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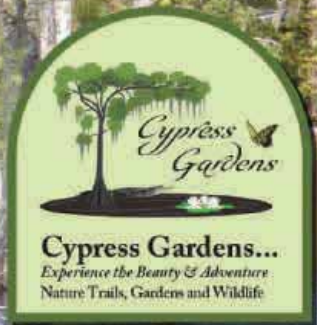
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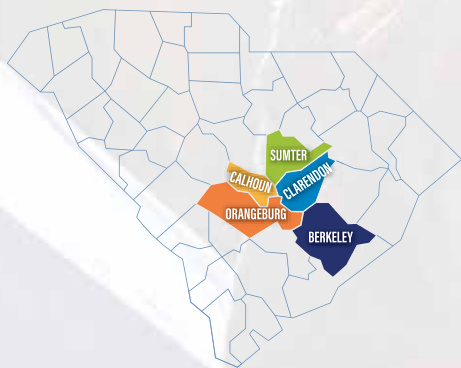
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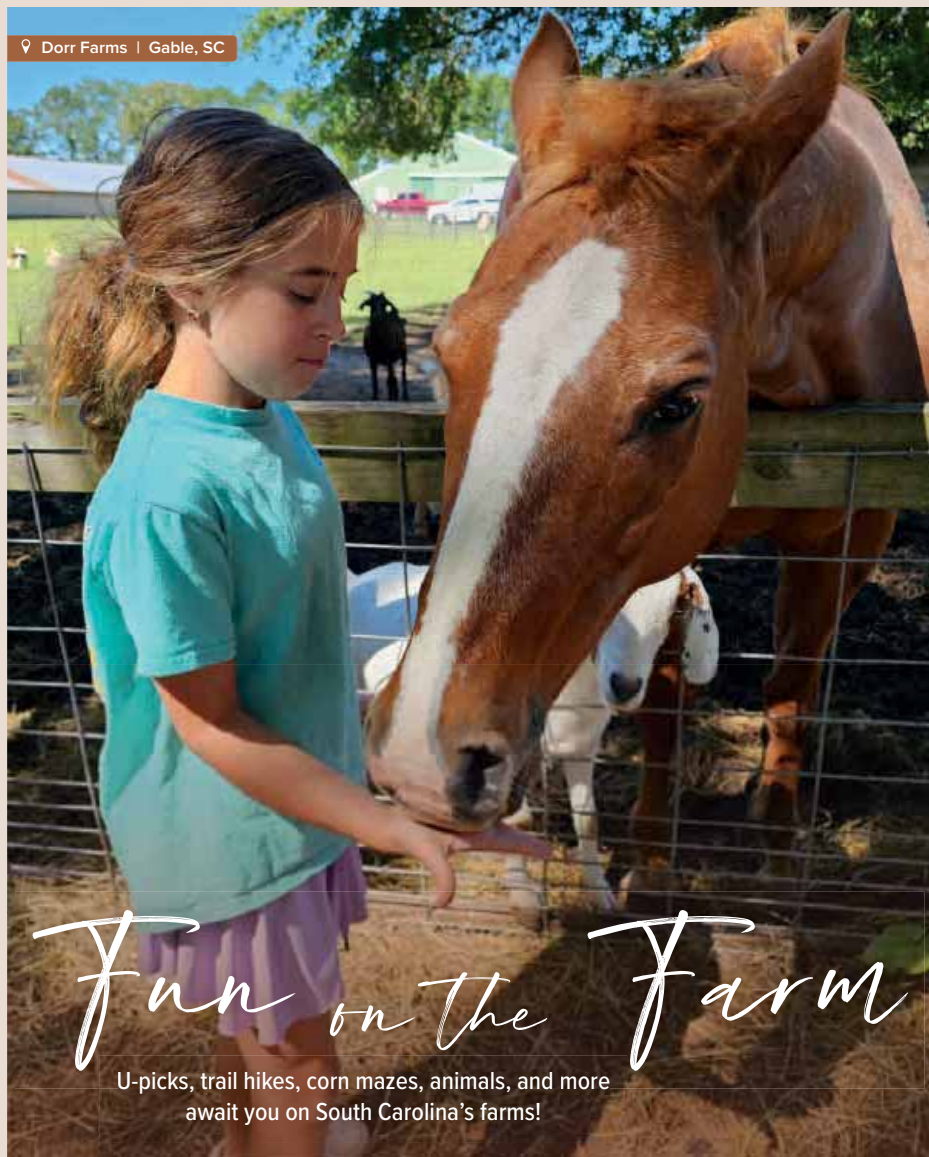
Lake Marion & Moultrie

These lakes are ranked 1st and 3rd in size among the Palmetto State's freshwaters. Both lakes have vastly different shapes and layouts, but they fish similarly. Fishing piers and boat landings are located all along the perimeter of the lakes.

Here you can catch Game Fish, Striper, Catfish, Bass, Chain, Shellcracker, Black Crappie, Warmouth and more! For those seeking a tried-and-true fishing trip with support from the locals, United State Coast Guard licensed guides and members of the Santee Cooper Guide Association are available for hire.



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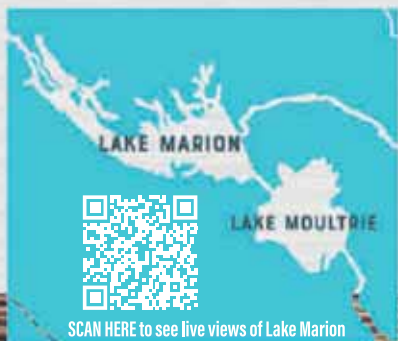
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Lake *History*



The Santee Cooper lake system consists of two lakes, Marion 110,600 acres and Moultrie 60,400 acres. These two lakes are joined by the 6.5 mile diversion canal. These world-class fishing lakes were created from 1939 to 1942 for a hydroelectric project by the South Carolina Public Service Authority, commonly known as "Santee Cooper" because of the two river systems the project connected. At the present time these lakes hold a world record Channel Catfish (58 lbs). These lakes held the world records for Striped Bass until 1993, its weight was 55 lbs, and Arkansas Blue until 1996, its weight was 109.4 lbs.

The lakes vary from shallow swamps and blackwater ponds to vast open water with a multitude of underwater structures. Lake Marion was not completely cleared, as a result fishermen will find there are thousands of stumps, standing dead tree trunks and live cypress trees. Lake Moultrie is more open and is 14 miles across at its widest point. These lakes do not ice over during the winter. Weather permitting, fishing is year round.



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State Records Currently Held

Largemouth Bass - 16.2 lbs
Black Crappie - 5 lbs
Chain (Jack) - 6.4 lbs.,
Shellcracker - 5.7 lbs.

Warmouth 2.25 lbs
Channel Catfish - 58 lbs
Arkansas Blue Catfish - 113.8 lbs
Flathead - 77.3 lbs.

CATFISH



Their range includes deep water holes and drop-offs throughout the lakes. April through October are the best months for blue catfish. Cut herring, gizzard shad, mullet, worms and commercially prepared baits are effective. Blue catfish are principally bottom feeders however, anglers land many fish trolling small lures or jigging spoons in mid depths. Channel and flathead catfish are also in the Santee Cooper lakes. Prepared baits and fishing methods are generally the same as for blue catfish.

LARGEMOUTH BASS



Spring is the best time of the year to catch big bass. Big females strike to protect beds, if small buck bass don't hit first. Spoons, spinners and six to eight inch plastic worms are effective. After spawning, worms, crankbaits and spinner baits are effective around the cypress tree stickups, lily pads and grass beds in water 2 to 4 feet deep. Bass are usually found in waters less than 20 feet deep and rarely go beyond the area where rooted vegetation will grow.

STRIPED BASS



In March, April and May stripers make their way up through the diversion canal and generally by way of the riverbeds in the lakes, up the Congaree and Wateree Rivers for their annual spawning run. As a result, fishermen concentrate on the rivers and lake Marion. During this period, live herring is the best bait followed by cut bait. The fish are concentrated in deep holes. Recommended tackle includes 8 to 9 foot rods, free spool reels with clickers and 20 to 30 pound test line.

CRAPPIE



In late February, crappie congregate in mouths of creeks at depths of 8 to 12 feet. During this time, limited catches are frequently made by drift fishing with minnows. As the surface water temperature nears 58 to 64 degrees they move into water 2 to 12 feet deep to spawn. When using small jigs or spoons for crappie, jig them very slowly. Crappie weighing two pounds are common in these lakes.

BREAM



BREAM begin to bed in water six inches to four feet deep as spring turns mild and will continue to bed monthly on each full moon into the fall, moving to deeper water as the days turn cooler. Crickets and worms on #6 hooks are the baits of choice. Observant fishermen can try for bream during late April and May when Mayfly hatches occur.

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Lake Marion

Fish Attractors



Site Latitude Longitude

*21	33° 31' 08.51"	80° 12' 18.50"	*29	33° 26' 53.48"	80° 23' 35.09"
*23	33° 25' 34.72"	80° 19' 28.99"	*30	33° 27' 54.11"	80° 25' 11.21"
24	33° 33' 16.99"	80° 30' 08.89"	31	33° 30' 10.69"	80° 27' 35.39"
*25	33° 25' 55.20"	80° 13' 26.62"	*32	33° 31' 28.49"	80° 28' 40.80"
*26	33° 26' 15.29"	80° 15' 52.00"	*33	33° 32' 52.58"	80° 29' 32.99"
*27	33° 25' 49.01"	80° 19' 19.98"	*34	33° 31' 0.27"	80° 12' 40.02"
*28	33° 26' 02.69"	80° 21' 43.49"	*35	33° 29' 19.5"	80° 18' 12.4"
			*36	33° 29' 49.1"	80° 18' 22.9"

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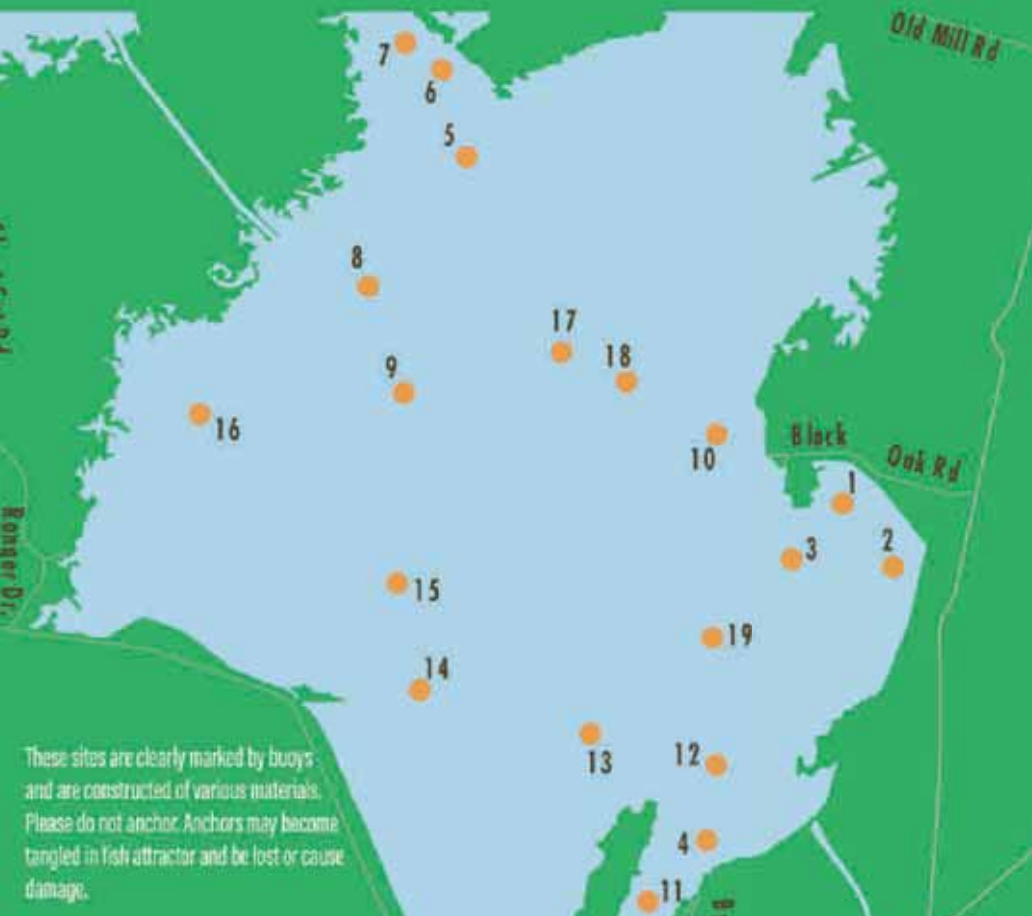


Lake Moultrie

Fish Attractors

Site Latitude Longitude

1	33° 18' 24.30"	79° 58' 36.01"	8	33° 20' 59.60"	80° 05' 44.92"	*14	33° 16' 29.10"	80° 04' 48.90"
2	33° 18' 00.61"	79° 58' 41.92"	*9	33° 19' 49.19"	80° 05' 18.89"	*15	33° 17' 19.21"	80° 04' 56.78"
*3	33° 17' 59.78"	79° 59' 13.60"	*10	33° 18' 51.08"	80° 00' 25.31"	16	33° 19' 03.00"	80° 07' 31.80"
*4	33° 14' 23.21"	80° 01' 29.71"	11	33° 14' 00.60"	80° 01' 40.91"	17	33° 20' 06.40"	80° 02' 55.50"
*5	33° 22' 32.70"	80° 04' 29.50"	12	33° 15' 29.09"	80° 01' 31.12"	*18	33° 19' 50.70"	80° 02' 18.82"
6	33° 23' 04.42"	80° 04' 45.08"	*13	33° 15' 15.80"	80° 02' 39.41"	19	33° 16' 43.00"	80° 00' 45.90"
7	33° 23' 12.30"	80° 04' 49.58"						



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Lake Moultrie and Lake Marion were developed in the early 1940s by the Santee Cooper Project. During this project, the Pinopolis Dam was built on the Cooper River for flood control and hydroelectric power production. Lake Marion is named after the Revolutionary War hero General Francis Marion, also known as the Swamp fox. Lake Moultrie is named after Revolutionary War general and SC governor William Moultrie. Both lakes have a rich history and are famous for their fish population.

Embrace the beauty of these lakes with your family and friends through a variety of watersports. Rentals are available for kayaking, paddle boarding, canoeing, and boating. Public boat ramps and landings are numerous and located all around Lake Marion and Moultrie.

For the naturist, head-turning wildlife boat and kayak tours on Lake Marion and Moultrie are sensational. You can observe an abundance of wildlife up close such as: the American alligator, owls, Canadian geese, flying osprey, bald eagles, birds of prey, our state bird, the Carolina Wren, and other wild and exotic animals. Grab your favorite flotation and dive into the lakes!



Lake Moultrie

Lake Marion



*Find Your Place
on the Water*

Navigation of the Santee Cooper Lakes

One of the goals of the Santee Cooper project was to create a route for inland navigation from Columbia to Charleston. The route is marked from the point where the Santee River flows into Lake Marion to the lock at the Pinopolis dam. This 122 mile system provides a clearly defined waterway through which boats can safely navigate the lakes. The navigation channel is clearly marked. Odd numbered, square, green markers define the port (left) side of the channel, while even numbered, triangular, red day markers define the starboard (right) side of the channel. Steer between these markers when navigating the channel. When encountering an oncoming boat steer to the right (starboard) side of the channel. For safety, heed rock markers and all other navigation buoys.

Please do not swim in the channel or tie off to the concrete poles that hold the channel markers. A safe channel defined by red and green buoys crosses Lake Marion at Marker #62 to the Taw Caw Creek area. A second channel runs east from the Taw Caw Creek area to the mouth of Potato and Wyboo creeks.

The same submerged trees and stumps that harbor the abundant marine life, giving these lakes legendary status for record game fish, pose a hazard to the unfamiliar boater. Please use caution when navigating outside the marked channel.



Mileage from Granby Landing to Charleston

From Granby Landing to confluence of Congaree & Wateree Rivers.....47 mi.

Santee River from Confluence to Lake Marion at Buckingham Landing....4 mi.

From Buckingham Landing to Seaboard Coast Line Trestle at Rimini.....7 mi.

From Seaboard Coast Line Trestle at Rimini to I-95 Bridge.....14 mi.

From I-95 Bridge to Spillway.....22 mi.

From Spillway to Pinopolis Lock.....20 mi.

From Pinopolis Lock to CSX Trestle in the Cooper River.....13 mi.

From CSX Trestle in the Cooper River to Charleston.....35 mi.

TOTAL 162 mi.

Boating Tips

For a Fun Day on the Water

PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICE (PFD)

All boats must have a wearable type PFD for each person on board or being towed. Each PFD must be in good condition and readily available, and the proper size for the intended wearer. In addition, boats 16 ft. in length or longer must carry a Type IV throwable device. In SC, any person under twelve years of age must wear a US Coast Guard approved Type I, II, III, or V PFD when on board a class "A" (less than 16 ft. long) boat.

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FLARES are required for vessels in coastal waters.

BELLS, WHISTLES All boats less than 39.4 feet must carry an efficient sound producing device. Every vessel from 39.4 to 65.6 ft. must carry a whistle and a bell.



Santee Cooper's Pinopolis Lock on Lake Moultrie, at the Jefferies Hydroelectric Station has a single lift of 75 feet. It is 180 feet long and 60 feet wide, passing vessels from Lake Moultrie to tide level in the Tailrace Canal. Hours of operation: One-half hour after dawn until one half hour before dusk year round. Lock does not operate during thunderstorms or rough-water conditions. There are phones located on the lake and river sides of the lock. If you have a large party of boats you may want to call in advance. The phone number is (843) 899-LOCK (5625). Railroad bridge crossing the Cooper River at Strawberry is tended from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. year round. The bridge has a 10' clearance and if you need to have it opened you must notify the attendant 6 hours in advance (843) 899-7647 or (843) 761-1572 Mon-Sun. 8:30am to 4pm.



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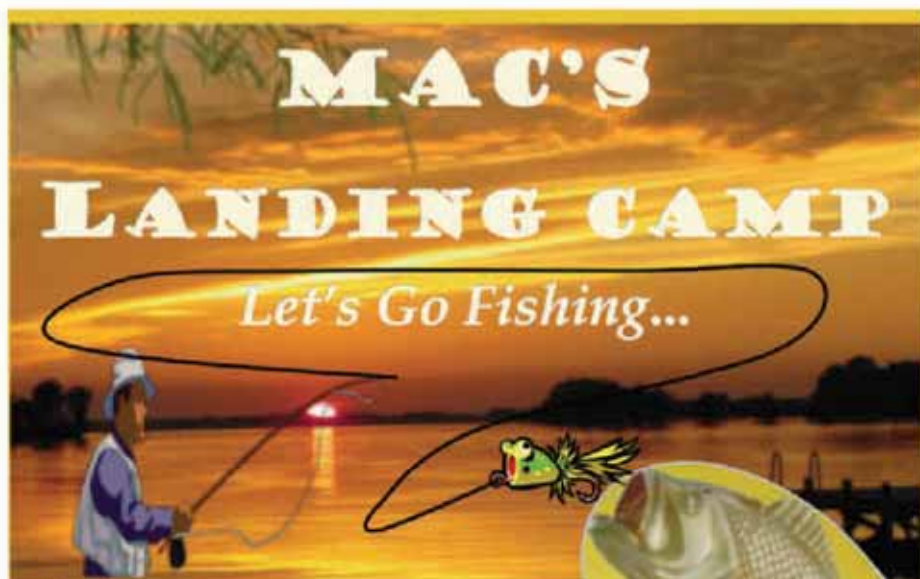
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## Berkeley County

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Taw Caw Park is a beautiful 37-acre park located on Taw Caw Creek near Goat Island. It features two boat ramps and three fishing piers. A boardwalk around and over the creek, picnic tables, grills, picnic shelters, playground and restrooms.

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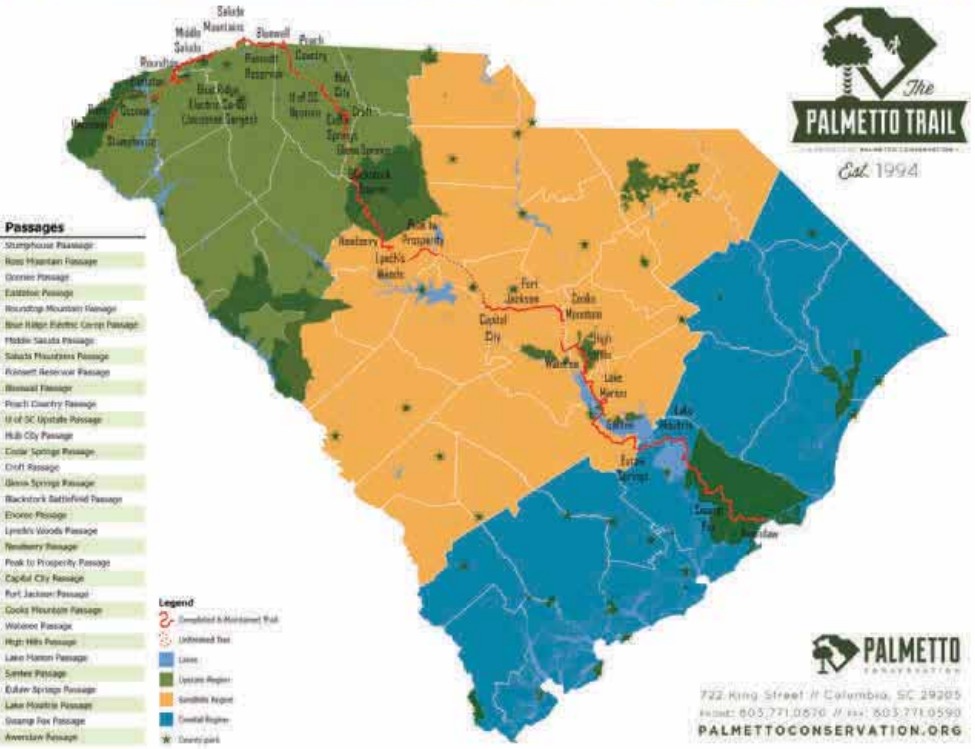
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- 4-GREEN ONIONS CHOPPED
- 4-STALKS CELERY, CHOPPED
- 3-CUPS WHITE POTATOES CHOPPED
- 1-TSP CAYENNE PEPPER
- 7-CUPS WATER
- 2-PINTS HEAVY CREAM
- 4-SPRIGS OF FRESH ROSEMARY
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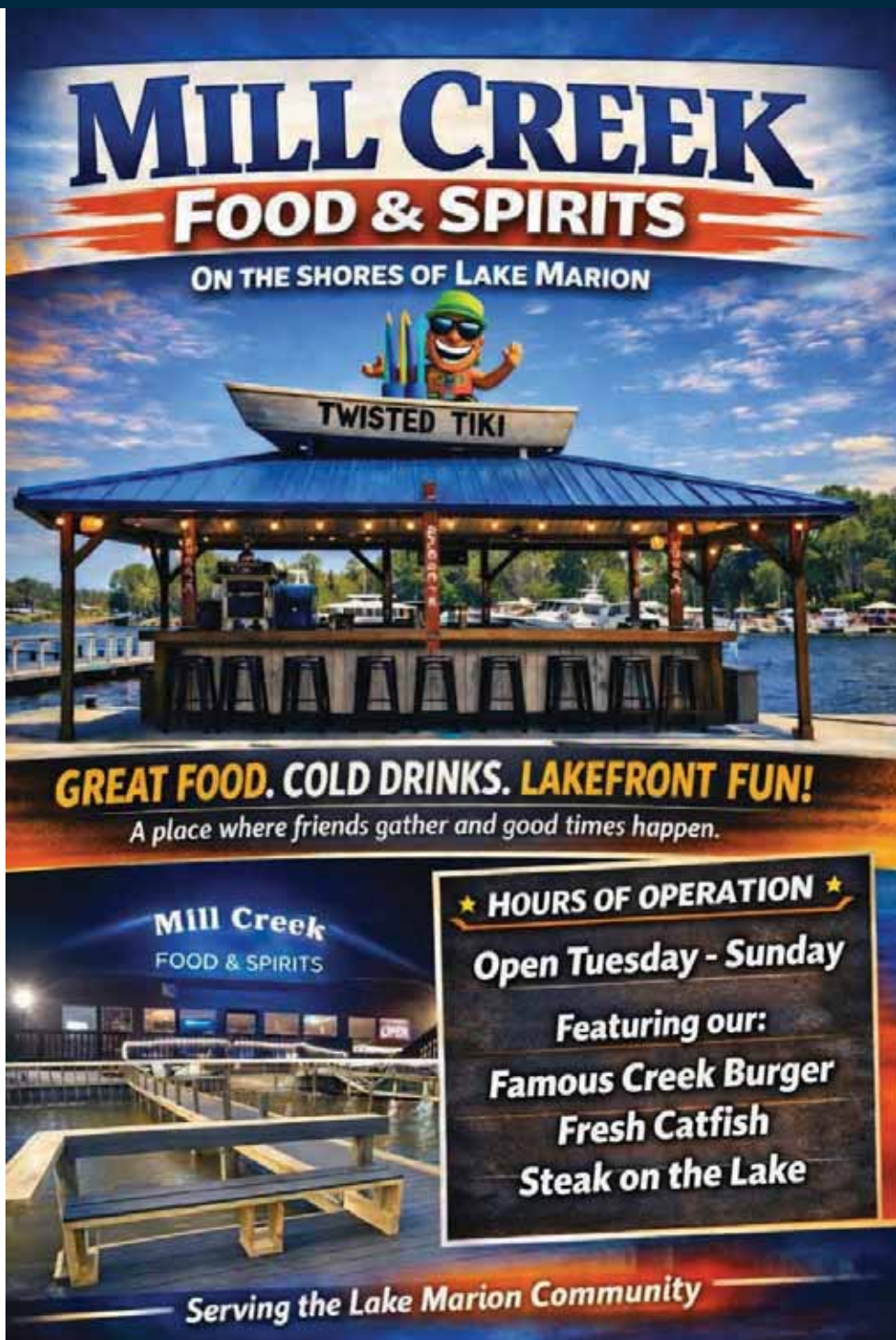
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History Lives Here:  
*The American Revolution*  
in Santee Cooper Country



BELLE ISLE  
PLANTATION

BURIAL PLACE OF  
GEN. FRANCIS MARION  
THE "SWAMP FOX"

— FAMOUS —  
PARTISAN WARRIOR OF  
THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

A NATIVE  
OF BERKELEY COUNTY  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
BORN 1732 DIED 1795

"OUR BAND IS FEW BUT TRUE AND TRUE,  
OUR LEADER FRANK AND BOLD,  
THE BRITISH SOLDIER TREMBLES  
WHEN MARION'S NAME IS TOLD."  
— 1781 —

Photo Credit: Jason Barriette

Entrance to the Francis Marion Tomb  
in Pineville, South Carolina.



## A Rich History

Santee Cooper has a rich history with well-preserved archives and exhibits revealing rural farm and country life from the late 1700s-1900s. The galleries of exhibits are always changing and vary. Immerse yourself in the culture and explore the cities as they appeared in the 1900's with shops, train stations, homes of local historical figures, and learn about tenant farming. You can explore plantation gin houses where cotton has been grown, picked, and ginned and remains in use today.

Many of the museums have lending libraries and ongoing research centers for tracking genealogy and newfound artifacts. Guided tours and community events are often hosted at the local museums and welcome families, field trips for schools, and visitors to join! Along with its rich natural habitats, Santee is home to many botanical gardens filled with colorful florals and fauna, glassy lakes and ponds, active wildlife and more. You will find a unique variety of gardens including a Monastery where mushrooms are grown and harvested, a butterfly garden, and a Braille Garden for the visually impaired. These are only a few of the natural wonders to be explored in Santee Cooper.

### Walk Through Revolutionary History in Santee Cooper Country

[250.SanteeCooperCountry.org](http://250.SanteeCooperCountry.org)



Stairs leading to the top of the Fort Watson Site, built atop the Santee Indian Mound, at Santee National Wildlife Refuge in Summerton, South Carolina .

Photo Credit: Jason Barnette



# So Much to See



Various historical homes, plantations, forts, mills, chapels, and museums are scattered through Santee Cooper. The museums showcase a variety of cultural artifacts and rural life of the past. You can find stimulating exhibits of art, local quilts, farming, planetariums, documents, manuscripts, and archaeology showcasing the story of life along the Santee River. Rich history of the Revolutionary War era and educational programs of the State's military tell the story of South Carolina.

The Santee National Wildlife Refuge is known for its Native American history at the Santee Indian Mound and Fort Watson Site dating back over 1,000 years. This site served as a ceremonial and burial site for the Native American Tribe. During the late 1600's and early 1700s the Santee Indians encountered Europeans sailing the Santee River. The tribe quickly reduced after initial contact with the Europeans and was eventually eradicated. During the 1800s, the mound was re-purposed by British troops and used as an elevated outpost.



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# Berkeley County

## **Berkeley Museum**

(843) 899-5101

Take a step back 12,000 years in time to experience the regions intriguing history. CSS David - Replica of the Confederate torpedo boat located at the Berkeley Museum

## **Blueway Adventures**

(843) 697-2812

100 Paul Revere, Sq. Bonneau.

[bluewayadventures.com](http://bluewayadventures.com)

Paddle the swamps, creeks and rivers that early settlers traveled. Paddle through rice fields and over flooded towns.

## **Credit One Stadium**

(843) 856-7900

[creditonestadium.com](http://creditonestadium.com)

State-of-the-art, world-class tennis facility and premier concert venue, located on Daniel Island

## **Cypress Gardens**

3030 Cypress Garden Way, Moncks Corner (off Hwy. 52).

[cypressgardens.berkeleycountysc.gov](http://cypressgardens.berkeleycountysc.gov)

170 acres, blackwater cypress swamp, butterfly house, swamparium, heritage garden, gift shop.

## **Dennis Wildlife Center & Hatchery**

(843) 825-3387

located in Bonneau off Hwy 52

Francis Marion's Grave - Grave of the renowned "Swamp Fox" located off SC 45 between SC 6 and Eadytown.



## **Mepkin Abbey**

(843) 761-8509

[www.mepkinabbey.org](http://www.mepkinabbey.org)

Catholic monastery of extraordinary peace and beauty 13 miles SE of Moncks Corner off SC 402

## **Old Santee Canal Park**

(843) 899-5200

[www.oldsanteecanalpark.org](http://www.oldsanteecanalpark.org)

This 195-acre park is the site of the Santee Canal, the first true canal in the United States - located on the Tailrace Canal in Moncks Corner, Hwy 52 By-pass

## **St. James Church**

[swampfox50milepaddleandcamptrail.com](http://swampfox50milepaddleandcamptrail.com)

Built in 1714, Goose Creek off Old State Road (Hwy. 52) Swamp Fox Paddle and Camp Trail, 50 mile trail going through lakes Marion and Moultrie.

# Calhoun County

## **Calhoun County Museum**

(803) 874-3964

313 Butler St., St. Matthews

Tues. - Fri. 9am - 4pm.

Museum contains an art gallery, Indian artifacts, family research by appointment, period themed rooms, costume collection, and farm room.



### Branchville Railroad Shrine & Museum

(803) 707-1788

7204 Freedom Road.

Open: Fri. & Sat. 10 am to 2 pm & Sun. 2 to 5 pm. Mr. Norris

Few realize that Branchville, South Carolina, is home to the world's oldest railroad junction and was on the route of the country's first scheduled train.

### Edisto Memorial Gardens and Horne Wetlands Park

(803) 534-6821

301 in Orangeburg

Displays past and current award winning roses from the All-America Rose Selections. Some 4,000 plants representing at least 85 labeled varieties of roses are always on display in the Gardens.

### Elloree Heritage Museum

(803) 897-2225

Located on Cleveland St in Elloree.

Open Wed. - Sat. 10 am to 5 pm.

An exciting and educational view of SC's rural past.

### Eutaw Springs Battleground

Hwy 6 Eutawville

Site of the last major battle in South Carolina of the American Revolution



## Orangeburg County

### Orangeburg National Fish Hatchery

(803) 534-4828

Open M-F 8 am to 3:30 pm

[www.fws.gov](http://www.fws.gov)

Fish raised at the hatchery can be viewed in the aquarium

### Orangeburg County Military Museum & The Patriot Guard Historical Museum

803-258-3167 or 803-258-3152

210 Brodie Street, Springfield

OPEN Tues - Sat. 11 am to 4 pm

and by appointment FREE

Two excellent museums-seeing is believing!

### Santee Aquatic Park

Bass Dr., Santee.

Open Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day weekend.

### Valentines Cotton Gin and General Store

(803) 534-7105

"A peek into the past" located just off Hwy 301, 13 miles south of Orangeburg in Cope

### Cecil Williams South Carolina Civil Rights Museum

Located at 1865 Lake Dr, Orangeburg, SC

Founded by renowned photographer

Cecil Williams, is the state's first

museum dedicated to the S

Civil Rights movement.



# Clarendon County

## Fort Watson

**US 301-15 at Santee Wildlife Refuge.**

Site where a British outpost was located atop a 30 foot Indian ceremonial mound

## Santee National Wildlife Refuge

**(803) 478-2217**

**US 301-15, 2125 Fort Watson Road Summerton.**

Visitor Center open Tuesday through Saturday. Trails for walking or driving.

## Swamp Fox Murals Trail

**[www.swampfoxcountry.com](http://www.swampfoxcountry.com)**

The Swamp Fox Murals, General Francis Marion and his engagements with the British in 1780-81 in St. Mark's Parish, now Clarendon County, depict history in Manning, Paxville, Summerton & Turbeville with easy access to I-95. Murals tell stories of events of the American Revolution in South Carolina, mostly from the Santee River to beyond the Black River.

## Taw Caw Park

50 acre park on the Shores of Lake Marion near Goat Island.

For more places  
to visit, please  
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# Sumter County

## Church of the Holy Cross

**(803) 494-8101**

**Hwy 261 in Statesburg**

Site of Joel Poinsett's tomb - church is an excellent example of Gothic Revival architecture.

## Patriot Hall

**(803) 436-2260**

Located in the Cultural Center on Haynsworth St, Sumter

## Poinsett State Park

**(803) 494-8171**

**Hwy 521**

Park contains plants, animals and terrain of both the Low Country and Up Country. Miles of hiking and biking trails.

## Sumter County Military Museum

**129 S. Harvin Street, Sumter, SC**

A 36,000-square-foot facility honoring local veterans, Shaw Air Force Base history, and General Thomas Sumter, the Sumter Military Museum will feature extensive military memorabilia.

## Sumter Gallery of Art

**(803) 775-0543**

**200 Hassel St, Sumter**

## Sumter County Museum and Historical & Genealogical Research Center

**(803) 775-0908**

**122 N. Washington St. - Sumter**

**[www.sumtercountymuseum.org](http://www.sumtercountymuseum.org)**

Southern Mansion built in 1916, living history demonstrations.

## Swan Lake Iris Gardens

**(803) 436-2640**

**W. Liberty St., Sumter**

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# Shopping

## in Santee Cooper Country



Retail boutiques with a mixture of seasonal clothing and Lowcountry and lake inspired gifts are dispersed throughout the Santee area. From regionally made candles, purses and jewelry to stylish clothing and accessories, these artisan markets and boutiques are filled with charming local aesthetics. If you're looking for antiques and unique secondhand treasures, the vintage and consignment shops are full of relics, wares, clothing, art, textiles, furniture, and one-of-a-kind items that tell stories from the past.

For a taste of the local vibe, visit the Country and General variety stores where you can find delicious treats, homemade jams, BBQ and hot sauces, pickled veggies, gourmet seasonings, regional honeys, boiled peanuts, fresh sandwiches, stone ground grits, and hush puppy mixes. You can purchase recreational hunting and fishing licenses at these locations. Additionally, fishing poles and supplies for your tackle box like lures, lines, hooks, knives, bobbers, weights, live bait, and more are available.

## Local Favorites

### **Kelley Anne's Boutique in Santee**

717 Bass Drive Santee,  
SC 29142  
(828) 707-6338

### **Belladonna Boutique**

9 W Boyce St, Manning,  
SC 29102  
(803) 696-4109

### **Five Rivers Market**

950 Chestnut St  
Orangeburg, SC 29115  
(803) 937-1101

### **Berkeley Boutique II**

316 S Mill St, Manning,  
SC 29102  
(803) 433-9200

### **Vintage Boutique**

2721 Cleveland Street  
(803) 897-2500

### **Cross General Store**

1567 Ranger Drive,  
Cross, SC  
843-753-4111

### **Collector's Corner**

308 E Main St,  
Moncks Corner, SC 29461  
(843) 899-1886

### **The Olive Tree and Doolallies**

600 Bultman Dr # 6,  
Sumter, SC 29150

### **Winston Rivers Trading Co.**

750 Bass Dr, Santee, SC 29142



## Local Farmer's Market

# Hickory Bluff Berry Farm

3019 Old Gilliard Rd, Holly Hill, SC | [www.hickorybluffberries.com](http://www.hickorybluffberries.com)



Discover the charm of this family-run farm, where fresh flavors and fun come together! Pick your own strawberries, blueberries, and blackberries, or browse their selection of seasonal produce, homemade jams, local honey, and beautiful flowers. With activities for kids and a welcoming atmosphere, Hickory Bluff Berry Farm is the perfect spot to enjoy a taste of Santee Cooper Country.

## Yearly Events in Santee Cooper Country

Visit our website for more events

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## April

### Puddin' Swamp Festival and Taste of Puddin' Swamp Weekend

Filled with carnival rides, vendors, bands and food sampling. Turbeville Town Hall (803) 659-2781



### Purple Martin Festival

Celebrates the arrival of migratory Purple Martins with community-focused events in St. Matthews, SC. [www.facebook.com/purplemartinfestival](http://www.facebook.com/purplemartinfestival)

### Governor's Frog Jump

Enjoy an all day event in downtown Springfield including a frog jumping contest. 803-258-3152

### Orangeburg Festival of Roses

Located at Edisto Memorial Gardens, join this celebration of the beginning of rose blooming season. Music, vendors, sports, races, arts & crafts. Fun for the whole family. Admission is free. 803-534-6821

### Annual Striped Bass Festival

Downtown Manning. A festival of spring. Free admission. Parade, carnival rides, vendors, street dance. Santee Cooper Open Team Fishing Tournament. 803-435-4405

### Sumter Iris Festival

Witness the beauty of beautiful blooming Japanese isis. This festival is South Carolina's oldest continuous festival and is consistently ranked as a top festival in the southeast. Free admission. [www.irisfestival.org](http://www.irisfestival.org) 803-436-2640

## May

### BirdFest Music Festival

The Ultimate Bluegrass Musis Festival in Pinewood, SC. About 90 minutes west of Charleston and 90 minutes south of Columbia. [www.birdfestmusic.com](http://www.birdfestmusic.com)

## August

### Big Daddy Fishing Tournament

Santee State Park, Santee. Children ages 3-12 and must be accompanied by an adult. 803-854-2408

## September

### Raytrode Daze Festival

Downtown Branchville festival that commemorates the town's railroad heritage. Train rides, can-can girls, gunfights and much

## October

### Orangeburg County Fair

Agricultural fair with sponsored 4h events. Including dairy cows, heifers, chickens, rabbits and tractor drive competition. 803-534-0358

### Summerton Duckfest

Weekend event showcasing Summerton as the Duck Capital of South Carolina. Fun filled events including a duck calling contest, beauty pageant and 5k color run.

### Sumter County Fair

Hosted by Americal Legion on site at the Sumter Fairgrounds. [www.sumterfair.com](http://www.sumterfair.com)

### Annual Francis Marion/Swamp Fox Symposium

Explore the Revolutionary War southern campaign and times of Francis Marion. 2 day event located at the FE DuBose Campus in Manning. 803- 478-2645

## November

### Mepkin Abbey Creche Festival

Annual exhibit of nativity scenes from around the world. Free admission but reservations are required. 843-761-8509 [www.mepkinabbey.org](http://www.mepkinabbey.org)

### Hobie Bass Open Series

Tournament of Champions | November 2024

## December

### Celebrate the Season/Tinsel Trot

A family fun event located at the Old Santee Canal Park in Moncks Corner. Enjoy the seasons holiday lights driving tour. [www.celebratetheseason.org](http://www.celebratetheseason.org) 843-719-7952

### Fantasy of Lights

More than a million twinkling lights brings the Swan Lake Iris Gardens to life during the holiday season. Free. [www.sumtersc.gov/events](http://www.sumtersc.gov/events)

## January

### The Grand American Coon Hunt

Nationally known event showcasing skilled hounds from around the country. Orangeburg Chamber of Commerce (803) 534-6821

## February

### Frances Marion Memorial Day Wreath-Laying Event

Belle Isle Plantation, Pineville, SC

## March

### Inspire Festival - Sumter Community

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