

Welcome to Franklin County, NC

DISCOVER THE CHARM, CULTURE & ADVENTURE



Small Towns. Big Experiences

Franklin County offers a blend of historic downtowns, welcoming communities and authentic North Carolina experiences. From locally owned shops and restaurants to scenic parks and lakes, every town has its own story waiting to be discovered.



Meet the People Behind the Experience

Franklin County's greatest asset is its people. Entrepreneurs, makers, restaurant owners and community leaders create welcoming places where visitors quickly feel like locals.

Adventure Around Every Corner

Paddle the Tar River, spend a day on the golf course, explore scenic parks or relax by the lake. Franklin County makes it easy to enjoy the outdoors just minutes from the Triangle.



Worth the Drive

Whether you're planning a weekend getaway, attending a local festival or discovering a new favorite local shop or restaurant, Franklin County is close enough for a day trip but full of experiences worth lingering over.

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EAT, STAY & EXPLORE

SIGNATURE EVENTS



SPRING

First Fridays in Franklinton

May - September

Friday Nights on the Tar - Louisburg

May - September

SUMMER

Lavendar Day Festival - June

Funkytown Festival - June

Triangle North Airfest - June

Flying G Farms Rodeo - June

Youngsville Summerfest - July



FALL

Annual NC Horse Farm Tour - August

Bi-Annual Dinner in the Meadow - September

Youngsville Fall Festival - September

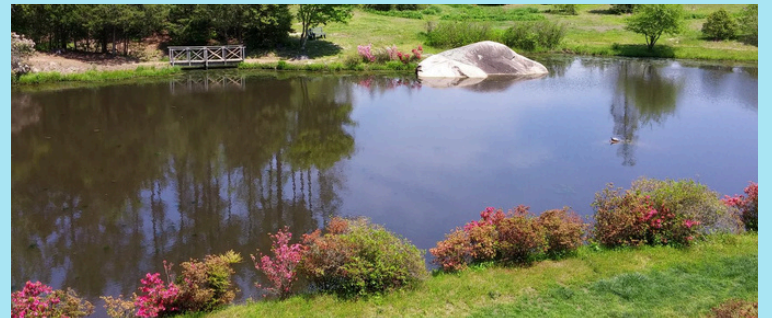
Frankenfest- Franklinton - October

HOLIDAY SEASON

Deck the Halls Craft Fair - November

Holiday Markets & Christmas Parades -
December

Must-See Attractions



Historic Downtowns to Shop & Dine

- Louisburg
- Franklinton
- Youngsville
- Bunn

Outdoor Recreation

- Tar River Life
- Owens Park & Joyner Park
- Alan D. Hart Botanical Gardens



Family Fun & Agritourism

- Hill Ridge Farms
- Hardly Farms
- Two Dachshund Farm
- Flying G Farms & Arena

Discover

- Portis Gold Mine
- Hunt Family Vineyards