

NORTHWEST GEORGIA

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#LetUsFloorYou

Welcome to Dalton!



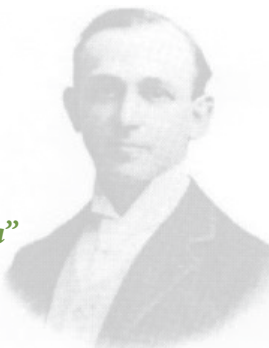
Welcome to Dalton! Conveniently located on I-75 between Atlanta and Chattanooga, you'll find that the Carpet Capital of the World will "floor" you with our southern hospitality and an exciting mix of tradition and modern flair.

The Cherokee called this area The Enchanted Lands for the beauty and serenity of the Appalachian Mountain foothills. We've come so far, but the people have never lost the connection with this land that has enchanted so many for generations.

This visitor's guide is here to give you The Local Experience when looking for treks through the great outdoors, dining and drinks, live music, entertainment, history, mystery and more.

*Georgia, Georgia dearest earth
Underneath the blue,
Clime that ever giveth birth
To the brave and true.*

- Robert Loveman, "Georgia"



Poet and songwriter Robert Loveman composed several pieces while residing at the Historic Hamilton House in Downtown Dalton. At one time, his song "Georgia" was the official state song.

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Accessible
(Contact for details)



Dog Friendly
(with leash)



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Activity Level: *High*

High: for those who are looking for activities that involve a high amount of exertion.

Who can conquer The Georgia Jewel?



The Georgia Jewel is one of the most challenging trail running races in the state. Organized by Jenny and Franklin Baker, the 100 mile run lasts over 24 hours and pushes experienced runners to go above and beyond. Each September, Dalton sees visitors from across the country and abroad who have taken up the ultimate challenge: the Pinhoti Trail. A section of the 245 mile trail system connecting to the Appalachian Mountain Trail sends the competition through rewardingly tough terrain and beautiful vistas of the hills and valleys you won't find anywhere else in the country.



Pictured above, **Jenny Baker** is one of the lead organizers of The Georgia Jewel Ultra Marathon which spans 100 miles of the Pinhoti Trail system.



The Snake Time Trials | Snake Creek Gap

INDOOR

Just Jump Trampoline Park

Ready to bounce off the walls? Just Jump is a state-of-the-art trampoline park perfect for kids of all ages. Run the obstacle course, dominate in dodgeball, or just... jump! Just Jump is one of Dalton's newest fitness and sports facilities, offering safe, clean fun for everyone.

1515 W Walnut Avenue
(706) 701-5867
DaltonJustJump.com

OUTDOOR

Houston Valley ORV Trails

Part of the Capehart Trail, this 20 mile offroad vehicle system of forest trails branches throughout the Beautiful Chattahoochee National Forest. Perfect for Motorcycles and ATVs, the 2-way trail is considered to have a "Black Diamond" difficulty with easier trails marked.

Capehart Road, Rocky Face
Coordinates: 34.78936,
-85.12946

Plantation Ridge Trail

This 4 mile forest loop offers a is perfect for hikers and trail runners to experience the beauty of Northwest Georgia. As part of the Capehart Trail System, the path is open for ATVs and mountain bikers. Open from March 30 to December 3.

Capehart Road, Rocky Face
Coordinates: 34.78936,
-85.12946

Raisin Woods Mountain Bike Park

Located a few minutes from downtown Dalton, Raisin Woods is a great place for mountain biking. Whether you're new to biking or a seasoned pro, Dalton serves as a biking destination for riders of all skill levels.

145 Raisin Way


Rocky Face Ridge

Rocky Face Ridge is a multi-purpose park and trail with amenities for outdoor enthusiasts. At the summit is a picturesque view alongside a number of original Civil War fortifications.

2231 Crow Valley Road

Cloudland Canyon State Park

Cloudland Canyon State Park, on the western edge of Lookout Mountain, is one of the most scenic parks in the state. Just a 45 minute drive from Dalton, this beautiful park is set around a deep gorge cut into the mountain by Sitton Gulch Creek, and features two waterfalls. Visitors enjoy beautiful views, hiking, tennis and disc golf.

122 Cloudland Canyon
Park Road, Rising Fawn
(706) 657-4050 

Fort Mountain State Park

30 minutes from downtown Dalton, this Georgia State Park offers hiking, mountain biking and horseback riding through a beautiful hardwood forest that all can enjoy. During the summer, families lounge around the sandy beach surrounding a clear mountain lake.

181 Fort Mountain State Park Road
Chatsworth
(706) 422-1932



Activity Level: *High*

High: for those who are looking for activities that involve a high amount of exertion.

Adventure on the Pinhoti Trail


With Dalton being a central hub for hiking in North Georgia, you are only a short drive to any location on the Pinhoti Trail - one of the most diverse and accessible hiking trails in the region. This 245 mile multi-trail system connects the Blue Ridge Mountain foothills to the Talladega National Forest and is the longest footpath in the state. Shaded and lightly trafficked, the many trails along the Pinhoti offer beautiful scenery and views for hikers of any experience level.



Johns Mountain | Pinhoti Trail


3 Dug Gap To Snake Creek Gap Trail (Medium)

This 15.7 mile point-to-point trail offers spectacular views from the mountain and rock features that characterize the Appalachian foothills. The trail is open to hikers, mountain bikers, campers and even horseback riders.

265 Communications Way 
Coordinates: 34.73326, -85.01839


11 Johns Mountain

A 5.0 mile loop connecting Johns Mountain and the Keown Falls Trail. This challenging hike through rocky, hilly terrain rises to over 1,000 feet with amazing views of the forest and rivers from the high overlook.

Forest Service Road 702 
LaFayette
706-295-6041
Coordinates: 34.61351, -85.08827


9 Pilchers Pond

Pilchers Pond to Snake Creek Gap is a challenging but beautiful 11.3 mile trek perfect for mountain biking, camping, and hiking. The picturesque beauty of the pond and the mountain views make this Pinhoti trailhead a can't miss opportunity for nature lovers.

Pocket Road, LaFayette 
Coordinates: 34.61528, -85.07951


10 Keown Falls Trail (Medium)

A popular 1.8 mile loop, this moderate trail takes hikers through beautiful oak-hickory woods full of rock formations set into the Johns Mountain. In the spring the waterfall that gives the trail its name pours out from the mountain - offering a spectacular view at the overlook observation deck.

Forest Service Road 702 
LaFayette
Coordinates: 34.61416, -85.08677

4 GA 136 to Mill Creek Mountain (Medium)

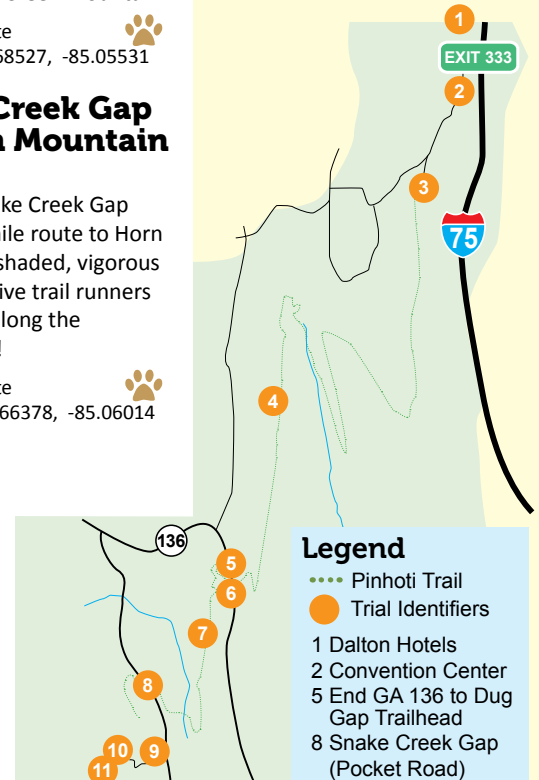
Open year-round, this 4.1 mile trail along the Dug Gap Trail offers hikers and mountain bikers a path to the beautiful summit of Mill Creek Mountain.

GA 136, LaFayette 
Coordinates 34.68527, -85.05531

6 Snake Creek Gap to 7 Horn Mountain (Medium)

Part of the Snake Creek Gap Trail, the 5.4 mile route to Horn Mountain is a shaded, vigorous hike that will give trail runners a thrilling jog along the mountain trail!

GA 136, LaFayette 
Coordinates: 34.66378, -85.06014





Activity Level: *Medium*

Medium: for those who are looking for activities that involve a moderate amount of exertion.

Will Schusterick: A Disc Golf Prodigy

Dalton is home to Prodigy Disc – a company founded by World Champion disc golf players who design discs for flight and accuracy. Part-owner Will Schusterick started playing professionally at age 16 and in 2012 became the #1 ranked and rated player in the world. In February 2020, Schusterick directed The Pasture Open by Prodigy. The new course was the proving ground for 176 players across all age divisions – bringing Disc Golf to a new generation. Prodigy also designs courses. “... I get inspired by the land and its features...” says Schusterick when discussing how he designs new courses. “When a player is coming back ‘wanting more’ from the course I think the goal has been accomplished.”



Westside Disc Golf | Rocky Face

INDOOR

Big's Axe Throwing

Feeling Sharp? Want to unleash the beast? Want to see if your date is a real bulls-eye? Ready your throwing arm because Big's Axe Throwing is the cure you need to cut a long day down to size! Either by walk-in or appointment, this indoor throwing range is open for warriors of all ages to let out their inner Viking!


101 W Walnut Avenue, Suite17
(706) 529-4514

BigsAxeThrowing.com

OUTDOOR

Brookwood Park

Brookwood Park is Dalton's newest location for **pickleball** with 6 courts, a playground, picnic pavilion and a walking track.


901 W Lakeshore Drive 

Chestnut Mountain Shooting Range

Located in southwest Whitfield County, Chestnut Mountain Shooting Range offers pistol and rifle shooters an opportunity to test their focus and skill in the great outdoors. Chestnut Mountain Shooting Range is open throughout the year and is open six days a week. (Closed Sundays)


Edwards Park

Edwards Park is an expansive sports park with fields for baseball, softball, football, and soccer as well as 4 tennis courts, **18-hole disc golf course**, 2 gymnasiums and **6 pickleball courts** and a 2 mile nature loop.

115 Edwards Park 
Chestnut Mountain Road
(706) 295-6041

Heritage Point Park

A large recreation hub with ball fields, a **18-hole disc golf course**, playgrounds, walking paths and a separate dog area.

1275 Cross Plains Trail 

Lakeshore Park

This park features a playground, walking track, fishing pond, dog park and an athletic complex soccer fields, pickleball, and **22 championship tennis courts**.

70 Crescent Street 

Par 2 Disc Golf

Play the nation's only permanent **disc golf course** in a downtown business district. This is a PAR2 course and features 8 holes. Prodigy Discs are available at the visitor center's gift shop to purchase.



Downtown Dalton 

The Mill Line

The Mill Line is a picturesque pedestrian path that originates from Haig Mill Lake Park and extends towards the Eagles Scout Trail Head off of Chattanooga Drive. This well-designed 10-foot wide paved pathway spans a total distance of 1.1 miles, with an additional 0.2-mile westward branch.

Westside Park & Miracle Field

Westside Park in Rocky Face is the picturesque home of Whitfield County's Miracle League Field. The lake offers a walking loop, fishing spots, and shady spots to set up a hammock or feed the geese. The athletic complex is complete with baseball and softball fields, batting cages and a **18-hole disc golf course**.

1519 Mt. Vernon Road,  
Rocky Face

You can pick up a map showing the Par2Trail at the Dalton Freight Depot / Visitor Center at the end of Cuyler Street.





Activity Level: *Medium*

Medium: for those who are looking for activities that involve a moderate amount of exertion.



Nob North Golf Course | Cohutta

COHUTTA

Nob North Golf Course

Located in the hills of Whitfield County, GA, Nob North offers a picturesque and challenging 18-hole layout that offers both a challenge to the expert golfer as well as a pleasant afternoon out for the casual player.

298 Nob N Drive
(706) 694-8505
NobNorth.com

DALTON

Cascade Trail / Roadrunner Trail

A 4 mile backpack trail on the Dalton State College campus that is open year round to hikers and runners. The Cascade or Roadrunner Trail features scenic miniature waterfalls and mountain streams and is within easy and accessible reach for visitors to Dalton.

George Rice Drive
(706) 272-4461

Coordinates: 34.770024, -85.003848



Conasauga River

The Conasauga River runs through Southeast Tennessee and through Whitfield County. The river flows off the inclines of the Northwest Georgia Mountains before it passes through the peaceful Cohutta forests.

1898 Boyles Mill Road
(Turn-off to the canoe launch)

Haig Mill Lake Park

Surrounded by over five miles of wooded hiking trails, the lake has two floating piers for fishing, kayaking and canoe launch with seasonal rentals. The park is complete with a picnic pavilion, playground, bathrooms and parking so you can spend the day in the scenic beauty of Dalton.

652 Haig Mill Lake Road

Mt. Rachel

Put on your hiking shoes and ascend Mt. Rachel. Close to Downtown Dalton, Mt. Rachel's 1.6 mile loop passes an undisturbed Civil War artillery platform dating as far back as 1863. The Mt. Rachel trail is wide enough for several bikes riding abreast or group running.

W Park Street



TUNNEL HILL

The Pasture

"The Pasture" is a par 36, **9-hole additional golf course** with a length of 3,329 yards from the furthest tee box. It is also home to an **18-hole disc golf course** designed by 3x NDGA Champion Will Schustrick.

3449 Chattanooga Road
706-673-4131

Haig Mill Lake Playoff of I-75 Exits



If you are looking for a spot to take out your kayak and enjoy an afternoon on the water, or you want to bring out your bike or slip on your running shoes and hit the trails on a fall day then Haig Mill Lake Park will certainly floor you!

A short drive from I-75, Haig Mill Lake has all the natural beauty of North Georgia at your fingertips. If you need a moment to slow down and take a breath, the wildlife trail lets you get closer to nature as you see the local flora and fauna along the 5-mile wooded trail. Seasonal kayak and paddleboard rentals can get you out on the water, and the floating fishing piers are great ways to sit back and take it all in. The road can wait, you've got all the time in the world.

Pictured below Haig Mill Lake





Activity Level: *Relaxed*

Low: for those looking for low impact or have small children looking for activities that involve a low amount of exertion.



Red Clay Resort | Cohutta

Red Clay Resort

A local favorite, Red Clay Resort is a clear, blue spring where families can get out of the heat and swim in one of the most refreshing spots in north Georgia.

5510 Red Clay Road, Cohutta
(706) 694-6448

RedClayResort.com

Self-Guided W&A Civil War Railroad Tunnel & Museum Tour

5 miles north of Dalton is an engineering marvel. The historic Western & Atlantic Railroad Tunnel was built from 1848. It was the final link that connected the southern railroad from Atlanta to Chattanooga.



215 Clisby Austin Drive, Tunnel Hill
(706) 876-1571

CivilWarRailRoadTunnel.com

Creative Arts Guild Sculpture Garden

Dalton has a growing arts community, primarily based out of the Creative Arts Guild. The guild hosts a variety of events and concerts for locals and visitors to enjoy. The CAG also oversees a local sculpture garden that is open to the public.

520 W Waugh Street
(706) 278-0168

CreativeArtsGuild.com


Dalton Falls Fun Center

An 18-hole mini golf course, bumper cars, outdoor laser tag and virtual reality arcade make this fun for the whole family.

2817 Airport Road
(706) 272-3574


Spring Creek Wetlands

This 200 acre, wetland nature preserve brings visitors to this marked trail closer to our local flora and fauna.

Boyles Mill Road NE 
Coordinates: 34.854948, -84.851677

Prater's Mill

Built in 1855, this historic gristmill is the site of an annual old-fashioned country fair held every October. The park is also open year-round and free to the public. Open every day until sunset.

5845 Georgia Highway 2 
(706) 694-6455
PratersMill.org

Deep Springs Vineyard


Award-winning local vineyard located on the north end of Whitfield County. Their Pinot Grigio won a Silver Medal at the Finger Lakes International Wine Competition. Open Thursday through Sunday.

1606 Beavertdale Road
706-459-4040

Area Dog Parks


We know many visitors to and through our area are traveling with their furry children. We offer a variety of options that will make your travel and theirs more enjoyable. Below are area dog parks that we feel you will enjoy during your travel.

Heritage Point Park

One large area for all size dogs. 

1275 Cross Plains Trail

Lakeshore Park

Separate areas for large and smaller dogs. 

70 Crescent Street

Taste of Dalton: Wineries



Nestled in the picturesque North Georgia landscape, Dalton's two renowned wineries, Deep Springs Vineyard and Broken Horseshoe Vineyard, invite visitors to revel in the beauty of the region while enjoying their exceptional craftsmanship and award-winning vintages. From velvety reds to crisp whites, both wineries showcase an array of vintages that promise to take your taste buds on an unforgettable journey. With each sip, you'll discover the passion, dedication, and artistry that define Dalton's winemaking legacy. Come, and indulge in the world of Broken Horseshoe and Deep Springs, where the spirit of their vines awaits to enchant your senses.



Deep Spring Vineyard's Award Winning Sangria, Pinot Grigio and Southern Cross.





Where to Stay



* See page 18 for restaurant listing and page 20 for shopping listing.

Hotel Listings

1 Best Western Plus

715 College Drive
(706) 272-9099

2 Carpentary Hotel

204 W. Cuyler Street
(706) 529-3040

3 Comfort Inn & Suites

905 West Bridge Road
(706) 259-2583

4 Country Inn & Suites

903 West Bridge Road
(706) 278-9700

5 Courtyard by Marriott

785 College Drive
(706) 275-7215

6 Days Inn

1518 W. Walnut Avenue
(706) 508-4638

7 Econo Lodge

1507 North Tibbs Road
(706) 226-9579

8 Fairfield Inn & Suites

786 College Drive
(706) 529-4634

9 Hilton Garden Inn

879 College Drive
(706) 529-6000

10 Home2Suites

865 College Drive
(706) 226-9500

11 Holiday Inn Express

934 Market Street
(706) 217-6200

12 Howard Johnson

790 College Drive
(706) 281-1880

13 Loom Room Retreat

825 Chattanooga Avenue
(706) 944-3414

14 Motel 6

2200 Chattanooga Road
(706) 278-5522

15 Quality Inn

875 College Drive
(706) 278-0500

16 Quality Inn

2106 Chattanooga Road
(706) 226-5022

17 Red Roof Inn

1529 W Walnut Avenue
(706) 226-1100

18 Rodeway Inn

175 Waterfront Way
(706) 277-9323

19 Super 8

911 Market Street
(706) 275-0100

20 Super 8

869 College Drive
(706) 529-7800



Night Life & Music



The Spinning Room | Crown Garden Area

Burr Performance Arts Park

Located in Downtown Dalton this performing arts park is home to Off The Rails and many other events.

101 S Hamilton Street
DaltonEvents.com



Cherokee Brewing & Pizza Company

Live Music every Wednesday and Saturday. Craft brewed beer, Pizza, Wings and more.

207 W Cuyler Street
CherokeeBrewingandPizzaCo.com



Cold Creek at North Oaks

Restaurant with 16 Craft Beer Taproom and a full bar. Trivia nights, local live music Wednesdays and Saturdays and Sunday Brunch.

101 N Oaks Drive #1
ColdCreekDalton.com



Gallant Goat

Dalton's premier place for craft cocktails. Over 100 unique liquors to craft the perfect cocktail. Delicious light food menu, and brunch on Sundays. Open Wednesday – Sunday.

307 S. Hamilton St
TheGallantGoat.com

Common Ground Coffee Shop

Located on the Christ Church Presbyterian campus, features local and regional singer song-writers and artists. Serves coffee, tea, espresso, smoothies and more.

510 S Tibbs Road
Facebook/CommonGroundCS

Crescent City Tavern

Live Music ALL weekend long. Large stage area inside and the Crescent City Courtyard outside boasts a beautiful stage for larger bands. Serving up tavern food, craft and domestic beer, wine and spirits.

324 S Depot Street
CrescentCityTavern.com



Dalton Brewing Company

Dalton's own locally brewed craft beer microbrewery with rotating selections and seasonal brews. Live music most nights. Wednesday trivia nights. Thursday night running group open to the public.

112 W King Street
DaltonBrewing.com



Hamilton's Food & Spirits Pizzeria

Live music every Friday and Saturday night. Upscale restaurant and bar with a pizzeria. Full bar available.

101 S Hamilton Street
HamiltonsDining.com

The Mill at Crown Garden

Originally a textile mill, The Mill is a multi-purpose destination for dining, drinks, shopping, music and more. This is the place to go for an authentic Dalton local experience in an atmosphere that blends originality and modern style. Whether you're feeling adventurous or looking to relax, The Mill offers Axe Throwing, Wine, Craft Beer, Tapas and so much more.

825 Chattanooga Avenue
TheMillatCrownGarden.com



Red Wolfe Grill

True southern BBQ, domestic beer and live local music. Cruise-in car show every 3rd Saturday.

320 Wolfe Street, Cohutta
Facebook/RedWolfeGrill



Off the Rails Concert Series

The annual Off The Rails Concert Series has become a staple of Downtown Dalton's music scene. The Dalton Convention & Visitors Bureau in association with the Community Foundation, Creative Arts Guild and Downtown Dalton Development Authority created the music series to add a live concert vibe to Downtown Dalton.

From June through September, Burr Park is filled with hundreds coming to listen to different bands and musical genres each Friday night. Since its inception, numerous venues have brought out local talent and artists from all over as part of their weekend lineup.



If you're visiting Dalton in the summer then stop by Burr Park for a night out with the community and visit DaltonEvents.com for news on Dalton's nightlife.



Where to Eat



Cyra's on Pentz | Downtown Dalton

DOWNTOWN DALTON AREA

1 Baja Coop

Fish tacos and free range wings. | L, D, V

222 N Hamilton Street
BajaCoop.com



2 Buckin' Burrito

Dalton's favorite Tex-Mex. | L, D

212 N Hamilton Street
BuckinBurrito212.com



3 Café Ostro

Mediterranean cuisine with shawarma, Kabobs, hummus, falafel and much more. | L, D, V

240 N Hamilton Street
CafeOstro.com



4 Casa Frida

A salad bar with the unique, modern feel of a lounge inspired by the art of the painter Frida Khalo | L, D, V

319 N Hamilton Street
Facebook/CasaFridaDalton

5 Cherokee Brewing + Pizza Company

Authentic pizza and craft beer firmly grounded in Southern roots and love of community. | L, D, V

207-B W Cuyler Street
CherokeeBrewingandPizzaCo.com



6 Crescent City

Sports bar and concert venue. | L, D

324 S Depot Street
CrescentCityTavern.com



7 Cyra's on Pentz

Seasonal, Southern-accented fare & cocktails in a hip bistro space. | L, D

208 N Pentz Street
CyrasRestaurant.com

8 The Filling Station

Cheerful eatery in Downtown Dalton with Southern-style cooking for the traveler in us all to fill up. | L

316 N Hamilton Street
TheFillingStation.biz

10 Guadalajara

Traditional Mexican food and some of the best Margaritas in town | L, D, V

817 S Hamilton Road
Facebook/GuadalajaraofDalton

11 Hamilton's Food & Spirits

Great food in an inviting atmosphere. Fresh ingredients, a range of spirits and delicious brick oven pizza. | L, D

243 N Hamilton Street
HamiltonsDining.com

12 Oakwood Cafe

A Downtown Dalton staple of Southern home cooking at its finest. B, L, D

195 W Cuyler Street
OakwoodCafe.net

13 The Perfect Cup

Downtown coffee shop serving hot and cold drinks, homemade soups and sandwiches.

B, L

112 W Crawford Street
ThePerfectCupDalton.com

14 The Sweet Spot

Dalton's favorite frozen yogurt spot.

410 S Hamilton Street
SweetSpotFroYo.net

15 Tenoch Urban Kitchen

Amazing tacos and seafood as well as beer, wine, wings, burgers and cocktails with a nightclub scene on weekends.

319 N Hamilton Street
Facebook/TenochDalton

THE MILL AT CROWN GARDEN

825 Chattanooga Avenue

16 Native Kitchen

Local coffee shop and health food café, Native's menu offers nourishing comfort food, treats, coffee and more.

L, D, V
NativeKitchenDalton.com

17 Sol De Mayo Tacos

Authentic Mexican Tacos made from traditional recipes with vegetarian, vegan & gluten-free options.

L, D, V
SolDeMayoTacos.com

18 Spinning Room

Savor chef-inspired starter, snack, or share plates paired with a cold beer or sommelier-selected wine.

SpinningRoomDalton.com

19 Top It Off

Family-owned business, a variety of deli sandwiches, soups, ice cream, and gourmet milkshakes.

facebook.com/topitoffdalton

20 Trinity BBQ

Mouthwatering barbecue, brisket, and loaded mac and cheese.

TrinityBarbecue.com

CLEVELAND HIGHWAY & COHUTTA

19 Cohutta Pies

Inside Cohutta General Store

317 Wolfe Street

Facebook/CohuttaGeneralStore

20 Cold Creek at North Oaks

Full bar and craft beer taproom, serving fantastic barbeque and live music.

101 N Oaks Drive #1

ColdCreekDalton.com



21 Kumo Hibachi & Sushi

Authentic Japanese food & fresh sushi. | LDV

2955 Cleveland Highway
KumoHibachiAndSushi.com

22 Red Wolfe Grill

Southern BBQ, grill and beer

320 Wolfe Street, Cohutta

Facebook/RedWolfeGrill



23 The Sauce'd Pig

Sandwiches, burgers and BBQ plates.

2955 Cleveland Highway
Facebook/TheSaucedPig

B - Breakfast L - Lunch D - Dinner V - Vegetarian

* See map locations of restaurants on page 14 & 15.

**For a complete listing scan the QR Code at the top of page 18.



Where to Shop



Raspberry Row | Downtown Dalton

ANTIQUES

1 Bucket List Antiques
Downtown Dalton's place for curated furnishings, vintage pieces, home décor and plenty more.

300 N Hamilton Street
(706) 428-9590

2 Dalton Antique Market
Sister store to Bucket List Antiques.

330 S Hamilton Street
(706) 457-5221

3 Grumpy's Antiques, Collectibles & Cars
Right off I-75 South, Grumpy's features over 60,000 square feet of unique antiques and classic cars.

724 N Varnell Road, Tunnel Hill
(706) 519-0379

4 Meander Shoppe
Winner of the Reader's Choice for best antique store in Northwest Georgia, you'll always find something wonderful.

1502 Cleveland Highway
(706) 529-3546

CLOTHES & BOUTIQUES

5 Eclectic 79 (Clothes)
A chic vintage boutique for those with an eclectic style who want to stand out.

300 E Morris Street
(706) 913-6774

6 Just Peachy
A boutique inspired by independent and fierce women. No matter your age or size, they have you covered.

304 S Hamilton Street
(706) 529-9589

7 Olive Cart
Offering trendy children and tween clothing, as well as a variety of gift items.

2518 Cleveland Hwy Ste 12
(706) 934-4386

8 Southern Charm Clothing
Women's boutique clothing and men's casual wear.

305 N Hamilton Street
(706) 529-5301

HOBBIES & COLLECTIBLES

9 Arcus Gaming (Hobbies)
Gaming shop offering a variety of retro & modern games, comics & collectibles with a space for table-top games.

118 W Crawford Street
(706) 313-3702
ArcusGaming.com

10 The Battlegrounds Games and Comics
Games, hobbies & collectibles featuring retro gaming, vintage toys, comic books and pop culture favorites from the past.

2708 Airport Road
(706) 259-9704

11 Cohutta General Store
Variety of gifts, nostalgic candies, home decor and home to Cohutta Pies.

317 Wolfe Street
(706) 222-00679

GIFTS & HOME GOODS

12 Paper Princess
Fine stationery, fabulous gifts, personalized tableware, jewelry and bags.

259 N Hamilton Street
(706) 226-5011

13 Raspberry Row
Uniquely handpicked gifts and home accessories.

205 W Cuyler Street
(706) 277-3500

Downtown Dalton Visitors Center



The historic freight depot in the heart of Downtown Dalton is the home of the local visitor center. We are here to welcome you to our city and help you find whatever you're looking for (maybe a few things you didn't expect).

Learn more about Dalton's textile history in the Bandy Heritage Center exhibit, detailing the original quilt tufting process that produced the beautiful chenille bedspreads that gave us the name Peacock Alley.

Ask about what's going on while you're here and be sure to pick up a local restaurant guide.

We're always here to help! Stop by 305 South Depot Street or call (706) 270-9960.





Where to Learn



Western & Atlantic Railroad Tunnel and Museum | Tunnel Hill

LOCAL HISTORY

Bandy Heritage Center

Located in the Downtown Dalton Visitors Center at the Historic Freight depot, the Bandy Heritage Center celebrates our rich textile heritage.

305 S Depot Street
(706) 270-9960



Emery Center

Formerly the Emery Street School, this cultural center celebrates the contributions of African American Daltonians. The Center's vast collection offers an in-depth look at our history from a local, state, national and international perspective. (Open by appointment)

110 W Emery Street
(706) 277-7633
EmeryCenter.org

Textile Heritage Driving Tour

This scenic driving tour will take you to sites of the textile creation and manufacturing that led S. Dixie Highway motorists to call this area 'Peacock Alley' for our beautifully tufted chenille quilts and revolutionized the carpet-making process going into the modern era.

305 South Depot Street
(706) 270-9960
VisitDaltonGA.com/Textile

Chief Vann House

Less than 20 minutes from Downtown Dalton, Chief Vann's historic plantation house and grounds is a connection to the early 19th Century Cherokee assimilation efforts that ultimately led to the Trail of Tears.

82 Highway 225 N
Chatsworth
(706) 695-2598



GAStateParks.org/ChiefVannHouse

Red Clay State Park

5 min from Cohutta, Red Clay State Historic Park is on the last Council Grounds for the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Nation. A museum on the grounds devoted to Cherokee history and daily life with exhibits along picturesque nature trails.

1140 Red Clay Park Road SW
Cleveland, TN



CIVIL WAR HISTORY

Dug Gap Battle Park

These breastworks were built by soldiers during the Atlanta Campaign on Rocky Face Ridge.

W Dug Gap Battle Road



Fort Fisk

Situated adjacent to the Mill Creek Gap pocket park is an earthen artillery platform the Confederates called Fort Fisk.

US Hwy 41
Rocky Face
(Next to GA State Patrol Barracks)



Western & Atlantic Railroad Tunnel and Museum

The historic Western & Atlantic Railroad Tunnel was built from 1848 to 1850. 1,477 feet long and built entirely by hand, it was the final link that connected the southern railroad from Atlanta to Chattanooga.

215 Clisby Austin Road
Tunnel Hill
(706) 876-1571

CivilWarRailroadTunnel.com



Whitfield-Murray Historical Society

Curating and preserving local historic archives and locations throughout the area, the Whitfield-Murray Historical Society operates The Huff House, The Hamilton House, The Blunt House and more. (Open by appointment)

715 Chattanooga Avenue
(706) 278-0217

Whitfield-MurrayHistoricalSociety.org

Resaca Battlefield

South of Dalton is the site of where the Atlanta Campaign began shortly after the Union entered Georgia. Federal infantry and artillery fortifications still rest along the battlegrounds of some of the heaviest fighting in the state.

183 Resaca Lafayette Road
Resaca
(706) 602-4435



Tunnel Hill Heritage Center

Experience a marvel of engineering up close! The historic Western & Atlantic Railroad tunnel, completed in 1850, was cut, blasted and built by hand through the Chetogeta Mountain as the final link between Chattanooga and Atlanta. The original bricks you see in the walls of the tunnel were also used to build The Clisby Austin House – a farmhouse built by a Methodist minister and used as a headquarters by General William T. Sherman while planning the Atlanta Campaign.

Our local historians of the Tunnel Hill Heritage Museum will guide you through the 1,477 foot long tunnel, explaining the construction of the tunnel and The Great Locomotive Chase – the daring story of the Civil War spies who attempted to steal a locomotive and sabotage the railroad.

For more information go to CivilWarRailroadTunnel.com or call (706) 876-1571.





Where to Meet



Dalton Convention Center | Dalton

High School Coaches Hall of Fame



The Dalton Convention Center is home to the Georgia Athletic Coaches Association (GACA) Hall of Fame. Over 100 members – men and women who have inspired generations of Georgia athletes - are featured on the bronze plaques lining the walls. One of those coaches is local Coach Ken Ross. Coach Ross served as the head boys' basketball coach at Murray County High School for 25 years of his 35 year career with 455 wins over 648 games and won 7 region championships, 3 state and 14 invitational. His coaching philosophy was to teach his kids to keep things simple, learn the fundamentals and always exhibit discipline and integrity.

Stop by the Dalton Convention Center at 2211 Tony Ingle Road to learn more about the men and women like Coach Ross who make up the GACA Hall of Fame.

Clisby Pines

An upscale rustic venue specializing in weddings and other events.

2826 Crow Valley Road NW
Tunnel Hill
(706) 516-5222

Facebook: [Clisby Pines](#)



Dalton Convention Center

Conveniently positioned on I-75 between Chattanooga and Atlanta, the Dalton Convention Center is the largest facility in the region. The 143,000 sq. ft. convention center can accommodate groups of up to 5,000 including concerts, expos, weddings, sporting events, meetings and much more with in-house food and beverage services.

2211 Tony Ingle Road
(706) 272-7676

[DaltonConventionCenter.com](#)



The Emery Center

The Emery Center was first constructed in 1886 and today it is an African American Heritage and multicultural center with a 250-seat auditorium and houses the Cornelia M. Easley Media Center, Enduring Echoes Memory and Honor Room, Children's Learning Center, The Military Room and much more.

110 W Emery Street
(706) 277-7633

[EmeryCenter.org](#)

The Weaving Room & Cotton Room

Located in The Mill at Crown Garden.

These rooms offer a chic, modern-industrial space, high ceilings, original exposed brick, and an abundance of natural light.

825 Chattanooga Avenue
(706) 259-2846

[TheMillAtCrownGarden.com/Private-Events](#)



The Wink Theatre

Built in 1941, the historic Wink Theatre is one of the oldest original structures in downtown Dalton. Designed to be a small-town version of the Fox Theatre in Atlanta, all original structures and accents assure it's placement on the National Registry of Historic Places.

114 W Crawford Avenue
(706) 226-9465

The Tunnel Hill Depot

A historic train depot dating back to 1848, The Tunnel Hill Depot is a beautiful venue for weddings, celebrations, and more with a prep-kitchen, changing areas, and a spacious outdoor pavilion.

128 Main Street, Tunnel Hill
706-264-4589

[TunnelHillDepot.com](#)



Trevitt Hall

Located in beautiful Downtown Dalton, Trevitt Hall is a gorgeous place for weddings, receptions, Sweet 16 parties/Quinceaneras, banquets, family reunions, meetings/conventions and more. With a capacity for 170 guests, Trevitt Hall can provide catering, floral arrangements and photography on site.

111 N Hamilton Street
(706) 277-2400

Walnut Hill Farm

Walnut Hill Farm is nestled in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains in Northwest Georgia. From the hilltops of the 85-acre property, panoramic vistas of the mountains may be enjoyed to both the East and the West. Offering spectacular sunrise and sunset views, Walnut Hill Farm is conveniently located less than 15 minutes off I-75 and about one mile from historic Praters Mill. Available for Weddings, Receptions, Meetings, Parties, Reunions, Dances and Cookouts.

800 Lee Bryant Road NE
(706) 581-1984

[WalnutHillFarmGA.com](#)





While You're Here



Prater's Mill | Dalton

JANUARY

Civil War Show

Dalton State Basketball

FEBRUARY

Snake Creek Gap

Mountain Biking Time Trails

Dalton State Basketball

ACO Cornhole Tournament

MARCH

Snake Creek Gap

Mountain Biking Time Trails

Robotics Competition

Martial Arts

Antique Bottle Show

APRIL 2021

Downtown Dalton Spring

Open House

Run 4 God – Run @ The Mill

(5K, 10K, Half Marathon)

GA Numismatic Coin Show

MAY

National Travel & Tourism Week

Memorial Day Celebration

Dalton Spring Carnival

JUNE

Dixie Highway Yard Sale

Downtown Farmers Market

Off the Rails Concert Series
(Every Friday Night)

JULY

4th of July Fireworks

Off the Rails Concert Series
(Every Friday Night)

Downtown Farmers Market

GA Mountain Moonshine
Car Show

AUGUST

Blue Ridge Numismatic Coin Show

Dalton Gem & Mineral Show

Downtown Farmers Market

SEPTEMBER

Downtown Farmers Market

Creative Arts Guild Festival

GA Jewel Ultra Race

Off The Rails Series (3rd Friday)

Dalton Pro Rodeo

Dalton Hispanic Rodeo

OCTOBER

Downtown Farmers Market

Dalton Fall Carnival

Brewer's Festival

Dalton Ghost Tours

Downtown Trick-or-Treating

North GA Fair

Prater's Mill Country Fair
(2nd Full Weekend)

Moonlight and Moonshine
(3rd Saturday)

NOVEMBER

Downtown Holiday Open House

Veteran's Day Celebration

GrateFull Downtown Dalton

Beast B4 the Feast Race

Snow Queen Ballet Performance

Downtown Christmas
Tree Lighting

DECEMBER

Christmas Parade

The Nutcracker
Ballet Performance

Moonlight & Moonshine



On October nights in Northwest Georgia, when the leaves have changed and the weather's crisp, you feel the history that fills the valleys of the Appalachian foothills. That's why we're inviting you to the second annual Moonlight & Moonshine event. Partnering with the Dalton Distillery and Tunnel Hill Heritage Museum, you'll explore the grounds of

a Civil War military hospital, sample real Georgia moonshine and end the evening with live music and a traditional Southern supper under the stars. We want to share our history with everyone, and nothing brings people together like stories by the campfire on a cool autumn night. So come along with us! It will be a full moon you'll remember forever!



This is a night of history and mystery you won't want to miss. Visit DaltonEvents.com or call (706) 270-9960.

*A Full listing of events including sports is on DaltonEvents.com

right Dalton!

VisitDaltonGA.com

305 S Deapot Street

Dalton, GA 30720

(800) 331-3258

