
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 287-3161
koa.com/campgrounds/anderson

Located among tall southern loblolly pines in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, this campground is a gateway to a host of nearby treats. Conveniently located near Clemson University, nearby Lake Hartwell and many other activities/sightseeing. Group pavilion. Wi-Fi. RV SITES: (full hookup and water/electric; 30/50amp; cable TV; some patio sites. TENT SITES: (with electric and water) CABINS: (one and two-room bedroom only log cabins; some with cable TV; close to bathrooms) DELUXE CABINS: (kitchens and bathrooms; cable TV) 2023 KOA Founder's and President's Award Winner.

SADLERS CREEK STATE PARK
940 Sadlers Creek Road
Anderson, SC 29626
(864) 226-8950
southcarolinaparks.com

Outdoor water recreation and wildlife observation are popular activities at this 395-acre park that is on a peninsula providing access to Lake Hartwell. The park features a lakeside campground, fishing, picnicking, disc golf, hiking, and biking and boat access to a 56,000-acre

Lake. Visitors can enjoy viewing glimpses of deer, waterfowl, and other wildlife. 12 miles SW of Anderson off SC 187 and 14 miles from I-85 (exit 14). 51 RV sites, 14 rustic tent sites, and 5 organized youth group primitive sites for groups like the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and Cub Scouts. (51 RV, 14 T) (Two handicapped sites). Open every day from sunrise to sunset.

SPRINGFIELD CAMPGROUND
1915 Providence Church Road
Anderson, SC 29626
(706) 856-0300 (Corps of Engineers)
(888) 893-0678
recreation.gov

Springfield Campground is one of Hartwell's most popular camping destinations, consisting of 60 acres of primarily Virginia Pine and some mixed hardwoods.

CHEROKEE COUNTY

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Gaffney, SC 29341
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Jones Gap	303 Jones Gap Rd., Marietta 29661	(864) 836-3647	T		•																T		•		R			H	•	•	•		•	GS
Keowee-Toxaway	108 Residence Dr., Sunset 29685	(864) 868-2605	24	1	•(5)																24	1	•(5)		L			N,H	•	•		•	•	GS
Kings Mountain	1277 Park Rd., Blacksburg 29702	(803) 222-3209	115		•(5)																115		•(5)		L	FB,C,PB		N,H,BT	•		•		•	PS
Lake Hartwell	19138-A South Hwy. 11, Fair Play 29643	(864) 972-3352	130		•(1)																130		•(1)		L		•	N					•	PS
Musgrove Mill	398 State Park Rd., Clinton 29325	(864) 938-0100			•(1)																		•(1)		R,L			H		•	•	•	•	GS
Oconee	624 State Park Rd., Mountain Rest 29664	(864) 638-5353	155	19	•(4)	L*															155	19	•(4)	L*	L	FB,C*,PB*		N,H			•	•	•	PS
Oconee Station	500 Oconee Station Rd., Walhalla 29691	(864) 638-0079			•																		•		L			N,H	•		•			
Paris Mountain	2401 State Park Rd., Greenville 29609	(864) 244-5565	52		•(7)	L*															52		•(7)	L*	L	PB,C		N,H,B	•	•		•	•	GS
Sadlers Creek	940 Sadlers Rd., Anderson 29626	(864) 226-8950	100		•(2)																100		•(2)		L		•	N,B				•	•	GS
Table Rock	158 East Ellison Lane, Pickens 29671	(864) 878-9813	100	14	•(4)	L*															100	14	•(4)	L*	L	FB,C*,PB*	•	N,H	•	•		•	•	PS

hiking, fishing, mini golf, a pool, and more. With a camp store, laundry service, and Wi-Fi, outdoor adventure meets home-style comfort. Explore Gaffney and Spartanburg, just off I-85 – you'll be so charmed, you'll want to book your next stay before you leave!

GREENVILLE COUNTY

CAESARS HEAD STATE PARK MOUNTAIN BRIDGE WILDERNESS AREA

8155 Geer Highway
Cleveland, SC 29635
(864) 836-6115
southcarolinaparks.com

An excellent park for avid hikers, nature enthusiasts, and photographers. At 3,208' above sea level, Caesars Head overlook provides views of Table Rock, Pinnacle Mountain, and other distant peaks of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Raven Cliff Falls, along a hiking trail in the park, is one of the highest falls in the Eastern US. Open daily. (TS).

IVY ACRES RV PARK

201 Ivy Acres Drive
Piedmont, SC 29673
(864) 220-9680
IvyAcresRVPark.com

Come experience the difference...fresh air, country views, wooded riverside walking trails, but just 1 mile from I-85 @ exit #39 and 10 minutes from Downtown Greenville. Surround yourself in nature on 80 private acres. Big rigs appreciate the large pull-thru lots with 30- and

50-amp service. Adults love the tranquility of a 45+ park. Leashed pets enjoy exploring the trails and fields. The friendly owner lives on site. Reservations required.

JONES GAP STATE PARK

Mountain Bridge Wilderness Area
303 Jones Gap Road
Marietta, SC 29661
(864) 836-3647
southcarolinaparks.com

Located in the 17,000-acre Mountain Bridge Wilderness area, Jones Gap offers primitive camping on designated sites, trout fishing, and access to a variety of hiking. The Middle Saluda River runs through the park, supporting a diverse ecosystem with more than 600 plant species.

PALMETTO COVE RV PARK

521 Table Rock Road
Cleveland, SC 29635
(864) 836-6221
palmettocove.com

Palmetto Cove RV Park is nestled between Caesars Head and Table Rock Mountains, off Highway 11 & Highway 8. We have 148 full hookup sites (30 & 50 amp) with easy parking and a beautiful mountain view, a lounge, a dining hall, and free Wi-Fi. Large shelter/picnic tables, grills, rocking chairs, and a large fireplace. Great site for rallies and caravans. Note: Only self-contained campers can be accommodated.

PARIS MOUNTAIN STATE PARK

2401 State Park Road
Greenville, SC 29609
(864) 244-5565
southcarolinaparks.com

US Hwy. 253, 9 miles north of Greenville. 39 sites. (T, RV) (1 ADA site). Water and electrical hook-ups for all sites. Year-round.

PLEASANT RIDGE CAMP & RETREAT CENTER

4232 Highway 11
Marietta, SC 29661
(864) 660-1065
greenvillerec.com/pleasant-ridge

Take a retreat from the hustle of day-to-day life, participate in team-building exercises, or enjoy camp activities such as archery and fishing with your group. Call or email today to set up a tour or retreat!

SOLITUDE POINTE CABINS AND RV PARK

102 Table Rock Road
Cleveland, SC 29635
(864) 836-4128
solitudepointe.com

Highly rated, beautiful, wooded campground with 30- and 50-amp, full-hookup sites. Free Wi-Fi, Saluda River fishing access. Perfectly situated just 10 minutes from Table Rock, Caesar's Head, and Jones Gap State Parks. Bring your own RV or stay in one of our Luxury Cabins. At some Pointe, everyone needs Solitude!

Recreation ■ Camping

SPRINGWOOD RV PARK

810 Donaldson Road
Greenville, SC 29605
(864) 277-9789

Springwoodrvpark.com

Springwood RV Park is an urban campground located approximately 7 miles from downtown Greenville, consisting of 156 full hook-up campsites with patios, paved roads throughout the park and gravel parking pads with both 50 Amps and 30 Amps available.

TRAVELERS REST/N GREENVILLE KOA

2400 N. Highway 25
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
(864) 834-8150 or (800) 562-5631

koa.com/campgrounds/greenville

Located right outside Travelers Rest in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, this campground is a great base camp for exploring downtown Travelers Rest or Greenville. Drive north only 25 minutes to Hendersonville NC, or 45 minutes to Asheville or the Blue Ridge Parkway. We offer RV sites with various amenities that back up to Johnson Creek. We have deluxe cabins with outside decks. Unique covered wagons with a private deck and yard for outdoor activities are also available.

OCONEE COUNTY

BURRELLS FORD CAMPGROUND

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
Burrell's Ford Rd, off Hwy 107
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-9568

fs.usda.gov/scnfs

This campground is located on the Andrew Pickens Ranger District within the Sumter National Forest. There is no fee for this campground, and sites are used on a first come first serve basis. The campground is a 1/4-mile hike from the parking lot. Facilities include a Pit Toilet and picnic tables. Tents only.

CASSIDY BRIDGE GROUP HUNT CAMP

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
Cassidy Bridge Road
(864) 638-9568

fs.usda.gov/scnfs

The campground is located on the Andrew Pickens Ranger District within the Sumter National Forest along the bank of the Chauga River. This Campground is open year-round. There are no fees October 1st - December 31st and April 1st - 30th, reservations are required the rest of the year. Reservations can be made by calling (877) 444-6777 or visit recreation.gov. This facility includes a Pit toilet and trash cans.

CHATTOOGA BELLE FARM

454 Damascus Church Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9768

ChattoogaBelleFarm.com

Chattooga Belle Farm offers a variety of accommodation options on the farm. These include tiny homes, a large lake house, 30+ campsites, RV sites, and a camping cabin. Booking is available on our website, Airbnb, and VRBO.

CHATTOOGA TREEHOUSE AT WILDWATER

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587

wildwaterrafting.com/adventures/chattooga-sc-lodging

The Goldfinch treehouse is a cozy one-bedroom, one-bath space that includes a kitchenette and a private outdoor deck for guests to enjoy after a day packed with adventure.

CHAU RAM COUNTY PARK

1220 Chau Ram Park Road
Westminster, SC 29693
(864) 647-9286

ExperienceOconee.com

The park is located at the confluence of the Chauga River and Ramsey Creek and has over a mile of the Chauga River running through the park. Visitors can enjoy hiking and biking trails, go tubing or fishing on the river, camp, and enjoy the 40-foot waterfall and the suspension bridge over the river. Chauga Rapids disc golf course offers a challenging course through the mountainside. The park is located 4 miles west of Westminster on US Highway 76 and has 28 campsites. Water and electricity at all sites (T, RV) Chau Ram campground is closed mid-November through February. Park is open 7 am - dusk March-mid November, and 9-4 daily through the winter except for Thanksgiving, two weeks at Christmas, and for freezing temperatures.

CHERRY HILL CAMPGROUND

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
Hwy 107
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

This campground is located on the Andrew Pickens Ranger District within the Sumter National Forest. This Campground is open April 1 - October 31 and is available by reservation only. Reservations can be made by calling (877) 444-6777 or visit recreation.gov. This facility includes toilets, showers, and trash cans.

CONEROSS CAMPGROUND

699 Coneross Park Road
Townville, SC 29689
(706) 856-0300 or (888) 893-0678
(Corps of Engineers)
recreation.gov

The campground is located on the Seneca River arm off the northern end of the expansive Lake Hartwell. The campground is ten miles southeast of Seneca off Coneross Creek Road.

DEVILS FORK STATE PARK

161 Holcombe Circle
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 944-2639 or (866) 345-PARK (7275)
southcarolinaparks.com

Twenty modern villas located within the park are a perfect vacation home along Lake Jocassee. The two and three-bedroom villas accommodate



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up to 4 or 6 guests and include bed and bath linens, kitchen appliances, basic cooking and eating utensils, central heat/air, fireplace, screened porch, and charcoal grill. Each villa is equipped with high-speed internet and Smart TVs for guests to enjoy their own streaming services. Two villas are handicapped accessible. In addition, there are 59 paved RV sites and 25 tent sites at the park in addition to 25 primitive boat-in camping sites. A private boat ramp and boat parking area are available for villa guests; this is the only public boating access to Lake Jocassee. Open year-round.

GRAPEVINE CAMPGROUND

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
Forest Service Road 764, off Chattooga Ridge Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

This campground is located on the Andrew Pickens Ranger District within the Sumter National Forest off of the Chauga River. This campground is open year-round. There is no fee for this campground, and sites are used on a first come first serve basis. Facilities include pit toilets.

HIGH FALLS COUNTY PARK

671 High Falls Road
Seneca, SC 29672-0411
(864) 882-8234
ExperienceOconee.com

The 44-acre park is nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains and offers camping, fishing, swimming, tennis courts, miniature golf, a boat ramp and concession on the beautiful Lake Keowee. The park is 10 miles north of Walhalla off SC Highway 183 with 92 sites. A convenience store is on site. Water and electricity at all sites (RV, T). The park is open year-round. The campground is closed from mid-November through February.

LAKE HARTWELL STATE PARK

19138-A Hwy 11 S
Fair Play, SC 29643
(864) 972-3352
SouthCarolinaParks.com

Eight lakefront camper cabins are one-room log cabins that, with sturdy walls and enough bed space to sleep four people, are more accommodating than a tent or popup. Each camper cabin comes with a set of bunk beds, a double bed and has heat and air conditioning. Camping provides easy access to the shoreline of Lake Hartwell. RV and tent campers enjoy 115 paved sites with water and electrical hookups or 13 walk-in tent sites with central water but no electrical hookups.

LONG BOTTOM FORD

Sumter National Forest
Andrew Pickens Ranger District
Low Water Bridge Road, off Hwy 28
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-9568
fs.usda.gov/scnfs

This campground is located on the Andrew Pickens Ranger District within the Sumter National Forest, close to the Chattooga River.

This campground is open year-round. There is no fee for this campground, and sites are used on a first come first serve basis. This facility includes a Pit toilet.

MOUNTAIN REST CABINS & CAMPGROUND

175 Homeland Drive
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 718-0333
mountainrestcabins.com

Mountain Rest Cabins is a family-owned and operated campground nestled within the Sumter National Forest. We have close to 30 acres of peace and serenity. We feature cottages, camping cabins, camper sites, and primitive tent camping. We have a bathhouse on site and a refreshing creek to get your feet wet. We are the perfect place for spending quality time with the family or a secluded weekend with that someone special. Make us your mountain getaway destination.

OCONEE POINT CAMPGROUND

200 Oconee Point Road
Seneca, SC 29678
(706) 856-0300
(888) 893-0678 (Corps of Engineers)
recreation.gov

The campground contains 70 sites with electric and water hookups, all on the water's edge of beautiful Lake Hartwell. The campground is located 8 miles southeast of Seneca off Coneross Creek Road. (T, RV)

OCONEE STATE PARK

624 State Park Road
Mountain Rest, SC, 29664
(864) 638-5353
southcarolinaparks.com

The 1,165-acre park is located in the foothills of the Blue Ridge and offers 155 campsites (140 RV, 15 T, and two handicapped sites) with water and electrical hook-ups for RVs, 19 cabins, trails, and two lakes. The park is open year-round. 12 mi. NW of Walhalla, SC 28 onto SC 107.

SOUTH COVE COUNTY PARK

1099 South Cove Road
Seneca, SC 29678
(864) 882-5250
ExperienceOconee.com

The park is located on Lake Keowee and offers a variety of day-use facilities as well as lakeshore camping, tennis courts, pickleball courts, fishing, a park store, and a handicapped-accessible pier. The site is located 3 miles north of Seneca off SC Highway 28 with 86 sites. Water and electricity at all sites. (T, RV) Open year-round.

PICKENS COUNTY

HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE AND FOLKLIFE CENTER

138 Hagood Mill Road
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 898-2936
hagoodmillhistoricsite.com

The Hagood Mill Historic Site offers primitive camping (no hookups). We are a non-traditional campground with limited services. We have a 3-bath bathhouse with hot water, portapotties, and access to water for our campers. Picnic tables

and fire rings are available at limited sites. Staff can assist you Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm. Call to reserve.

KEOWEE-TOXAWAY STATE PARK

108 Residence Drive
Sunset, SC 29685
(864) 868-2605
southcarolinaparks.com

The 1,000-acre park features rock outcroppings that offer views of the Foothills and the Blue Ridge Mountains. The Jocassee Gorges Visitor Center's exhibits and other visitor information serve as a gateway to the Jocassee Gorges property. Camping facilities include 24 sites (10 RV, 14T) (1 handicapped site) (TS) with water and electrical hookups for RVs. Central water for tent camping. The park is open year-round and is located 12 mi. NW of Pickens at the intersection of SC 133 and SC 11.

MILE CREEK COUNTY PARK

757 Keowee Baptist Church Road
Six Mile, SC 29682
(864) 868-2196
pickenscountysc.com

Mile Creek Park features lakefront camping on Lake Keowee, cabin rentals, and other outdoor recreation.

TABLE ROCK STATE PARK

158 Ellison Lane
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 878-9813
SouthCarolinaParks.com

The park provides a towering backdrop for an Upcountry retreat at the edge of the Blue Ridge Escarpment. The 3,083-acre park includes trails, lakes, cabins, and camping. Water and electrical hookups, bathhouses, and 94 sites are available. (94 RV) Open year-round and is located 12 miles north of Pickens on SC 11.

TWIN LAKES CAMPGROUND

140 Winnebago Trail
Pendleton, SC 29670
(706) 856-0300 or (888) 893-0678
(Corps of Engineers)
recreation.gov

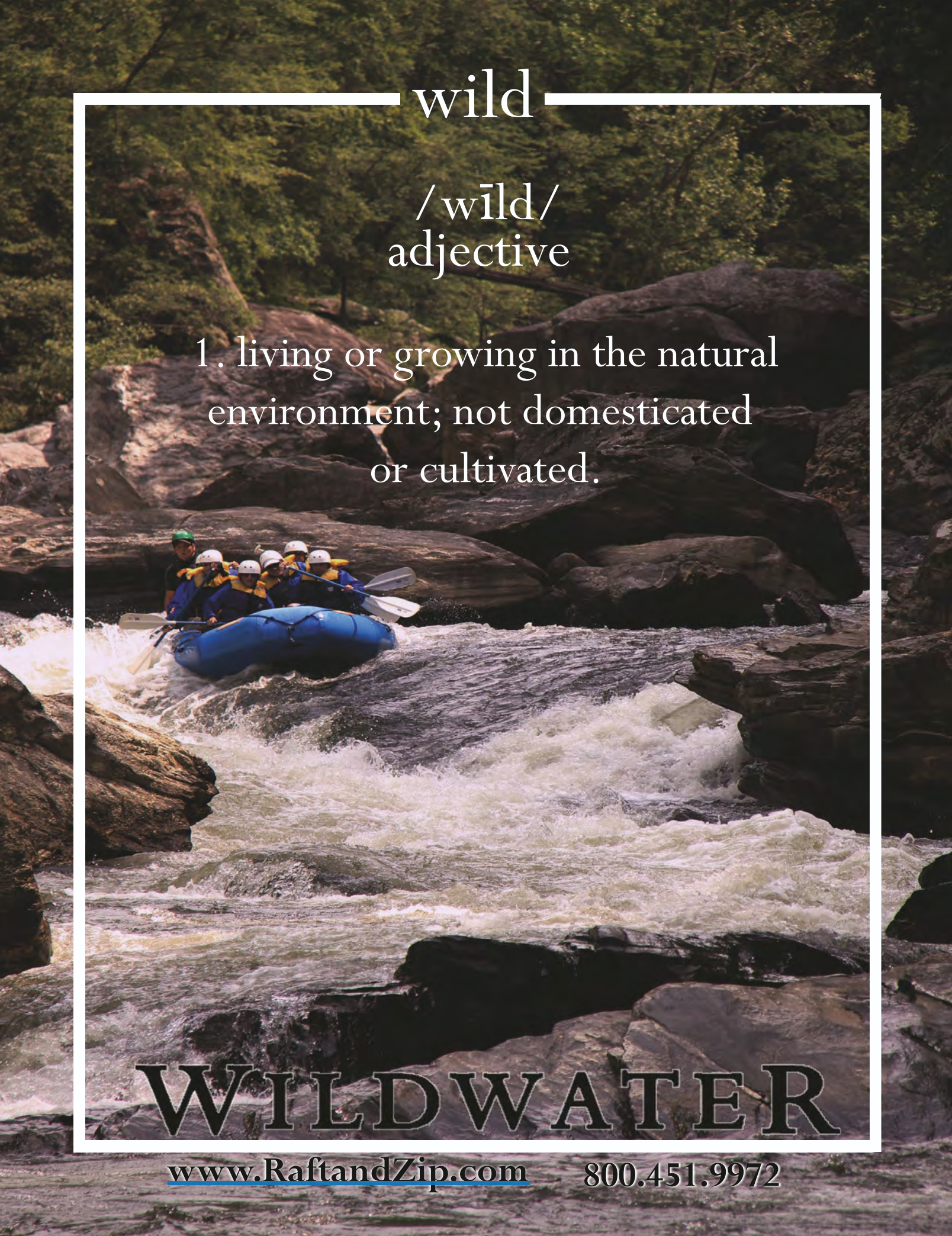
Twin Lakes is one of the most popular campgrounds on Lake Hartwell. The campground is conveniently located off US 76, 5 miles west of Pendleton and near Clemson University.

SPARTANBURG COUNTY

CROFT STATE PARK

450 Croft State Park Road
Spartanburg, SC 29302
(864) 585-1283
southcarolinaparks.com

Once an army training base, Croft State Park covers more than 7,000 acres of rolling, wooded terrain just a few miles from downtown Spartanburg. The park offers over 20 miles of biking and hiking trails, over 20 miles of equestrian trails, a playground, picnicking, two campgrounds for RV and tent camping, a few equestrian campsites (available by calling the park for availability), regular horse shows in the park's arena and great fishing and boating opportunities in two beautiful lakes.



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adjective

1. living or growing in the natural environment; not domesticated or cultivated.

WILDWATER

www.RaftandZip.com

800.451.9972

CUNNINGHAM RV PARK

600 Campground Road
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 576-1973
cunninghamrvpark.com

We provide you with a full-family RV park with a complete campground facility. With more than 32 years of experience, this family-owned and operated company offers you competitive rates, great family-oriented customer service, laundry, convenience store, a wide variety of entertainment for the entire family, accommodations for the kids with a pool, large playground, and game room. We are conveniently located between I-85 and I-26, with easy access and over 86 pull-through sites. Visit us to start your great family adventure.

PINE RIDGE CAMPGROUND

199 Pineridge Campground Road
Roebuck, SC 29376
(864) 576-0302
pineridgecampground.com

Pine Ridge Campground is conveniently located along the I-26 corridor, just a few short miles from I-85 in Roebuck, South Carolina. We are minutes off the road, but our campground remains quiet and peaceful. Enjoy swimming, fishing, indoor and outdoor games at the campground or visit nearby historical points of interest, retail outlets, and other attractions. We offer a variety of sites to meet your camping needs, including full-hookup sites with 30- and 50-amp service, rustic cabins with electricity, and park models. We are open year-round and can accommodate daily, weekly, or monthly guests. We provide an array of amenities, including Wi-Fi, laundry facilities, propane, and much more.

Golf Courses

COBB'S GLEN COUNTRY CLUB

2201 Cobb's Way
Anderson, SC 29621
(864) 226-7688
CobbsGlen.com

The course is a 7,002-yard championship course that was designed by George Cobb. The club was the host of 1999 US Open Qualifying, 1997 and 1998 Nike Tour Open Qualifying, and the 2001 PGA Hooters Tour. The course is rated one of the Upcountry's best courses by readers of Golf Digest. Packages are available.

FURMAN UNIVERSITY GOLF CLUB

400 North/Highway 25 Bypass
Greenville, SC 29613
(864) 294-2690
furmangolfclub.com

This 18-hole, par 72 championship golf course is ranked among the best in South Carolina and is one of the nation's top collegiate courses. In addition to hosting major college and junior tournaments, the course has served as home to such Furman alums and professional golfers as Betsy King, Beth Daniel, Brad Faxon and Dottie Pepper.

GREER GOLF

2299 Gap Creek Road
Greer, SC 29651
(864) 877-9279
greergolf.com

Greer Golf is an 18-hole public golf course, proudly owned and operated by the City of Greer.

OCONEE COUNTRY CLUB

781 Richland Road
Seneca, SC 29672
(864) 882-8037
oconeecountryclub.com

The Par 71 course has bent grass greens and is well-maintained year-round. It is a relatively short course by today's modern standards, but it provides the golfer with plenty of challenge off the tee and approach shots to its small, undulating greens. Amenities include a practice range, putting greens, a lounge, a pro shop, and lessons from a PGA Professional.

RIVER FALLS PLANTATION

100 Player Boulevard
Duncan, SC 29334
(864) 433-9192
riverfallsgolf.com

River Falls is a Gary Player Signature golf course featuring 18 holes of pure golf along the South Tyger River. Lush rolling greens, multiple tee & pin placements make this course a shot maker's paradise.

THE PRESERVE AT VERDAE GOLF COURSE

670 Verdae Boulevard
Greenville, SC 29607
(864) 676-1500
thepreserveatverdae.com

Adjacent to Embassy Suites, The Preserve at Verdae is a challenging yet enjoyable course designed by Willard Byrd in 1991. For nine years, it was home to the PGA Tour's "Nike/Buy.com/Upstate Classic." With amenities including a practice range, Pro Shop, grill, event space, and a full-service PGA professional staff, we are the perfect choice for your weekly round or group outings of any size. Easily accessible from Exit 48 off I-85. Year-round Stay and Play Packages available.

THE WALKER COURSE AT CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

210 Madren Center Drive
Clemson, SC 29634
(864) 656-0236
stayatclemson.com/championship-golf

The par 72, 18-hole championship course is nestled at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains and is surrounded by Lake Hartwell. Its design accommodates golfers at all skill levels, and the signature 17th hole is a "tiger paw."

Hiking

For information on hiking in South Carolina, visit SCTrails.net.

FOOTHILLS TRAIL

(864) 638-5353 (Oconee State Park)
(864) 878-9813 (Table Rock State Park)
foothillstrail.org

Recreation ■ Golf Courses ■ Hiking

Several points, some accessible by boat, provide access to the 105 miles of wooded hiking trail. It features waterfalls and numerous rivers and streams along its entire length and passes over Sassafras Mountain, the highest point in SC. Day hiking and backpacking are both popular.

JOCASSEE LAKE TOURS

538 Jocassee Lake Road
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 280-5501
jocassee-laketours.com

RELIABLE. KNOWLEDGEABLE. PUNCTUAL. HIKE and KAYAK SHUTTLE SERVICE. We know Jocassee. It's that simple. We can help plan your excursion and can recommend hiking options and camping sites along the Foothills Trail between Upper Whitewater Falls and Laurel Valley. Give us a call, and we'll make your excursion a success!

LOGISTIC MYSTIC

1259 Ross Mountain Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(828) 707-5376
logisticmystic.com

Logistic Mystic offers customized logistics, including lodging, bike rentals, shuttles, and more for hikers and bikers visiting Oconee County, SC.

MOUNTAIN BRIDGE WILDERNESS AREA

Caesars Head State Park (864) 836-6115
Jones Gap State Park (864) 836-3647
SouthCarolinaParks.com

The Mountain Bridge Wilderness Area is a 14,000-acre area consisting of Jones Gap, Caesars Head, and Wildcat Wayside State Parks. The area includes four waterfalls with drops of several hundred feet and the Dismal, a dense, mature hardwood forest beneath Caesars Head. Mountain peaks over 3,200 feet offer fabulous views of Table Rock reservoirs and neighboring mountain ranges. The area is rich in wildlife, including wild turkey, deer, black bear, grouse, peregrine falcons, and trout. An abundance of rare and endangered plants calls the Mountain Bridge home.

PALMETTO TRAIL

Palmetto Conservation Foundation
(803) 771-0870
palmettoconservation.org

The Palmetto Trail is South Carolina's premier cross-state trail for hiking, backpacking, cycling, mountain biking, camping, and other outdoor recreation. The trail provides free public access to about 350 miles of passages across 14 counties from the Blue Ridge Mountains to the Lowcountry coast, and offers plenty to explore and to inspire people of all ages and interests.

STATE PARKS

(803) 734-0156
(866) 345-PARK (7275)
southcarolinaparks.com

Most state park trails are classified as nature/walking trails due to their short length and/or relatively flat terrain.

SUMTER NATIONAL FOREST/ANDREW PICKENS RANGER DISTRICT

112 Andrew Pickens Circle
Mountain Rest, SC 29664

(864) 638-9568

fs.usda.gov/scnfs

The Andrew Pickens Ranger District is home to the Wild and Scenic Chattooga River; a popular angling and whitewater destination, as well as the Ellicott Rock Wilderness Area. The district offers numerous waterfalls and hiking trails to suit every skill level. Maps are for sale at the Ranger Station.

Horseback Riding

CROFT STATE PARK

450 Croft State Park Road

Spartanburg, SC 29302

(864) 585-1283

southcarolinaparks.com

Once an army training base, Croft State Park covers more than 7,000 acres of rolling, wooded terrain just a few miles from downtown Spartanburg. The park offers over 20 miles of biking and hiking trails, over 20 miles of equestrian trails, a playground, picnicking, two campgrounds for RV and tent camping, a few equestrian campsites (available by calling the park for availability), regular horse shows in the park's arena, and great fishing and boating opportunities in two beautiful lakes.

EDEN FARMS

4700 Dacusville Highway

Marietta, SC 29661

(864) 898-0043

edenfarms.net

Experience nature's exquisite beauty year-round at Eden Farms. The forty-stall barn is located on 170 wooded acres and offers top-of-the-line, lighted arenas used for English, Western, and therapeutic riding lessons. Guided one-hour trails pass through fields, forests, and views of three local state parks. Beginners are welcome on the trail rides, but you must be 7 years old or older and weigh under 225 lbs. Arena rides are available for riders ages 2 to 12. Call for an appointment, Monday through Saturday.

HORSEBACK WATERFALL TOURS OF THE UPSTATE

757 Pleasant Grove Road

Pickens, SC 29671

(864) 918-1020

HorsebackWaterfallTours.com

As you ride the trails, you will experience incredible views showcasing Upcountry's pristine waterfalls and Table Rock. You pick the destination. Don't miss an experience you will talk about for years.

KINGS MOUNTAIN STATE PARK

1277 Park Road

Blacksburg, SC 29702

(803) 222-3209

SouthCarolinaParks.com

The park includes 115 standard campsites with electricity and water, 10 tent sites with no water or electricity, and 15 equestrian campsites. Campsites are available year-round for overnight camping. 30 miles of equestrian trails and 20+ miles of hiking trails are available. A living history farm, a replica of a 19th-century South Carolina yeoman farm, including a barn, cotton gin, and blacksmith/carpenter shop, is located on-site and available for programming and self-guided tours.

RIVERBEND EQUESTRIAN PARK

175 Riverbend Road

Greenville, SC 29617

(864) 288-6470

greenvillerec.com/parks/riverbend-equestrian-park

The 66-acre park is located near Furman University. The park features two lighted rings, a dressage ring, a barn, and show stalls. A year-round instructional program and a picnic area complete the facilities.

ROCKY GAP TRAIL

Sumter National Forest

Andrew Pickens Ranger District

(864) 638-9568

fs.usda.gov/scnfs

The Rocky Gap Trail offers the most scenic horseback riding and hiking in the Southern Blue Ridge Mountains. The 19-mile trail features several loops that connect to the Willis Knob Horse Trail in Georgia, providing a total of 26 miles of riding through the Chattooga Wild and Scenic River Corridor. Riders may begin their trip at Whetstone Horse Camp. Day-use parking on Earls Ford Road.

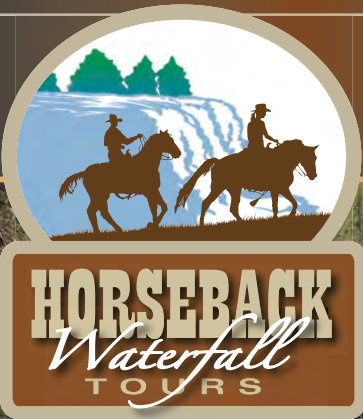
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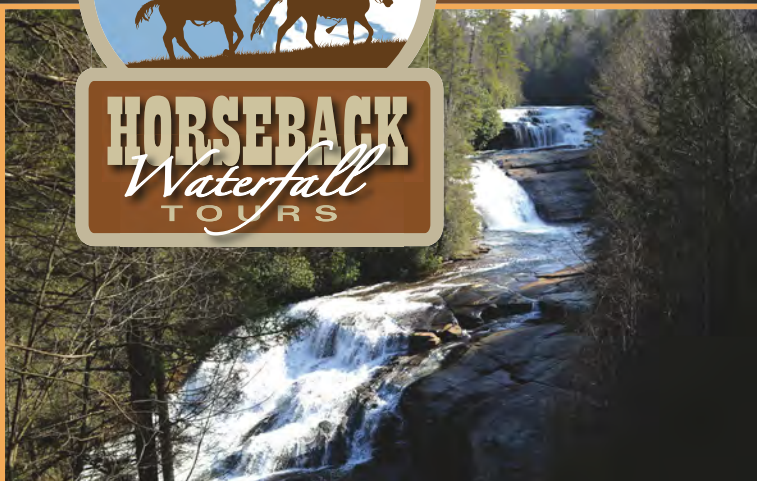
Whetstone Road

Mountain Rest, SC 29664

(864) 638-9568

fs.usda.gov/recarea/scnfs/recreation/camping-cabins/







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www.horsebackwaterfalltours.com



This campground is located on the Andrew Pickens Ranger District within the Sumter National Forest. This campground is open year-round and is available by reservation only. Reservations can be made by calling 877-444-6777 or visiting recreation.gov. This facility includes hitching rails, highlines for horse tethering, and toilets.

Hunting & Fishing

HERITAGE PRESERVES

South Carolina Department of Natural Resources, Wildlife Diversity
PO Box 167

Columbia SC 29202
(864) 654-1671 Ext 15
(803) 734-3893

dnr.sc.gov

Fishing and hunting are permitted in several Upcountry Heritage Preserves. Please call or check the website for a complete list.

Purchase your hunting and fishing license online at dnr.sc.gov/purchase. For a full list of regulations, visit dnr.sc.gov/regulations.

LAKE HARTWELL

With nearly 56,000 acres of water and a shoreline of 962 miles, this lake affords rewarding fishing opportunities for the avid sportsman.

LAKES JOCASSEE & KEOWEE

These lakes are extremely popular fishing areas. With thousands of acres of cool, clear water and hundreds of miles of shoreline, the lakes support numerous fish species.

OTHER UPCOUNTRY LAKES

Other fishing lakes in the area include Lakes Cunningham and Robinson near Greer; Lakes Bowen, Blalock, Cooley, and Edwin Johnson in Spartanburg; Saluda Lake, Matthews Creek, and Oak Grove Lake in Greenville County; Lake Whelchel in Cherokee County; and Lake Oolenoy at Table Rock State Park in Pickens County.

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE PARKS

(803) 734-0156
(866) 345-PARK (7275)
SouthCarolinaParks.com

Fishing is available at almost all of the Upcountry's state parks. Many parks have boat access ramps and may offer boat rentals and tackle shops. Several of the parks have fishing piers, and some have handicap accessible piers. To make reservations for camping, lodging, picnic shelters, or meeting facilities, call (866) 345-PARK or visit our website at SouthCarolinaParks.com. Admission.

SC WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

SC Department of Natural Resources
PO Box 167
Columbia, SC 29202
(864) 654-1671

www2.dnr.sc.gov/managedlands

The following Wildlife Management Areas provide excellent hunting and fishing: Caesars Head Area and Tall Pines WMA, both located in Northern Greenville County; the Franklin L. Gravely Area, portions of which lie in Pickens County; the Fairforest Creek and Broad River Areas, portions of which lie in Spartanburg and Cherokee Counties; the Fant's Grove Area and the Keowee area, both on Clemson University property and located primarily in Anderson County; the Foothills Area, also in Anderson County; and the Chauga Area, located in Oconee County. Found in these areas are populations of deer, wild turkey, black bear; and, for the small-game hunter, populations of squirrels, quail, and rabbit. Mourning dove fields are located in Anderson, Greenville, Oconee, and Pickens counties. The Lake Cunningham Waterfowl Area, in Greenville County, offers duck hunting during state waterfowl season.

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JOCASSEE LAKE TOURS

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Join Jocassee Lake Tours' naturalist guides for an "inside look" at the wild wonders of the most beautiful lake, and one of the most important eco-regions, in the southeastern US, and arguably the entire world!

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238 Buckeye Drive
Salem, SC 29676
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Salem, SC 29676
(864) 704-0004
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Long Creek, SC 29658
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ChattoogaBelleFarm.com

Chattooga Belle Farm is a 199-acre working farm and event destination nestled in the Blue Ridge Mountains, boasting a stunning 270-degree view of rolling hills, vineyards, orchards, and berry patches. Selling over 20 kinds of fruit, Black

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Campobello, SC 29322
(864) 468-4999
peachcountrysc.com

We grow our own peaches, strawberries, pumpkins, apples, plums, nectarines, blueberries and blackberries. Call ahead to see what fruits are in season and if pick-your-own is currently available.

SOUTH CAROLINA AGRITOURISM

PO Box 11280
Columbia, SC 29211
(803) 394-9831
SCAgritourism.org

Agritourism is the crossroads between agriculture & tourism. It includes any activity carried out on a working farm or ranch that allows the public, for educational, entertainment, or recreational purposes, to view or enjoy rural activities. Trail hikes, corn mazes, wineries, pick-your-own activities, farm animals, and more await you on South Carolina's farms! Sign up for the monthly Agritourism Events e-newsletter featuring events on farms throughout the state at scagritourism.org/newsletter!



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Office - 120 Kelley Creek Road
Six Mile, SC 29682-9713
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Six Mile, SC (No mail receptacle)
TheHappyBerry.com
Farm - (864) 508-6939

A pick-your-own, with pre-picked available, blackberry, blueberry, seedless grape, fig, muscadine and persimmon farm. Located in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains near the 18,500-acre Lake Keowee. For picking conditions, please visit our website.

Tours

A variety of Upcountry tours are offered for both individuals and groups. Itineraries include everything from visits to historic sites to whitewater rafting.

CHATTOOGA BELLE FARM DISTILLERY

216 Battle Creek Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 400-8130
ChattoogaBelleFarm.com/distillery

Oconee County's only legal distillery, Chattooga Belle Farm Distillery makes a variety of small-batch whiskeys, brandies, moonshine, vodka, gin, rum and bourbon. We take pride in growing, harvesting, distilling, bottling, and hand labeling each of our products right here on the farm! Free tours and tastings are available in addition to visiting the farm and bistro for lunch.

CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

105 Sikes Hall
Clemson, SC 29634
(864) 656-4789
clemson.edu/visit

Campus tours are provided for prospective students and their families. Tours by appointment, please visit our website for more information.

HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE AND FOLKLIFE CENTER

138 Hagood Mill Road
Pickens, SC 29671
visithagoodmill.com
(864) 898-2936

Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, Hagood Mill Historic Site features an operating 1845 grist mill, restored log cabins, a blacksmith shop, a moonshine still, a cotton gin, prehistoric petroglyphs, a gift shop, Third Saturday Folklife Festivals, nature trails, a 9-hole disc golf course, and primitive camping. The site is open Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm. Festivals are held on the third Saturday of each month, featuring historical reenactments, demonstrations, vendors, food trucks, and more. A restored waterwheel on the 1845 gristmill is running and producing products for sale. The petroglyph site is also open. See the website above and our Facebook page for details on the monthly special entertainment. Admission fee for 10+

JOCASSEE LAKE TOURS

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Salem, SC 29676
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UHQT TOURS

150 School House Road
Westminster, SC 29693
(864) 723-6603
uhqt.org

The Upstate Heritage Quilt Trail (UHQT) features the largest number of hand-painted quilts on display outdoors in South Carolina. The UHQT's website and app feature stories about each quilt, and the interactive map helps visitors plan a route to more than 300 quilt sites. Walking or driving the trail leads you to a variety of unique sites.

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(800) 232-7238

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Long Creek, SC 29658
Wildwater.Info
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Wineries-Breweries-Distilleries

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CITY SCAPE WINERY & VINEYARDS

589 Dunklin Bridge Road
Pelzer, SC 29669
(864) 329-0615
cityscapewinery.com

City Scape Winery is a family-owned winery and vineyard focused on producing high-quality batches of local, innovative wines in Greenville County. Just a short drive from downtown Greenville, City Scape Winery is open for tastings every Wednesday - Sunday.

JOCASSEE VALLEY BREWING

13412 North Highway 11
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 873-0048
jocasseevalleybrewing.com

Welcome to Jocassee Valley Brewing, Oconee County's mountain house brewery. Located at the beginning of the Blue Ridge, we strive to promote our mountain and outdoor adventure heritage. Our taproom and outdoor space provide a welcoming atmosphere, and the regional brew choices are top-notch. Live music is also a staple on the weekends.

Zipline Canopy Tours

CHATTOOGA RIDGE CANOPY TOURS (WILDWATER)

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587 or (800) 451-9972
wildwaterrafting.com/zipline-canopy-tours

More than just a zipline, Chattooga Ridge Canopy Tours takes you through multiple ecosystems and into grand old white oak and maple treetops. Our zipline features over 1/2 mile of airtime with 2 sky bridges, 10 ziplines between trees and platforms, 4 zips across Academy Lake, and ends with the 1,100-foot Bell Tower Express that launches off our 50-foot tower. Chattooga Ridge Canopy Tours provides two Canopy Rangers for each group to give insight on wildlife and area history while guiding you through the trees.



Wildcat Wayside Falls

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Twin Falls/Eastatoe Falls

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WATERFALLS

in 30 Minutes or Less!

We have plenty of waterfalls in the Upcountry. You'll find over 65 at SouthCarolinaWaterfalls.com, complete with photos, driving, and hiking directions. Yes, some require hiking. Like 2 hours each way hiking, if that's your thing. But this is the Easy Walk to No Hike Waterfall List!

Here is a 175-mile loop starting and ending in Greenville that features 6 gorgeous waterfalls, none of which requires more than a ¾-mile walk to reach. Most are much closer. You can certainly complete this in a day, with stops for lunch and dinner. If you want to add in some

side trips to see **Campbell's Covered Bridge**, **Caesar's Head State Park**, or more waterfalls, make it a 2-day adventure.

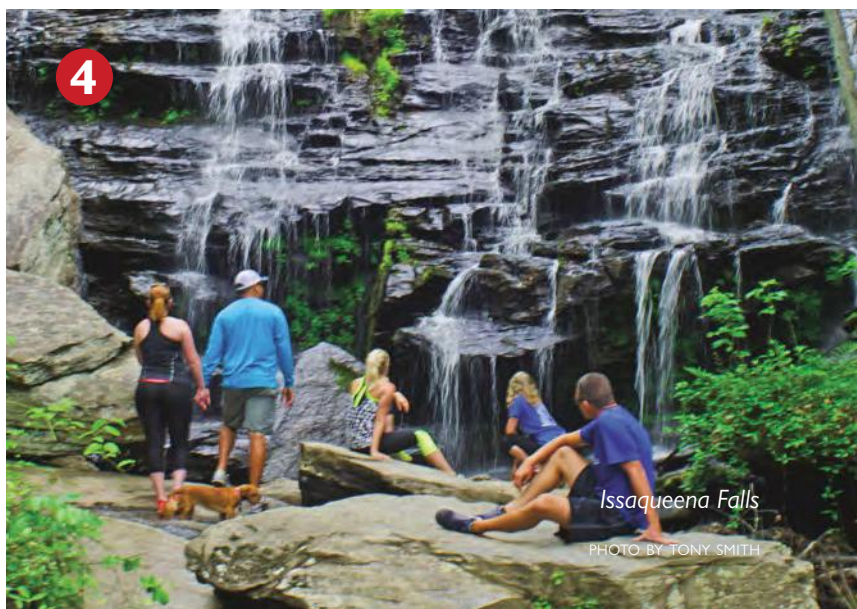
Start in Greenville. Head North on US Hwy 276, then left on SC11. **Wildcat Wayside Falls** can be viewed by everyone, as it is located along Highway 11. This 30-foot waterfall is the last in a series of three formed by the Wildcat stream.

Continue on SC11 until you turn off onto Cleo Chapman Road to reach **Twin Falls**. The 70 feet of bare granite and rushing waterfalls make this a beautiful sight. It's a fine show for an easy 15-minute walk



Spoonauger Falls

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Issaqueena Falls

PHOTO BY TONY SMITH

along the 1/4-mile trail, which leads to a viewing deck with seating.

You are back on SC11 until you turn on SC130 to head to **Spoonauger Falls**. This 50-foot falls, also known as Rock Cliff Falls, is set back into a hillside and rushes over a stepped rock face in a broad sheet. This is one of the more popular waterfalls in this area because of the easy 20-minute hike and its camera-friendly appearance.

Head South on SC107 to reach **Issaqueena Falls**, located in Stumphouse Park. (Admission Fee) A well-maintained trail leads to a platform for viewing this 100-foot cascade of Cane Creek. Nearby is a picnic area and Stumphouse Tunnel, which is 25 feet high and 17 feet wide. Although it was not completed as a railroad tunnel, it extends 1,617 feet into the mountain. Don't miss walking into it!

Take US Hwy 76 to Chau Ram County Park, located at the confluence of the Chauga River and **Ramsey Creek Falls**. Visitors can enjoy hiking and biking trails, go tubing or fishing on the river, camp, and enjoy the 40-foot waterfall and the suspension bridge over the river.

Take Hwy 123 into Greenville. In the heart of downtown, **Reedy River Falls** is surrounded by Falls Park and best viewed from Liberty Bridge, a one-of-a-kind suspension bridge that offers amazing photo opportunities.

SouthCarolinaWaterfalls.com, along with SC11.com, will offer plenty of options for planning your adventure, whether you want detailed directions, a great place to eat, or a place to spend the night. Have fun out there and tag **#UpcountrySC** in your posts.



Ramsey Creek Falls

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Reedy River Falls

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Venues

ANDERSON ARTS CENTER

110 Federal Street
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 222-2787
andersonarts.org

The Anderson Arts Center is home to visual arts galleries open to the community, celebrating and supporting the creativity of all. We provide a broad range of creative and collaborative experiences for both adults and children in arts education, exhibits, entertainment performances, and community use of our facility. We provide a home for artists to collaborate on their talents and actively promote them and their work.

BELTON AREA MUSEUM ASSOCIATION

100 North Main Street
Belton, SC 29627
(864) 338-7400
beltonmuseum@bellsouth.net

Come visit the Ruth Drake Museum of Local History, the SC Tennis Hall of Fame, and the North End Exhibition Gallery, all located inside the historic Train Depot on the square in Belton, SC. This 1908 train depot showcases Belton and upstate history, memorabilia from SC's tennis greats, and an exhibit gallery for rotating historical topics. We are open Wednesday - Friday, 9 am - 2 pm, and Saturday, 10 am - 12 Noon.

BELTON CENTER FOR THE ARTS

306 City Square
Belton SC 29627
(864) 338-8556
beltoncenterforthearts.org

Belton Center for the Arts is a historic building on Belton City Square. Our gallery is ideal for hosting small events, including showers, birthday parties, and reunions. Amenities include a full kitchen, seating for 80, and free parking.

BON SECOURS WELLNESS ARENA

650 N. Academy Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 241-3800
bonsecoursarena.com

Bon Secours Wellness Arena is a 15,000-seat sports and entertainment complex. With over 100 events each year, including concerts, sporting events, family shows, and more.

BROOKS CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS AT CLEMSON UNIVERSITY

141 Jersey Lane
Clemson, SC 29634-0526
Ticket info: (864) 656-7787
clemson.edu/brooks

The Brooks Center has been the hub for the performing arts in Clemson for three decades. This 979-seat auditorium offers affordable professional music, theatre, and dance performances by artists from around the

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CHAPMAN CULTURAL CENTER

200 East Saint John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 542-2787
ChapmanCulturalCenter.org

The Chapman Cultural Center campus is home to seven non-profit organizations that provide visual arts, music, stage performances, and scientific wonder for over 250,000 visitors each year. Open seven days a week, the Chapman Cultural Center offers something for everyone, from art galleries and museums to concerts, plays, and dance performances!

CIVIC CENTER OF ANDERSON

3027 Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 260-4800
andersonevents.com

The front Ballroom portion of the building provides a conference center atmosphere suitable for business meetings, conferences, conventions, receptions, and banquets for groups ranging from 100 to 1,000. The Ballroom area, all 7,700 square feet, is the largest such facility in Anderson County. Meanwhile, the 28,000-square-foot arena is home to Anderson County's largest trade

shows and entertainment events – seating up to 3,200 spectators and accommodating up to 200 trade show booths. The glass Atrium area and adjoining outdoor Courtyard provide the perfect setting for receptions, parties, and pre-function activities of all kinds.

CONVERSE UNIVERSITY

580 East Main Street
Spartanburg, SC 29302
(864) 596-9632
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Converse offers numerous meeting, conference, performance, outdoor, and special-event spaces. Whether your event calls for a beautiful banquet room, an auditorium, or an outdoor venue, our Event Services team can work with you to identify the perfect space.

FURMAN THEATRE PLAYHOUSE

3300 Poinsett Highway
Greenville, SC 29613
(864) 294-2125
furman.edu/theatrearts

A small, intimate theatre on campus, only seating 110. The theatre produces four productions each year, along with student-produced and guest artist productions throughout the year.

GREATER ANDERSON MUSICAL ARTS CONSORTIUM

121 West Benson Street
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 231-6147
GAMAC.org

Since 1990, GAMAC's concert stage has been the region's favorite place to enjoy, explore, and create beautiful music. Visit us at gamac.org for the season's schedule!

HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE AND FOLKLIFE CENTER

138 Hagood Mill Road
Pickens, SC 29671
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(864) 898-2936

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MAULDIN CULTURAL CENTER

101 E Butler Road
Mauldin, SC 29662
mauldinculturalcenter.org
(864) 335-4862

The Mauldin Cultural Center was created to establish, develop, and promote a cultural system that celebrates the Mauldin community, leverages the arts for the economic benefit of the city and its citizens, and strives to give all citizens and visitors the ability to experience and participate in artistic and cultural activities in an effort to continually develop a more vibrant community.

PEACE CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

101 W Broad Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 467-3000
peacecenter.org

The Peace Center is a nationally recognized artistic and cultural destination located in Greenville, SC. Situated along the Reedy River in the heart of downtown, its multifaceted, six-acre campus is the region's center for art, culture, entertainment, and engagement. From programs featuring world-class artists in music, theater, and dance, to enriching educational experiences, and everyday encounters with the arts, the Peace Center hosts hundreds of events and tens of thousands of guests each year. In addition to on-stage activities, the Peace Center's campus features numerous private event venues for weddings, meetings, and celebrations.

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RAINEY FINE ARTS CENTER OF ANDERSON UNIVERSITY

316 Boulevard
Anderson, SC 29621
(864) 231-2125
andersonuniversity.edu

The Rainey Fine Arts Center, home of the Anderson Senior Follies, is a comprehensive arts complex serving the performing and visual arts needs of the university and the Anderson community. With three performing venues, the Rainey Center presents university performances and events as well as community events by the Greater Anderson Music and Arts Consortium and the Anderson Symphony Orchestra.

SC GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES

15 University Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 282-3777
scgsah.org

The Governor's School is a public, residential high school that cultivates young artists from across SC through pre-professional training in the arts. The school hosts nearly 100 free public performances and events each year featuring students, faculty, and guest artists in the Smith Recital Hall, Sakas Theatre, and Lipscomb Gallery. Visit the school's website to view the performance calendar.

SPARTANBURG ART MUSEUM (SAM)

200 E. St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 582-7616
spartanburgartmuseum.org

The Spartanburg Art Museum (SAM) offers a wide variety of visual arts opportunities, including rotating contemporary art exhibitions, a permanent collection, educational tours, and art classes through the Art School. SAM also offers many community events throughout the year, such as a free lecture series at the library, community yoga in the museum, Family Fundays, and a signature annual gala, Oddball.

SPARTANBURG LITTLE THEATRE

200 East St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29302
(864) 585-8278
spartanburglittletheatre.com

Spartanburg Little Theatre provides professional-quality theatrical experiences for children and adults alike. In addition to its mainstage subscription series of classic and contemporary plays and musicals, the community theatre's fringe series and SLTCARES performances are designed to activate, cultivate, and educate its participants and Upstate audiences.

SPARTANBURG MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM

385 N. Church Street
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 582-8107
crowdpleaser.com

The multi-purpose auditorium is ideal for concerts, plays, meetings, sporting events, banquets and exhibits. Facilities include exhibit space, banquet facilities accommodating dinners for at least 750 people, a kitchen, ample concession, restroom areas and theater seating for approximately 3,200.

SPARTANBURG YOUTH THEATRE

200 East St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 585-8278
spartanburgyouththeatre.com

The Spartanburg Youth Theatre is the oldest full-scale children's theatre in the state of South Carolina and one of the only 'by youth, for youth' theatres in the country. In addition to a full season of traditional and contemporary children's classics, the Spartanburg Youth Theatre education program also offers theatrical training and classes for youth K4-12.

WALHALLA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

101 E. N. Broad Street
Walhalla, SC 29691
(864) 638-5277
walhallapac.com

Originally built in 1901, this former schoolhouse auditorium serves as Oconee County's first and only performing arts center. Featuring local artists such as The Marshall Tucker Band, Emile Pandolfi, Ricky Skaggs, Arlo Guthrie, Edwin McCain, and The Lettermen, WPAC is a community hub for country, bluegrass, classic rock, gospel, and more! Facilities include a 450-seat auditorium and a lobby available for private rental.

WILLIAM A. FLOYD AMPHITHEATER

3027 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 260-4800
andersonevents.com

The amphitheater will hold 15,000 people. It has elevated grass terraces, restrooms, and concessions. Acts playing here have included Charlie Daniels, Josh Turner, Joe Nichols, Sara Evans, Crowder, and more.

DUKE ENERGY'S WORLD OF ENERGY

7812 Rochester Highway
Seneca, SC 29632
(864) 873-4600
duke-energy.com/worldofenergy

Duke Energy's education center at Oconee Nuclear Station north of Seneca is geared to visitors of all ages, with games, exhibits and explorations in our butterfly garden and nature trail.

Performing Arts

BALLET SPARTANBURG

200 East Saint John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 583-0339
balletspartanburg.org

Ballet Spartanburg retains the only resident Professional Company in the Upstate. Ballet Spartanburg presents 5 professional ballets annually, including Spartanburg's Christmas Holiday Tradition, The Nutcracker. The Center for Dance Education has offered the highest-quality dance training, performance, and outreach for 55 years.

CAROLINA BALLET THEATRE

PO Box 135
Greenville, SC 29602
(864) 810-0753
carolinaballet.org

Founded in 1972, Carolina Ballet Theatre is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and serves as Greenville's resident professional dance company at The Peace Center.

CENTRE STAGE

501 River Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 233-6733
centrestage.org

Centre Stage is a 275-seat year-round regional performing arts venue with a variety of seasonal offerings, including musicals, dramas, comedies, concerts, special events, and new works. Our mission is to captivate audiences through diverse programming, cultivate local artistry, and inspire community collaboration. We have proudly been a vital part of the Upstate arts community since 1983.

CHAPMAN CULTURAL CENTER

200 East Saint John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 542-2787
ChapmanCulturalCenter.org

The Chapman Cultural Center campus is home to 7 non-profit organizations that provide visual arts, music, stage performances, and scientific wonder for over 250,000 visitors each year.

Oconee Military Museum

Visit us for a fascinating look at the
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13 Short Street, Walhalla, SC 29691

864.638.5455

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OconeeMilitaryMuseum.org

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CLEMSON LITTLE THEATRE

214 S. Mechanic Street
Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 646-8100

clemsonlittletheatre.com

CLT presents six outstanding productions each year, which include two youth productions. CLT offers drama workshops and classes for youth year-round. Cox Hall, located next door to the theatre, is available to rent. It is the perfect size for family gatherings, special events, and business meetings for up to 120 people. Call for availability.

CONVERSE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF THE ARTS

580 East Main Street
Spartanburg, SC 29302
(864) 596-9021

converse.edu/campus-events

Converse University's School of the Arts hosts a wide variety of cultural events as well as dance, theatre and spoken word performances at our downtown Spartanburg campus. Additionally, Petrie School of Music offers an exciting array of events for music lovers of all ages, including recitals, concerts, master classes and more by a variety of guest artists, faculty and students.

ELECTRIC CITY PLAYHOUSE

514 N. Murray Avenue
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 224-4248

ecplayhouse.com

Celebrating over 40 years of live theatre with exciting shows for the 2026 Season, an immersive Youth Theatre Camp, and various special events in its Black Box-style venue, which creates an intimate setting for both audience and performers.

GREENVILLE CHAUTAUQUA SOCIETY

PO Box 9571
Greenville, SC 29604
(864) 244-1499

Historycomesalive.org

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GREENVILLE CHORALE

41 Douglas Drive
Greenville, SC 29605
(864) 235-1101

greenvillechorale.org

Greenville Chorale is one of the Upstate's greatest performing traditions. The 150-voice symphonic chorus gives five concerts yearly.

FURMAN THEATRE ARTS DEPARTMENT

3300 Poinsett Highway
Greenville, SC 29613
(864) 294-2125

furman.edu/theatrearts

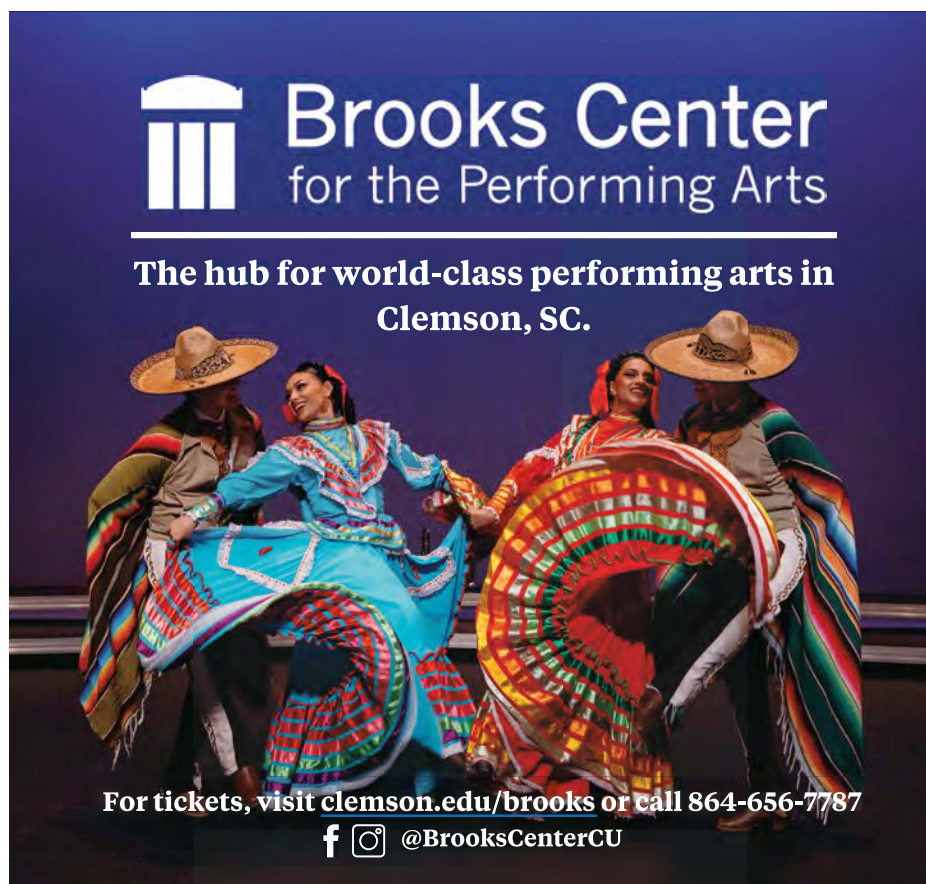
The Furman drama department presents three to four major productions annually.

GREENVILLE THEATRE

444 College Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 233-6238

greenvilletheatre.org

Since 1926, Greenville Theatre has entertained audiences with performances of the highest caliber as the Upstate's largest and oldest locally-produced, professional theatre. Greenville Theatre is a not-to-be-missed attraction for locals and tourists alike, performing to more audience members than any other producing theatre in the state.



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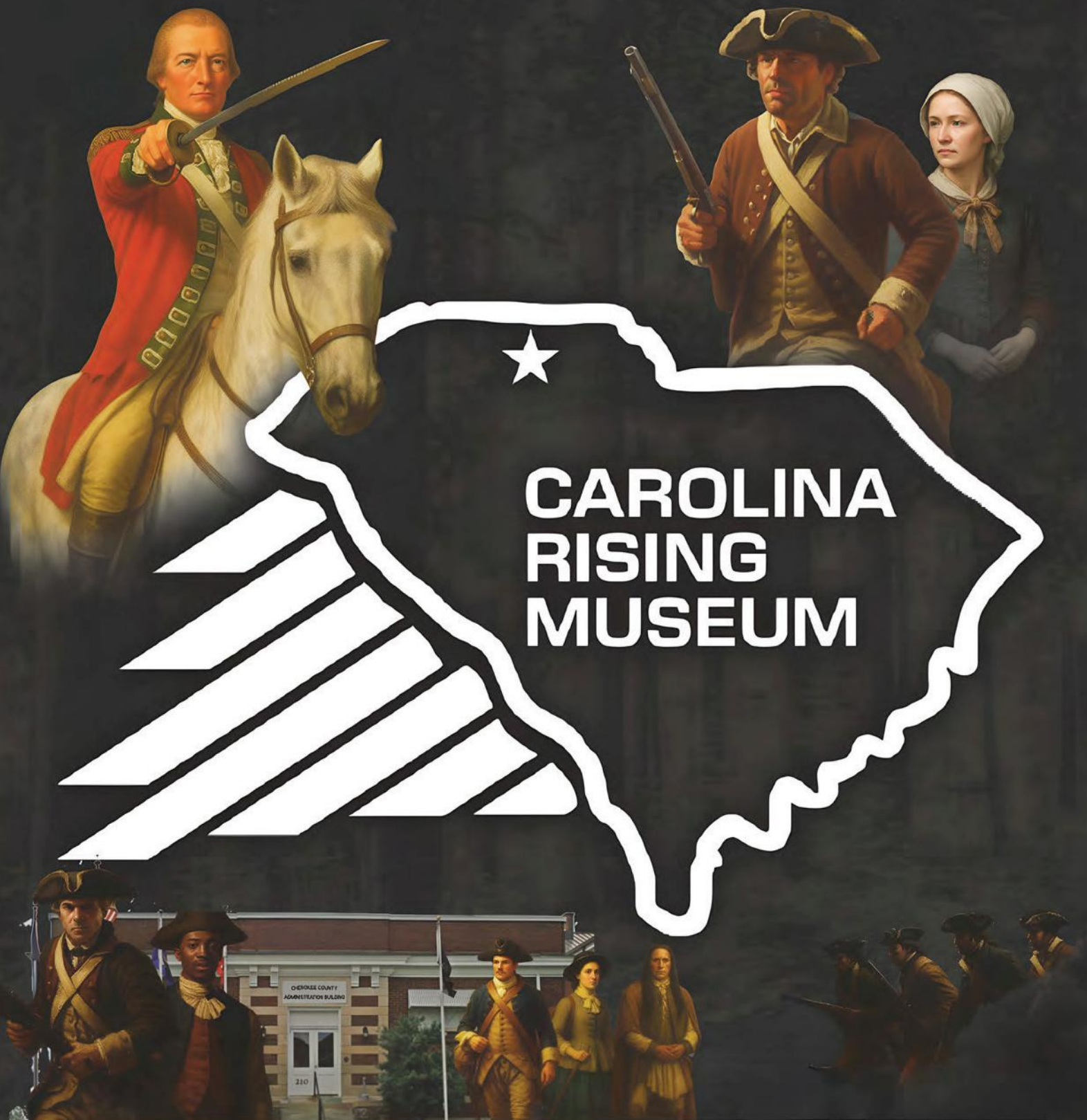
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Greenville, SC 29601
greenvillesymphony.org
(864) 232-0344

The Greenville Symphony Orchestra is recognized as one of the finest professional orchestras in the southeastern US, and through a diverse mix of concert performances, educational programming, and community engagements, it reaches more than 50,000 individuals throughout the Upstate each year.

MUSEUM OF THE CHEROKEE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

70 Short Street
Walhalla, SC 29691
(864) 710-9210
cherokeemuseumsc.org

The Museum is open to the public Thursday - Saturday, 11 am - 4 pm. Admission is \$5.00 per person. Funded through grants and donations, the efforts of numerous volunteers have made the dream of the Museum of the Cherokee in South Carolina a reality.

OCONEE COMMUNITY THEATRE

8001 Utica Street
Seneca, SC 29678
(864) 882-1910
oconeetheatre.org

The theatre has provided the Upcountry with the finest performing arts for over 50 years.

NORTH GREENVILLE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF THEATRE

7801 N. Tigerville Road
Tigerville, SC 29688
(864) 977-7085
ngu.edu/programs/theatre

The North Greenville University School of Theatre presents four main-stage performances each calendar year.

PICKENS COUNTY PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

314 W. Main Street
Liberty, SC 29657
(864) 345-7925
pickenstheater.com

The Pickens County Performing Arts Center is a 600-seat auditorium that hosts a variety of performances throughout the year. The PAC is also available to rent for a variety of acts, including dance recitals, plays, comedians, educational programs, and other performances. Their newly renovated facility offers state-of-the-art sound, lighting, and audio/visual equipment. Additional items are available to renters include Marley flooring, ticket reservation systems, and access to newly renovated greenrooms and dressing rooms.

SPARTANBURG PHILHARMONIC

200 E. St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 948-9020
spartanburgphilharmonic.org

From Classics, Espresso, Pops!, and Bluegrass events to our Education & Outreach programs, our mission is to enrich, inspire, and educate through live performances of high-quality music.

SOUTH CAROLINA CHILDREN'S THEATRE

153 Augusta Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 235-2885
scchildrenstheatre.org

SCCT empowers and inspires kids and adults alike through high-quality performances and educational programming. From Broadway musicals to interactive storytelling events, SCCT's diverse offerings foster joy and curiosity for every age.

SC GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES

15 University Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 282-3777
scgsah.org

The Governor's School is a public, residential high school that cultivates young artists from across SC through pre-professional training in the arts. The school hosts nearly 100 free public performances and events each year featuring students, faculty, and guest artists in the Smith Recital Hall, Sakas Theatre, and Lipscomb Gallery. Visit the school's website to view the performance calendar.

SPARTANBURG LITTLE THEATRE

200 East St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 585-8278
spartanburglittletheatre.com

Spartanburg Little Theatre provides professional-quality theatrical experiences for children and adults alike. In addition to its mainstage subscription series of classic and contemporary plays and musicals, the community theatre's fringe series and SLTCARES performances are designed to activate, cultivate, and educate its participants and Upstate audiences.

SPARTANBURG YOUTH THEATRE

200 East St. John Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 585-8278
spartanburgyouththeatre.com

The Spartanburg Youth Theatre is the oldest full-scale children's theatre in the state of South Carolina and one of the only "by youth, for youth" theatres in the country. In addition to a full season of traditional and contemporary children's classics, the Spartanburg Youth Theatre education program also offers theatrical training and classes for youth K4-12.

THE WAREHOUSE THEATRE

37 Augusta Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 235-6948
warehousetheatre.com

The Warehouse Theatre is one of only two professional theatres in SC recognized by the Actors' Equity Association. They deliver a diverse, relevant main-stage season and impact students of all ages across the Upstate through their education and community engagement programs.

WOFFORD THEATRE

429 N. Church Street
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 597-4000
Wofford.edu/theatre

Wofford Theatre productions are held in the Jerome Johnson Richardson Theatre and the Sallenger Sisters Black Box Theatre in the Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts. The program offers both classic and contemporary performances.

Galleries

BELTON AREA MUSEUM ASSOCIATION

100 North Main Street
Belton, SC 29627
(864) 338-7400
BeltonMuseum.com

Come visit the Ruth Drake Museum of Local History, the SC Tennis Hall of Fame, and the North End Exhibition Gallery, all located inside the historic Train Depot on the square in Belton, SC. This 1908 train depot showcases Belton and upstate history, memorabilia from SC's tennis greats, and an exhibit gallery for rotating historical topics. Hours: Wednesday - Friday 9 am - 2 pm, Saturday, 10 am - 12 Noon.

BELTON CENTER FOR THE ARTS

306 City Square
Belton, SC 29627
(864) 338-8556
beltoncenterforthearts.org

Belton Center for the Arts is a cultural arts center for our community. The historic building houses a Gallery, six rotating exhibits, a multi-use classroom, a pottery room, and a gift shop promoting local artists. Open Tuesday - Friday, 10 am - 5 pm.

FURMAN UNIVERSITY THOMPSON GALLERY

3300 Poinsett Highway
Greenville, SC 29613
(864) 294-2074
furman.edu/art

The Thompson Art Gallery in Furman's Roe Art Building exhibits the work of top local and regional artists and Furman students.

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Walhalla, SC 29691
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nancybasket.com

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GREENVILLE COUNTY MUSEUM OF ART

420 College Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 271-7570
gcma.org

Home to major holdings of work by two of the greatest artists in the country, Andrew Wyeth and Jasper Johns, the GCMA also boasts an important group of pre-Civil War vessels by enslaved potter and poet David Drake and an exceptional collection of modernist works by William H. Johnson. In addition, the GCMA offers its popular Sundays at 2 programs, featuring gallery talks, musical performances, artist demonstrations, and family art adventures.

MARTHA CLOUD CHAPMAN GALLERY

Sandor Teszler Library, Wofford College
260 Wofford Campus Drive
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 597-4180
wofford.edu

The Martha Cloud Chapman Gallery is a primary venue to present the Sandor Teszler Library's special collections as well as the artwork of students and the Upstate community. The gallery promotes special collections through exhibits that foster their understanding, and thus stimulates active learning through research, teaching and learning. The gallery also provides unique opportunities for students and community art enthusiasts to exhibit works of art.

MODEL TRAINS STATION

250 Mill St. Suite BL1250
Taylors, SC 29687

Model Trains Station is a family-friendly destination for all ages. They are located at the Taylors Mill Development in Taylors, SC. You can now see over two dozen trains running on custom model train displays in scales of G, O, S, HO, N, Z, and TT at their 16,000 sq. foot location. A multipurpose room is available for birthday parties, meetings, clinics, and teaching. They were voted Best in the Upstate for family fun. There are interactive hands-on controls for most of the displays for you and your little engineers to have fun with. Several train displays have their very own scavenger hunts for even more fun. They also do on-site train repair. Plan your next family gathering and party at Model Trains Station. It is also an ideal place for your next field trip. Model Trains Station® is a part of the nonprofit 501(c) (3) Mini World of Trains® family incorporated in February 2010. They are run by their amazing all-volunteer staff.

PICKENS COUNTY MUSEUM OF ART & HISTORY

307 Johnson Street
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 898-5963
pickenscountysc.com

With three changing galleries, the museum offers exhibitions of traditional, folk, fine, and contemporary art, including an annual SC Artists Competition, Youth Arts, and a variety of regional and South Carolina artists.

RICHARDSON FAMILY ART MUSEUM & GALLERY

Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts
Wofford College
130 Memorial Drive
Spartanburg, SC 29303
(864) 597-4602
wofford.edu/student-experiences/arts-culture/museum-gallery

The Richardson Family Art Museum and Gallery, located in the Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts, serve as a dynamic resource for our community, a working laboratory for the college, and a platform for visiting exhibitions and the college's own permanent collection. Visitor Information: The Richardson Family Art Museum is open to the public on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday from 1 - 5 pm, and on Thursday from 1 - 7 pm. Admission is free, and no reservation is necessary.

UPCOUNTRY HISTORY MUSEUM

540 Buncombe Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 467-3100
upcountryhistory.org

The Upcountry History Museum is a great place to start your exploration of Greenville's past and discover one-of-a-kind experiences as you journey through Frontier beginnings, textile dominance, and transformative events that shaped the Upcountry's story of revitalization, charm, and cultural distinctiveness. Unrivaled traveling exhibitions expand the experience by introducing visitors to displays that further the UHM mission of connecting people, history and culture. Holiday closings: Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve, New Year's Day, Easter, Thanksgiving Day, and 4th of July. Admission Rates: \$14 Adults, \$13 Senior Adults (ages 65 and up) and college student with valid ID, \$10 Children ages 3 to 18, Free Children ages 2 and under.



Spartanburg Art Museum

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Downtown Greenville, S.C.

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5409 Hwy 76, Suite B
Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 359-2128
atlastantiques.com

At Last Antiques & Collectibles is centrally located in Sandy Springs, SC. We are just 2.3 miles from I-85 coming from Anderson. Not to mention, we are just a short drive from Clemson, Seneca, and historic Pendleton, SC. We invite you to browse our store, featuring many vendors! Each vendor has put in their booth time, energy, but most importantly, their passion! Our wish is that At Last Antiques & Collectibles will be on your must-see list each time you pass through!

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202 East Greenville Street
Anderson, SC 29621
(864) 260-4737
anderson-county-museum.square.site
Gallery and Store Hours: Tuesday, 10 am - 7 pm
Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm

Shop curated gifts and help support the Anderson County Museum at Whitner's Mercantile. Celebrate your love for South Carolina with some unique items for a birthday, hostess, or wedding gift. Find the perfect housewarming present for people moving to our area. When you shop at the museum gift shop, your purchase helps support the exhibits, programs, and our mission to collect and interpret artifacts that document the history of Anderson and South Carolina.

CHEROKEE COUNTY

GAFFNEY OUTLET MARKETPLACE

1 Factory Shops Boulevard
Gaffney, SC 29341
(864) 902-9911
gaffneyoutletmarketplace.com

Gaffney Outlet Marketplace brings outdoor shopping within easy reach of Greenville, SC, and Charlotte, NC. Located on I-85 at Exit 90, Gaffney Outlet Marketplace is the mall to stop and shop for a laid-back and casual experience while shopping international and national retailers. Offering name brands up to 75% off retail prices, you'll agree that Gaffney Outlet Marketplace is the Upstate's most unique and enjoyable outdoor shopping destination. Among our retailers, you'll find: Adidas, Crate & Barrel Outlet, Pottery Barn Outlet, Polo Ralph Lauren Factory Store, Nike Factory Store, Michael Kors, kate spade new york, and many more!

GREENVILLE COUNTY

MACGREGOR ORCHARD

2400 SC Highway 11
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
MacGregorOrchard.com
(864) 320-2778

MacGregor Orchard is a family-owned 20-acre fruit orchard located at 2400 SC Scenic Highway 11 in Travelers Rest. We grow 11 types of fruit (more than 100 varieties) that ripen from mid-June through late November. We grow Rhubarb, Apricots, Peaches, Nectarines, Plums, Prunes, Standard Pears, Asian Pears, Figs, Apples, Muscadine/Scuppernong, and Oriental Persimmons. During apple season, we press our own small-batch apple cider; we make our own apple sauce, apple butter, and fruit preserves. We also provide local vegetables and locally pasture-raised Black Angus beef. MacGregor Orchard Bees always make the best local honey. We offer u-pick during apple season based on apple availability. Local pumpkins during the fall season and so much more. We look forward to seeing you!!!

OCONEE COUNTY

CHATTOOGA BELLE FARM FEED, HARDWARE, AND ROADSIDE MARKET

12260 Long Creek Highway
Westminster, SC 29693
(864) 400-8150
ChattoogaBelleFarm.com

A satellite store for Chattooga Belle Farm Market, located conveniently on Highway 76. Not only do they sell farm produce and products, but they have also expanded into a diverse feed and hardware store for all your practical needs. You may also obtain SCDNR hunting and fishing licenses, as well as supplies for these sports..

CHATTOOGA BELLE FARM

454 Damascus Church Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9768
ChattoogaBelleFarm.com

Nestled in the Blue Ridge Mountains, boasting a stunning 270-degree view of rolling hills, vineyards, orchards, and berry patches. Selling over 20 kinds of fruit, Black Angus all-natural beef (when available). Chattooga Belle Farm is a 199-acre working farm and event destination), eggs from free-range chickens, several varieties of wine, a distillery, serving lunch (check website for hours), and farm-made products. It is a must see!

ECLECTIC SUN ON LAKE JOCASSEE

238 Buckeye Drive
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 944-1191
eclecticsun.com

Eclectic Sun Pontoons & Paddle Sport Rentals, on beautiful and scenic Lake Jocassee. Devils Fork State Park's on-site provider for all things to do on and around the lake. Boat Rentals: Canoes, Kayaks, Stand-Up-Paddleboards, and Harris Flotebote Pontoons. Lake and Waterfall Tours. We rent Lake Floats, Sun or Rain Canopies, and Beach Chairs. Eclectic Sun offers ice cream, snacks, and souvenirs, along with area information, firewood, ice, and fishing supplies.

THE FOOTHILLS FARMSTEAD

435 Farmstead Way
Westminster, SC 29693
(864) 710-1568
foothillsfarmstead.org

Visitors can step back in time to an agrarian way of life from the early 1900s. Special events throughout the year also offer a glimpse of family farms from 100 years ago.

PICKENS COUNTY

AUNT SUE'S COUNTRY CORNER

107-A Country Creek Drive
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 878-4366
auntsuescountrycorner.com

Located on the Cherokee Foothills Scenic Highway just two miles east of Table Rock State Park, Aunt Sue's is a Restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor that houses several local small businesses. The ice cream parlor and restaurant offer delicious soups, sandwiches, ice cream, home-made fudge, and cobblers. We also now have the black bear den, where we sell hot dogs, pizza, and wings. Check the website for hours of operation.

BEE WELL HONEY & NATURAL MARKET

205 Hampton Avenue
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 898-5122 option 2
beewellhoneyfarm.com

Our market features raw local honey from Upstate South Carolina. We have raw milk, butter, free-range eggs, jams, jellies, spices, and other healthy foods. We have our own homemade line of soaps and beeswax candles available, too. Please visit our coffee shop, where we are now serving New Yorker Bagel sandwiches and other great food items. This is a great place to pick up a gift for that special someone or yourself. Please visit our Bee Supply store at 909 W Main St, Pickens, SC 29671.

HAGOOD MILL MERCANTILE

138 Hagood Mill Road
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 898-2936
hagoodmillhistoricsite.com

The Hagood Mill Mercantile is located at the Hagood Mill Historic Site and features products from our own water-operated 1845 grist mill, listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Local works by artists, jewelers, crafters, and authors are also available Wednesday - Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm, year-round.

SPARTANBURG COUNTY

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Landrum, SC 29356
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VisitLandrumSC.com

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186 West Main Street
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 577-9349
hubcity.org

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Campobello, SC 29322
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Lake Jocassee

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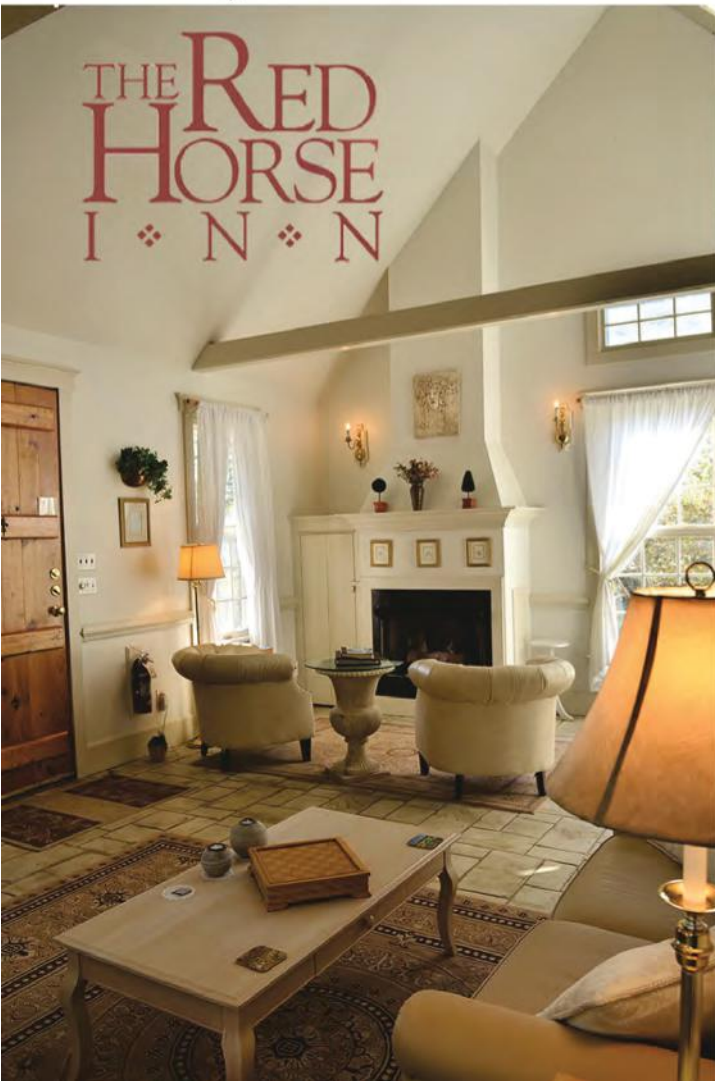


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FESTIVALS & EVENTS

For a complete list of festivals and special events, please visit our website at UpcountrySC.com. The calendar is continually updated as new events and programs develop.

Year-Round

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE PARKS

(803) 734-0156
(866) 345-PARK (7275)
SouthCarolinaParks.com

South Carolina's state parks offer exciting recreation, nature, and history programs and events throughout the year.

January

CHESNEE

MID-JANUARY

BATTLE OF COWPENS

864 461-2828
nps.gov/cowp

Please join us in observing the Anniversary of the Battle of Cowpens! This event will include guest speakers, ranger-led battlefield walks, cavalry demonstrations, historic weapons demonstrations, music, children's activities, and lantern walks!

February

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN FEBRUARY

DEEP WINTER BLUES

(864) 898-2936
visithagoodmill.com

Join us to celebrate Upcountry South Carolina as a historical mecca for the blues. The 1845 grist mill will be operating, and the site will be filled with living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 13 and older. Text GRITS to 85100 to receive updates from the Hagood Mill.

March

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN MARCH

KIDS FEST

(864) 898-2936
visithagoodmill.com

Join us to celebrate kids with kids' activities galore, local youth musicians, youth bluegrass, an old-time talent show, and more. The 1845 grist mill will be operating, and the site will be full of living

history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 10 and older.

SALEM

MID-MARCH

BELLFEST

Devils Fork State Park
friendsofocasee.org/events

We kick off spring and celebrate the rare Oconee Bell, which promises to be in full bloom along the Oconee Bell Trail. Upstate Master Naturalists will be on hand to escort groups along the trail, pointing out the rare native wildflower and sharing interpretive information about its interesting place in history. This event will feature live music, food trucks, local vendors, local artists and authors, kid & family activities, and more!

April

PENDLETON

FIRST WEEKEND OF APRIL

HISTORIC PENDLETON SPRING JUBILEE

(864) 646-3782
PendletonSpringJubilee.com

Rain or shine, our Spring Jubilee street festival features a collection of the nation's finest artists

Festivals & Events

and craftspeople; art, woodwork, jewelry, furniture, and fine, one-of-a-kind pieces line the streets of our tiny town each year. Enjoy live music and grab a snack from our food vendors while you peruse the booths and meet your favorite artists. While you're here, take a walking tour of the historic district, stop by a restaurant on the Village Green, or hop in the car to visit our two antebellum house museums, Ashtabula and Woodburn. Pendleton's local merchants and antique shops will welcome you back time and again to enjoy their unique offerings as well. See you this spring!

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN APRIL

OLD TIME JAM AND CAMPING WEEKEND AT HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

Join us for a weekend of good ole jamming, dancing, and camping. The 1845 grist mill will be operating, and the site will be full of living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Saturday's admission is \$5 per person 10 and older. See website for camping information and entertainment programming.

PICKENS

END OF APRIL

PICKENS AZALEA FESTIVAL

(864) 301-1798

pickensazaleafestival.com

When the Azaleas begin to bloom, you know that it's time for the Pickens Azalea Festival! The event offers live musical entertainment at the amphitheater, car cruise-in, children's activities, self-guided historic tour, and arts and crafts.

May

GREENVILLE

SECOND WEEKEND OF MAY

ARTISPHERE PRESENTED BY TD BANK

(864) 271-9398

Artisphere.org

Main Street Greenville comes alive with Artisphere on Mother's Day weekend! With 135 visual artists lining the streets from the West End to Falls Park to Broad Street, this 3-day festival also hosts musicians and local performing arts groups, and features an amazing Kidsphere experience, Artist Demonstration Row, delicious food, drinks, and more.

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN MAY

MOUNTAIN ROOTS HERB FESTIVAL AT HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

Come get your plants and herbs for your summer garden and learn about native and

medicinal plants through a variety of workshops and vendors. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full with living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 13 and older. Text GRITS to 85100 to receive updates from the Hagood Mill.

GREENVILLE

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

GREENVILLE SCOTTISH GAMES AT FURMAN UNIVERSITY

gallabrael.com

A massive celebration of our Scottish heritage. It starts with the Great Scot! Parade on Friday at 6 pm on Main Street in downtown Greenville. The Games have heavy athletics, pipe bands from all over the Southeast competing, VWee Scotland for the kids, Border Collie demonstrations, re-enactors, Scottish faeries, and Scottish Clans gathering at Furman University on Saturday. Be sure to see the incredible Military Salute to our Armed Forces, plus our Scottish allies serving in the British Army, and hang around for the World's Greatest Scottish Happy Hour and Celtic Jam after the Games.

June

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN JUNE

AMERICANA FOLK & DANCE FESTIVAL AT HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

On this special day, we will honor the Jean Laney Harris Folk Heritage Award winners and host a lineup of folk musicians, dance performances, and workshops. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full with living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 13 and older. Text GRITS to 85100 to receive updates from the Hagood Mill.

July

THIRD SATURDAY IN JULY

PICKENS

BANJO EXTRAVAGANZA AT HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

Join us for our annual trek through history as we follow the evolution of the banjo from its origins as an African gourd instrument to today's multiple and unique styles. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full with living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 13 and older. Text GRITS to 85100 to receive updates from the Hagood Mill.

MOUNTAIN REST

BEGINNING OF JULY

HILLBILLY DAY

(864) 638-9070

mountainrestcommunityclub.com

July 4 means Hillbilly Day in idyllic little Mountain Rest, SC! And it's still the summer fun, a family-style event which has happened here each July for over 60 years! Our folk festival activities launch at 9 am, finishing around 3 pm. Stage entertainment is from alternating, live, Bluegrass bands. Whether tapping your toes or showcasing your clogging talents on our dance floor, you'll be drawn into the rhythm of mountain music. Bring lawn chairs and arrive early to claim ideal spots under our covered outdoor pavilion. Wander the shaded festival grounds and experience mountain arts firsthand at vendor and crafter booths. Children's games include the historic greased-pole climb, greased-pig chase & more. Tempt your taste buds with BBQ, sandwiches, hot dogs, snow cones, boiled peanuts, ice cream, cakes, and more. Plan to spend Independence Day here with us in Mountain Rest, 125 Verner Mill Road at the junction of SC Highways 28 & 107.

GAFFNEY

MIDDLE OF JULY

SOUTH CAROLINA PEACH FESTIVAL

(864) 487-8507 or (864) 489-5716

getintogaffney.com

South Carolina's salute to the peach. Festival activities will include nationally renowned recording artists featuring blues, beach music, and bluegrass. The festival also includes art and crafts, car show, Barbecue cook-off, parade, carnival, and much, much more.

August

THIRD SATURDAY IN AUGUST

HAGOOD MILL SITE ROLLING WATERWHEEL GOSPEL REVUE

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

Join us in joyful song as we host an old-time gospel sing-along. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full with living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 10 and older.

September

3RD WEEKEND OF SEPTEMBER

GREENVILLE

EUPHORIA FOOD, WINE & MUSIC FESTIVAL

(864) 617-0231

euphoriagreenville.com

euphoria is a highly anticipated annual four-day festival for locals and visitors alike to gather in the heart of Greenville to enjoy the city's vast entertainment options and celebrate and enjoy its

thriving culinary and arts communities. euphoria features exclusive tasting events, intimate musical experiences, cooking demonstrations and wine seminars, as well as multi-course dinners and live music concerts.

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER

OLE TIME FIDDLING CONVENTION

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

Old-Time musicians near and far descend on the grounds of Hagood Mill to compete in the SC State Fiddling Championship. We also host Friday and Saturday evening concerts. The 1845 grist mill will be operating, and the site will be full of living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 10 and older. Go to our website or Facebook page for more information.

WESTMINSTER

MID-SEPTEMBER

SOUTH CAROLINA APPLE FESTIVAL

(864) 647-7223

westminstersc.com

The Upcountry's salute to the apple, the SC Apple Festival celebrates the beginning of apple harvest season in Oconee County, the largest apple-producing area in the state. The annual festival has continued to grow in popularity since its first appearance in 1961. The week-long activities include arts, crafts, and food vendors, a Chattooga River Float, live entertainment by a variety of musicians, the annual Apple Festival IPRA-sanctioned World Championship Rodeo, and much, much more.

INMAN

LAST SATURDAY IN SEPTEMBER

HARVEST DAY FESTIVAL

(864) 472-3654

inmanchamber.com/harvest-day

Artists, craftspeople, special storewide and sidewalk sales, food vendors, children's activities, and entertainment throughout the day offer something for everyone. Visiting with old friends, or making new ones, reminds us why living in a small town is a great place to call home.

October

BEGINNING OF OCTOBER

SPARTANBURG

SPARTANBURG INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL

(864) 562-4195

cityofspartanburg.org

The Spartanburg International Festival is held on the first Saturday of October in beautiful Barnet Park. More than 8,000 people attend to celebrate and explore the world through food, music, dance, folk art, and more. People from more than 60 countries reside in Spartanburg, SC, and more than

100 international businesses make Spartanburg their home. The Spartanburg International Festival is held each year to celebrate Spartanburg's diverse community through food, music, hands-on activities, fun, and dance. Festivalgoers come to Barnet Park for the day and take a trip around the world. Admission to the International Festival is free and open to the public.

PACOLET

3RD SATURDAY IN OCTOBER

PACOLET RIVERFEST

(864) 474-9504

Townofpacolet.com

Formerly the Indian Summer Festival, the Pacolet Riverfest is an annual event held on the 3rd Saturday in October, featuring live music, craft beer, a car show, kids' activities, food, and crafters. It's free to attend and fun for the whole family, located right on the Pacolet River.

BELTON

1ST SATURDAY OF OCTOBER

STANDPIPE FESTIVAL

beltonsc.com/standfest.htm

The castle-like tower, completed in 1909, rising 155 feet, is a familiar landmark. One of the highest reinforced concrete structures in the United States, Belton's standpipe, which is used for water storage, is designated a historical site and listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The festival includes entertainment, games, rides, a children's area, exhibitions, a classic car show, arts & crafts, and historical walks.

BLACKSBURG

BEGINNING OF OCTOBER

ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF KINGS MOUNTAIN

(864) 936-7921

nps.gov/kimo

Join us as Kings Mountain National Military Park commemorates a pivotal and significant victory by American Patriots over American Loyalists during the Southern Campaign of the Revolutionary War. The park will host a wide variety of activities on the battle anniversary weekend, including weapons demonstrations, colonial trades and crafts demonstrations, youth activities, guided lantern tours, and more.

CHESNEE

BEGINNING OF OCTOBER

OVERMOUNTAIN VICTORY NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL MARCH

(864) 461-2828

nps.gov/cowp

The Overmountain Victory Historic Trail follows the Revolutionary War route of Patriot militia men from Virginia, today's eastern Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia to the battle of Kings Mountain, SC, site of Kings Mountain National Military Park. The victory secured by the Patriot militia at the Battle of Kings Mountain on October 7, 1780, was a turning point of the Southern campaign of the American

Revolution. On October 6, 1780, after trailing Major Patrick Ferguson for 13 days, the patriot militia arrived at the Cowpens. During their brief stay, they selected the men who would proceed to and fight at Kings Mountain on October 7, where Major Ferguson was defeated. Thomas Jefferson called the Battle of, "a turn of the tide." Celebrate the anniversary with stories from the event told by "marchers" and other exciting activities. Activities include a series of activities at Cowpens National Battlefield by re-enactors who then follow the original trail to King's Mountain to commemorate the pivotal battle.

GREENVILLE

MID-OCTOBER

BANK OF AMERICA FALL FOR GREENVILLE

fallforgreenville.net

Discover a world of tempting tastes, sights, and sounds, as mouthwatering aromas carry you along Greenville's Main Street. With over 45 restaurants featuring over 250 menu items and free entertainment on seven stages, we invite you to enjoy the Southeast's most popular outdoor festival.

GREENVILLE

MID-OCTOBER

HAMPTON-PINCKNEY PORCHFEST

hporchfest.org

This free community event features live musical performances on 12 porches throughout the historic Hampton-Pinckney neighborhood near downtown Greenville – plus 25+ local makers, food trucks, and beverages.

WALHALLA

MID-OCTOBER

WALHALLA OKTOBERFEST

(864) 280-1880

TheWalhallaOktoberfest.com

Walhalla, tucked into the mountains of the northwest corner of the Upcountry, was founded by German settlers in 1850. The heritage is celebrated each year through an annual festival. Visitors can experience good spirits, good times, laughter, and goodwill at the Oktoberfest. Enjoy Walhalla's heritage with bratwurst, sauerkraut, strudel, crafts, music, and dancing.

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN OCTOBER

STORYTELLING FESTIVAL & LIAR'S COMPETITION

(864) 898-2936

visithagoodmill.com

Come on down to the old mill and listen to tales skirting the edges of truth and belief. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full of living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Saturday's admission is \$5 per person 10 and older. See website for camping information and Friday Night Frights & Ghost Stories.

MID-OCTOBER

PICKENS APPALACHIAN FOLK FESTIVAL

pickensappalachianfolkfestival.org

This two-day event celebrates the unique Appalachian heritage in Northern Pickens County and the Upstate of South Carolina. Join us Friday evening for a magical night of bluegrass, and gear up for a Saturday packed with music, artisan vendors, and delicious food.

November

GREENVILLE

METROPOLITAN ARTS COUNCIL

Greenville Open Studios
(864) 467-3132

greenvillearts.com/greenville-open-studios

Greenville Open Studios is a free event in which local art studios are open to the public, showcasing artists at work in their space. Held annually in November, the self-guided tour directs visitors to artist studios throughout a 15-mile radius of downtown Greenville.

INMAN

NOVEMBER – DECEMBER

MAGIC OF LIGHTS AT HOLLYWILD ANIMAL PRESERVE

(864) 472-2038
hollywild.com

Visit Upcountry South Carolina's most exciting seasonal attraction – Magic of Lights at Hollywild Animal Preserve. Drive through nearly 100 acres, magically decorated with hundreds of thousands of twinkling lights, dazzling holiday themes, light sculptures, tunnels of lights, plus herds of live animals... and much more. Visit the Enchanted Deer Forest, which houses herds of free-roaming animals that you can feed by hand – an area for all ages.

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN NOVEMBER

HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE

Native American Celebration
(864) 898-2936
visithagoodmill.com

At this time of year, Americans give thanks. Join us at the Hagood Mill to give thanks to, and honor the first peoples of these lands, for the food traditions and customs that have influenced southern Appalachian life for hundreds of years. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full with living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Admission is \$5 per person 10 and older.

December

INMAN

NOVEMBER - DECEMBER

MAGIC OF LIGHTS AT HOLLYWILD ANIMAL PRESERVE

(864) 472-2038
hollywild.org

See November listing - through December.

SPARTANBURG

BEGINNING OF DECEMBER

A DICKENS OF A CHRISTMAS

(864) 583-2776
spartanburgdickens.org

"A Dickens of a Christmas" is a holiday gift to the community from Spartanburg's cultural community that brings the Victorian spirit of Charles Dickens' time to downtown Spartanburg. Festivalgoers are immersed in the Victorian era, with sights and activities including living window displays of scenes from Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," street entertainers, strolling carolers,

handbell choirs, marching suffragettes, chestnut roasters, horse-drawn carriage rides, a Victorian Santa, and more! Visit our website for more information.

PENDLETON

EARLY DECEMBER

CHRISTMAS IN OLDE PENDLETON

(864) 646-7249
pendletonhistoricfoundation.org

The Pendleton Historic Foundation hosts its annual Christmas celebration in a unique way; it changes location each December so our guests and their whole family can join us in education year after year. Celebrate with us at a historic home in the community for a tour and a hot cider; visit multiple homes and churches decorated to the nines, or visit our homes, Ashtabula and Woodburn, to see traditional holiday decorations from the 1800s. Call for more information on this year's activities!

PICKENS

THIRD SATURDAY IN DECEMBER

HAGOOD MILL HISTORIC SITE

Ed Harrison Memorial Celtic Christmas
(864) 898-2936
visithagoodmill.com

The Scotch-Irish immigrants were among the first settlers in the Appalachian region, and these traditions are still alive today. Join us as we celebrate this glorious season with Scotch-Irish song and dance. The 1845 gristmill will be operating, and the site will be full of living history demonstrators and artisan craft vendors. The Hagood Creek Petroglyph Site will also be open. Saturday's admission is \$5 per person 10 and older.



Pickens Azalea Festival

PHOTO BY TONY SMITH



HOW THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION WAS

PHOTO BY LIZ CRAWLEY PHOTOGRAPHY

DID YOU KNOW
*4 of the counties in the
Upcountry are named for
Revolutionary War heroes?*

Anderson County and the city of Anderson were named for General Robert Anderson. It is located along what was once the General's Road, now Main Street, which ran from Abbeville Courthouse to General Pickens' home near present-day Clemson University.



Excerpted from an article by Hope S. Philbrick

Over 200 Revolutionary War battles and skirmishes took place in South Carolina, and the footprints of those who fought can still be seen today. With the 250th anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, now is the time to explore some key victories and our state's role in America's independence.

If we follow the **Overmountain Victory National Historic Trail**, which stretches 330 miles, it traces the route used by the patriot militia during the pivotal campaign of 1780. At the end of this trail is **Kings Mountain National Military Park** in Blacksburg, which preserves the battle site of what Thomas Jefferson called "the turn of the tide of success." Watch a film in the visitor's center, explore the museum, or walk the 1.5-mile Battlefield Trail. On the trail lies the grave of Scottish Commander Patrick Ferguson of the British forces.

Your next stop along the Overmountain Victory Trail is **Cowpens National Battlefield**. The Patriots' General Daniel Morgan is credited with the tactical masterpiece of the entire war: the double envelopment, a classic military tactic to surround the enemy. Here you'll find a 1.2-mile walking trail that crosses through the battlefield, a 3.5-mile biking and driving trail that loops around the battlefield perimeter, interpretative signs, a visitors center with a museum, plus a restored log cabin.

During the War, American militia forces met and mustered at **Walnut Grove Plantation**. Local tradition says that Margaret Catherine "Kate" Moore Barry helped scout Spartanburg County for General Daniel Morgan and was instrumental in helping warn the Americans before the Battle of Cowpens. Take a tour through the doctor's office, kitchen, cabin, blacksmith forge, smokehouse, and more to learn about life in the Backcountry during Colonial times.

Musgrove Mill State Historic Site commemorates a bloody battle where a force of about 200 Patriots defeated about 500 Loyalists and British troops. Along with a Visitor Center, there are two trails—the 1-mile British encampment trail and the 1.5-mile battlefield trail—which are dotted with informational kiosks. Don't miss Horseshoe Falls near the beginning of the battlefield trail.

History lies in every corner of the Upcountry. Discover our country's past as you experience our Southern hospitality.

Read the whole article, including maps, annual events, and a timeline of the War at RevWarUpcountrySC.com.

AN WON in South Carolina

2 The city and county of **Greenville** are named after Major General Nathanael Greene. Though it was initially spelled "Greeneville" in honor of him, it was later shortened to Greenville. No less than 21 cities, towns, and counties around the country are named for Greene.

3 **Pickens County** and the city of Pickens both honor Brigadier General Andrew Pickens for his service during the War.

4 **Spartanburg**, and the city of Spartanburg, are both named after the local militia unit led by General Daniel Morgan, the Spartan Regiment. The Regiment's name references Sparta, a warrior society in ancient Greece.



Sunrise Farm Bed & Breakfast in Salem, SC

PHOTO BY ALLSPICE PHOTOGRAPHY, LLC.

ACCOMMODATIONS

ANDERSON COUNTY

ANDERSON SC KOA CAMPGROUND

200 Wham Road
Anderson, SC 29625
(864) 287-3161 or (800) 562-5804
koa.com/campgrounds/anderson

Located among tall southern loblolly pines in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, this campground is a gateway to a host of nearby treats. Conveniently located near Clemson University, nearby Lake Hartwell and many other activities/sightseeing. Group pavilion. Wi-Fi. RV SITES: (full hookup and water/electric; 30/50amp; cable TV; some patio sites. TENT SITES: (with electric and water) CABINS: (one and two-room bedroom only log cabins; some with cable TV; close to bathrooms) DELUXE CABINS: (kitchens and bathrooms; cable TV) 2023 KOA Founder's and President's Award Winner.

CLEMSON OUTDOOR LAB

415 Charlie White Trail
Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 646-7502
clemson.edu/outdoorlab

Cabins and Suites on Lake Hartwell located 5 miles from the Clemson University campus.

THE BLECKLEY INN

151 E Church Street
Anderson, SC 29624
(864) 225-7203
bleckleyinn.com

The Bleckley Inn is Anderson's premier inn and events facility. Featuring exposed wood floors and brick dated 100 years ago combined with the technology and conveniences of today. Spread across three buildings and featuring 30 hotel rooms, the Bleckley Inn is perfect for your next visit to downtown Anderson.

GREENVILLE COUNTY

BEST WESTERN GREENVILLE AIRPORT INN

5009 Pelham Road
Greenville, SC 29615
(864) 297-5353
bestwestern.com/greenvilleairportinn

3 Miles from GSP Airport and 10 miles from downtown Greenville. Smiling faces await you. Hot buffet breakfast daily.

COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT GREENVILLE DOWNTOWN

50 West Broad Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 451-5700
marriottcourtyardgreenville.com

Contemporary décor along with modern

architecture blends seamlessly with Marriott's signature hospitality. The soul of a city in the heart of downtown.

GRAND BOHEMIAN LODGE GREENVILLE

44 E Camperdown Way
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 520-5300
GrandBohemianGreenville.com

Perched on the falls of the iconic Reedy River; this luxury lodge is inspired by the spirit of Greenville with carefully curated detailing that pays tribute to the surrounding Falls Park. With stunning city views and plenty of natural light, you'll feel right at home here.

HAMPTON INN GREENVILLE I-385 – WOODRUFF ROAD

15 Park Woodruff Drive
Greenville, SC 29607
(864) 213-8200
hamptoninngreenville.com

Located in the heart of Greenville! Convenient to Woodruff Road & I-85 / I-385 interchange. Just walking distance to Frankie's Fun Park and convenient to the Shops at Greenridge. We are within a mile of many restaurants and specialty shops. All your needs in one perfect stay.

Accommodations

HAMPTON INN & SUITES GREENVILLE AIRPORT

128 The Parkway
Greenville, SC 29615
(864) 263-5555 or 1-800-HAMPTON
greenvilleairportsuites.hamptoninn.com

Hampton Inn & Suites Greenville Airport is located off I-85, just 4 miles from GSP International Airport. The hotel features 24-hour airport shuttle service and local business service within 5 miles.

HAMPTON INN GREENVILLE/ SIMPSONVILLE

3934 Grandview Drive
Simpsonville, SC 29680
(864) 963-9292
simpsonville.hamptoninn.com

Enjoy the experience of home and office with free hot breakfast, free Wi-Fi, complimentary guest laundry, fitness center, and an outdoor pool.

HAMPTON INN BY HILTON GREER GREENVILLE

112 N Main Street
Greer, SC 29650
(864) 519-0100
hilton.com/en/hotels/gspgghx-hampton-greer-greenville

The Hampton by Hilton Greer Greenville offers complimentary parking, breakfast, and exceptional service. Amenities include an outdoor, heated pool, fire pit, fitness center, and meeting space. Pet-friendly accommodations are within walking distance of downtown Greer, inviting travelers to get the most from their stays.

HILTON GARDEN INN GREENVILLE

108 Carolina Point Parkway
Greenville, SC 29607
(864) 284-0111
greenville.hgi.com

Award-winning Hilton property, located in the middle of Greenville's best attractions. The hotel has a convenient onsite restaurant, equipped with a full bar. Luxurious outdoor swimming pool, deck area, on-site fitness center, as well as 3,500 sq. ft. of meeting spaces with professional sales and catering staff.

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS & SUITES GREENVILLE DOWNTOWN

407 N. Main Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 678-8000
hiexpress.com/greenvilledtwn

The Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites in Downtown is a much-anticipated treasure! The upscale hotel is within walking distance to fantastic shopping, public parks, historic museums, and over 70 of the city's most popular restaurants and pubs. Guest rooms are filled with a number of amenities. The hotel features a business center, pool, fitness center, and much more.

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS & SUITES SIMPSONVILLE

642 Fairfield Road
Simpsonville, SC 29680
(864) 962-3228
hiexpress.com/simpsonvillesc

Our non-smoking hotel is just minutes from local corporations and attractions, such as Heritage Park, Discovery Island, and Falls Park. Our amenities include a 1,200 sq. ft. meeting room, Full-Service Business Center, Outdoor Pool, and Complimentary Wi-Fi, making us the perfect choice for business or leisure travel.

HOME2 SUITES GREENVILLE DOWNTOWN

350 N. Main Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 326-4700
greenvilledowntown.home2suitesbyhilton.com

Welcome home! Now you have a Home2 in downtown Greenville. A North Main Street address and all the comforts of home. Enjoy your stay in a comfortable and spacious suite. Enjoy complimentary breakfast daily at our Inspired Table™, and buy snacks and sundries at 24/7 Home2 MKT®. Socialize in the Oasis and enjoy family time on the outdoor patio with fire pits and grills. Stay for a few days or a few months where you are Free to Be You!

HOTEL HARTNESS

120 Halston Avenue
Greenville, SC 29615
864-686-8900
HotelHartness.com

The 69-room suites in the main hotel and the four distinctive spa suites will be finely appointed in a fresh and modern motif, offering several configurations for a variety of audiences, including business travelers, families, and couples seeking a romantic weekend retreat.

HYATT REGENCY GREENVILLE

220 N. Main Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 235-1234
greenville.hyatt.com

Hyatt Regency Greenville offers guests the perfect balance of Southern hospitality and modern amenities. Located in the trendy downtown area of Greenville, we're near the area's best dining, shopping, and entertainment. Hyatt Regency Greenville features Roost Restaurant, Starbucks, Orb Lounge, 327 guest rooms, and 35,000 sq. ft. of meeting and event space. Whether you're visiting Furman University, exploring Falls Park on the Reedy, or staying in town for business, you will find a welcoming room waiting for you in South Carolina.

PETTIGRU PLACE: A BED & BREAKFAST

302 Pettigru Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 242-4529
pettigruplace.com

Nestled in the heart of downtown Greenville, and surrounded by the gracious homes of the Pettigru Historic District. Walking distance to Main Street, Pettigru Place is Southern Hospitality at its finest. This historic inn features six luxurious guest rooms, each with its own private bath, and a blooming English garden that provides a welcome retreat just half a mile from the hustle and bustle of Main Street and all it has to offer.



Downtown Greenville SC

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THE RED HORSE INN

45 Winstons Chase Court
Landrum, SC 29356
(864) 909-1575
theredhorseinn.com

Six cottages and four inn rooms with sweeping mountain views create the perfect setting for your romantic getaway, corporate retreat, or break from the norm. Visit our wine bar and enjoy a fine wine as you soak in the mountain views on our Grand Terrace. If you're looking for a quiet, relaxing vacation while close to home, look no further than The Red Horse Inn. Close to home, close to heaven.

SOLITUDE POINTE CABINS & RV PARK

102 Table Rock Road
Cleveland, South Carolina 29635
(864) 836-4128
solitudepointe.com

Highly rated, beautiful, wooded campground with 30- and 50-amp, full-hookup sites. Free Wi-Fi, Saluda River fishing access. Perfectly situated just 10 minutes from Table Rock, Caesar's Head, and Jones Gap State Parks. Bring your own RV or stay in one of our Luxury Cabins. At some Pointe, everyone needs Solitude!

TRAVELERS REST/N GREENVILLE KOA

2400 N. Highway 25
Travelers Rest, SC 29690
(864) 834-8150 or (800) 562-5631
koa.com/campgrounds/greenville

Located right outside Travelers Rest in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, this campground is a great base camp for exploring downtown Travelers Rest or Greenville. Drive north only 25 minutes to Hendersonville, NC, or 45 minutes to Asheville or the Blue Ridge Parkway. We offer RV sites with various amenities that back up to Johnson Creek. We have deluxe cabins with outside decks. Unique Covered Wagons with private decks and yards for outdoor fun are also available.

OCONEE COUNTY**BUTTERFLY RIDGE MOUNTAIN RETREAT**

151 Shack Hollow Road
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 557-6222
butterflyridgemountainretreat.com

A luxury mountain-view B & B only 3 miles from Lake Jocassee, central to waterfalls and attractions. Private entrance suites with fireplaces and whirlpool tubs available. Pet-friendly, delicious, and healthy breakfast included. Property features free Wi-Fi, Satellite TV, fitness areas, hiking, a fire pit, and a patio.

DEVILS FORK STATE PARK VILLAS

161 Holcombe Circle
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 944-2639 or (866) 345-PARK (7275)
southcarolinaparks.com

Twenty modern villas within the park are ideal vacation homes on Lake Jocassee. The two- and three-bedroom villas accommodate up to 4 or 6 guests and include bed and bath linens, kitchen appliances, basic cooking and eating utensils, central heat/air, a fireplace, a screened porch, and a charcoal grill. Each villa is equipped with high-speed internet and Smart TVs, allowing guests to access their own streaming services. Two villas are handicapped accessible. In addition, there are 59 paved RV sites, 25 tent sites, and 25 primitive boat-in camping sites at the park. A private boat ramp and boat parking area are available for villa guests; this is the only public boating access to Lake Jocassee. Open year-round.

FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES

800 Bypass 123
Seneca, SC 29678
(864) 873-9411
marriott.com/gspff

Located on Lake Keowee, our hotel offers a 1100-square-foot meeting room. Wi-Fi throughout, and a Business Center. Looking to relax, our deck and pool overlooking the lake provide the perfect location. Clemson University is minutes away for the Tiger Fan!

HAMPTON INN & SUITES

1011 E. North 1st Street
Seneca, SC 29678
(864) 482-2900
gspsc@gmail.com

Historic Walnut Grove
Roebuck, South Carolina
spartanburghistory.org

Located within walking distance of Lake Keowee, near downtown Seneca, SC, the Hampton Inn & Suites Seneca-Clemson Area is just a short drive from numerous local restaurants, golf courses, and many beautiful lakes, state parks, mountains, and waterfalls. The Hampton Inn & Suites is conveniently located just 6 miles from Clemson University.

WILDWATER DELUXE CABINS

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587 or (800) 451-9972
wildwaterrafting.com/adventures/chattooga-sc-lodging/

If you are looking for cabins with all the amenities of home, try the cabins at Wildwater. Three sizes of cabins to fit any family or group. Corkscrew Cabin sleeps up to 12 with 4 bedrooms and a loft, 3 1/2 baths. Jawbone Cabin sleeps up to 8 with 3 bedrooms and a loft, 2 baths. Our newest cabins have 2 bedrooms and 2 baths. All cabins have fireplaces, TV's with DirecTV, covered outdoor deck and outdoor grills. All amenities of home included.

LOFTS OVER MAIN

216 East Main Street
Walhalla, SC 29691
loftsovermain.com

1890's shopkeepers' homes turned to Lofts Over Main, now you can sleep under the sheets and over the streets of Walhalla, SC. If you love vintage, rustic, yet minimalistic and modern, then come experience the 1890's architecture as you climb into your next foothills adventure here at the Lofts Over Main.

MORESUN BUNKHOUSE

160 Kenneth Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 710-6373
airbnb.com/h/moresun-bunkhouse

Five-bedroom house minutes from the Chattooga River, one mile from Chattooga Belle Farm, close to hiking & biking trails and amazing waterfalls! This is a great location for friends and family wanting to stay and play in Long Creek.

MOUNTAIN LAKES VACATION RENTAL HARTWELL / KEOWEE

Lakefront Rentals on Hartwell
15298 S. Highway 11
Fair Play, SC 29643
(864) 973-8105
Mountainlakes.net

We have privately owned rental homes on Lake Hartwell and Lake Keowee. The waterfront homes feature two to seven bedrooms, and all have docks. Handicapped accessible. Pets allowed. Located near Clemson and state parks, and convenient to great recreational opportunities such as rafting, horseback riding, and much more. Offers an extended stay rate.

MOUNTAIN REST CABINS & CAMPGROUND

175 Homeland Drive, Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 718-0333
mountainrestcabins.com

We are a family-owned & operated campground featuring uniquely themed chalets, cottages,

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OCONEE STATE PARK CABINS

624 State Park Road
Mountain Rest, SC 29664
(864) 638-5353 or (864) 345-PARK (7275)
southcarolinaparks.com

Nineteen rustic cabins, fully furnished, including linens, cooking/eating utensils, microwave, central heat/air, and fireplaces. The cabins can accommodate 2 to 6 people. Amenities at the park include picnic shelters, a lake for swimming and fishing, boat rentals, nature and hiking trails, and a trading post.

SUNRISE FARM BED & BREAKFAST

325 Sunrise Drive
Salem, SC 29676
(864) 944-0121
sunrisefarmbb.com

A peaceful country getaway near Lake Jocassee and Lake Keowee. Year-round access to outdoor activities. Accommodations include cozy farmhouse rooms, private baths with natural bath amenities, and fully equipped private cottages. Family-friendly. Delicious, made-from-scratch breakfasts and treats. Free Wi-Fi and satellite TV.

WILDWATER BIRD HOUSE

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587 or (800) 451-9972
wildwaterrafting.com/adventures/chattooga-sc-lodging

A new Bird House (think Tree House), tiny home that sleeps 2 with an efficiency kitchen and a queen bed.

WILDWATER CABINS

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587 or (800) 451-9972
wildwaterrafting.com/adventures/chattooga-sc-lodging

Wildwater has 4 new Cabins (2 bed/2 bath) featuring a full kitchen, living area, and a large covered deck.

WILDWATER'S CHATTOOGA COTTAGES

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587 or (800) 451-9972
wildwaterrafting.com/cabins.php

Wildwater's cottages are a convenient place to stay when you visit the Chattooga River. Nestled on the edge of the woods overlooking the Wildwater's Academy Lake and just steps away from the Chattooga Ridge Adventure Center, our cottages sleep four, have a full kitchen, and a

bath. The Chattooga Cottages feature a queen-size futon downstairs and a loft with twin beds, satellite TV with a DVD player, a spacious deck, linens and towels, and a full bath. Charcoal grills and a gazebo provide outdoor enjoyment and relaxation during your visit. Two duplex cottages are available.

WILDWATER'S CHATTOOGA GROUP YURTS

1251 Academy Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9587 or (800) 451-9972
wildwaterrafting.com/chayurts.php

Wildwater's Group Yurts at the Chattooga Ridge Adventure Center are perfect for your group's next trip. Five yurts with bunk-style accommodations sleep up to 36 people. Two kitchens and dining areas allow budget-conscious groups to prepare their own meals. Fully catered meals are also available. Bathhouse with 6 private full baths and 2 half baths. Activities available include Chattooga River Rafting, Lake Kayaking, High and Low Ropes course, Chattooga Ridge Canopy Tours, and Kayak and Canoe Clinics. The perfect place to stay when planning your next Group Adventure.

PICKENS COUNTY

CLEMSON UNIVERSITY'S

JAMES F. MARTIN INN
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stayatclemson.com

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COMFORT INN & SUITES – CLEMSON UNIVERSITY & SENECA, SC AREA

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choicehotels.com/south-carolina/clemson/comfort-inn-hotels/sc086

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851 Tiger Boulevard
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1-800-HAMPTON
clemson.hamptoninn.com

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1381 Tiger Boulevard
Clemson, SC 29631
(864) 654-9410
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INN @ CLEMSON

1303 Tiger Boulevard
Clemson, SC 29631
(864) 653-6000
innatclemson.com

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KEOWEE-TOXAWAY STATE PARK CABIN

108 Residence Drive
Sunset, SC 29685
(864) 868-2605
southcarolinaparks.com/keowee-toxaway

The beautiful cabin overlooks Lake Keowee and is fully furnished with linens, cooking and eating utensils, TV, washer/dryer, central heat/air, two fireplaces, and meeting space. It sleeps up to ten people. Amenities at the park include a boat dock, picnic shelters, the Jocassee Gorges Visitor Center, and nature and hiking trails. Handicapped accessible.

LAUREL MOUNTAIN INN

129 Hiawatha Trail
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 878-8500 or (864) 420-3925
laurelmountaininn.com

The upscale motel is located on seven beautiful, private acres off Scenic Highway 11, with views of Table Rock. Amenities include in-room microwaves and fridges, coffee makers, Satellite TV, and free Wi-Fi. Handicapped accessible. Golf, hiking, boating, fishing, waterfalls, and Sassafras Mountain, the highest point in South Carolina – a must-see, are nearby.

TABLE ROCK INN

4515 Hwy 11
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 633-6511
tablerockinn.com

The Inn has six rooms located on the beautiful Cherokee Foothills National Scenic Byway (SC 11). Recently renovated, the rooms are Clean, Comfortable, Cozy and Cute. Porches have rocking chairs to enjoy the lovely view of Table Rock Mountain.

TABLE ROCK STATE PARK CABINS

158 Ellison Lane
Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 878-9813
southcarolinaparks.com/table-rock

The fourteen rustic cabins are fully furnished, including linens, cooking/ eating utensils, coffee maker, central heat/air, and fireplaces. The park's amenities include a lake for swimming and fishing, boat rentals and a boat ramp, picnic shelters, nature and hiking trails, and a trading post. Hiking trails are open year-round. ADA-compliant cabin, campsites, and a fishing pier. Please call the park for availability.

THE ABERNATHY

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Clemson, SC 29631
(864) 654-5299
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SPARTANBURG COUNTY

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clevedaleinn.com

Clevedale Historic Inn and Gardens is a hidden gem on the Westside of Spartanburg's city center, dedicated to hosting those who prefer the intimate atmosphere of a bed and breakfast or a venue for one of life's special events. The four-acre homestead boasts lush gardens, age-old trees, family history, and quietude from all of the city's hustle and bustle. You can stay in one of the four themed bedrooms inside the homestead or across the courtyard in a 1947 Southern Railway caboose called the MackRail Cabin Car. From the Crepe Myrtle drive to the beautifully appointed bedroom suites to the opulent porticos, Clevedale is where "history meets hospitality."

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Spartanburg, SC 29301
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Southern hospitality is redefined and delivered by our staff, whose commitment to excellence and guest satisfaction is unparalleled. We are centrally located near the Greenville-Spartanburg Airport, at the intersection of I-85 and I-26.

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Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 596-1211
Marriott.com/SPAMC

Located in the heart of downtown Spartanburg, the Marriott Hotel features 247 spacious guest rooms and suites and offers over 29,000 sq ft of meeting and event space as well as indoor and outdoor dining options. The hotel's great location is within walking distance to Main Street, where you will find entertainment, unique shopping, and historic walking tours.

VINTAGE VIEW RIVER RETREAT AND ADVENTURES

PO Box 2
Clifton, SC 29324
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There's no better way to explore this area than by tasting it. I'm talking about strawberries, peaches, apples, along with jams, jellies, ciders, and even a little of the stronger stuff. The Cherokee Foothills National Scenic Byway (SC11) runs through five counties and offers an alternative to Interstate 85, along with opportunities to see the rural landscape, stop at roadside stands, and maybe even meet the farmers who grew the delicious crops.

Fruitful Finds ALONG SCENIC 11



Strawberry Hill USA in Chesnee, SC

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A farm stand underneath a giant peach? We know we're in the right place. **Abbott Farms** is right at the start of SC11 (I-85 at Exit 92: 103 Peachoid Rd, Gaffney, 29340). You'll definitely want to get a photo of the 135-foot water tower; the Peachoid, which commemorates Gaffney's role as a peach producer. At Abbott's, you'll find chow chow, jams, jellies, pickles, peanuts, pecans, salsas, syrups, and local honey, along with ciders, berries, peaches, scuppernongs, muscadines, and apples. Don't miss trying the free samples.

Just past Chesnee is a place where you can get a true southern breakfast with "Cathead" biscuits, sausage gravy, grits, and eggs. Lunch is burgers, hot dogs, or fried bologna, but we always stop for the ice cream, made fresh with fruits from the farm. **Strawberry Hill USA** is a multigenerational family-owned and operated farm (3092 Hwy 11 West, Chesnee, 29323). With 115 acres of strawberries, they are the largest strawberry farm in South Carolina, but you'll also find peaches, blackberries, pumpkins, and an awesome corn maze in the fall.

Peach Country (13380 Hwy 11, Campobello, 29332) is a true roadside stand. Obviously, they have peaches, but also strawberries, apples, blackberries,

apples, along with jams, jellies, homemade baked goods, cobbler mixes, honey, and their famous real fruit slushies. Even a quick stop will leave you feeling refreshed.

The photogenic stand at **MacGregor Orchard** (2400 Hwy 11, Travelers Rest, 29690) represents a family-owned 20-acre fruit farm. They offer 11 types of fruit, including peaches, nectarines, apples, plums, prunes, pears, Asian pears, muscadines, apricots, figs, and oriental persimmons. They also make their own Fancy Fruit Preserves, apple sauce, and press their own apple cider.

Take a detour off SC Hwy 11 and head to Long Creek, where you'll find an oasis at **Chattooga Belle Farm** (454 Damascus Church Road, Long Creek, 29658). This 200-acre working farm has a stunning 200-degree view of the Blue Ridge Mountains. There is an 18-hole Disc Golf course, a Farm Store, a bistro, and a distillery. You may have so much fun you want to stay! There is tent camping, RV spaces, and tiny homes to rent. Their U-pick selections include apples and peaches, muscadines, scuppernongs, table grapes, and blueberries. They also have a variety of exotic fruits, including persimmons, pawpaws, mayhaws, Arctic Kiwis, and figs.

Discover more places and stops along the way at **Scenic11.com**, a site devoted to traveling the Cherokee Foothills National Scenic Byway.



*Tandem Creperie and Coffeehouse
Travelers Rest, SC*

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RESTAURANTS

ANDERSON COUNTY

MCGEE'S SCOT-IRISH PUB

116 W Orr St
Anderson, SC 29624
(864) 261-6401
mcgeesirishpub.com

Tucked downtown, McGee's Scot-Irish Pub offers a distinct alternative to eating and drinking. Diversity is our special appeal. Business, civic, and social groups make use of our meeting room while families and friends enjoy our dining room nightly. Many come to our casual bar for unique global beers, whiskies, a Wine Spectator-awarded wine list, and live folk music performances. However, the real pleasure of visiting our pub comes from the kitchen, which is well versed in regional SC Upcountry Heritage Cooking, N. Irish, and Scottish fare.

GREENVILLE COUNTY

CAMP

2 East Broad Street
Camperdown Plaza
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 514-2267
campgvl.com

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LEFTY'S WEST END TAVERN

941 S. Main Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 516-1002
leftysgvl.com

Lefty's knocks it out of the park with its "something for everyone" sports bar menu. Grab a seat with your fellow fans at a high-top table, cozy booth, patio table, or the massive bar to nosh on classics with a twist. Start off with the Buy Me Some Peanuts and Cracker Jacks, a Jumbo Bavarian Pretzel, or some Lefty's Nachos before digging into one of our flavor-packed hand-helds or freshly made salads. Burgers, Nathan's franks, and a basket of wings round out one of the best pub bar menus in Greenville, all served by a friendly, attentive staff and talented bartenders.

NOSE DIVE

116 South Main Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 373-7300
thenosedive.com

NOSE DIVE is a casual gastropub offering fare best described as "urban comfort food." It's Greenville's destination where creativity and modern culinary techniques take center stage to create food that is approachable by all, using the best ingredients from local purveyors whenever possible. Come on in – or dine outside – and enjoy high-quality food, craft cocktails, a selection of handcrafted beers, and hand-selected wines, along with superior customer service and a warm neighborhood feel in the heart of Downtown Greenville.

SOBY'S NEW SOUTH CUISINE

207 S. Main Street
Greenville, SC 29602
(864) 232-7007
sobys.com

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2 West Washington Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 729-8626
SouthernPressedJuicery.com

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TAVOLA ITALIAN

620 Bridgeway Boulevard
Simpsonville, SC 29681
(864) 319-4648
tavolaitalian.com

Located at BridgeWay Station, Mauldin's new town center, Tavola is truly a feast for the eyes with its Italian countryside-inspired architecture and cuisine. The culinary team delivers authentic, crave-worthy dishes with robust bowls of scratch-made pastas made daily, the best focaccia bread, small and shareable plates, plus the finest cuts of steaks, chops, and seafood.

THE JONES OYSTER CO.

22 East Court Street
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 549-0301
thejonesoysterco.com

The Jones Oyster Company is a New England-style Oyster Bar in the heart of downtown Greenville, SC. Our menu celebrates coastal seafood traditions spanning from the East Coast, the tides of Charleston, and the banks of New Orleans - think fresh oysters to casual seafood classics to po'boys and chowder.

THE LAZY GOAT

170 Riverplace
Greenville, SC 29601
(864) 679-LAZY (5299)
thelazygoat.com

The Lazy Goat is a Mediterranean-themed restaurant with a menu featuring global influences from Spain, Morocco, Italy, France, Greece, Africa, and the Middle East. The culinary team is known for a "made from scratch" approach. The menu ranges from meat and cheese plates, small plates ("graze and nibble"), and main dishes such as house-made pastas, wood-fired pizzas, paella and regional entrees.

OCONEE COUNTY**BELLE'S BISTRO AT CHATTOOGA BELLE FARM**

454 Damascus Church Rd
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9768
chattoogabellefarm.com/farm/belles-bistro

Belle's Bistro serves lunch from April until Thanksgiving, Thursday - Sunday, at beautiful Chattooga Belle Farm. (Hours subject to change, please check our website for updates) Our indoor and outdoor features a panoramic view of the mountains that is unsurpassed. We offer a variety of artisanal sandwiches, salads, burgers, soup and chili, along with a few appetizers. Our weekly specials, freshly made desserts, and seasonal salads utilize the fruits of the farm. Weekends, call to confirm during the off-season; hours are subject to change.

THE STEAK HOUSE CAFETERIA

316 E. Main Street
Walhalla, SC 29691
(864) 638-3311
steakhousewalhallasc.com

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PICKENS COUNTY**AUNT SUE'S COUNTRY CORNER**

107-A Country Creek Drive
Pickens, SC 29671
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auntsuescountrycorner.com

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SOLE ON THE GREEN

230 Madren Center Drive
Clemson, SC 29634
(864) 656-7444
clemson.edu/madren/sole.html

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'55 EXCHANGE-HOME OF CLEMSON ICE CREAM

Hendrix Student Center, Clemson University
720 McMillan Road
Clemson, SC 29634
(864) 656-2155
clemson.edu/icecream

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SPARTANBURG COUNTY**BEACON DRIVE-IN**

225 John B. White Sr. Boulevard
Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 585-9387
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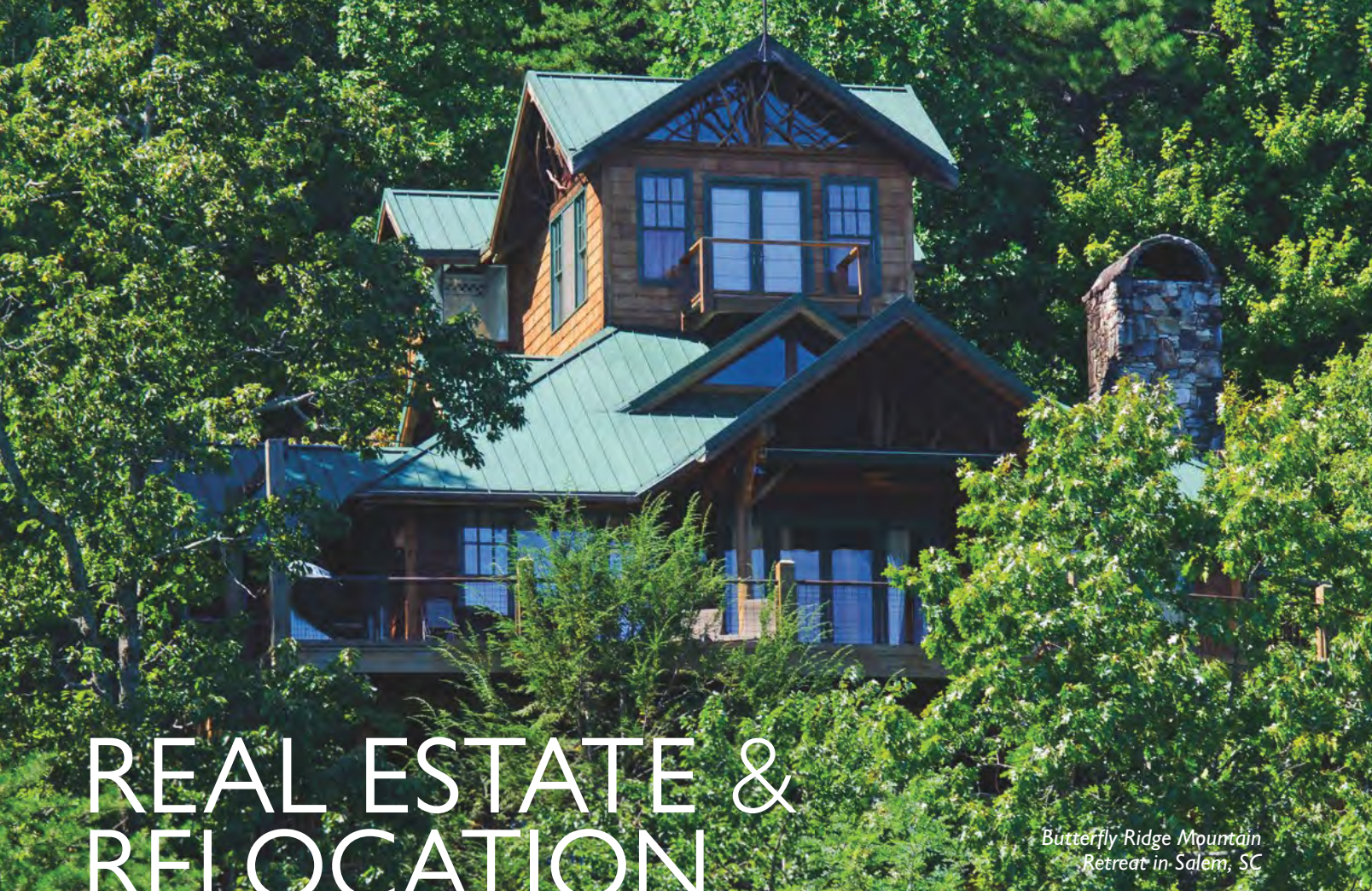
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*Butterfly Ridge Mountain
Retreat in Salem, SC*

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Wyldestay Greenville at Serenity Lake Farm

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VISITOR CENTERS & SERVICES

CAESARS HEAD VISITORS CENTER

8155 Geer Highway
Cleveland, SC 29635
(864) 836-6115
southcarolinaparks.com

The center offers a visual orientation to the Mountain Bridge Wilderness Area. Literature and exhibits describe the area's natural history, with emphasis on the extensive trail system, and include an exhibit that relates the story of early settlers. The shop offers gift items and brochures on Upcountry attractions and facilities. The center is located at Caesars Head State Park, NW of Greenville on US 276, approximately seven miles off Highway 11, 3 miles before the SC/NC border.

CHEROKEE FOOTHILLS VISITORS CENTER AT TABLE ROCK STATE PARK

158 Ellison Lane, Pickens, SC 29671
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The center provides visitor services, including cabin reservations for Table Rock State Park, as well as routing assistance, maps and information on Upcountry attractions.

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109 Daniel Drive, Clemson, SC 29631
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DUKE ENERGY'S WORLD OF ENERGY

7812 Rochester Highway, Seneca, SC 29672
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duke-energy.com/worldofenergy

Duke Energy's World of Energy education center at Oconee Nuclear Station, north of Seneca, is geared toward visitors of all ages, with self-guided exhibits and explorations, including games, a butterfly garden and a nature trail.

GAFFNEY VISITOR'S CENTER & ART GALLERY

210 West Frederick Street, Gaffney, SC 29341
(864) 487-6244
getintogaffney.com

The Gaffney Visitors Center & Art Gallery has much to offer, from information on various tourist attractions to exhibits of historical artifacts, art and more!

GREATER PICKENS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AND PICKENS VISITOR CENTER

222 W. Main Street, Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 878-3258, explorepickens.com

Located in the historic town of Pickens the visitor center provides information for your stay in Pickens County. Stop by for brochures, maps, details of area attractions, local events and festivals.

JOCASSEE GORGES VISITOR CENTER AT KEOWEE-TOXAWAY STATE PARK

108 Residence Drive, Sunset, SC 29685
(864) 868-2605, southcarolinaparks.com

The Jocassee Gorges Visitor Center's exhibits and other visitor information serve as a gateway to the Jocassee Gorges property. The center houses exhibits about the region's extraordinary natural diversity, the region's importance as a scientific research destination, the history of the people who lived here in the past, and features a three-dimensional topographic map of the region.

LAKE HARTWELL COUNTRY

120 History Lane, Pendleton, SC 29670
(864) 646-3782
lakehartwellcountry.com

A regional tourism office for Anderson, Oconee, and Pickens Counties. The visitor's center inside of the Bart Garrison Agricultural Museum features information about the area and their central office is located right across the parking lot, in a late 1800s historic mule barn, which also serves as an event space called the Iron Oak Barn. The old Pendleton District Commission archives, managed by LHC, are housed at Hunter's Store in Pendleton and are accessible by appointment.

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- Landrum Welcome Center
I-26 at SC/NC border (864) 457-2228

Travel assistance and newcomer information is available at South Carolina Welcome Centers that offer area information. South Carolina operates nine welcome centers across the state, including three in South Carolina's Upcountry. Services include complimentary lodging reservations, routing assistance and information on South Carolina attractions, facilities and events. Services are available daily, year-round. The centers are closed on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day. Restrooms are open 24 hours daily.

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Walhalla SC 29691
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In the northwestern-most corner of South Carolina is Oconee County, known for its spectacularly beautiful lakes and scenic mountain vistas. Oconee is home to Lakes Hartwell, Keowee and Jocassee, the National Wild and Scenic Chattooga River, endless waterfalls, the Sumter National Forest and the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. National Geographic calls Oconee County, South Carolina "One of the World's Last Great Places - a Destination of a lifetime!"

CLIMATE

The Upcountry has a pleasant, moderate climate with four distinct seasons. Here is a chart showing the average high and low temperatures.

Mo.	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
F°	50/31	54/33	62/39	73/48	80/57	85/64	88/68	88/67	82/62	72/49	62/40	53/33
C°	10/-1	12/1	17/4	23/9	27/14	29/18	31/20	31/20	28/17	22/9	17/4	12/1

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Charleston, SC 29403
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explorecharleston.com

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(Beaufort, Colleton, Hampton and Jasper counties)
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Yemassee, SC 29945
(800) 528-6870
southcarolinalowcountry.com

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(Horry and Georgetown counties)
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Myrtle Beach, SC 29578
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(Abbeville, Edgefield, Greenwood, Laurens and McCormick counties)
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Laurens, SC 29360
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Santee, SC 29142
(800) 227-8510
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(Aiken, Allendale, Bamberg and Barnwell counties)
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Aiken, SC 29802
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AC Hotel Spartanburg

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(864) 646-2717
Clemson.edu/garrison

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MEETING FACILITIES

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BON SECOURS WELLNESS ARENA

650 N. Academy Street, Greenville, SC 29601
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Bon Secours Wellness Arena is a 15,000-seat sports and entertainment complex. With over 100 events each year including concerts, sporting events, family shows and more – over 500,000 patrons pass through the doors annually.

CAMP CEDAR CREEK AT KEOWEE-TOXAWAY STATE PARK

108 Residence Drive, Sunset, SC 29685
(864) 868-2605, southcarolinaparks.com

Camp Cedar Creek is Keowee-Toxaway State Park's group camp facility. The camp includes a lodge meeting/dining hall with a kitchen area, two picnic shelters, a fishing pier, a large group fire pit area, three bunkhouse-style cabins, ten rustic campsites, and a bathhouse with restrooms and showers.

CHAPMAN CULTURAL CENTER

200 East Saint John Street, Spartanburg, SC 29306
(864) 542-2787
ChapmanCulturalCenter.org

The Chapman Cultural Center campus is home to 7 non-profit organizations that provide visual arts, music, stage performances, and scientific wonder for over 250,000 visitors each year. Open 6 days a week, Chapman Cultural Center has something for everyone from art galleries and museums to concerts, plays, and dance performances!

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454 Damascus Church Road
Long Creek, SC 29658
(864) 647-9768
chattoogabellefarm.com

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CLEVEDALE HISTORIC INN AND GARDENS

1050 Willis Road
Spartanburg, SC 29301
(864) 345-2394
clevedaleinn.com

Clevedale Historic Inn and Gardens is a hidden gem on the Westside of Spartanburg's city center, dedicated to hosting those who prefer the intimate atmosphere of a bed and breakfast or a venue for one of life's special events. The four-acre homestead boasts lush gardens, age-old trees, family history, and quietude from all of the city's hustle and bustle. You can stay in one of the four themed bedrooms inside the homestead or across the courtyard in a 1947 Southern Railway caboose called the MackRail Cabin Car. From the Crepe Myrtle drive to the beautifully appointed bedroom suites to the opulent porticos, Clevedale is where "history meets hospitality."

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IRON OAK BARN

120 History Lane, Pendleton, SC 29670
(770) 773-6159
ironoakbarn.com

Formerly the McGee Mule Barn, the Iron Oak Barn was relocated from Starr to Pendleton in 2020. The McGee family ran a highly successful business out of the building until WWII, exporting mules all across the South. Inside, literal "stock traders" ran the mule business from the loft office, and the animals slept in the stalls below. As you walk through the barn, you can imagine the hustle and bustle of sale days and the gentle rest of early mornings gone by. I.O.B. is a celebration of agricultural history and has been restored to its former glory – and modernized with several amenities – on the grounds of the Agricultural Museum of South Carolina as an event space. Restored to its former glory – and modernized with several amenities – on the grounds of the Agricultural Museum of South Carolina as an event space.

GAINES LODGE AT TABLE ROCK

233 Table Rock State Park Road, Pickens, SC 29671
(864) 878-9813
southcarolinaparks.com

Located in Table Rock State Park, the lodge was built in 1938 by the Civilian Conservation Corps. It offers a relaxing setting for a wedding or retreat and can accommodate up to 200 people.

GREENVILLE CONVENTION CENTER

One Exposition Drive, Greenville, SC 29607
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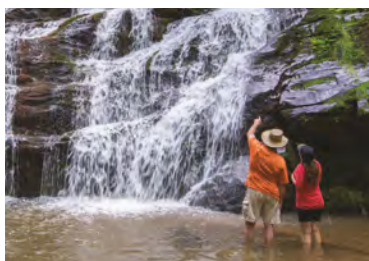
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(864) 909-1575
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1200 Otts Shoals Road, Roebuck, SC 29376
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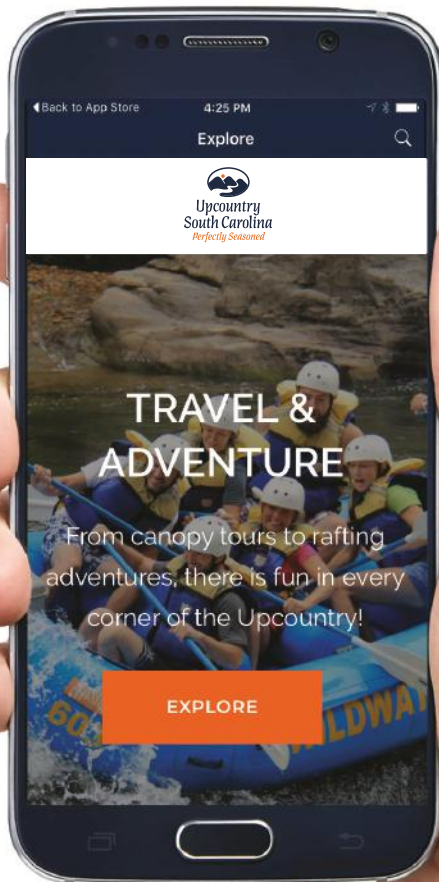


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Atlanta, GA	122	•	286	241	124	215	193	145	292	354	146	170	120
Charleston	217	286	•	200	235	112	209	210	108	94	234	201	252
Charlotte, NC	127	241	200	•	122	92	50	92	262	174	112	71	138
Clemson	18	124	235	122	•	133	81	30	241	272	19	61	16
Columbia	117	215	112	92	133	•	96	101	164	143	121	93	147
Gaffney	81	193	209	50	81	96	•	51	255	215	71	20	97
Greenville	30	145	210	92	30	101	51	•	260	242	20	31	46
Hilton Head Island	223	292	108	262	241	164	255	260	•	203	280	253	257
Myrtle Beach	258	354	94	174	272	143	215	242	203	•	262	223	288
Pickens	32	146	234	112	19	121	71	20	280	262	•	51	26
Spartanburg	61	170	201	71	61	93	20	31	253	223	51	•	77
Walhalla	35	120	252	138	16	147	97	46	257	288	26	77	•

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