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Hiking Resources

- Asheville Chamber of Commerce & Visitor Center:** www.ashevillechamber.org
- Biltmore Estate:** www.biltmore.com (Membership required)
- Blue Ridge Parkway:** www.blueridgeparkway.org (Offers occasional guided hikes; 828-298-5330)
- Buncombe County:** www.buncombecounty.org (See Living>For Fun)
- Guided Hikes/Service Projects:** Carolina Mountain Club: www.carolinamountainclub.org
(Fees may apply) Carolina Mountain Land Conservancy: www.carolinamountain.org
Friends of Panthertown: www.panthertown.org
Friends of the Smokies: www.friendsofthesmokies.org
The Nature Conservancy: Asheville Chapter:
www.nature.org/ourinitiatives/regions/northamerica/unitedstates/northcarolina/index.htm
Southern Appalachian Highland Conservancy: www.appalachian.org
Western North Carolina Alliance: www.wnca.org/portal1
- Hikes/Trails/Info:** www.ashevillenc.com/area_info/hiking
www.exploreasheville.com/what-to-do/index.aspx
www.hikertohiker.com (local author/avid hiker Danny Bernstein)
www.hikewnc.info
www.ncwaterfalls.com
www.northcarolinawaterfalls.com
www.rei.com/guidepost
- Hiking Clubs/Groups:** www.hikewnc.info/organizations/index.html
www.meetup.com
- National Forests & Parks:** www.fs.usda.gov/nfsnc (Pisgah National Forest, Nantahala National Forest)
www.nps.gov (Great Smoky Mountains, Carl Sandburg Home Historic Site)
- Newspapers:** www.citizen-times.com (Asheville daily)
www.mountainx.com (Asheville/WNC: Outdoors calendar)
- North Carolina Arboretum:** www.ncarboretum.org
(Membership or parking fee; free parking first Tuesday of each month)
- Outdoor gear outfitters:** www.hikewnc.info/areainfo/outfitters.html
www.secondgearwnc.com (used gear consignment shop)
- State Forests & Parks:** www.dfr.state.nc.us (DuPont State Forest, Holmes Educational State Forest)
(Fees may apply) www.dupontforest.com
www.ncparks.gov (Chimney Rock, Mount Mitchell, Grandfather Mountain,
Lake James, Gorges)
- Urban Forest:** www.uncaforest.org



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Easy to Moderate Trails

Asheville:

Greenways
Richmond Hill Park
UNCA/Urban Forest

Bent Creek Experimental Forest: (adjacent to NC Arboretum)

Homestead
Deerfield
Pine Tree Loop
Deer Lake Lodge

Blue Ridge Parkway:

Craggy Gardens/Craggy Pinnacle
Graveyard Fields
Sam Knob
Rattlesnake Lodge
Fryingpan Mountain

Dupont State Forest:

Hooker Falls & Cemetery
Triple Falls
Cedar Rock

Pisgah National Forest:

Andy Cove Nature Trail & Exercise Trail
Moore Cove
Davidson River Trail
Coontree Loop