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SCorecard



[Cheraw State Park Golf Course](#), Cheraw, SC
(843) 537-9656, cheraw@scprt.com

This 18-hole, par 72 course was designed by Tom Jackson and features 6,928 yards of play. It has consistently earned *Golf Digest's* highest honor of "Super Value," as well as a 4.5/5 star *Golf Digest* rating in the "Places to Play" category. Additionally, this course became a certified Audubon Cooperate Sanctuary in 2003 for preserving and protecting the surrounding habitats.

Brandon House, York, SC
803-684-4484, ColinInFrance@aol.com

Brandon House likes to keep it simple—serve fresh, quality ingredients and support local farmers. Everything is made in house, including breads, ice cream, bacon and sausage. With menu items like Fried fog legs with tarragon mustard and Roasted Cornish Hen with Dijon gravy, Brandon House is a great place for lunch or dinner.



[Passion 8 Bistro](#), Fort Mill, SC
(803) 802-7455, info@passion8bistro.com

Husband and wife team, Luca and Jessica Annunziata, combine local ingredients with Italian flair. A native of Italy, Luca has worked in restaurants and cruise ships worldwide. The Annunzias' dream restaurant features ingredients from local farms (Tega Hills, Grateful Growers, Clover and Maple). Homemade pasta dishes, traditional Mediterranean plates (the Ripieni zucchini flower blossoms are fab!) draw crowds. Stop by the bar and say hi to Jessica—she'll be happy to answer any questions you have and tell you more about Passion 8 Bistro.



[Carowinds](#), Fort Mill, SC
(800) 888-4386, guestrelations@carowinds.com

Adrenaline seekers have something new for 2009—The Carolina Cobra, the only new rollercoaster at a theme park in a five state radius. The country's only theme park located in two states, Carowinds features thrill rides, family rides, live shows and dining. Enjoy the park's 12 coasters,



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including Top Gun, The Jet Coaster and the Vortex. Boomerang Bay water park is the perfect place to cool off with 25 water activities. Perfect for families, Nickelodeon Central has more than 20 attractions kids and adults can enjoy together.

[South Carolina Railroad Museum](#), Winnsboro, SC
803-635-9893, info@scrm.org

Take your children, grandchildren or yourself on a 10-mile, 45-minute train ride on the former Rockton and Rion Railway. This museum pays homage to the South Carolina railroad system through museum exhibits and various equipment on display, including: a red caboose, an authentic dining car and freight cars. Now ask yourself; when was the last time you went for a train ride?



[Landsford Canal State Park](#), Catawba, SC
(803) 789-5800, landsfordcanal@scprt.com

This state park puts visitors in a gorgeous place, where they can learn of the importance canals played in 1800s commerce. Parts of the original canal remain, and a handicap accessible trail runs along the canal to a viewing deck. Paddlers and hikers can experience the beauty of the rare Rocky Shoals Spider Lilies in bloom between late May and early June. If you want a close-up view, rent a canoe or kayak from [Catawaba River Expeditions](#). Call ahead to make a reservation.

[Jammin in July](#) July 11, 2009, Camden, SC
803-432-9841

This music festival takes place on Historic Camden Revolutionary War Site. The event will feature more than 10 bands performing bluegrass, Americana, folk and rock. Bring your cooler, grab a bite to eat at one of the food vendors and enjoy live music!

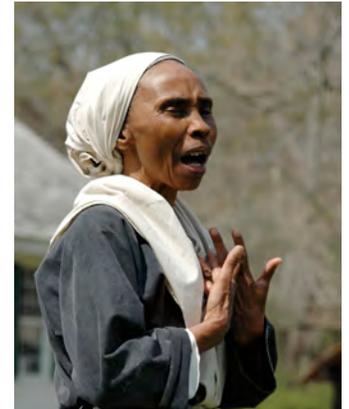
[Historic Brattonsville](#), McConnells, SC
803-684-2327, information@chmuseums.org

Experience a wealthy, Southern plantation at Historic Brattonsville. This 775-acre living history and Revolutionary War battlefield was home to three generations of the Bratton family, and the site has



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over 29 historic structures to tell the story of plantation life from the 1750's to the 1850's. Adults and children alike can take part in living history programs every Saturday and other special events throughout the summer. Watch award-winning interpreters like Kitty Wilson Evans (*right*) reenact slave life during this period, or take a self-guided tour through buildings and the Heritage Farm. Keep your eyes peeled for sites you may recognize from the movie, *The Patriot*.



Other Fun

[Bob Doster's Backstreet Studio & Gardens](#), Lancaster, SC
803-285-9190, cmstevens@comporium.net



Immerse yourself in the mind of award-winning artist, Bob Doster, at his working studio, outdoor botanical/sculpture garden and art gallery. This gallery features works of other artists, as well as his wife, Cherry. Doster's primary medium is metalwork, and Atlantans may recognize his commissioned, three-story sculpture in Saks Fifth Avenue in Phipps Plaza. Doster's work ranges from abstract, conceptual designs to objective designs like his trademark metal Palmetto tree. Doster also feels a strong obligation to give back to the community and has worked with over 100,000 South Carolina school children on art projects. *FREE*

[Carolina Adventure World](#), Winnsboro, SC
803-482-3534, info@carolinaadventureworld.com
Calling all speed demons—Carolina Adventure World (CAW) is the place for you! Bring your ATV, or rent one from CAW, and hit the 100-plus miles of trails ranging from easy to difficult (and don't miss the circular mud pit!). If you prefer two wheels, there are over 12 miles of dirt bike trails. The new, high speed tubing ride is a great alternative to the trails. Plus, if you have a group of 10 or more, grab on to the half-mile zip line. You can also rent storage for equipment and enjoy tent or RV camping on site.

