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SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA

Welcome to Southern West Virginia — where new sights and experiences await adventurers and families alike. Here, discover some of the state's most beautiful landscapes, unique attractions, historical sites and mouth-watering cuisine.

Adventure can be found all around. With national, state and city parks; hundreds of miles of hiking and biking trails; a conveniently located ski resort; and some of the best rock climbing, offroading and whitewater rafting on the East Coast, there's something for every traveler here.

Unwind in friendly small towns full of delicious restaurants, local breweries and distilleries, inspiring art galleries, relaxing spas and historical landmarks. Rest overnight at cozy cabins, full-service resorts and hotels, charming bed-and-breakfasts or scenic campgrounds.

Embrace each new season. From spring wildflowers and summertime watering

holes to vibrant fall foliage and snow-covered slopes, Southern West Virginia is a year-round vacation destination.

Use this guide to navigate through the impressive nine-county area that is divided into three distinct regions — Scenic Views & Endless Experiences, Historic Coalfields & Off-Road Adventures and Timeless Towns & Farm Country. With highlights of each region — from lodging and dining to attractions and landmarks — trip planning has never been easier!

Delight in the natural beauty and wideopen spaces at some of the best sites and activities in the state. As an added bonus, we are located only a few hours drive from many major cities on the East Coast.

Whether you are planning a relaxing getaway, a grand adventure, or want a little of both, you'll find the best combination of activities during your Southern West Virginia vacation.

WHERE IS SOUTHERN WY?

Scenic landscapes and convenient routes will lead you here. Our region is located less than a day's drive from over 50% of the U.S. population and is easily accessible via I-64, I-77 and I-79.

Buckle up for an exciting tour of our peaceful rural areas and delightful downtowns. Be sure to plan stops along the way to explore our vibrant cities and small towns each filled with historic sites, adventure activities and local art. Every route offers new sights and experiences. Take a look at the map to start planning your next trip to Southern West Virginia.

For longer distances, there are also Amtrak stations and area airports. Amtrak stations in Southern West Virginia include Alderson, Charleston, Hinton, Montgomery, Prince, Thurmond and White Sulphur Springs.

Beckley, WV BKW Direct Flights

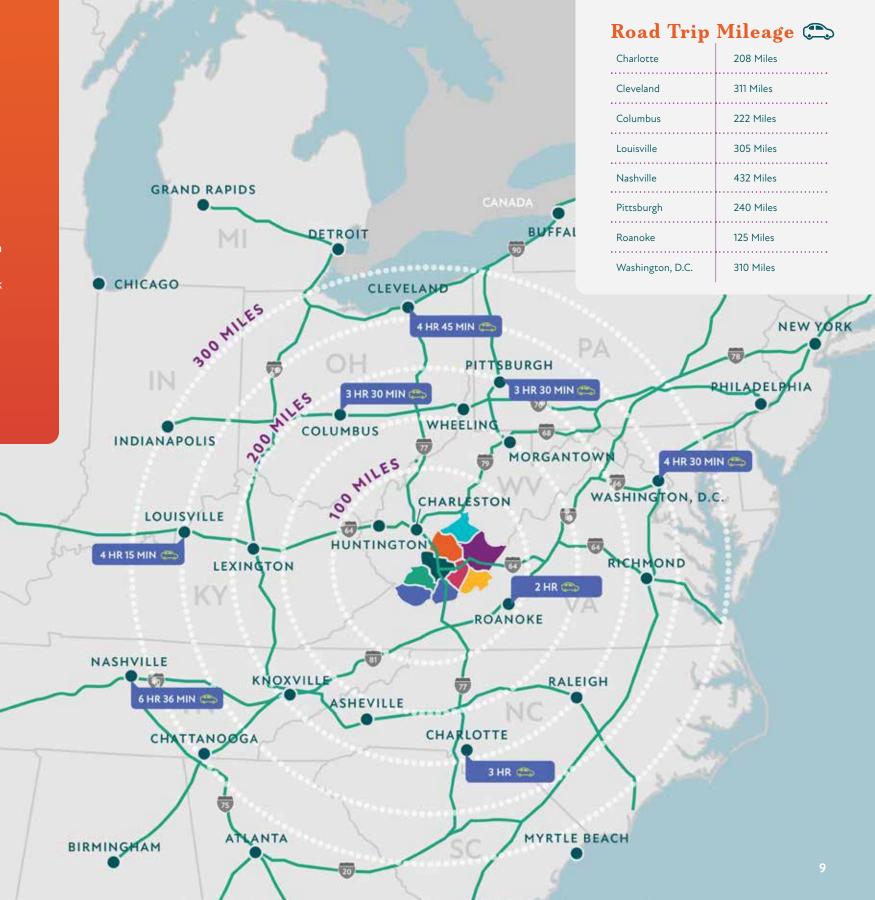
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| Orlando, FL (MCO) Seasonally | ~ 2hr 14m |
| Washington, D.C. (Washington Reagan) (DCA) | ~ 1hr 10m |

Greenbrier Valley LWB Direct Flights

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Meet America's 63rd National Park.

Experience the outdoor adventures and scenic views of the 63rd National Park — the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve — in Southern West Virginia.

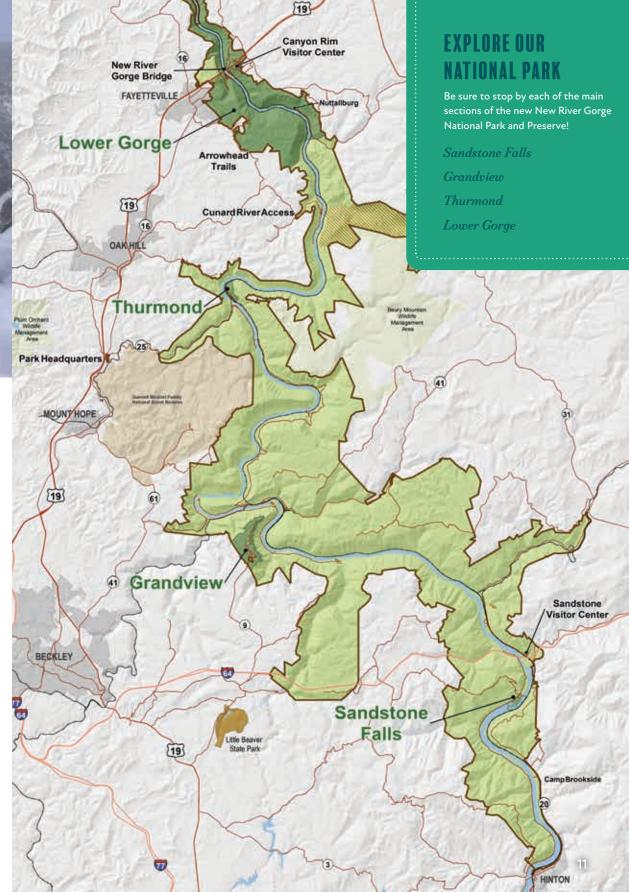
The area was originally established in 1978 as a National River. Then, on December 27, 2020, the 53-mile stretch of river along with 70,000+ acres were redesignated as the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve.

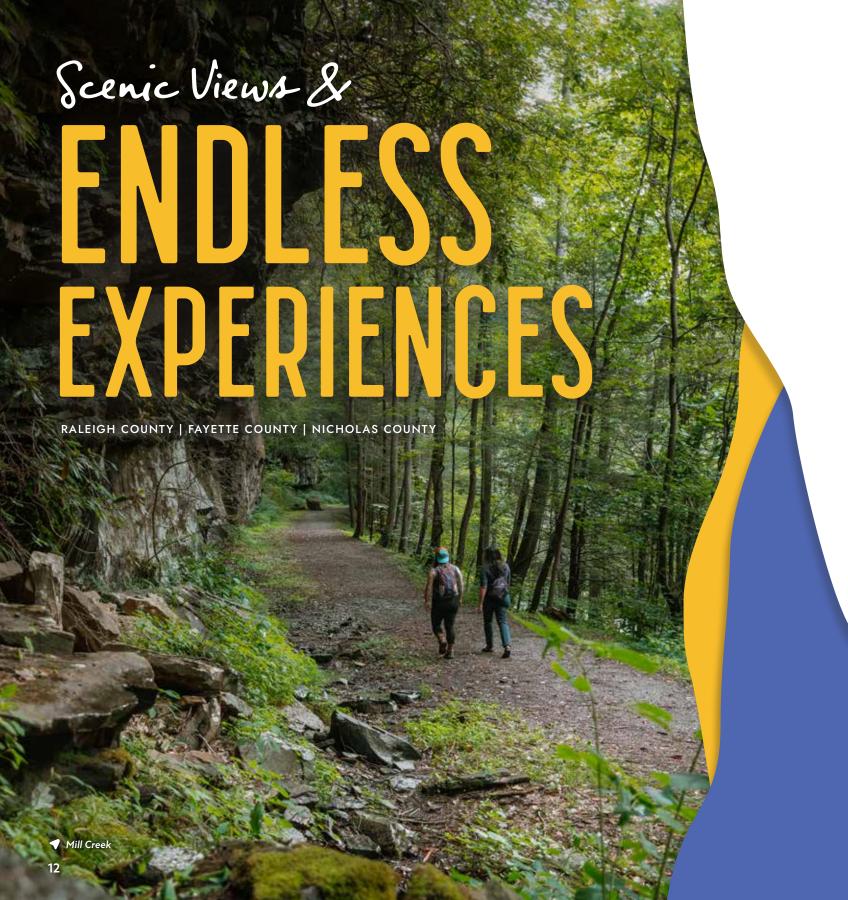
The 7,000 acres that make up the National Park are located in four areas: Sandstone Falls, Grandview, Thurmond and the Lower New River Gorge. The preserve portion encompasses the remaining 65,000 acres. The park is now one of three sites in Southern West Virginia managed by the National Park System, along with the Gauley River National Recreation Area and Bluestone National Scenic River. The combined National Park sites extend

through five counties in Southern West Virginia: Fayette, Mercer, Nicholas, Raleigh and Summers.

Adventure can be found throughout the park. Paddle down miles of free-flowing whitewater rapids on the New River, one of the oldest rivers on the continent, or explore the old railroad town of Hinton, home to Sandstone Falls, the largest waterfall on the New River. Hike the serene forest trails at Grandview for panoramic views of the Gorge and striking displays of Catawba rhododendron in the late spring, or step back in time on a walking tour through the abandoned ghost town of Thurmond.

Among these activities, the park and preserve also offers camping, mountain biking, fishing and hunting. Find your own way to explore the rivers, forests and canyons of West Virginia's national park lands.





Embark on an adventure in Raleigh, Fayette and Nicholas counties, where Southern West Virginia's stunning natural beauty meets thrilling outdoor recreation and unique attractions.

From the forested trails and rugged rivers to the sandstone cliffs and deep valleys, the region's natural beauty is always on full display. Explore the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve. Hike or mountain bike through scenic trails, whitewater raft world-famous rivers, or reach new heights on a rock climbing excursion.

Experience West Virginia's largest one-day festival (Bridge Day), Winterplace's skiing and snow tubing park, and recreational lakes, including Summersville, the state's largest lake.

The region boasts a renowned art and cultural center, and historic sites and museums depict our rich coal, rail and lumber heritage. Add a diverse dining scene and unique lodging options, this region is the ultimate destination.





RALEIGH COUNTY

A FOUR-SEASON DESTINATION

No matter the weather, Raleigh County's forecast guarantees a fun-filled day.

SKI

Southern West Virginia is truly a year-round getaway, and with the region's most accessible ski resort, Raleigh County is the starting point for all winter activities.

Hit the slopes at Winterplace Ski Resort, conveniently located off I-77 in Ghent. The resort has over 90 acres of skiable land, including 27 trails of varying difficulty levels, and a terrain park. Elevate your experience

Winterplace has 100 percent snowmaking capacity. with 10 lifts, accessing runs that climb 3,600 feet and offer exhilarating 603-foot vertical drops. The fun doesn't stop after dark: enjoy night skiing on 26 of the 27 trails. Additionally, experience the state's largest tubing park, boasting up to 14 lanes of snow tubing fun.

Beginners are welcome! Winterplace offers skiing and snowboarding lessons and is the number one place in the state for newcomers learning to ski, with more than a quarter of the slopes geared toward beginners.



SCENIC VIEWS & ENDLESS EXPERIENCES • Stories

GOLF

Tee off in Raleigh County! From challenging links to family-friendly fairways, you'll find a course designed for all levels and ages.

Start your day of golfing at one of the region's premier golf courses at Glade Springs. The courses at Glade Springs boasts three 18-hole championship golf courses amid a scenic mountain backdrop. For a shorter course, hit the links at the Historic Black Knight in Beckley. Open to the public, this course proves there's always "time for nine!"

Looking for a different challenge? Head to Mountain State Miniature Golf for a memorable game, featuring 18 holes centered around famous themes from West Virginia history.

HIKE

Some of Southern West Virginia's finest natural beauty can be seen from the vast network of hiking trails in Raleigh County.

GRANDVIEW

Enjoy the best views of the New River Gorge landscape at the appropriately named Grandview. Included in the National Park Service's New River Gorge National Park and Preserve, Grandview offers spectacular sights of the New River from overlooks and six miles of hiking trails. One of the best-known spots is its Main Overlook where visitors can look directly onto the horseshoe bend of the New River from 1,400 feet above.



Take a hike to discover some of the state's most majestic views and waterfalls.

Plan a trip in the spring to see the area's display of Catawba rhododendrons, West Virginia's state flower. Bloom times differ slightly, so check with a park ranger about the best time to visit.

GLADE CREEK

The Glade Creek area is beautiful, serene – and packed full of waterfalls. From an enjoyable stroll that follows a narrow railroad (Glade Creek Trail) to a steep and rugged route that ends at an amazing mountain cascade (Kates Falls Trail), casual sightseers and avid hikers will be able to find the perfect trail here. The Glade Creek area is also home to popular swimming holes and fishing spots.

LITTLE BEAVER STATE PARK

With 562 acres of outdoor adventures, Little Beaver State Park is a wonderful place to spend your day. Choose from over 20 miles of hiking trails, or get out on the water at the park's 18-acre lake. Water activities include fishing, paddleboarding, kayaking and canoeing. All are available for rent seasonally.

PINEY CREEK

Discover the Piney Creek Trail system. This 10-mile network of trails winds through lush woods, leading to the edge of the Piney Creek Gorge.



The Piney Creek Preserve opened its' first 1/2 mile trail to the public in 2023: the Waterfall Hollow Trail located on Stanaford Mine Road. This trail provides access to two of the Piney Creek tributary streams' most scenic waterfalls — Little White Stick Falls and Cranberry Creek Cascades. Both are check in points on the West Virginia Waterfall Trail.

ON THE LAKE

Escape to Lake Stephens and enjoy the great outdoors. The 272-acre mountain lake sits in the middle of a 2,000-acre hardwood forest and offers disc golf, boating, fishing, swimming and an aqua water park and splash pad as well as over 20 miles of hiking and biking trails. With cabin rentals ranging in size and options for RV and tent camping, you can stay and play at Lake Stephens.



BECKLEY EXHIBITION COAL MINE

Discover the depths of Southern West Virginia's coal mining history at the Beckley Exhibition Coal Mine. Open seasonally from April through November 1, the once-operational mine welcomes thousands of visitors each year. Step back in time as you explore the underground mine, guided by veteran miners who bring the experience to life. Above ground, immerse yourself in the restored period coal camp buildings to see what life was like for the miners and their families.

YOUTH MUSEUM OF SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA

Located footsteps away from the Beckley Exhibition Coal Mine, the Youth Museum of Southern West Virginia is open to the public year-round. The museum provides opportunities for educational programs in an interactive environment. While at the museum, visit the Mountain Homestead, a recreated settlement from the Appalachian frontier. Learn about West Virginia's pioneer settlers from knowledgeable guides and tour the grounds, which includes a restored log cabin, one-room schoolhouse, barn, weaver's shed and more.

HISTORY RUNS DEEP

IN BECKLEY, RALEIGH COUNTY

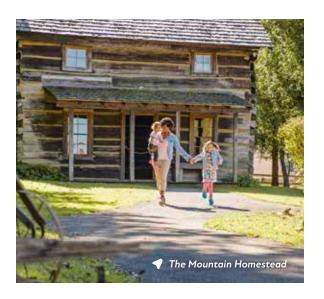
Visit one of the area's local landmarks to explore the rich history of Beckley-Raleigh County.

Take a journey through history by touring the Wildwood House Museum. This double log structure, built in 1839 and once home to Beckley's founder, General Alfred Beckley, offers visitors a unique opportunity to explore the area's rich past. The museum is open during the summer and available for pre-arranged visits and special events throughout the year.

The Beckley Raleigh County Veterans
Museum showcases a collection of over

30,000 artifacts, covering a range of exhibits from the Revolutionary War to the War on Terror.

Beckley-Raleigh County is the childhood home of Bill Withers, a Grammy-winning musician, Songwriters Hall of Fame inductee (2005) and Rock & Roll Hall of Fame inductee (2015). A Raleigh County Historical Society marker, located across from his former high school, recognizes his impact on music. The site now hosts the new building for Stratton Elementary School.



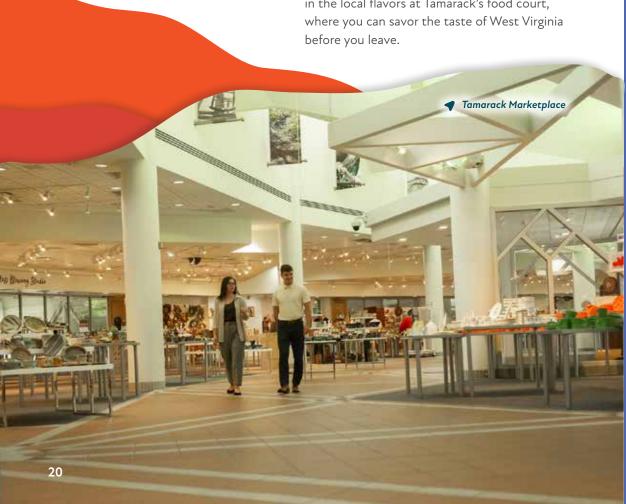
RALEIGH COUNTY

ARTS, CULTURE AND HERITAGE

Art plays a special role in the culture of Southern West Virginia. Discover the talented artists and rich culture of the region by visiting the museums, theaters and art galleries of Raleigh County.

TAMARACK MARKETPLACE

Experience the vibrant creativity and culture of West Virginia at Tamarack Marketplace. This cultural hub features work by talented individuals from every corner of West Virginia and is known for its artisan products, fine art, hands-on workshops, live entertainment and Appalachian-inspired cuisine. Spend a day browsing handmade goods, strolling through galleries and taking in all of the amazing displays. You might even catch a demonstration from the resident glass blower or a studio artist. Indulge in the local flavors at Tamarack's food court, where you can savor the taste of West Virginia before you leave.





THE BLACK KNIGHT

Originally opened as The Black Knight Country Club, this property was organized in 1928–29 when Col. Ernest Chilson, general manager and VP of Raleigh Coal & Coke, offered more than 60 acres of company property for a golf course and clubhouse. The club's name came from the "Black Knight" trademark of the coal company.

Today, this community gathering place owned by the City of Beckley retains it's historic charm and casual elegance and boasts a nine-hole golf course, catering and food options. The venue is a very popular event, wedding and meeting facility.

BECKLEY ART CENTER

At the Beckley Art Center, immerse yourself in a variety of art-related activities. Featuring rotating exhibits of local artists in the Dan & Cynthia Bickey



Art Gallery, visual art classes and private music lessons. Take the time to browse beautiful, unique and locally handmade artwork in the Gallery Gift Shop for the perfect souvenir.



$Scenic\ Views\ \&\ Endless\ Experiences:$

RALEIGH COUNTÝ



Catering

DINING

| Black Circle Bistro | 1318 Harper Rd. Beckley, WV | G @black.circle.bistro | |
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| Calacino's Pizzeria & Sports Bar | 3611 Robert C. Byrd Dr. Beckley, WV | 304-253-1010 calacinos.com | |
| The Char | 100 Char Dr. Beckley, WV Exit 44, Rt. 3 W. Dry Hill Rd. | 304-253-1760 the-char.com | Y 1 © 🛆 |
| Chick-fil-A | 100 Hylton Ln. Beckley, WV | 304-894-8455 cfabeckley.com | ₽ ₽ ¶△ |
| Crossroads Mall | 2 Crossroads Mall Mt. Hope, WV Exit 48, N. Beckley | 304-255-6176 shopcrossroads.com | 2 2 4 ∫ |
| The Dish Café | 1466 Ritter Dr. Daniels, WV | 304-763-2366 dishcafewv.com | |
| Gino's Pizza and Spaghetti House | 1334 Harper Rd. Beckley, WV | 304-253-3137 ginospizza.com | ===================================== |
| | 143 Dayton St. MacArthur, WV | 304-250-6161 ginospizza.com | 2 11 |
| Kem's Restaurant & Lounge Located inside Holiday Inn and Suites | 114 Dry Hill Rd. Beckley, WV | 681-238-5980 holidayinn.com/beckleywv | ≌ ₩ 🕯 🛆 |

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Beckley, WV ¶⊕thecarpentersloft

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Tamarack Marketplace

1 Tamarack Park Beckley, WV Exit 45

304-256-6843 or 88-TAMARACK tamarackwv.com

Beckley Art Center

600 Johnstown Rd. Beckley, WV

304-253-9226 beckleyartcenter.com









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PLAY

ATV

Burning Rock Off-Road Park 171 Burning Rock Dr. Sophia, WV 304-683-9242 burningrockwv.com

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328 Neville St. Beckley, WV 304-200-2112 axeholebeckley.com

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304-253-7328 leisurelaneswv.com

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COAL MINES

Beckley Exhibition
Coal Mine

513 Ewart Ave. Beckley, WV 304-256-1747 beckley.org

GOLF

Beckley's Historic Black Knight 2400 S. Kanawha St. Beckley, WV 304-253-7321 historicblackknight.org

Glade Springs Village POA Golf Courses

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The Resort at Glade Springs

255 Resort Dr. Daniels, WV 844-668-5760 or 304-763-2000 gladesprings.com



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HEALTH & FITNESS

| Active Southern | 116 N. Heber St., Suite B | 304-254-8488 |
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| West Virginia | Beckley, WV | activeswv.org |
| YMCA of Southern | 121 E. Main St. | 304-252-0715 |
| West Virginia | Beckley, WV | ymcaswv.com |

HISTORIC SITES & MAIN STREETS

| Beckley Events | P.O. Box 5015 Beckley, WV | 304-256-1776 beckley.org |
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| City of Beckley | P.O. Box 2514 Beckley, WV | 304-256-1768 beckley.org |

LAKES

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raleighcountyparks.org

MINIATURE GOLF

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A LEGENDARY

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Experience the beauty of the exquisite ballroom for your special event, relax poolside during the hot summer months or play a round of golf with friends - Beckley's Historic Black Knight is a can't-miss destination. With dining facilities and catering available, the Black Knight is suited for weddings, showers, receptions, reunions, meetings, conventions and much more.





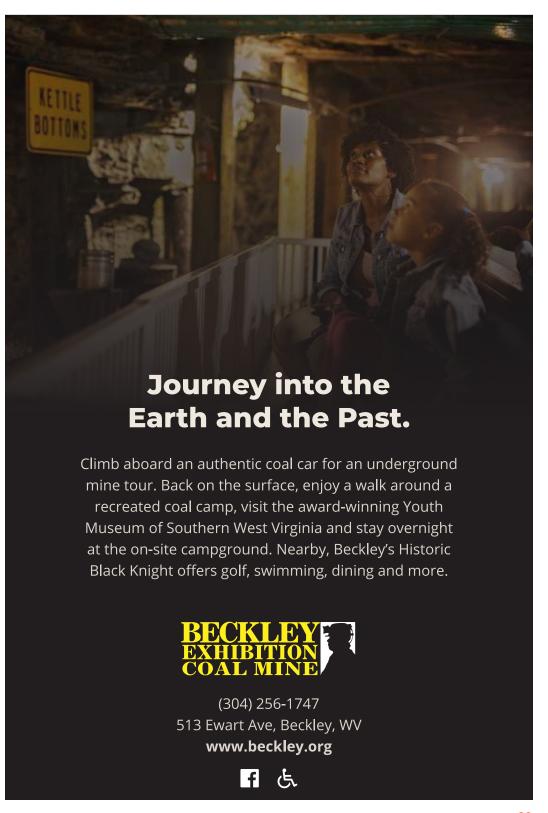




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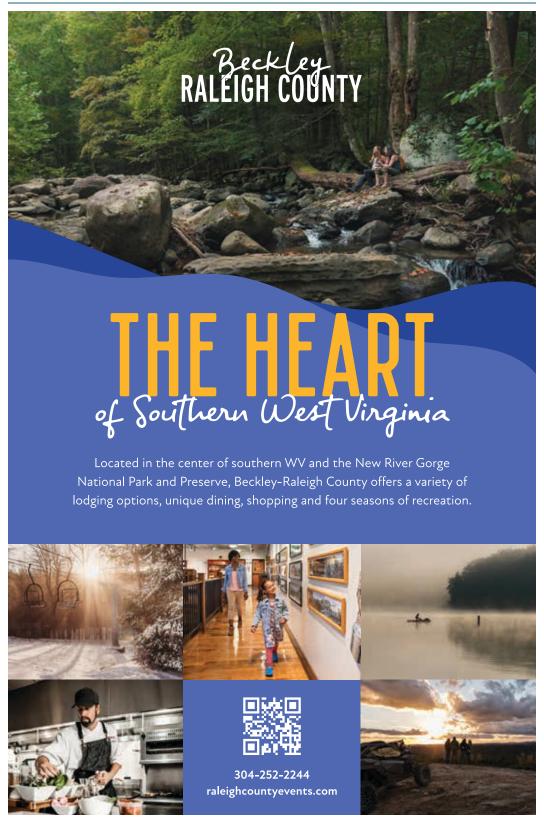
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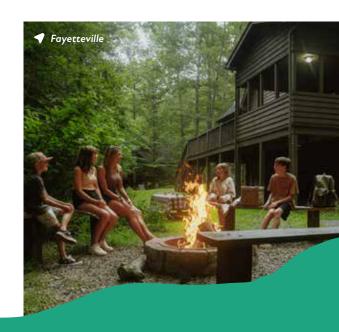
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| Rent-A-Car | Beckley, WV | enterprise.com |







For the ultimate adrenaline rush, look no further than the Gauley River. Known as the "Beast of the East," the Gauley is consistently ranked one of the top five in the world to raft and in the top three to raft in the United States. Due to scheduled releases from the Summersville Dam during Gauley Season (September-October), these rapids are truly as wild as they come. While the Lower Gauley is similar to the Lower New, with Class III-V rapids, the Upper Gauley features iconic Class V rapids — the "Big 5" — Insignificant, Pillow Rock, Lost Paddle, Iron Ring and Sweet's Falls.



OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

IN FAYETTE COUNTY

With the lower section of the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve in its backyard, Fayette County is a playground for outdoor recreation.

WHITEWATER RAFTING

The New River Gorge is known for its free-flowing whitewater. Here, thrill seekers have the choice between the New River or nearby Gauley River – both of which are divided into two sections – depending on your age, skill and experience level.

The New River is one of the oldest rivers in the world. Families, groups with younger children or those simply wanting a more mild ride can paddle down the Upper New. The Lower New, with Class V rapids, is a step above, making it a great choice for enthusiastic first-timers as well as seasoned rafters.

ROCK CLIMBING

In addition to whitewater, the New River Gorge is a rock climbing mecca. The region is one of the largest, most diverse and highest-quality climbing areas in the east.

More than 1,400 established climbs can be found within the park and preserve. Many routes are more suited for experienced climbers, but beginners are welcome, too. Guided rock climbing trips are available with local experts who can show you the ropes.

Located in Oak Hill, Needleseye
Park is a hidden paradise. The park
has incredible natural rock features,
including a 2-mile rock wall, tunnels
and sandstone cliffs that are ideal for
bouldering (a style of rock climbing that
is performed on small rock formations).

While the Gorge is accessible yearround, the best times to climb are from late April to mid-June and from mid-September to late October.



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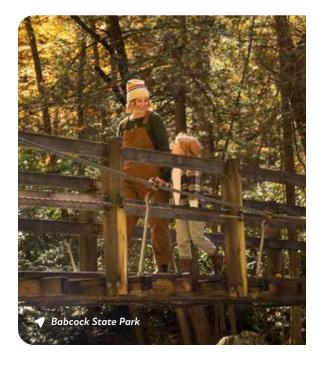
HIKING

Discover Fayette County's natural wonders on over 100 trails in and around the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve.

Hike through the Burnwood Old-Growth Forest, where Eastern hemlocks, American beeches, red maples and other unique tree species thrive. Explore family-friendly rail trails, including the 1.8-mile Hawks Nest Rail Trail, revealing stunning waterfalls along Mill Creek, and the paved 7.9-mile White Oak Rail Trail in Oak Hill. For another accessible option, hike the Rend Trail. This 6.4-mile round-trip adventure provides scenic views of Dunloup Creek, the New River and the historic community of Thurmond. Suitable for hikers of all ages, the trail also serves as a great introduction for novice mountain bikers.

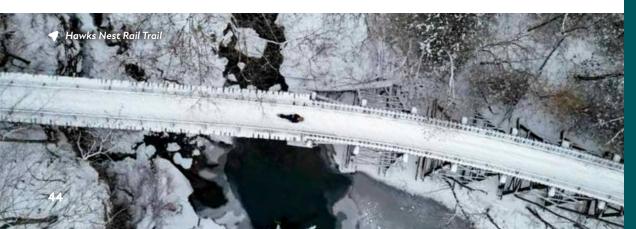
Uncover the area's history along trails showcasing old coal communities and industrial remnants. From the easy Tipple Trail to the challenging Kaymoor Miner's Trail, experience the coal camp legacy. The Nuttallburg Trails offer insights into industrial and community aspects of Henry Ford's 1920s conveyor and tipple system.

With trails for all levels, Fayette County promises a diverse hiking experience amid rugged hills and rich history.



TRAIL ETIQUETTE

While hiking, we ask that you please abide by the National Park Service's Leave No Trace Seven Principles®. Be mindful and stay on the trail to avoid damaging the surrounding environment and leave the area just as you found it. Additionally, during peak months many popular trails become congested. If trailhead parking lots are full, consider finding another great trail to hike in the area.



MOUNTAIN BIKING

Explore the intricate trails of Fayette County on a mountain biking excursion.

Find 12 miles of easy-to-intermediate paths on the Arrowhead Trails system in the Craig's Branch area of the New River Gorge. The stacked loop trail system is great for mountain bikers of all skill levels and includes four trails — the Clovis, Adena, Dalton and LeCroy trails.

Experience Wolf Creek Park, a recreational area in Fayette County, featuring 17 miles of trails.



OTHER ADVENTURES

For a unique perspective of the New River Gorge, hop on a Bridge Walk tour or take a biplane ride. Soar through the sky over the rolling hills of the New River Gorge in a fully-restored World War II Stearman biplane with Wild Blue Adventure Company. During the 20-minute Gorge tour, you'll be able to spot the New River, Endless Wall, Beauty Mountain, New River Gorge Bridge and Hawks Nest State Park and Dam.

Get picture-perfect views of the Gorge from down below on a jet boat tour with New River Jet Boats. After taking a scenic shuttle ride along Mill Creek from Hawks Nest State Park, hop on a jet boat upstream for a phenomenal look at the New River Gorge Bridge.





Fayette County is home to a collection of charming small towns that offer a warm welcome to all visitors. Friendly locals, rich history and an abundance of natural beauty make these communities the perfect destination for those seeking a memorable escape from the bustle of city life.

FAYETTEVILLE

As the county seat of Fayette County, Fayetteville has garnered national attention over the last decade, earning titles such as "Coolest Small Town" and "Best River Town." Located on the rim of the New River Gorge National Park a nd Preserve, the town is quaint and full of life. Fayetteville boasts a rich history, centered around the historic Fayette County Courthouse, but also offers plenty of opportunities for adventure and relaxation. Explore local art, visit unique shops and music venues, stretch at a yoga studio, enjoy a drink at a pub and brewery, or treat your taste buds to the delicious offerings of the town's restaurants.

OAK HILL

The tight-knit community of Oak Hill is a great destination for family-friendly outings. From city parks to disc golf courses and even a bouldering area, there's something for everyone. Enjoy a family walk or bike ride on the scenic White Oak Rail Trail, a nearly 8-mile paved trail running through Oak Hill. The city hosts the Oak Leaf Festival every fall as well as the annual Pumpkin Festival in October.

GAULEY BRIDGE

At the town of Gauley Bridge, the New and the Gauley Rivers combine to form the Kanawha River. The town got its name from the historic covered bridge that once spanned the Gauley River. The bridge was part of the James River & Kanawha Turnpike, a crucial transportation route. Gauley Bridge, Montgomery and Smithers are a few of the riverside communities along the Midland Trail (U.S. Route 60), a popular scenic drive. Follow this picturesque route and view two nearby waterfalls that are easily accessible from the road — Kanawha Falls and Cathedral Falls.

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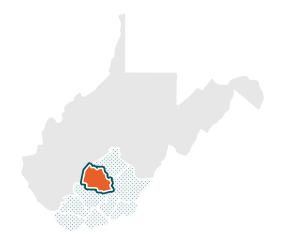
Continue on Route 60 to Ansted. home to Hawks Nest State Park. The 270-acre park is known for its scenic overlook offering a bird's eye view of the rugged New River Gorge National Park and Preserve below — as well as hiking trails, fishing, a nature center and a 31-room lodge and restaurant. Ansted is also home to many annual festivals and events, locally owned restaurants, Contentment Museum and the New Haven Veterans' Memorial.

MOUNT HOPE

Historic Mount Hope offers adventurers a glimpse into what early life was like in the coalfields of West Virginia. The wealth generated from coal production is still visible in the stone structures lining the streets of this nostalgic little town. Featuring 16 historical points of interest, the Mount Hope Historic Walking Tour highlights the architecture reminiscent of the coalfields from the early 1900s. Tour DuBois on Main Museum, a tribute to one of two African American high schools before integration in Fayette County. Admire the town's beautiful murals and streetscapes, adding to its charming character.







Scenic Views & Endless Experiences:

FAYETTE COUNTY

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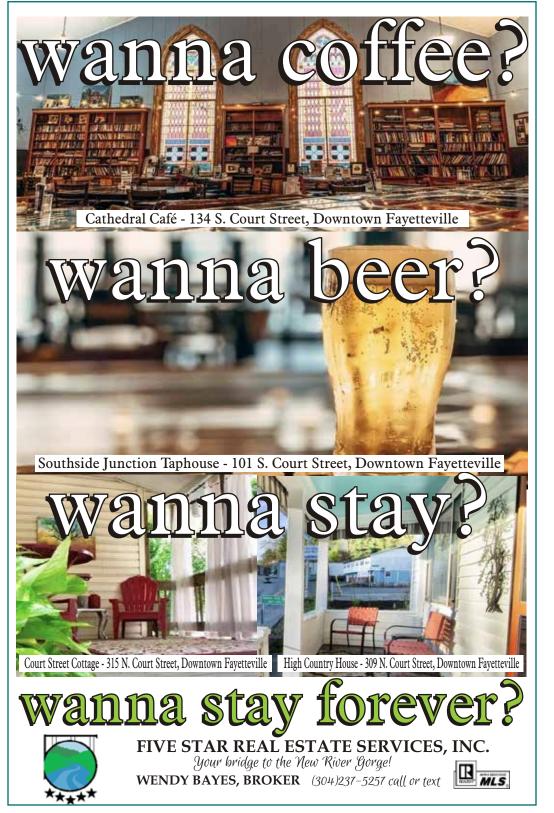
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| Café One Ten | 110 Main St. W. Oak Hill, WV | 304-469-7657 ¶ @cafeoneten | ₽ ₽ ₩△ |
| Cathedral Café | 134 S. Court St. Fayetteville, WV | 304-574-0202 thecathedralcafe.com ¶@cathedral-cafe | <u> 2</u> |
| El Bandido Mexican Restaurant | 2027 Main St. E. Oak Hill, WV | 681-823-5453 elbandidomexican.com | = 41 û |
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| The Overlook Restaurant | 49 Hawks Nest Park Rd. Ansted, WV | 304-658-3639 or 304-658-5212 wvstateparks.com/hawksnest | <u>=</u> ≅ ¶ • |
| Pies & Pints Pizzeria | 219 W. Maple Ave. Fayetteville, WV | 304-574-2200 piesandpints.net | |
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| Southside Junction Tap House | 101 S. Court St. Fayetteville, WV | 304-574-2222 ¶⊛southsidejunctiontaphouse | 41 ê |
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| Canyon Rim Gifts | 235 Fayette Mine Rd. Lansing, WV | 304-574-3818 ¶@canyonrimgifts |
| Canyon View Gift Shop | Hawks Nest State Park 49 Hawks Nest Park Rd. Ansted, WV | 304-658-5196 ext. 1547 wvstateparks.com/hawksnest |
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| Dove's Village | 519 Hinkle Rd. Fayetteville, WV | 304-574-1088 dovesvillage.com |
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| City of Mount Hope | 609 Main St. Mt. Hope, WV | 304-877-2211 mthopewv.org |
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| City of Oak Hill | 100 Kelly Ave. Oak Hill, WV | 304-469-9541 visitoakhillwv.com |
| National Coal Heritage Area | 100 Kelly Ave. Oak Hill, WV | 304-465-3720 coalheritage.org |
| Town of Ansted | 30 Rich Creek Rd. Ansted, WV | 304-658-5901 anstedwv.com |
| Town of Fayetteville | 125 N. Court St. Fayetteville, WV | 304-574-0101 fayettevillewv.gov |
| Town of Gauley Bridge | 108 Walnut St. Gauley Bridge, WV | 304-632-2505 local.wv.gov/gauleybridge |

HORSEBACK RIDING

| Autumn Breeze Farm | 10 Snowshoe Dr. Snowshoe, WV | 800-759-7238 or 304-574-3008 wvtrailrides.com |
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| Cowboy Town | 25719 Midland Trail Hico, WV | horsebackridethenewriver.com |

ROCK CLIMBING

| ACE Adventure Resort | Oak Hill, WV | 800-787-3982 aceraft.com |
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| Adventures on the Gorge | 219 Chestnutburg Rd. Lansing, WV | 888-650-1933 adventuresonthegorge.com |

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SCENIC BYWAYS & HIGHWAYS

| Paint Creek Scenic Trail | 100 Kelly Ave. | 855-982-2625 |
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| Paint Creek Scenic Trail | Oak Hill, WV | paintcreekwv.org |









TEAM BUILDING/ESCAPE ROOM

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151 N. Court St. Fayetteville, WV 304-574-0137 escape-a-torium.com

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TRAILS

104 Main St. **National Park Service Trails** Glen Jean, WV

162 Visitor Center Rd

304-465-0508

New River Gorge National Park & Preserve

Lansing, WV

304-574-2115 nps.gov/neri

UNIQUE ATTRACTIONS

16724 Midland Trail 304-658-9101 **Mystery Hole** Ansted, WV mysteryhole.com 406 Thurmond Rd. 806-367-4504 **ROYAL Corporation** Glen Jean, WV weareroyal.com

WATERPARK

ACE Adventure Waterpark

1 Concho Rd. Oak Hill, WV 800-787-3982 aceraft.com

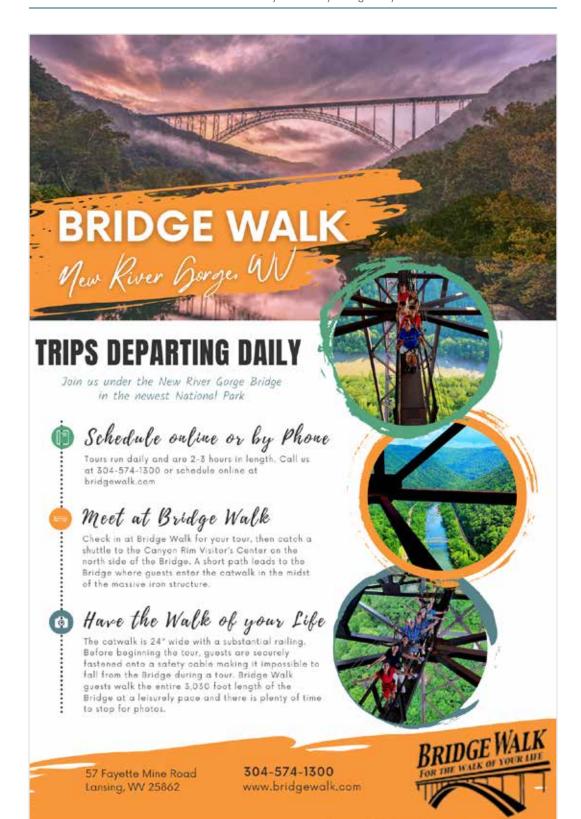
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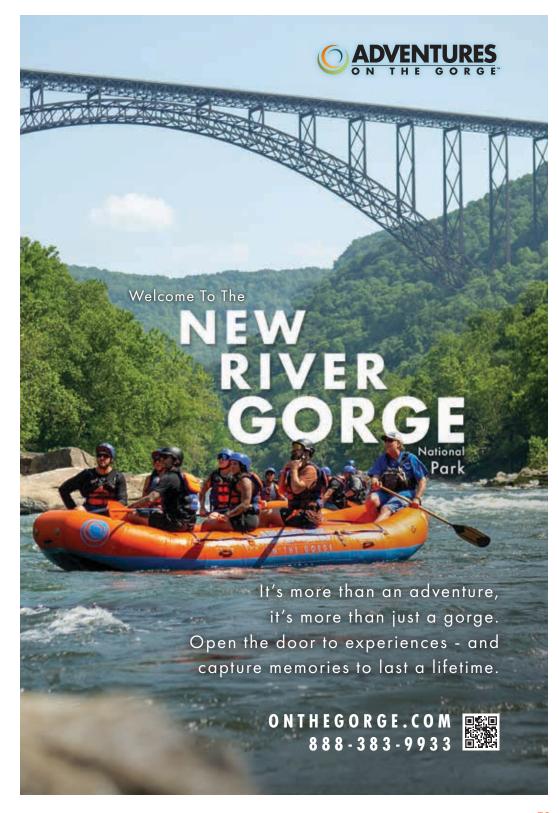
| 1 Concho Rd. | 800-787-3982 | | |
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| Oak Hill, WV | aceraft.com | | |
| 219 Chestnutburg Rd. | 888-650-1933 | | |
| Lansing, WV | adventuresonthegorge.com | | |
| 115 Oscar White Rd. Lansing, WV | 304-574-3008 or 800-759-7238 gauley.com | | |
| 900 Broadway Ave. | 304-574-2827 or 800-463-9873 | | |
| Oak Hill, WV | raftinginfo.com | | |
| 231 Wood Mountain Rd. | 800-292-0880 | | |
| Glen Jean, WV | trywva.com | | |
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LODGING







Space







Dinner

BED & BREAKFASTS

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304-646-7561 morrisharveyhouse.com



HOTFIS & MOTFIS

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| Comfort Inn | 801 Mall Rd. Oak Hill, WV | 304-465-2300 reservations.com/hotel/ comfort-inn-new-river | <u>^</u> ♣2 |
| Hawks Nest State Park Lodge | Hawks Nest State Park 49 Hawks Nest Park Rd. Ansted, WV | 304-658-5212 wvstateparks.com/hawksnest | ₹ ॎ ∰ॐ≌¶ |
| Holiday Lodge Hotel | 340 Oyler Ave. Oak Hill, WV | 304-465-0571 holidaylodgeoakhill.com | ` ♣ <u>\$</u> 2° |
| Quality Inn New River Gorge | 103 Elliott's Way Fayetteville, WV | 304-574-3443 • choicehotels. com/west-virginia/fayetteville/ quality-inn-hotels/wv401 | ₹ ़ ∰≗ ~ ¶ |



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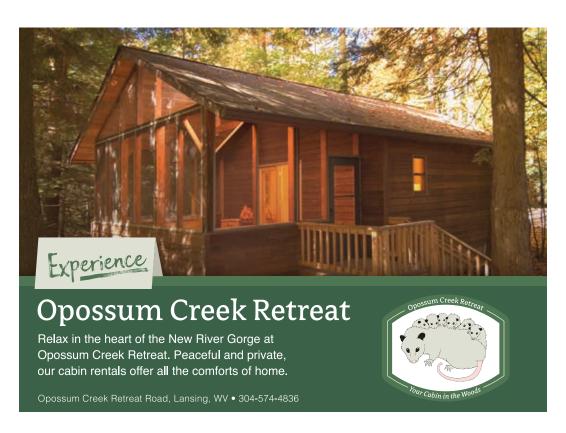
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RESORTS

| ACE Adventure Resort | 1 Concho Rd. Oak Hill, WV | 800-787-3982 aceraft.com | ₹ ₾∰₽ ¶ |
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| Adventures on the Gorge (AOTG) | 219 Chestnutburg Rd. Lansing, WV | 888-650-1933 adventuresonthegorge.com | |
| River Expeditions | 900 Broadway Ave. Oak Hill, WV | 304-574-2827 or 800-463-9873 raftinginfo.com | 7 . ** ** ** |

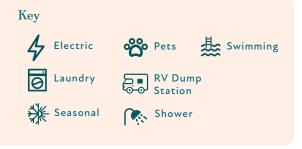
| VACATION RENTALS | | | |
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| ACE Adventure Resort | 1 Concho Rd. Oak Hill, WV | 800-787-3982 aceraft.com | ₹ ₾∰╬ ¶ |
| Adventures on the Gorge (AOTG) | 219 Chestnutburg Rd. Lansing, WV | 866-927-0922 or 304-574-0704 adventuresonthegorge.com | ₹ ₾∰╬ ¶ |
| Amherst Retreat WV | 86 Buena Vista Ln. Oak Hill, WV | 304-640-8892 airbnb.com/rooms/41764566 | # |
| Bear Mountain Cabins and Campgrounds | 130 Laurel Creek Rd. Fayetteville, WV | 304-573-2267 bearmountaincamping.com | దొ |
| Bed, Bass and Beyond | 2089 Court St. Fayetteville, WV | 304-575-5252 newrivergorgevacationrental.com | ١ |
| Boomer Bungalow | 85 B St. Boomer Bottom, WV | 304-880-6222 | |
| Breeze Hill Cabins & Cottages | 115 Oscar White Rd. Lansing, WV | 304-574-3008 or 800-759-7238 gauley.com | ₹ ``````` #¶ |
| Country Road Cabins | 1508 Sunday Rd. Hico, WV | 304-658-5267 wvcabins.com | ≛ ⇔ |
| Court Street Cottage | 309 N. Court St. Fayetteville, WV | vrbo.com/2177598 | |
| Dogwood Ridge Farms | 319 Bryson Neal Rd. Hico, WV | 304-663-8063 vrbo.com/1095193 | △ ₩ |
| Granny's House | 424 Army Camp Rd. Prince, WV | 304-237-4062 airbnb.com/ rooms/705015351195133138 | |
| Hemlock Haven Luxury Cabins | 924 Mallard Rd. Hico, WV | 304-575-1260 hemlockhavenwv.com | ≛ ⇔ |

| High Country House | 134 S. Court St. Fayetteville, WV | 304-237-5257 vrbo.com/2395856 | |
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| Homestead Estate | 156 Page St Ansted, WV | 304-880-6222 | |
| Lafayette Flats Boutique Vacation Rentals | 171 N. Court St. Fayetteville, WV | 304-900-3301 lafayetteflats.com | ස |
| Mill Creek Cabins | 1163 Milroy Grose Rd. Lansing, WV | 304-658-5005 or 304-719-0498 millcreekcabins.com | ⇔ ∰ |
| New River Cabins | 1265 Smales Branch Rd. Hico, WV | 304-640-7333 newrivercabinswv.com | ద ి |
| New River Gorge Cabins | 1153 Milroy Grose Rd. Lansing, WV | 855-658-3255 newrivergorgecabins.com | & & |
| Opossum Creek Retreat | 239 Retreat Rd. Victor, WV | 304-574-4836 or 888-488-4836 opossumcreek.com | ♠∰ ⇔ |



| Page Vawter House | 200 Page St. Ansted, WV | 321-223-3769 pagevawterhouse.com | <u>_</u> |
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| River Expeditions | 900 Broadway Ave. Oak Hill, WV | 304-574-2827 or 800-463-9873 raftinginfo.com | ₹œ ‱⇔ ¶ |
| Rose River Cottages | 22 E St. Boomer, WV | 304-951-9516 airbnb.com/h/roseriver- cottage | ස |
| Rule Ridge, LLC | 42 Rule Ridge Fayetteville, WV | 304-222-0912 airbnb.com/rooms/44307171 | |
| | | | |
| Shady Acres at Sanger | 1731 Sanger Rd. Oak Hill, WV | airbnb.com/ rooms/591326619951503519 | |
| Shady Acres at Sanger The Outpost at The New River Gorge | S | , | ₹ @<u></u>∰ & |
| The Outpost at The | Oak Hill, WV 843 Fayette Station Rd. | rooms/591326619951503519 304-860-9121 | ₹ @<u></u>∰ ₩ |





CAMPGROUNDS

| ACE Adventure Resort | 1 Concho Rd. Oak Hill, WV | 800-787-3982 aceraft.com | 4哈 廖丛张 |
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| Adventures on the Gorge | 219 Chestnutburg Rd. | 888-650-1933 | 夕 同☆ 樂 |
| | Lansing, WV | adventuresonthegorge.com | ҈०*★ःः |
| Bear Mountain Cabins and Campground | 130 Laurel Creek Rd. Fayetteville, WV | 304-573-2267 bearmountaincamping.com | 4 & |
| Chestnut Creek Campground | 186 Chestnut Creek Campground Rd. Lansing, WV | 304-574-3136 ¶@chestnutcreekcampground | ⇔ ∰® |
| Eagle's Nest Campground | 500 Wood Mountain Rd. Glen Jean, WV | 804-393-2688 eaglesnestcampingwv.com | ∮ ፬ ☆ ೕ ಫಾ |
| New River Gorge | 101 Milroy Grose Rd. | 304-658-3600 | ∮ ፬ ᢡ ፡፡ |
| Campground | Lansing, WV | | ፠፞፞፞፞፞፞ |
| Rifrafters Campground | 448 Laurel Creek Rd. | 304-574-1065 | ታ ፬ ᢡ ፡፡ |
| | Fayetteville, WV | rifrafters.com | ፝፞ |
| River Expeditions | 900 Broadway Ave. | 304-574-2827 or 800-463-9873 | ᄼᅆ ҈҈҇҇҇҇҇҇҇҇҇҇ |
| | Oak Hill, WV | raftinginfo.com | 酃¾ |
| The Outpost at the | 843 Fayette Station Rd. | 304-860-9121 | ⇔ ፬ № 4 |
| New River Gorge | Fayetteville, WV | outpostnrg.com | ≅ |
| Wood Mountain Road | 231 Wood Mountain Rd. | 800-292-0800 | ᢡ 🏞 🗲 🗊 |
| Cabins and Campgrounds | Glen Jean, WV | trywva.com | |



WEDDINGS & EVENT CENTERS

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Meeting Rooms



Lodging Onsite





Restaurant

AV Equipment



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Banquet Facilities

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| Amherst Retreat WV | 86 Buena Vista Ln. Oak Hill, WV | 304-640-8892 ¶@amherstretreatwv | $\blacksquare \emptyset$ |
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| Concho Overlook Weddings At ACE | 1 Concho Rd. Oak Hill, WV | 800-787-3982 acecraft.com/west-virginia- weddings | [] 80 ∰ � 🎧 |
| The Gaines Estate | 225 West Maple Ave. | 304-382-7509 | ∰ 3 ◯ 250 |
| | Fayetteville, WV | gainesestate.com | ∰ ♥ ⊯ � Û |
| Hawks Nest State Park | 49 Hawks Nest Park Rd. | 883-987-2757 | ∰ 4 [] 70 |
| | Ansted, WV | wvstateparks.com/hawksnest | ∰ ♥ ⊯ ♥ [] |
| Lively Family | 100 Kelly Ave. | 304-469-9541 | |
| Amphitheater | Oak Hill, WV | visitoakhillwv.com | |
| The Lookout Post at AOTG | 219 Ames Heights Rd. | 855-628-0643 | ⊕ 3 ∏ 100 |
| | Lansing, WV | traveltothegorge.com | ∰ ♥ ⊯ ⊘ ⊕ |

TRAVEL RESOURCES

Business Services

BANKS

TRUIST

199 Mall Rd. Oak Hill, WV 304-469-2996 truist.com **United Bank**

20020 Midland Trail Ansted, WV 304-658-5221 bankwithunited.com

145 W. Maple Ave. Fayetteville, WV

304-574-0021 bankwithunited.com

4th & Lee St. Montgomery, WV 304-442-2492 bankwithunited.com

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

New River Gorge Regional Development Authority

200 Main St. Beckley, WV 304-254-8115 nrgrda.org

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

United Way of Southern West Virginia, Inc.

110 Croft St. Beckley, WV 304-253-2111 unitedwayswv.org

Visitor Services

CHILDCARE

A Place to Grow Children's Center 4031 Lochgelly Rd. Oak Hill, WV 304-469-6687 aplacetogrowwv.com

CHURCHES

Fayetteville Baptist Church 104 Ankrom St. Fayetteville, WV

304-574-1074 fayettevillebaptist.org

Oak Hill Baptist Church

613 Lundale Dr. Oak Hill, WV 304-469-3455 ohbaptist.com

CHAMBER, CVBS & TRAVEL INFORMATION

Fayette County
Chamber of Commerce

310 W. Oyler Ave. Oak Hill, WV 304-465-5617 or 800-927-0263 fayettecounty.com

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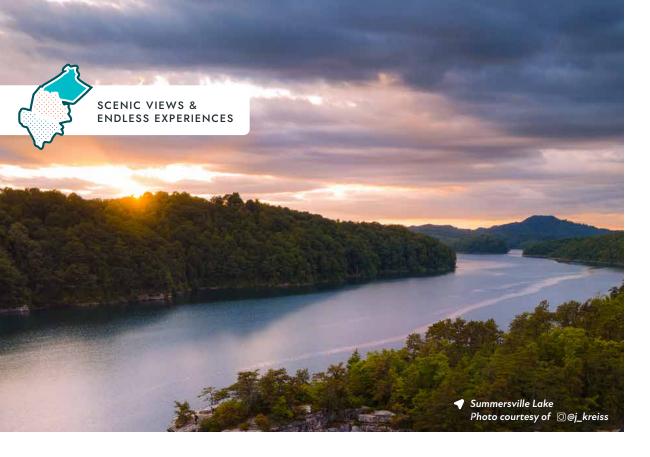
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Canyon Rim Visitor Center 162 Visitor Center Rd. Lansing, WV

304-574-2115 nps.gov/neri







ON THE WATER

Nicholas County's outdoor adventures revolve around its waterways, including its 2,700-acre sprawling lake and the rugged rapids of the Gauley River. Summersville Lake, the heart of the area, is a haven for boaters, paddle boarders, swimmers and divers. A full-service marina provides launch ramps and rentals of pontoons, canoes and flat-water kayaks. The lake's calm waters make it a great option for weekend vacationers and novice boaters.

Summersville Lake, known as the "Little Bahamas of the East" for its crystal-clear waters, offers popular scuba diving. Reaching a depth of 327 feet, the lake provides excellent visibility of 20 to 45 feet in summer. Divers can explore underwater caverns, rock formations and diverse

marine life. The water, with temperatures ranging from 60 to 70 degrees, can reach up to 80 degrees during the hottest months.

The pristine lake has exceptional fishing opportunities for bass, crappie, walleye and more. Anglers can navigate 60 miles of scenic shoreline primarily by boat. Nicholas County boasts additional fishing gems, with spots along the Cherry River, Cranberry River, Gauley River, Little Laurel Creek and Deer Creek waiting to be explored by fishing enthusiasts.

The lake is not the only aquatic destination in the area. The world-famous Gauley River winds through Nicholas County, drawing in a crowd of whitewater extremists every fall for the renowned Gauley Season (on select days in September and October).

SUMMERSVILLE LAKE: ON & OFF THE WATER

NICHOLAS COUNTY

Known as the gateway to West Virginia's mountain lakes region and home to the state's largest lake, Nicholas County is an aquatic lover's paradise.

Whether you're looking to swim, boat, stand-up paddleboard or simply enjoy a picnic by the water, Nicholas County is the quintessential summertime destination. For those who prefer to stay on dry land, there are plenty of exciting activities off the water, too!



OFF THE WATER

Summersville Lake State Park, West Virginia's newest state park, spans 177 acres on the lake's northern shore. Not only is it the first state park added in over 30 years, but it also stands as the state's inaugural park with climbing access and a focus on climbing education. Presently the park offers hiking and biking trails and day-use picnic areas, with plans in progress for additional recreational activities like water sports, aerial sports, camping and cabins.

Climb the 122 steps to the gallery deck of the Summersville Lake Lighthouse,



the state's sole operational lighthouse. Situated on the Mt. Nebo side, it provides a 360-degree panoramic view of the lake and Gauley River National Recreation Area. Standing at 104 feet with a top elevation of 2,164 feet, the lighthouse's vintage Westinghouse beacon is visible up to 30 miles away. Tours run April through October, with reservations from November through March, offering day, evening, sunset and full-moon tours, weather permitting.

Nicholas County offers a range of accommodation options, from opulent rentals to charming cabins, and wellequipped campgrounds to serene tent sites. In addition to water recreation at Summersville Lake, visitors can also enjoy gem mining, miniature golf and local cuisine at nearby restaurants. Visit Kirkwood Winery and Isaiah Morgan Distillery for a unique West Virginia wine-tasting experience. Tour the distillery to learn about the Appalachian tradition of small-batch corn whiskey, and bring back a bottle to savor. Wrap up your day with a craft beer at Gad Dam Brewing in Summersville. This petfriendly spot features fire pits, a spacious deck, outdoor games and more.

Explore the art, history and culture of Richwood, located in Nicholas County near the Monongahela National Forest. From Richwood, hop on the 16-mile Cranberry Tri-Rivers Rail Trail. The trail runs parallel to three scenic rivers — the Cranberry, Cherry and Gauley — providing hikers with access to fishing opportunities along the way. Richwood is the birthplace of the oldest ramp festival in the state – the Feast of the Ramson. The regional delicacy is celebrated every spring, and this year marks the 85th edition of the festival.



HISTORY IN NICHOLAS COUNTY

For history enthusiasts, Nicholas
County is an essential stop. Explore the significance of Carnifex Ferry Battlefield
State Park, situated on the Gauley River
Canyon's rim, as it unfolds the narrative of a crucial Civil War battle. This 156-acre refuge commemorates the 1861 Battle of
Carnifex Ferry, a turning point leading to the Confederate withdrawal from western
Virginia. Explore other significant Civil
War sites, including the Battle of Kessler's
Cross Lanes and a memorial plaque for
Nancy Hart, both part of the Civil War
Trail and feature captivating narratives and media.

A mural depicting Hart can be found in Richwood, along with other murals celebrating the town's colorful past. A

walking tour is available with 51 stops throughout the community, including popular stores and restaurants from the town's heyday, historic churches, the Richwood B&O Railroad Depot and more. Visitors can learn about the history of the town, including its coal mines, lumber yards and railways, at the Richwood Heritage Center.

The Hawks Nest Workers Memorial and Grave Site in Lookout stands as a solemn reminder of the region's past. The memorial honors the estimated 764 tunnel workers, mostly African American, who tragically lost their lives building the Hawks Nest Tunnel during the 1930s. The site is part of the African American Heritage Driving Tour.



Scenic Views & Endless Experiences:

NICHOLAS COUNTY

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Breakfast





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304-742-3754 tudorsbiscuitworld.com

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BAR/LOUNGE

The Tractor Bar

546 Wilderness Way Mt. Nebo, WV

304-872-8100 tractorbarwv.com



SHOPPING

4121 Webster Rd. **Apple Haus** f@Apple-Haus Summersville, WV Clarks Antiques & 3031 Webster Rd. 304-517-7019 Summersville, WV Collectibles f@clarksantiquesandsalvage 526 W. Mt. Lookout Rd. 304-872-2841 **Gauley River Pottery** Mt. Lookout, WV wvpottery.com **Mountain Lake** 1898 Airport Rd. 304-872-6222 Summersville, WV mountainlakecampground.com **Country Store**

PLAY

BOAT RENTALS, TOURS & STAND-UP PADDLEBOARDING

1706 Airport Rd. 304-872-1782 Sarge's Dive Shop Summersville, WV sarges.net **Summersville Lake** 1706 Airport Rd. 304-872-1331 Summersville, WV summersvillelakemarina.com Marina Inc. 278 Summersville Lake Rd. **Summersville Lake** 304-872-5975 Hwy 129 W. summersvillelakeretreat.com Mt. Nebo, WV

BREWERY, WINERY & DISTILLERY

| Gad Damn Brewing | 922 Broad St. Summersville, WV | 304-880-5735 gaddambrewing.com |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Isaiah Morgan Distillery | 45 Winery Ln. Summersville, WV | 304-872-7332 kirkwoodwinery.com |
| Kirkwood Winery | 45 Winery Ln. Summersville, WV | 304-872-7332 kirkwoodwinery.com |

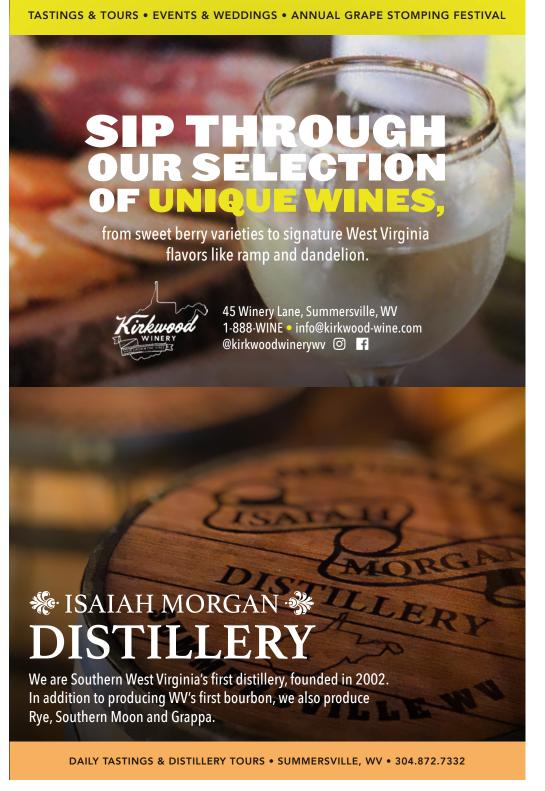
GEM MINING

Mountain Lake1898 Airport Rd.304-872-6222Gem MiningSummersville, WVmountainlakecampground.com

LAKES

Summersville Lake
2981 Summersville Lake Rd.
Summersville, WV
304-872-3412

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LIGHTHOUSE TOURS

Summersville Lake Lighthouse 278 Summersville Lake Rd. Hwy 129 W.

304-872-5975

summersvillelakeretreat.com

MINIATURE GOLF

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304-872-6222

mountainlakecampground.com

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1706 Airport Rd. Summersville, WV

304-872-1782 sarges.net



PARKS

Carnifex Ferry Battlefield State Park 1194 Carnifex Ferry Rd. Summersville, WV 304-872-0825 or 833-WVPARKS wvstateparks.com/park/ carnifex-ferry-battlefield-state-park

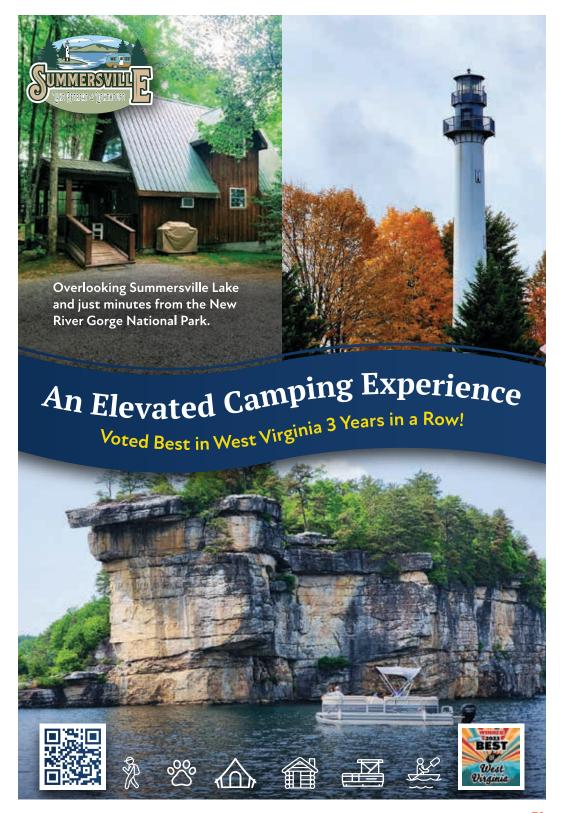
Gauley River National Recreation Area

c/o National Park Service Headquarters, P.O. Box 246 Glen Jean, WV

304-465-0508 nps.gov/gari

Nicholas County Veterans Memorial Park 19 Memorial Park Rd. Suite B Summersville, WV

304-872-3552 **4**@NCVMP



LODGING

Key





VACATION RENTALS

| Carnifex Ferry Cabins | 617 Carnifex Ferry Crossing Summersville, WV | 304-984-6123 ferrycabins.com | ≜ 🖰 |
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| Chalets at the Lake | 4357 Summersville Lake Rd. Summersville, WV | 304-741-4459 or 304-741-5517 chaletsatthelake.com | ∰ & |
| Hickory Hideaway | 90 Hickory Flats Ln. Mount Lookout, WV | 304-619-7555 vrbo.com/2539552 | ₩ ₩ |
| Lake Sometimes | 400 Glen Oaks Rd. Summersville, WV | ¶ @lakesometimeswv | |
| Mountain Escape Chalet | 2 Deerwood Rd. Summersville, WV | 864-680-4010 wvacabinrentals.com | ∰ & |
| Mountain Lake Campground & Cabins | 1898 Airport Rd. Summersville, WV | 304-872-6222 mountainlakecampground.com | ∰ ⇔ |
| River Rapid Retreat | 42 Turkey Path Ln. Mount Lookout, WV | 304- 651-1984 vrbo.com/2363841 | ₩ |
| Summersville Lake Retreat & Lighthouse | 278 Summersville Lake Rd. Hwy. 129 W. Mt. Nebo, WV | 304-872-5975 summersvillelakeretreat.com | ♣ |

CAMPGROUNDS





Laundry





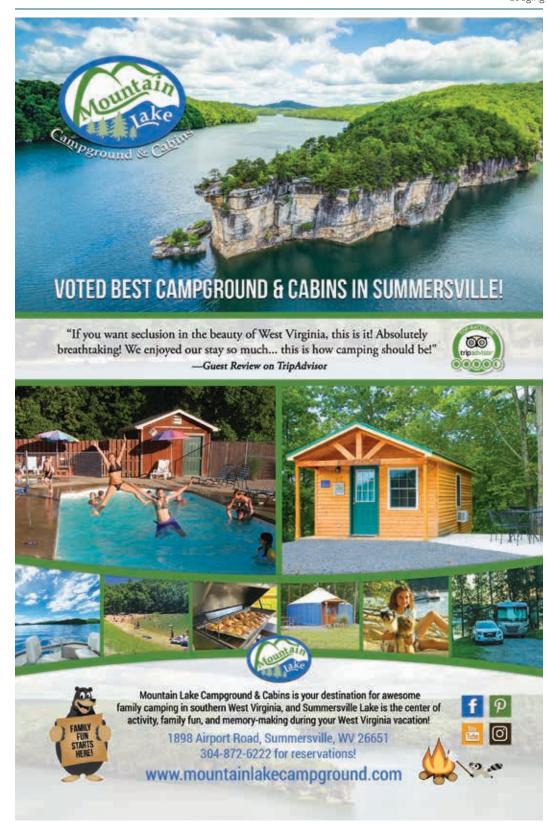




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| Battle Run Campground | 2981 Summersville Lake Rd. | 877-444-6777 | 夕 回 冨樂 |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|---|---------------|
| | Summersville, WV | recreation.gov | 咚蟲 |
| Beaver Lakes Campground | 73 Union Rd. Calvin, WV | 304-618-7399 beaverlakescampground.com | 4 7 8 8 |
| Mountain Lake | 1898 Airport Rd. | 304-872-6222 | 4 回哈 米 |
| Campground & Cabins | Summersville, WV | mountainlakecampground.com | |
| Summersville Lake | 278 Summersville Lake Rd. | 304-872-5975 | 4 % (* |
| Retreat & Lighthouse | Hwy. 129 W. | summersvillelakeretreat.com | |

Mt. Nebo, WV



WEDDINGS & EVENT CENTERS

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Meeting Rooms





AV Equipment



Max Capacity*



Banquet Facilities

*Capacity guidelines subject to change

The Pour House at Kirkwood Winery

45 Winery Ln. Summersville, WV 304-872-7332 kirkwoodwinery.com



TRAVEL RESOURCES

Business Services

BANKS

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

New River Gorge Regional Development Authority 200 Main St. Beckley, WV 304-254-8115 nrgrda.org

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SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA

SCENIC TRAILS TO EXPLORE

Home to the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve and 12 state parks and forests, as well as two areas managed by the National Park Service, our region offers unmatched outdoor experiences and breathtaking landscapes around every bend. From woodland paths that open up to amazing vistas to treks into our deep valleys, Southern West Virginia's natural beauty is always on display. Whether you choose to travel on foot or by bike on a family-friendly path or challenging terrain, the options are endless.







Scan the QR code for more on the many trails in Southern West Virginia.

Delight in the wide-open spaces of Southern West Virginia. Visit the revitalized railroad towns, quaint communities and rolling landscapes of Summers, Monroe and Greenbrier counties.

Stroll the streets of Hinton — the southeast gateway to the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve — for small-town charm and rich railroad history. Take in the impressive view of Sandstone Falls, the largest waterfall on the New River. Or trek to the top of the Hanging Rock Raptor Observatory for the best birdwatching vantage point in the state. Explore the historic town of Lewisburg and learn more about the region's storied past, or unravel the mystery of the Greenbrier Ghost.

From agriculture to art, discover the unique blend of heritage and mountain creativity here.





HINTON'S HISTORIC DISTRICT

Hinton — the southeast entrance to New River Gorge National Park and Preserve — stands as a testament to community revitalizations while embodying West Virginia's cherished small-town charm.

Located in Summers County, a county of three rivers — the New, Bluestone and Greenbrier — Hinton boasts seemingly endless natural beauty.

Explore the Hinton Historic District, featuring 200 buildings that showcase diverse architectural styles. Within this district, discover delightful places to shop,

dine and relax. Stroll the brick streets, unraveling the charm of new shops and old architecture while surrounded by the breathtaking mountains and rivers.

Entertainment awaits at the remodeled Ritz Theater, offering movies, plays and music. Otter & Oak excels as a trifecta, offering the latest in outdoor gear and fashion,





Take in the breathtaking views and festival activities during one of Hinton's annual events.

complemented by a cozy cafe and the Rivertown Gallery, highlighting local art and books. Extend your time in Hinton with a stay at a historic inn, vacation rental or modern studio.

Hinton celebrates its community spirit with annual events like the West Virginia State Water Festival (July 20-27) and the Festival of the Rivers (September). The fall festival, Railroad Days, features food, music and vendors amidst the colorful foliage.

Journey north of Hinton to Sandstone Falls, a stunning cascade located in the New River Gorge National Park and Preserve. It is the largest waterfall on the New River and spans 1,500 feet wide, with drops ranging from 10 to 25 feet. The New River transforms from a wide river to a narrow and powerful waterway at the falls. There are boardwalks, bridges and overlooks that offer excellent views and photo opportunities of the cascading water.

During the summer, cool off and make a splash with your family at Wild Water Express, an outdoor water park near Hinton's National Historic District.



Take a step back in time at one of Summers County's museums telling the stories of local legends and historical residences.



THREE RIVERS AVIAN CENTER

Founded in 1990, Three Rivers Avian Center is a nonprofit organization dedicated to wild bird conservation and ecosystem stewardship education. The 110-acre facility is located less than five miles from the Summers County seat of Hinton. Visitors can take a free public tour, typically on the first Saturday of the month from May-October, to meet and photograph some of the winged residents like owls, hawks, eagles, vultures and falcons. The Center also provides information about its ongoing work to protect, preserve and enhance wild bird species and their habitat through veterinary and rehabilitative care, environmental education, research and conservation efforts and species restoration.

THE MUSEUMS OF SUMMERS COUNTY

The museums of Summers County offer a diverse range of attractions, from historic homes to the renowned location of a local legend.

Begin your tour in Hinton by visiting the Campbell-Flannagan-Murrell House Museum, the town's oldest standing residence dating back to 1875. The Hinton Railroad Museum, illustrating the area's railway history and the Veterans Memorial Museum, displaying artifacts from the Revolutionary to Gulf wars, are also in the nearby vicinity.

From Hinton, head east to Talcott, to pay homage to a folk hero at John Henry Historical Park. John Henry, known as the "Steel-Drivin' Man," is said to have raced —

and overcame (though subsequently dying with a hammer in his hand) — a steampowered drilling machine in 1870 at Great Bend Tunnel. A statue has been erected in front of the tunnel, and a museum and gift shop are located in the former L.G. Rhodes General Store along Pat Ball Road. John Henry Days, an annual three-day festival, is held in July.

Proceed along Route 3 to the Historic Graham House, built in 1770 by Colonel James Graham, the first settler of the town of Lowell, West Virginia. The structure, which has been listed on the National Register of Historical Places since 1976, is the oldest log home in the state still standing on its original site. Also on the property is the Saunders One Room Schoolhouse. Both are open to visitors from Memorial Day through Labor Day.





Timeless Towns & Farm Country: **SUMMERS COUNTY**





Breakfast



Lunch



Alcohol Served



Dinner



Catering

COFFEE SHOPS

Otter Cafe

302 2nd Ave. Hinton Historic District Hinton, WV 304-466-4870 otterandoak.com

DINING

The Market on Courthouse Square

200 Ballengee St. Hinton, WV 304-466-6626 themarketwy.com



SHOPPING

Otter & Oak

302 Second Ave. Hinton Historic District Hinton, WV 304-466-4870 otterandoak.com







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PLAY

AVIARY

Three Rivers Avian Center 2583 Brooks Mountain Rd. Brooks, WV

304-466-4683 tracwv.org

HISTORIC SITES & MAIN STREETS

Hinton National Historic District

322 Summers St. Hinton, WV 304-466-3255 hintonwva.com

MOTORCYLE TOURS

Appalachian Motorcycle Adventure Tours 1198 Meadow Creek Rd. Meadow Creek, WV 304-445-5126

appalachianmotoadvtours.com

MUSEUMS

Campbell-Flannagan-Murrell House Museum 422 Summers St. Hinton, WV

304-660-8093 cfm-fmh.org

THEATERS & PERFORMING ARTS

The Ritz Theatre

211 Ballengee St. Hinton, WV 304-466-6684 or 304-466-6700 ritzwv.com

TRAILS

National Park Service Trails Sandstone Visitor Center

330 Meadow Creek Rd. Exit 139 on I-64

304-466-0417

nps.gov/neri/planyourvisit/sandstone.htm

Visitors Center is Seasonal

WATERPARK

Wild Water Express

400 Front St. Hinton, WV

Sandstone, WV

304-466-1600 hintonwva.com

PARKS

Bluestone National Scenic River c/o National Park Service Headquarters P.O. Box 246

Glen Jean, WV

304-465-0508 nps.gov/blue

New River Gorge National Park & Preserve

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Visitors Center is seasonal

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AV Equipment



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TRAVEL RESOURCES

Business Services

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

New River Gorge Regional Development Authority

200 Main St. Beckley, WV 304-254-8115 nrgrda.org

RADIO STATIONS

Mountain Plex Media

Classic Hits: 98.3 hits98fm.com ESPN the Ticket: theticket102.com 211 Ballengee St. Hinton, WV 304-466-1380 hits98.fm

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

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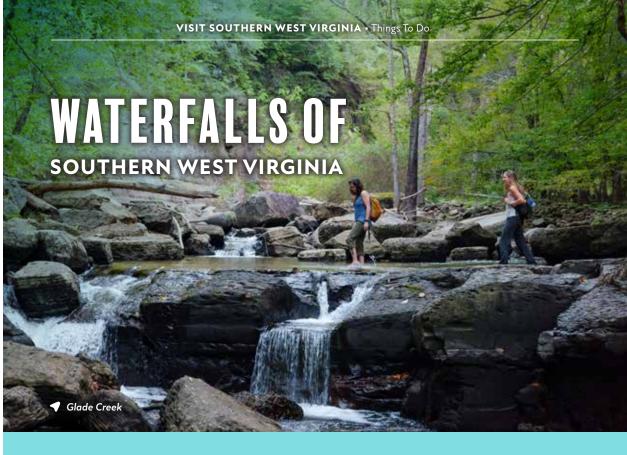
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New River Gorge National Park & Preserve Sandstone Visitors Center Visitors Center is seasonal

330 Meadow Creek Rd. Exit 139 on 1-64 Sandstone, WV

304-466-0417 nps.gov/neri



Cool down in one of Southern West Virginia's picturesque destinations.

There's nothing quite like the rushing display of a waterfall, and fortunately, Southern West Virginia is home to some of the very best. From the serene Glade Creek Falls to the twin cascades of Marsh Fork and Black Fork, the stretching Sandstone Falls to the 100-foot high Cathedral Falls, each waterfall found throughout Southern West Virginia reveals its own personality. Whether you're a hiker or cruising the open road - catch a glimpse of our cascades from scenic overlooks, boardwalks and roadside viewing areas. Chase our beautiful waterfalls throughout your trip as part of West Virginia Tourism's Waterfall Trail. Visit our 11 regional waterfalls on the trail to unlock prizes along the way!

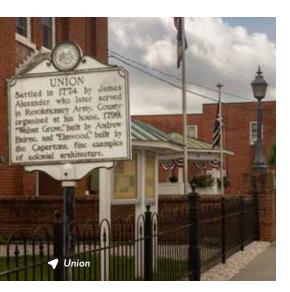




Scan the QR code for more information about Southern West Virginia waterfalls.



A quiet corner of West Virginia that seems untouched by time, Monroe County offers a restful retreat among nature.



From restored covered bridges and historic churches to sprawling lakes and karst farmland, this area is an ideal escape for history buffs and nature lovers alike.

Located on the Virginia border, Monroe County is one of only two West Virginia counties in the state with access to the Appalachian Trail, the 2,200-mile famous footpath that spans from Maine to Georgia. The somewhat smaller — but still the longest in the state — Allegheny Trail is also located here. The two trails intersect at Peters Mountain. More hiking trails can be found in the George Washington and Jefferson national forests.

For birding enthusiasts, the Hanging Rock Raptor Observatory is a noteworthy destination. At an elevation of more than 3,800 feet, Hanging Rock is a former fire tower that is now noted for being one

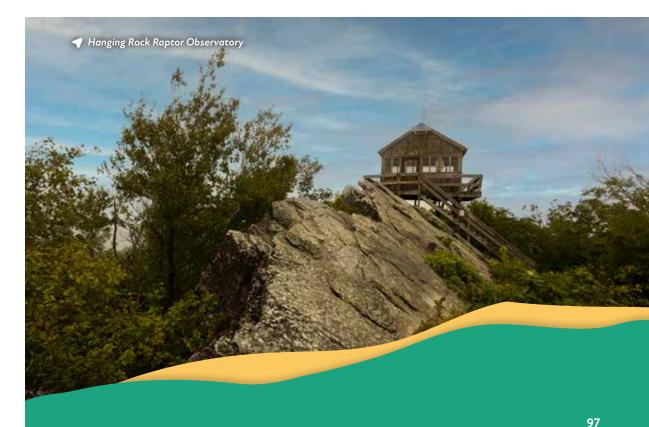
Visitors can enjoy historical sites, hiking, bird watching and water activities.

of the best vantage points in the state to view migrating hawks, eagles, falcons and osprey along with a panorama of the surrounding counties. The hike to access the tower is close to a mile and can take up to 40 minutes depending on your fitness level.

Located nearby, Moncove Lake State Park also offers hiking, bird watching and water activities. Visitors can enjoy boating and fishing on the lake's tranquil waters. There are five hiking trails, and the park's campground and pool are open seasonally — spring through fall, weather permitting.

The area beautifully preserves its historic features, including Cook's Old Mill, a mid-1800s gristmill on West Virginia Route 122, and the Indian Creek Covered Bridge, located near US Route 219 and proudly listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Additionally, visit quaint towns like Alderson and Union for a glimpse of the past.

Agriculture is at the heart of Monroe County. For an up-close look at some of the local producers, visit Sunset Berry Farm & Produce, which specializes in growing strawberries, sweet corn and watermelon. The farm also has beautiful fields of sunflowers that are in full bloom during the late summer.



LOCAL BUSINESSES IN MONROE COUNTY

Explore Monroe County's charm through its distinctive local businesses. At The Cheese 'n' More Store, experience an old general store atmosphere with an expansive selection of cheeses and deli options. Visit Alderson Store, established in 1887 and West Virginia's oldest store, for a nostalgic shopping experience. Drink in the great flavor of the area at Old World Libations, a farm winery located in Union. Old World Libations crafts fine ciders, meads and wines using

West Virginia fruits and berries straight from the source. Alderson Artisans Gallery, a non-profit community art hub, highlights handmade art and crafts from local and Appalachian artisans. Four Fillies Lodge provides diverse accommodations on over 80 acres, including log cabins, glamping pods, a safari lodge and more. Immerse yourself in history at Sweet Springs Resort Park, featuring the historic Sweet Springs Hotel designed by Thomas Jefferson in 1830. Providing lodging and baths since 1760, the resort is available for special events, festivals and tours.



Sample a variety of cheeses, deli meats, jams and relishes at The Cheese 'n' More Store.



Monroe County boasts a rich Civil War history, evident in its five sites on the National Civil War Trail, all conveniently located within walking distance of the town of Union.

CHAPMAN HOUSE

Built in 1803, this house belonged to a prominent Union family with Confederate ties. Augustus Chapman, a well-known lawyer and politician, served as a brigadier general in the Confederate army. His son, George, also fought for the Confederacy, leading Chapman's Battery until his death at the Battle of Winchester in 1864.

GENERAL JOHN ECHOLS HOUSE

This residence was home to John Echols, a lawyer and Confederate general. He played a significant role in the war, forming the Monroe Guards militia company and later commanding Confederate forces in the Kanawha Valley and Western Virginia.

UNION COLLEGE

Founded in 1820, this former Presbyterian school stands as the oldest private school building still standing in West Virginia. During the war, it served as a hospital for injured Confederate soldiers left behind by General Heth's troops in 1862.

CROOK'S OCCUPATION OF UNION

This marker commemorates the Union army's occupation of Union under General Crook in May 1864. During this time, a large Union force, including future presidents Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley, marched through the town.

UNION, WESTERN VIRGINIA

This monument, erected in 1901, honors the local men who served the Confederacy. Standing atop a hill, it overlooks Walnut Grove, a house used as a hospital during the Union occupation, and offers a glimpse into the town's layout during the Civil War.



Scan the QR code to learn more about Southern West Virginia's Civil War history.



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Alderson's

Serving the Greenbrier Valley and surrounding areas since 1887, Alderson's is the oldest family-owned Retail Store in West Virginia. We've evolved over four generations into a modern General Store housed in a pristine example of Art Deco architecture. You'll find a carefully curated mix of jewelry, clothing, accessories, antiques & collectables, as well as WV books, WV made gifts, souvenirs and much more - something unique for everyone!



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PLAY

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Hanging Rock Raptor Observatory c/o Monroe Tourism Limestone Hill Rd. Waiteville, WV

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HUNTING

Mountain Meadow Hunting Preserve 364 Mountain Meadow Ln. Greenville, WV

304-832-6635 mountainmeadowhunting.com

MUSEUM

Monroe County Historical Society 275 Main St. Union, WV 304-772-4449 monroewvhistory.org

TRAILS

Allegheny Trail & Appalachian Trail

c/o Monroe Tourism 500 Main St Union, WV

304-772-3003 x3 travelmonroe.com

Sweet Springs Resort Park

19540 Sweet Springs ValleyRd.. Sweet Springs, WV

304-536-4743 sweetspringsresortpark.org



PARKS

George Washington and **Jefferson National Forests** 500 Main St. Union, WV

304-772-3003 x3 travelmonroe.com

Moncove Lake State Park

695 Moncove Lake Access Rd. Gap Mills, WV

304-772-3450 or 833-CALL WVA

wvstateparks.com/moncove-lake-state-park

Slaty Mountain Preserve

500 Main St. Union, WV

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VACATION RENTALS

Four Fillies Lodge

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954-702-1647 fourfillieslodge.com



Sweet Springs Resort Park

19540 Sweet Springs Valley Rd. Sweet Springs, WV

304-536-4743

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WEDDINGS & EVENT CENTERS

Key



Meeting

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Sweet Springs, WV

Valley Rd.



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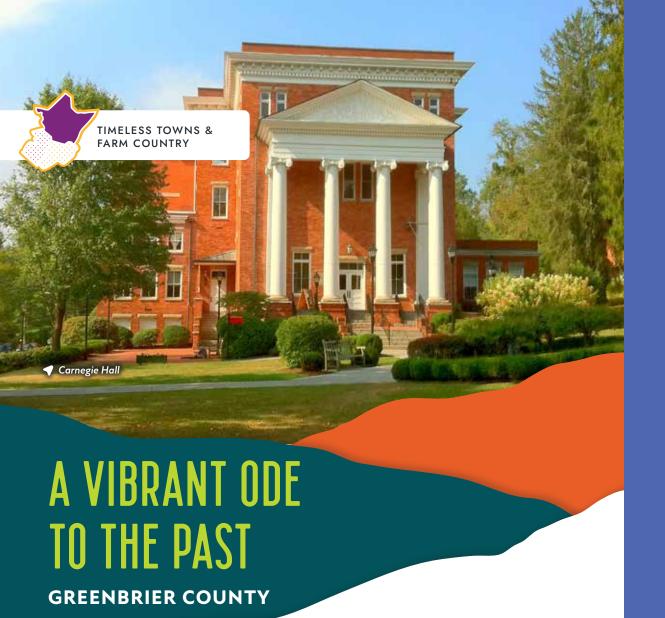
Monroe Tourism

Sweet Springs

Resort Park

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First-class restaurants, fine art galleries, historic museums and scenic hiking trails — Greenbrier County appeals to all preferences.

Lewisburg, one of America's Coolest Small Towns, is known for its small-town ambiance and metropolitan sophistication. Historians to art enthusiasts to craft beer connoisseurs can all delight in the charms of this small town.

The 263-acre nationally registered
Downtown Lewisburg Historic District
offers a peek into the area's notable past.
Set out on a self-guided walking tour to
learn about Lewisburg's 18th and 19thcentury history, founders and architecture.

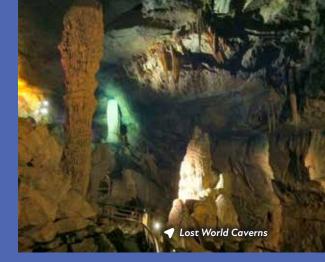
Embark on an underground cave tour at Lost World Caverns just outside of Lewisburg.

Browse local galleries and boutiques or get a taste of the thriving food scene. Attend a show at Greenbrier Valley Theatre or Lewisburg's Carnegie Hall, one of four left in the world still in use, and a cultural center for art, music and theater. In the summer, attend the annual State Fair of West Virginia.

Near Carnegie Hall is the Confederate Cemetery, the final resting place of 95 unidentified Confederate soldiers, and the North House Museum, managed by the Greenbrier Historical Society.

In addition to the chic bistros and sidewalk cafes lining the streets of downtown, Lewisburg is home to Greenbrier Valley Brewing Company, one of the state's most popular independent breweries. Sip on a locally-crafted brew, or visit West Virginia's first cidery, Hawk Knob Appalachian Hard Cider. For a taste of West Virginia-made whiskey, stop by Smooth Ambler Spirits Distillery.





Embark on an underground adventure at Lost World Caverns, a remarkable cave tour located just outside of Lewisburg. Prefer something more relaxing? Head to White Sulphur Springs for a soothing day at the Salt Cave and Spa. While in the area, take a stroll down Main Street and discover some of the new businesses popping up. White Sulphur Springs is a thriving Monongahela National Forest town.

Admire the rolling landscapes of Greenbrier County during an outdoor excursion. Visit local covered bridges (Herns Mill in Lewisburg and Hokes Mill in Ronceverte), hike, bike or horseback ride along the 78-mile Greenbrier River Trail or explore part of the Greenbrier State Forest, a 5,200-acre forest located on the eastern border of the state.





Timeless Towns & Farm Country: **GREENBRIER COUNTY**

Lunch

Dinner



Key

Alcohol Served

Breakfast

Catering

DINING

| The French Goat | 290 Lafayette St. Lewisburg, WV | 304-647-1052 thefrenchgoat.com | Y (|
|---|--|--|--------------|
| The Humble Tomato | 855 Washington St. W. Lewisburg, WV | 681-318-3788 thehumbletomato.net | 911 û |
| Lewisburg Downtown Shops & Restaurants | 905 Washington St. W. Lewisburg, WV | 800-833-2068 visitlewisburgwv.com | |
| Tudor's Biscuit World | 725 N. Jefferson St. Lewisburg, WV | 304-793-2022 tudorsbiscuitworld.com | <u>₽</u> ₩ |

SHOPPING

| Brick House Antiques | 1066 Washington St. E. Lewisburg, WV | 304-645-4082 ■ @Brick-House-Antiques |
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| Daniels Maple Syrup | 1747 Morris Branch Rd. Grassy Meadows, WV | 304-575-7266 danielsmaple.com |
| Lewisburg Downtown | 905 Washington St. W. | 800-833-2068 |
| Shops & Restaurants | Lewisburg, WV | visitlewisburgwv.com |
| The State Fair of West Virginia | 947 Maplewood Ave. | 304-645-1090 |
| Flea Market | Fairlea, WV | statefairofwv.com |

PLAY

BREWERY, WINERY & DISTILLERY

| Greenbrier Valley Brewing Company | 862 Industrial Park Rd. Maxwellton, WV | gvbc.beer |
|-----------------------------------|---|------------------|
| Hawk Knob Appalachian | 2245 Blue Sulphur Pike | 304-520-5477 |
| Hard Cider | Lewisburg, WV | hawkknob.com |
| Smooth Ambler | 745 Industrial Park Rd. | 304-497-3123 |
| Spirits Distillery | Maxwelton, WV | smoothambler.com |

CAVING

| | 907 Lost World Rd. | 304-645-66// |
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| Lost World Caverns | | or 866-228-3778 |
| | Lewisburg, WV | lostworldcaverns con |

MUSEUMS

| Greenbrier Historical Society/ | 814 W. Washington St. | 304-645-3398 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| North House | Lewisburg, WV | greenbrierhistorical.org |

SPAS

Carnegie Hall

| Damana Cale Cave and Cua | 6705 Pocahontas Trail | 304-536-2222 |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Pomona Salt Cave and Spa | White Sulphur Springs, WV | thesaltcaveandspa.com |

611 Church St.

THEATERS & PERFORMING ARTS

| | Lewisburg, WV | carnegiehallwv.org |
|---------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Greenbrier Valley Theatre | 1038 Washington St. E. Lewisburg, WV | 304-645-3838 gvtheatre.org |
| TRAILS | | |
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Marlinton, WV

304-645-7917

or 833-987-2757

wvstateparks.com/greenbrier-river-trail

PARKS

Greenbrier River Trail

| Greenbrier State Forest | 1541 Harts Run Rd. Caldwell, WV | or 883-987-2757 greenbriersf.com |
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Campground
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Max Capacity*



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EDUCATION

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Greenbrier Valley Campus

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Visitor Services

AIRPORTS

Greenbrier Valley Airport (LWB)

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Every route leads to a new adventure in Southern West Virginia. Get off the beaten path, following our area's scenic highways and byways, for an exhilarating experience along the open road. Our nine-county region is made up of miles of two-lane roads that connect dozens of small towns across our coalfields and countrysides. Take in the stunning scenery while navigating the winding country roads. And around every curve, uncover a piece of our rich history. From Hairpin Adventure to Head of the Dragon, National Forest to National Park, plan your route with our Southern West Virginia Motorcycle Ride Guide.

SOUTHERN WEST VIRGINIA

HITTHE OPEN ROAD





Scan the QR code to order your copy of our Southern West Virginia Motorcycle Ride Guide.



Going off-the-beaten path is the best direction. From tackling the trails to exploring rich coal history, there's something waiting for everyone in Wyoming, Mercer and McDowell counties.

This area is known for off-roading, thanks to the famous Hatfield-McCoy Trails System that runs through it. ATVs, UTVs and dirt bikes are all welcome here, at any time of the year.

Experience more of the great outdoors by visiting the region's three state parks, each featuring stunning waterfalls, scenic overlooks and miles of hiking and biking trails. With museums, coal camps, military monuments and a living history farm, there are plenty of activities for history buffs, too!





WYOMING COUNTY

MOUNTAIN GETAWAY

Captivating waterfalls, living history and trail riding – Wyoming County has activities for the entire family.

Enter a world of pristine forests and starry nights at Twin Falls Resort State Park, a nearly 4,000-acre hidden treasure in Mullens. The park offers year-round accommodations which include campsites, cabins and the main lodge, as well as over 30 miles of hiking and biking trails.

Follow the Falls Trail and admire the two picturesque cascades on the property — Foley Falls and Black Fork Falls. The park's namesake "twin falls" are located half a mile apart on the Marsh and Black Forks of Cabin Creek and can be accessed by a short hike from the trailhead parking lot. Both waterfalls are seasonal and are best to visit in the wet spring months.





COAL HERITAGE

Wyoming County's history, much like other parts of Southern West Virginia, is tied to the coal boom of the 20th century. Remnants of this bygone era can be found in still-standing coal camps throughout the county. Historic remains such as a company store, houses, steel rail bridge and coal tipple from one of the most productive mines in the state during the 1950s and 60s, Itmann, can be found here. Mullens was another boom town in the 20th century due to the Virginian Railway main line, rail yard and repair shop. The first commercial coal mine in the county was opened here. Take a tour of downtown to see the buildings and murals depicting a vanished period. From Mullens, follow the National Coal Heritage Trail. This driving route travels through more than 187 rugged miles of scenic industrial heritage and commemorates the history and culture of the coal industry.



While at the park, make a stop at Pioneer Farm, a reconstructed 1830s homestead that gives visitors a glimpse of true frontier life. Although you cannot tour the buildings, make sure to bring your camera — the farm is one of the top photographed attractions in the West Virginia State Park system!

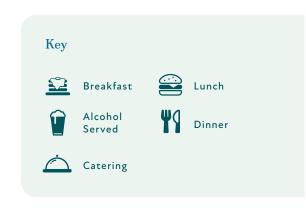
Other recreational activities at the park include an 18-hole golf course, splash park, nature center, indoor swimming pool, outdoor amphitheater, geocaching course, mountain bike trails, and tennis, basketball and volleyball courts.

Kick up some dust on the Hatfield-McCoy trails. Wyoming County is home to the Pinnacle Creek Trail System, 80 miles of off-road territory and the most scenic section of the Hatfield-McCoy Trail System. The Pinnacle Creek Trailhead, connected to Warrior, Pocahontas and Indian Ridge trails, creates the largest trail group on the Hatfield-McCoy Trail System.





Historic Coalfields & Off-road Adventures:



| McDonald's | 7550 WV Rt. 10 Oceana, WV | 304-682-4357 ¶@mcdonalds7550WV10 | <u>₽</u> ≅ ¶∫ |
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| Tudor's Biscuit World | 2002 Cook Parkway Oceana, WV | 304-682-8708 tudorsbiscuitworld.com | <u>≈</u> ≘ ¶(|
| | 200 Appalachian Hwy. Pineville, WV | 304-732-0000 tudorsbiscuitworld.com | ≖ ≅ I1 |
| Twin Falls Restaurant, Inc. | R.R. 97 Mullens, WV | 304-294-4005 twinfallsresort.com | |

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Hatfield-McCoy Trails

180 Appalachian Outpost Rd. Lybern, WV

304-752-3255 or 800-592-2217 trailsheaven.com

GOLF

Twin Falls Resort State Park

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LAKES

R.D. Bailey Lake US Army Corps of Engineers 110 Visitor Center Rd. Justice, WV

304-664-3229 f@usacerdbaileylake

SCENIC BYWAYS & HIGHWAYS

National Coal Heritage Trail

100 Kelly Ave. Oak Hill, WV

304-465-3720 855-982-2625 coalheritage.org

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Itmann, WV

304-640-3351 wvmountaintrails.com



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Key

Pets





TRAVEL RESOURCES

Business Services

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Wyoming County Economic Development Authority

506A River Rd Pineville, WV

304-732-6707 wyomingcounty.com

Visitor Services

CHAMBER, CVBS & TRAVEL INFORMATION

Wyoming County Convention & Visitors Bureau

124 Castle Rock Ave. Pineville, WV

304-560-8939 visitwyomingcountywv.com



For more outdoor adventures, visit
Panther State Forest, West Virginia's
southernmost state forest, offering 7,810
rugged acres for nature escapes. In Mercer
County, Camp Creek State Park and
Forest features breathtaking waterfalls,
trails and stocked trout streams, while
Pinnacle Rock State Park showcases a
striking 3,100-foot sandstone formation.

Beyond the trails, enjoy cultural performances at the Chuck Mathena Center in Princeton, a unique venue with a nearly 1,000-seat theatre hosting national touring productions, off-Broadway shows, concerts and more. A Bluefield landmark, the Historic Granada Theater opened in 1928 and hosted many famous celebrities before closing in the late 20th century. Revitalized by the community, the theater reopened to its former glory in 2021, and now brings movies and live events to Mercer County.



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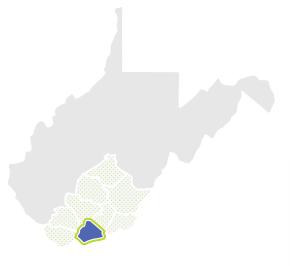
MERCER & MCDOWELL COUNTIES

Adventure is waiting around every bend in McDowell and Mercer counties.

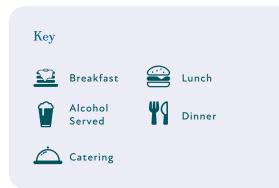
From scenic vistas to cultural experiences, McDowell and Mercer counties offer endless possibilities for exploration. These two counties are home to three of the individual trail systems that make up the Hatfield-McCoy Trails, one of the world's largest off-road trail systems with over 800 miles.

Experience the rugged Warrior and Indian Ridge trail systems in McDowell County, featuring beginner-friendly and intermediate-level trails. Mercer County welcomes riders to the Pocahontas Trail System, accessible off I-77 near Bramwell. Known as the "Town of Millionaires" because of the number of coal barons that lived in Bramwell in the early 20th century.





Historic Coalfields & Off-road Adventures: MFRCFR COUNTY



Gino's Pizza and 4075 Coal Heritage Rd. 304-589-3373 ₩ Spaghetti House Bluewell, WV ginospizza.com 530 Raleigh St. 304-800-4141 The RailYard Bluefield, WV railyardwv.com 4075 Coal Heritage Rd. 304-589-3383 **Tudor's Biscuit World** Bluewell, WV tudorsbiscuitworld.com 304-487-8010 1218 Stafford Dr.

SHOPPING

DINING

Mercer Mall

261 Mercer Mall Rd. Suite 322 Bluefield, WV

Princeton, WV

304-327-2507

tudorsbiscuitworld.com

PARKS

Camp Creek State Park & Forest 2390 Camp Creek Rd. Camp Creek, WV 304-425-9481 or 833-987-2757

wvstateparks.com/camp-creek-state-park

Pinnacle Rock State Park

6407 Coal Heritage Rd. Bramwell, WV 304-425-9481

wvstateparks.com/pinnacle-rock-state-park

PLAY

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SCENIC BYWAYS AND HIGHWAYS

National Coal Heritage Trail

100 Kelly Ave. Oak Hill, WV 304-465-3720 855-982-2625 coalheritage.org

THEATERS AND PERFORMING ARTS

Chuck Mathena Center

2 Stafford Commons Princeton, WV 304-425-5128 chuckmathenacenter.org

The Historic Granada Theater

537 Commerce St. Bluefield, WV

304-589-0239 bluefieldgranada.com

WEDDINGS & EVENT CENTERS

Key



Meeting Rooms



Lodging Onsite





Facilities

Restaurant

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*Capacity guidelines subject to change

The Barn on Unity Farm

535 Unity Barn Rd. Princeton, WV 304-921-2222 thebarnonunityfarm.com



Chuck Mathena Center

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TRAVEL RESOURCES

EDUCATION

219 Rock St 304-327-4000 **Bluefield State University** Bluefield, WV bluefieldstate.edu 304-384-5249 or 1000 Vermillion St. 800-344-6679 **Concord University** Athens, WV concord.edu **New River Community** 304-425-5858 1001 Mercer St. & Technical College Princeton, WV newriver.edu Mercer County Campus

Visitor Services

CHAMBERS, CVBS & TRAVEL INFORMATION

 Chamber of Commerce of the Two Virginias
 619 Bland St.
 304-327-7184

 Eluefield, WV
 coctwovirginias.com

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 186 Greasy Ridge Rd.
 304-487-2214



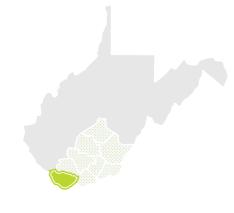


Bramwell Depot 100 Simmon St Bramwell, WV 24715 (304) 248-8595



Historic Coalfields & Off-road Adventures:

MCDOWELL COUNTY



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304-752-3255 or 800-592-2217

trailsheaven.com

MUSEUM

World War I Memorial

20 One Way St. Kimball, WV 304-585-7789 forgottenlegacywwi.org

SCENIC BYWAYS AND HIGHWAY

National Coal Heritage Trail

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PARKS

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304-436-3833

Panther State Forest

239 Ostenaco Rd. Panther, WV 304-938-2252

wvstateparks.com/panther-state-forest

TRAVEL RESOURCES

SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

United Way of Southern West Virginia, Inc.

110 Croft St. Beckley, WV

304-253-2111 unitedwayswv.org

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STATEWIDE TRAVEL RESOURCES

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West Virginia International Yeager Airport (CRW)

100 Airport Rd., Suite 175 Charleston, WV 304-344-8033 yeagerairport.com



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Citynet LLC 100 Citynet Dr.
Bridgeport, WV

Digital Relativity108 1/2 Capitol St. #203
Charleston, WV

ynet Dr. 304-848-5400 or 800-881-2638 citynet.net

> 304-397-8643 digitalrelativity.com

TOUR OPERATOR

WV Adventure Tours

877-984-8687

f@wvadventuretours

TOURISM DEVELOPMENT

West Virginia
Parkways Authority

3310 Piedmont Rd. Charleston, WV 304-926-1900 wvturnpike.com

MUSEUMS

Hatfield Homeplace & Museum

UBB Miners Memorial

12790 Jerry West Hwy. Sarah Ann, WV

> 25586 Coal River Rd. Whitesville, WV

304-896-1212 hatfieldmccoyfoundation.org

304-837-3962 ubbminersmemorial.com



CULTURE & HERITAGE

The culture and heritage of our state is told through many sites, markers and museums. The state of West Virginia is full of proud people who love to tell the stories of our past. These two locations are outside our coverage area but close enough and interesting enough to warrant a visit while you are here.

The UBB Memorial honors twenty-nine miners who lost their lives in an explosion at the Upper Big Branch Coal Mine on April 5th, 2010.

The Hatfield and McCoy Foundation strives to educate and preserve the Hatfield-McCoy family history of the famous blood feud while promoting peace and showing the world it is possible to love beyond differences.

Thank you for your interest in southern West Virginia. This region is special from our parks to our recreation to our deep and meaningful history but there is more to explore in Almost Heaven West Virginia. For more statewide information please visit wytourism.com or call 800-225-5982.

CRAFT BEVERAGES

Craft beer, cider, wine, whiskey — no matter your beverage of choice, find something to sip in Southern West Virginia. With a diverse assortment of award- winning vineyards, unique distilleries and craft breweries, there are plenty of refreshing options to enjoy.

BRIDGE BREW WORKS 🕸 🥒 FAYETTEVILLE, WV Long Point Lager 4.6% ABV

Bridge Brew Works' Long Point Lager is named after Long Point Trail, a popular path for hikers wanting to see a view of the New River Gorge Bridge.

GREENBRIER VALLEY BREWING & MAXWELLTON, WV

Devil Anse 6.9% ABV

Devil Anse is a medium bodied American style India Pale Ale with notes of citrus and tropical fruit. While the hops provide complexity, they are balanced by strong malt backbone.





GAD DAMN BREWING SUMMERSVILLE, WV

Details Are Murky Coffee Stout

4.2% ABV

Gad Dam Brewing's Details Are Murky Coffee Stout is brewed with our exclusive GDB espresso roast. Malty with a generous portion of GDB espresso & lightly hoppy, providing a crisp flavor and clean bitterness.

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MASH .

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Founders Bourbon Variable ABV

Smooth Ambler's Founders' Cask Strength Series Bourbon is mashed, distilled, aged, and bottled at barrel proof at the West Virginia distillery.







Please confirm dates and times with the event organizer prior to attending.

APRIL 13

The 85th Feast of the Ramson – Ramp Festival and Arts and Crafts Show Richwood, WV

304-846-6790 richwoodchamberofcommerce.org

MAY 1-4

Mullens Dogwood Festival
Beckley, WV
304-256-1776

■ The Mullens Dogwood Festival

MAY 11-27

MAY 25

Alderson Strawberry Festival
Town of Alderson & Sunset Berry Farm, WV
304-646-3784
sunsetberryfarmwv.com

MAY 30-JUNE 1

Mountain Music Festival
Ace Adventure Resort, Minden, WV

877-787-3982 mountainmusicfestwv.com

JUNE 22

Gritty Chix Festival
Ace Adventure Resort, Minden, WV
877-787-3982
aceraft.com/event/gritty-chix-mud-run

JULY 4-7

63rd Alderson 4th of July CelebrationAlderson, WV
alderson4th.com

JULY 20-27

WV State Water Festival Hinton, WV

304-466-3255

AUGUST 8-17

State Fair of West Virginia
WV State Fairgrounds, Fairlea, WV
304-645-1090
statefairofwv.com

AUGUST 17

Annual Honey FestivalBeckley Exhibition Coal Mine, Beckley, WV 304-256-1747



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SEPTEMBER 21

MIA/POW & Veterans Appreciation Day Sweet Springs Resort Park, Sweet Springs, WV 304-536-4743 sweetspringsresortpark.org

SEPTEMBER 28

Twin Falls Lumberjack Festival
Twin Falls Resort State Park, Mullins, WV
304-294-4000
wvstateparks.com/calendar.com

OCTOBER 5

OCTOBER 12

Taste of Our Town (T.O.O.T.)
Lewisburg, WV
304-645-7917
carnegiehallwv.org/taste-of-our-towns

OCTOBER 11-13

Hinton Railroad Days Hinton, WV 304-466-3255 hintonrailroaddays.com

NOV. 29 & 30 DEC. 6 & 7

Appalachian Coal Town ChristmasBeckley Exhibition Coal Mine, Beckley, WV 304-256-1747

EARLY DECEMBER

■ Bridge Day

Hometown Holiday Marketplace Richwood, WV 304-846-6790 richwoodchamberofcommerce.org



West Virginia's biggest, most exciting single-day festival is one of the largest BASE jumping festivals in the world. The event will be held on October 19 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the New River Gorge Bridge.

Fayetteville, WV officialbridgeday.com



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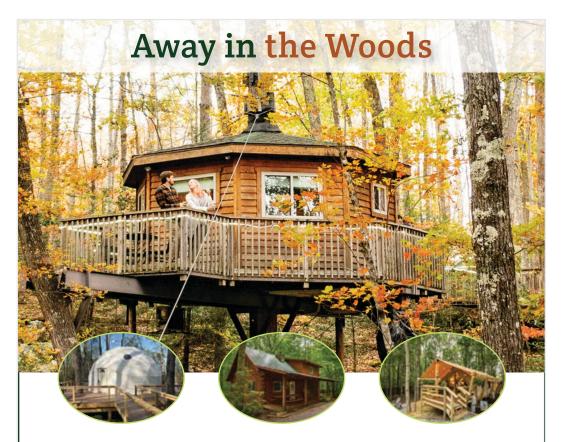
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