



Welcome!

Welcome to Black Mountain - we are so glad that you are interested in our community! Previously known as the "Front Porch of Western North Carolina," spectacular views of the Blue Ridge Mountains surround our beautiful valley.

SafeWise.com has named Black Mountain "one of the safest 50 towns in North Carolina," and the Asheville Citizen-Times newspaper has voted us "Best Small Town in Western North Carolina." We are nationally recognized for our arts, handmade crafts, furniture, local food markets, and music.

More than 30 area restaurants offer a wide variety of menus, including everything from hearty soup and sandwiches to BBQ and ribs, mountain trout, and authentic ethnic cuisine. Relax in a historic inn, B&B, remote mountain cabin, or a modern hotel.

Our community and valley offers walking, hiking, biking trails, green ways, camping areas, trout fishing, area lakes and waterfalls. Enjoy the crisp, clear running mountain streams and natural flora.

Check the Chamber's community calendar of events at www.ExploreBlackMountain.com for important dates about festivals, seasonal and yearly celebrations, marathons, and other fun activities offered throughout the year.

Make your first stop our Visitor's Center, located at 201 East State Street, and one of our friendly volunteers will enthusiastically assist you with any questions you may have.

We hope to see you soon!

www.ExploreBlackMountain.com



The Little Town That Rocks

Each year, we promote a rocking chair project where local artists, businesses, and residents participate by decorating rocking chairs to be displayed around town and at regional tourism locations. During the summer and fall, folks enjoy taking a leisurely stroll around town to view the beautiful rockers, and a spot to “rock and relax.”

In 2013, we featured painted rockers, and photography has been the medium for 2014’s rockers. Provided by amateurs and professionals alike, these rockers show our area’s icons, landscapes, lifestyle, and nature. The one-of-a-kind rockers are auctioned each October, with proceeds benefiting the Chamber’s Marketing Council, which assists with the marketing and tourism promotion for our area.

So take your time while you are visiting...

...and find your spot to “rock and relax” with us! Enjoy all that the Black Mountain and Swannanoa Valley area has to offer.

www.TheLittleTownThatRocks.com

