

# PINEHURST SOUTHERN PINES ABERDEEN AREA

Home of American Golf™

*The Pinehurst, Southern Pines, Aberdeen Area has a storied legacy of golf unlike any other place in the country. Here you'll find North Carolina's best golf courses, world-class dining and shopping, outdoor adventures, equestrian facilities, and more. But it's not just an ideal family vacation destination. With a wide variety of hotels, resort-style accommodations and meeting spaces, it's also an ideal location for corporate events and group golf outings.*



## BUCKET LIST GOLF DESTINATION

As the Home of American Golf, the Pinehurst, Southern Pines, Aberdeen Area is globally-recognized as a bucket list golf destination. From the iconic and legendary Pinehurst No. 2 to the newly redesigned Pinehurst No. 4 (named "Best New Golf Course" in 2019 by Golf magazine), golf in the Sandhills region of North Carolina offers a variety of memorable golf experiences on layouts created by the biggest names in the game including Donald Ross, Gil Hanse, Dan Maples, Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer, Bill Coore/Ben Crenshaw and many others. While Pinehurst Resort and Pine Needles/Mid Pines top the list of courses in the area, the destination offers more than 30 places you can play including Tobacco Road, Talamore, Legacy and Dormie Club.

## RAISE A GLASS TO THE GROWING CRAFT BEER SCENE

The craft beer scene is rapidly growing in the area as the destination now boasts three breweries with the promise of more to come! The Pinehurst Brewing Company celebrates its first anniversary on Sept. 28th and is a must visit on any trip to the area Not just for the beer created by master brewer, Eric Mitchell (regarded as one of the finest young brewers in the craft beer community), but also for its history. The brewery was retrofitted into an old steam plant that was built in 1895 and powered all of Pinehurst in the early days of the resort. Their signature brisket is slow-cooked for hours onsite and the outdoor Bier Garden with seating for 50 people is a place you can bring your furry friend while you sample a variety of brews with fellow beer enthusiasts. Also, enjoy Railhouse Brewery in Aberdeen and Southern Pines Brewing Company in Southern Pines. The destination's fourth brewery, Hatchett Brewing Company will open in September!



## RESTORED HISTORIC TUDOR STYLE HOME IS NEWEST B&B IN N.C.



DunCraig Manor and Gardens, a Grand Tudor style home first constructed nearly 90 years ago, has been completely restored and opened August 1, 2019 as a 12,000-square-foot bed and breakfast inn in Southern Pines. The home is owned by Donald and Caroline Naysmith, who purchased the home in 2017 after the property had been through a period of decline. DunCraig Manor is located on four acres of land in Southern Pines just up the street from the Weymouth Center on E. Connecticut Avenue. The Naysmith's purchased the home for \$860,000 and reportedly invested another \$1 million to complete the restoration. While the inn maintains seven living quarters, the property can also host as many as 20 events per year. Aside from the guest rooms, the inn also features a butler's pantry, gardens, patio and terraces. Guests are also provided a gourmet breakfast each morning and hors d'oeuvres in the afternoon.

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## LOCAL RESTAURANTS PARTNER FOR UNIQUE FARM TO TABLE DINING EXPERIENCE

The combination of innovative and unique local restaurants and an abundance of local farms offering a variety of products has created a Farm to Table boom in the Home of American Golf. Local restaurants like Ashten's and Elliott's on Linden source the majority of their menus from local farmers that provide a wide variety of products including greens, cheese, meats, and yes, ostrich eggs! Farms like Misty Morning Ranch, Paradox Farms, Priest Family Farm and others work with the local chefs to not only provide primary source products, but also collaborate with them to grow certain products seasonally based on demand from restaurants. Other great local restaurants include Chapman's, Scott's Table, Wolcott's, Sweet Basil, Betsy's Crepes and The Deuce at Pinehurst Country Club.

## LOCAL SHOPPING UNLIKE ANY IN N.C.

Catch up with friends in the local coffee shops while walking the dog on Saturday morning, watch the trains pass through the heart of town by the original depot, or stroll the main street where you will find an abundance of quality local shop owners providing unique and specialized products. R. Riveter is a true American success story as the handmade handbags they create are crafted by military spouses stationed worldwide. Heritage Flag Company produces a variety of flags made from whiskey and wine barrels – some even made from trees that fell along Pinehurst No. 2 during Hurricane Matthew in 2016. Other shops like Mockingbird on Main, Marie & Marcele and Monkee's of the Pines make for a great afternoon of shopping until you're dropping.



## LARGEST FRUITCAKE MAKER GEARS UP FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Southern Supreme started their business more than 35 years ago and has grown into one of the most popular holiday fruitcake makers, not only in the country, but also around the world. Located in Chatham County in the town of Bear Creek, about 30 minutes from Pinehurst, NC, this family-owned business bakes more than 3,500 pounds of cake per day and distribute more than 230,000 of the delicious holiday treats each season. The cakes are all handmade by more than 130 workers in peak season (Sept-Dec). An estimated 5,000 people make the annual pilgrimage to Southern Supreme and the Fruitcake Mecca of the U.S. The business also offers chocolates, pralines, cookies, peanut brittle, jams, jellies and hot chocolate mixes.

## Upcoming Events in 2019:

- **September 12: Supper On The Grounds at Weymouth Center.** Join us for a September evening barbeque on the beautiful grounds of the Boyd House.
- **September 21: 4th Annual Pour in the Pines Beer Festival.** This event will be held at the beautiful and historic Weymouth Center! Enjoy live music, and a taste from an even larger variety of lagers, IPA's, stouts, porters and ciders.
- **September 21: Eats, Beats & Brews.** Everyone's favorite food truck rodeo is back! We will be offering a variety of your favorite local vendors while bringing something new to town!
- **September 28: Pinehurst Brewing Company 1st Anniversary Party.** Enjoy live music, barbeque from our smokehouse and samples of our beer as well as local guest breweries at this family friendly block party!
- **September 28: Malcolm Blue Festival.** You will enjoy artisan work of all kinds, such as blacksmithing, pine needle basket weaving, quilting, bees making honey, wood carving, cloggers, story tellers, potters and many more.
- **September 29: NC Symphony: Enigma Variations.** On opening night, 'Enigma' Variations offer one delight after another, as the composer shares musical portraits of friends and family with humor, tenderness and sweeping emotion.
- **October 4-5: Cameron Antiques Fair.** This quaint village opens itself up to an estimated 15,000 antique shoppers and 300+ antique dealers within half a mile stretch of town.
- **October 5: Autumnfest 2019.** Our 41st annual fall festival will feature live music, arts and craft booths, great food, a 5K Run, a 1 mile Fun Run & Health Walk, youth sprint races and children's activities.
- **October 11: 26th Annual Sardine Festival.** All are invited to enjoy a free lunch of sardines, crackers, moon pies, RC Colas and cokes. Last year's Sardine Queen will arrive via fire truck in her own parade at noon.
- **October 12: 11th Annual Shaw House Fair.** Come bring the kids, shop antiques and collectibles and visit our gift shop. Take a tour of the cabins, or commemorate your visit with a picture from our old-timey photo booth.
- **October 19: Holly Arts and Crafts Festival.** Each year some of the Southeast's talented and well-known artist and craftsmen join together for this annual festival. From quilts to handbags and pillows to pottery, the festival holds something for everyone.
- **October 19-21: Festival of Leaves.** See our latest fall designs, pottery pumpkins and hand-painted barn scenes.
- **October 26: Oktoberfest.** The event kicks off with Kinderfest for the kids, followed by Oktoberfest with traditional German music, food and beer.