

FLORENCE COUNTY PASSPORT

NUTTY PECAN FACTS:

- There are 2 ways people pronounce PECAN and no one can agree on which is correct. Are you team pee-KAHN or team PEE-can?
- Pecan trees live for up to 300 years and are native to the United States.
 - It takes 12 years before a pecan tree reaches maturity to start producing these yummy nuts and then they only produce every 2 years.
 - In the 1940s, James Young shelled pecans in Florence, SC under the Young Pecan brand and became the world's largest pecan shelling operation. Youngs Pecan transitioned to Young's Premium Foods and their flagship store is still in Florence as a stop on the SC Pecan Trail
 - Thomas Jefferson planted a pecan tree in his yard and gifted the other founding fathers pecans he grew.
 - April 14th is National Pecan Day in the US and July 12th is National Pecan Pie Day.
 - Pecan wood was used for the handles of the Olympic Torches in the 1996 Olympics. Pecan wood is also used to smoke the savory meats you'll find at Piggyback's BBQ & Catfish on the SC Pecan Trail.

EARN YOUR PECAN SWAG ON THE SOUTH CAROLINA PECAN TRAIL

Discover delicious pecan-inspired treats, explore local favorites, and collect rewards as you make your way along the South Carolina Pecan Trail! Whether you're sampling pies, sipping lattes, or shopping for unique pecan goodies, every stop brings you closer to exclusive pecan swag.



THE PECAN SWAG

 Complete 5 stops on the SC Pecan Trail for the official South Carolina Pecan Trail nutcracker.

 Complete 10 stops and receive the nutcracker plus the South Carolina Pecan Trail drawstring bag.

 Complete 15 stops and earn the nutcracker, drawstring bag, and commemorative Pecan Trail t-shirt.

 Complete 20 stops and earn the nutcracker, drawstring bag, commemorative Pecan Trail t-shirt, and silicone pecan pie cooking dish.

 Really ready to go nuts? Complete all 25 stops on the trail and receive the official nutcracker, drawstring bag, commemorative Pecan Trail t-shirt, silicone pecan pie cooking dish, and the South Carolina Pecan Trail Recipe Book.









HOW TO EARN YOUR SWAG:

OPTION 1: USE THE VISIT FLO APP

- 1. Download the Visit Flo App Find it on the App Store or Google Play search for <u>Visit Flo</u> or <u>Pecan Trail</u> in your app store.
- 2. Check In at Each Stop Use the app to check in at every participating location on the Pecan Trail.

 3. Earn Your Swag Once you've checked in at all stops, you'll unlock your reward! Follow the app's instructions to claim your exclusive pecan-themed prize.

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OPTION 2: USF A PECAN TRAIL PASSPORT

Prefer something hands-on? Grab a free passport at any South Carolina Pecan Trail stop or at the Florence Visitors Center located at 3290 W Radio Dr, Florence, SC 29501.

- 1. Pick Up Your Passport Available at all participating trail stops
- 2. Collect Stamps Ask for a stamp at each location that you visit
- Claim Your Reward When you're ready to claim your swag, follow the instructions on the inside of the back cover of your SC Pecan Trail passport.



YOUNG'S PREMIUM FOODS



From roasted and candied pecans to pecan meal and giftready treats, Young's Premium Foods is your go-to stop on the South Carolina Pecan Trail for all things pecan.

2005 Babar In Florence, SC 29501 843-662-2452 youngspremiumfoods.com





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JULIA BELLE'S

Treat yourself at Julia Belle's to their famous White Russian Pecan Pie, a rich twist on a Southern classic that makes the South Carolina Pecan Trail even sweeter.

2106-50 W Lucas St Florence, SC 29501 843-407-4686 iuliabellesrestaurant.com



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MCI FOD FARMS



Cool off at McLeod Farms with a scoop of their rich, creamy butter pecan ice cream — a sweet Southern treat that's along the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

2513 W Lucas St, Booth 46 Florence, SC 29501 803-229-2088 macspride.com



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COFFFF DOC

Start your day on the South Carolina Pecan Trail with a cup of pecan-flavored coffee from Coffee Doc, a smooth and nutty brew locals love.

2513 W Lucas St, Booth 24 Florence, SC 29501 843-861-2161 coffeedoc.coffee



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MYSTIC HOLLOW DESIGNS



Mystic Hollow Designs crafts caramel pecan pie candles, filling your space with sweet Southern scents along the South Carolina Pecan Trail

2513 W Lucas St, Booth 64 Florence, SC 29501 843-610-1833



@mystichollowdesignsLLC





GROWING HOBBY



At Growing Hobby, discover vintage pecan resin figurines. These charming keepsakes are a creative nod to the South Carolina Pecan Trail, blending artistry with local flavor.

2513 W Lucas St. Booth 35 Florence, SC 29501 843-951-9669 growing-hobby.com



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PEE DEE TOURISM



Pick up a handcrafted pecan wood item from Pee Dee Tourism — a beautiful and functional keepsake that celebrates the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

2513 W Lucas St Florence, SC 29501 843-669-0950 peedeetourism.com



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HOLT BROS BBQ



Stop by Holt Bros BBQ for Mama's homemade chicken salad, a local favorite that adds a savory touch to your trail journey.

2087 W Evans St Florence, SC 29501 843-407-4575 holtbrosbbq.com



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RED BONE ALLEY



Red Bone Alley serves up their signature Honey Pecan Chicken Salad, a flavorful blend of sweet and savory that's a standout addition to the trail.

1903 W Palmetto St Florence, SC 29501 843-673-0035 redbonealley.com



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REBEL PIE



Rebel Pie puts a creative spin on tradition with their Pecan Danish Pizza, a unique and flavorful stop along the South Carolina Pecan Trail

804 2nd Loop Rd Florence, SC 29505 843-407-4195 rebelpie.com



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VENUS RESTAURANT



Start your morning at Venus Restaurant with a stack of fluffy pecan pancakes, a classic Southern breakfast to add some flair to your trail stops.

471 W Palmetto St Florence, SC 29501 843-669-9977 venusrestaurantandcatering.com



TOP HAT SPECIAL-TEAS



Top Hat Special-Teas delights visitors with freshly baked pecan scones, a warm and comforting treat along the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

234 W Evans St Florence, SC 29501 843-629-8326 tophatspecialteas.com





LILJAZZI'S



LilJazzi's serves up golden pecan waffles, a sweet and crunchy favorite that's a perfect start to your day following the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

163 N Dargan St Florence, SC 29505 843-206-9800 liljazzis.com



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CHOCOBELLA



ChocoBella tempts with Dark Chocolate Pecan Bon Bons, a decadent bite-sized indulgence you won't want to skip on the tastiest trail in South Carolina.

114 N Dargan St, Suite A Florence, SC 29506 843-702-2023 chocobellasc com



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BARRINGER GENERAL STORE



Barringer General Store is packed with pecan goodies, from candies and sauces to jams and more — the charm of this store will having you coming back time and time again.

138 W Evans St Florence, SC 29501 843-407-1152



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VICTORS CHOPHOUSE



Victors Chophouse serves the fresh and flavorful Anne Spinach Salad, topped with pecans for a crisp Southern classic along the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

126 W Evans St Florence, SC 29501 843-665-0846 victorsflorence.com



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WHOLLY SMOKIN'



Wholly Smokin' offers a Warm Goat Cheese Salad sprinkled with pecans, a savory favorite that adds Southern flair with a local twist to the trail.

150 S Dargan St Florence, SC 29505 843-407-7545 whollysmokinbbq.com



@whollysmokin @whollysmokin



JACK'S BOOKS



Jack's Books features unique pecan-inspired finds — from scented candles to books and more — adding a warm and inviting stop to the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

152 S Dargan St Florence, SC 29506 843-430-4145 shopjacksbooks.com



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LULA'S (OFFFF (O



Lula's Coffee energizes the Trail with their Spiced Chai blended with butter pecan and espresso, a cozy yet bold sip on the South Carolina Pecan Trail

160 S Dargan St Florence, SC 29506 803-407-1033 Julascoffeeco.com



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CORTNEY'S **CUPCAKERY**



Cortney's Cupcakery sweetens the South Carolina Pecan Trail with cupcakes topped with crunchy pecan pieces, a perfect blend of flavor and flair

288 S Dargan St, Suite B Florence, SC 29506 843-731-9003



You've completed the section of the Pecan Trail within the city of Florence but more adventure awaits! Enjoy the scenic drive to Lake City, a part of Florence County that hosts Artfields each spring. This event transforms the downtown of Lake City into a regional art gallery with exhibitions, competitions, and events.

Be sure to mark your calendar for the first Saturday of November as Florence hosts the SC Pecan Music & Food Festival (also called SC Pecan Festival). It's a major event that draws over 50,000 people downtown, celebrating pecans via food, music, arts, local vendors, and more.



PIGGYBACKS BBQ & CATFISH



Piggybacks BBQ & Catfish infuses rich, smoky flavor into every bite by using pecan wood to smoke their signature dishes, a savory highlight on the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

116 Sauls St Lake City, SC 29560 843-374-7700 piggybacksbbg.com





A'BLOOM



a'bloom showcases beautifully crafted pecan wood décor pieces, adding a touch of Southern charm to the trail.

111 E Main St Lake City, SC 29560 843-374-9425 abloomsc.com





GREEN FROG SOCIAL HOUSF



Green Frog Social House delights visitors with rich pecan blondies and a smooth pecan liquor, making it a can't-miss stop on the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

118 E Main St Lake City, SC 29560 843-374-3764



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MAIN STREET MERCANTILE



Main Street Mercantile offers an array of pecan gift items, including a pecan bourbon glaze. The Mercantile is perfect to grab gifts while exploring the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

124 W Main St Lake City, SC 29560 843-374-2333 msmlc.com



@msmlakecitysc @msmlakecitysc





BAKER'S SWEETS



Baker's Sweets serves up a variety of pecan baked goods, from cookies to pastries, making it a delicious stop along the South Carolina Pecan Trail.

129 E Main St Lake City, SC 29560 843-374-1800 bakerssweets.com



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Completed the trail or enough to earn some pecan swag? Mail us your passport or stop into the Florence Visitors Center at 3290 W Radio Dr, Florence, SC daily from 9am - 5pm.



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	Please keep me updated on Florence County Events.
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3290 W Radio Dr,
Florence, SC 29501
*If you reside in Florence County,
please return in person.

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Please send us the entire passport. Don't worry, we'll send it back to along with your Pecan Trail swag.

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