

Downtown

Upcountry History Museum

Take a walk through three centuries of Upcountry South Carolina history and experience the stories of people who shaped this region through state-of-the-art interactive multi-media exhibits and dynamic programming for all ages.

Distance from Aloft: ~5-10 min drive

Hours: Tuesday- Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday 1pm-5pm

Cost: \$6

Give yourself: 2 hours



Greenville Zoo

Distance from Aloft: ~7 min

Hours: 9am-4:15 pm (park closes at 5pm, admission until 4:15)

Cost: \$8.75

Give yourself: 1.5 hours



Saturday Farmers Market at East McBee and South Main Street

Two blocks of South Main Street are blocked off to provide a market for over 75 vendors selling local produce and goods. Local music and chef demonstrations provide entertainment for all ages.

Distance from aloft: 5min walk

Hours: 8am -12pm on Saturday

Cost: Free!

Give Yourself: 1 hour



First Friday

The first Friday of each month visual art galleries and venues are open with a wide range of art including: oils, watercolors, acrylics, pottery, jewelry, glassworks, wood works, photography, and mixed media.

Distance from Aloft: 5 min drive, 10 min walk

Hours: 6-9pm on Friday

Cost: Free!

Give Yourself: 1 hour



Falls Park

A tribute to the Reedy River, the park is now an oasis in the heart of downtown with scenic overlooks, nature trails, pond, landscaped gardens, waterfalls, and a new pedestrian suspension bridge.

Distance from Aloft: 10 minute walk

Hours: 24/7

Cost: Free!

Give Yourself: 1 hour



Greenville Drive Game at Fluor Field

Watch Greenville's local team take on the Charleston River Dogs with fireworks over the stadium on Friday night!

Distance from Aloft: 5 minute drive, 15-20 minute walk

Hours: 7:05 pm Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Cost: \$8 general admission

Give Yourself: 2-3 hours



Greenville County Museum of Art

Considered the premier American art museum in the South, the GCMA is home to the world's largest public collection of watercolors by iconic American artist Andrew Wyeth. The GCMA also has an impressive collection of paintings and prints by contemporary artist Jasper Johns. Ranging from Federal portraits to contemporary abstractions, the GCMA's acclaimed Southern Collection invites viewers to survey American art history through works with ties to the South

Distance from Aloft: 4 minute drive, 10 minute walk

Hours: Wednesday –Saturday 10am-6pm, Sunday 1pm-5pm

Cost: Free!

Give Yourself: 1-2 hours



Greenville Glides Segway Tours

Glide through downtown Greenville to the historic West End and then cruise along taking in breathtaking views of the Swamp Rabbit Trail and Falls Park. Choose from several departure times, including a sunset tour. They also offer biking or walking tours.

Distance from Aloft: 5 minute walk

Hours: 9am-6pm

Cost: 1.5 hours \$55, 2 hours \$65



Main Street Alive at Noma Square

The City of Greenville's concert series is in full swing, so plan to put on your boogie shoes and come downtown for great, live music

Distance from Aloft: 5 minute walk

Hours: 5:30-9:30 on Friday

Cost: Free!

Give Yourself: 1-2 hours



Place of peace—Furman University

For many year this inter-generational temple, Hei-Sei-Ji, was standing in Nagoaya, Japan. In 2004, it was dismantled into more than 2,400 pieces and transported through the Panama canal to Furman University. It was reconstructed by Japanese craftsmen on this site in 2008.

Distance from Aloft: 15 minute drive

Cost: Free!

Hours: Saturday 1-3pm to go inside, able to go and see it 24/7

Give Yourself: 1 hour



Sisters of Swing—Andrews Sisters Musical @ Centre Stage

They sold over 90 million records, nine of them gold. They had more Top Ten hits than the Beatles or Elvis. And they are still one of the best-selling female vocal groups of all time. This book musical follows sisters LaVerne, Maxene and Patty Andrews from their early days on the road through their rise as recording stars to entertaining American GI's overseas to dissembling over differences.

Distance from Aloft: 5 minute walk

Cost: \$15-\$35

Hours: Thursday-Saturday 8 pm, Sunday 3 pm

Give Yourself: 2-3 hours



Southern Samplings

Enjoy the flavors of local SC made food products! Experience local regional wines from family owned vineyards that produce European varietal wines. The wines are paired with premium jerky, local chocolates and other SC food products.

Distance from Aloft: 5 minute walk

Cost: \$4 per person for wine and jerky pairings

Hours: Monday through Wednesday 11am-6:30pm, Thursday 11-7:30, Friday and Saturday 11am-8:30 pm, Sunday 1-6pm

Give Yourself: 45 minutes



Dark Corner Distillery

Stop in for a tasting which includes a sampling of six of Dark Corner Distillery's finest spirits, and a gift shot glass for all participants.

Distance from Aloft: 5 minute walk

Cost: \$4

Hours: Monday through Saturday 12-6pm

Give Yourself: 45 minutes



Outdoor Excursions

Green River Cove Tubing

A family owned and operated company, Green River will provide you with a tube and pick you up from the end location back to your car. A great way to relax and stay cool on a hot August day!

Distance from Aloft: 1 hour

Cost: \$9 for 3 miles, \$14 for 6 miles

Hours: Friday and Saturday 10am -4pm, Sunday 12-4pm



Swamp Rabbit Trail

The nearly 20-mile Greenville Health System (GHS) Swamp Rabbit Trail links the cities of Travelers Rest and Greenville in upstate South Carolina via a former railroad corridor. It's perfect for a walk, run or bike ride at any time with shops and restaurants along the way.

Distance from Aloft: 20 min walk, 5 min drive

Hours: 24/7

Cost: Free!



Clemson Botanical Gardens

Distance from Aloft: 45 minutes

Cost: Free!

Hours: dawn to dusk, daily

Give yourself: 1-3 hours



Hiking

Paris Mountain State Park

Distance From Aloft: ~17 minute drive

Cost: \$5 per person

Trail Distance: .75miles-3.6mile loops with the opportunity of intersecting a few for a longer hike.



Table Rock

Distance From Aloft: ~45 minute drive

Cost: \$5 per person

Trail Distance: 2 mile-7 mile trails. The most popular, Table Rock Trail, is very strenuous but gives an incredible overlook from the higher rock outcrops.



Caesar's Head

Distance From Aloft: ~53 minute drive

Cost: \$5 per person

Trail Distance: 3.3 miles-9.2 miles. Choose one of the park's many hikes to go on but don't miss the overlook over the Blue Ridge Escarpment next to the Visitor's Center.



Bald Rock

Distance From Aloft: ~45 minute drive

Cost: Free!

Trail Distance: Not so much a trail, but rather a giant rock that overlooks Pickens and the surrounding areas! It's a beautiful place to sit after a hike to chat, eat a snack and relax before driving back to Greenville.



Jones Gap

Distance From Aloft: ~45 minute drive

Cost: \$5 per person

Trail Distance: Trails .5 miles-10 miles long

