Hampton Square District

Hampton Park, Lyttleton and DeKalb Streets

Home to a horse watering fountain that was a gift from the National Humane Alliance of New York in 1910, this historic park dates to 1798. The city dedicated the fountain to Civil War hero Richard Kirkland, the



Angel of Marye's Heights, in 1911. One of the most beautiful parks in town with flowering plants and two hundred year old trees, the park features an extensive playground for children.

Monument Square District

Archives Park, behind the Camden Archives & Museum on Laurens Street

During the American Revolution, this area was known as Logtown and was the scene of the opening shots in the Battle of Hobkirk's Hill. Today, Archives Park is an open greenspace that allow visitors to enjoy views of this historic area.

Monument Square Park, Laurens and Broad Streets

An original 1798 town square, Monument Square Park is divided into four quadrants. Monuments to a hero of the Mexican War and to soldiers of the Civil War are placed here; the Camden Archives & Museum is located in this area as well; and a greenspace is located in the northeast area. The park is home to flowering shrubs, magnolia, pine and oak trees. *Reconciliation*, sculptures located in front of the Archives, honors Camden's native sons, baseball legend Larry Doby and philanthropist Bernard Baruch.

Campbell Street Corridor

Boykin Park, West Hampton and Campbell Streets

This park is one of our original common areas. Boykin Park is a favorite with families who enjoy the basketball court, picnic tables, and playground equipment. Filled with flowering shrubs and some of the tallest pine trees in Camden, this five-acre park is sure to please.

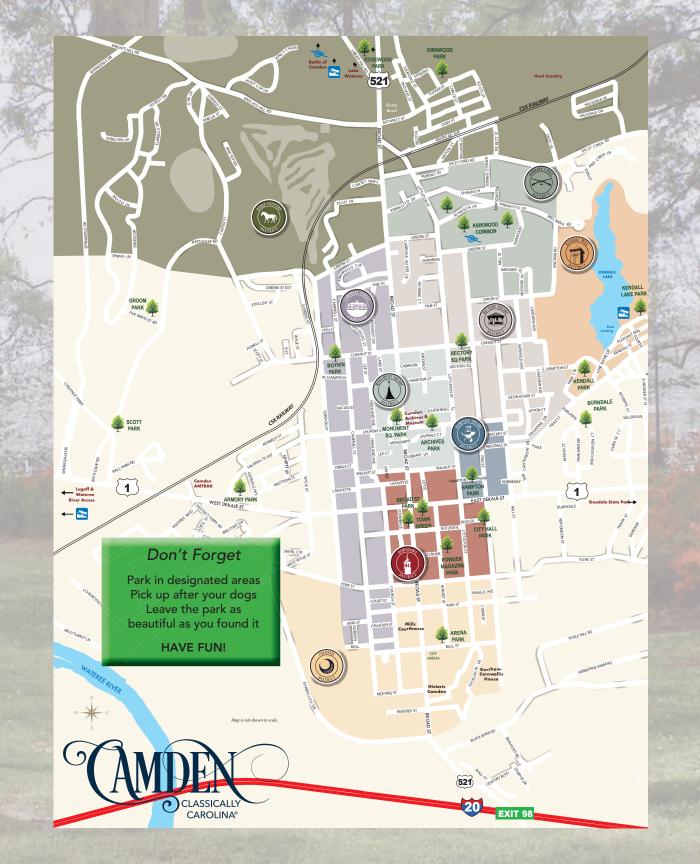
Armory Park, West DeKalb Street and Goodale Avenue

An expansive greenspace with a lovely creek, shade trees ensure that this park is always suitable for family outings.

Scott Park, Battleship Road

This 38 acre park is one of the most popular facilities county wide. It has a one-mile walking track, tennis courts, a volley ball court, a playground area, a covered picnic shelter, and restrooms.





Horse Country District

Edgewood Park, Elmore and Beard Streets

Neighborhood children enjoy the small playground and basketball court in this lovely pocket park.

Groom Park, off Battleship Road along Five Bridges Road

The Groom family donated this natural greenspace for the community's enjoyment. It is perfect for family picnics.

Kirkwood Park, Stower and Tucker Streets

This neighborhood park has playground equipment, a basketball court, and a baseball field. A concession stand is open during community events.

Rectory Square District

Rectory Square Park, Rectory Square Road and Lyttleton Street

Nestled in the heart of Camden's historic residential district, Rectory



Square is home to a number of annual community events. The park is popular with everyone – with a large playground, tennis courts, and a memorial pantheon and fountain erected in1910 to honor of Camden's six Civil War generals. The

beauty of the park is enhanced by an abundance of flowering plants and trees.

Kendall Mill District

Burndale Park, Fairlawn Drive and Brookgreen Court

A hidden gem, this small park provides greenspace and a playground.

Kendall Lake Park, Lakeshore Drive

Forty-five acre Kendall Lake is one of Camden's most popular recreation areas. Created in the 1750s to power local mills, today the lake is suitable for fishing, canoeing, and kayaking. Benches in the park provide a relaxing perch for soaking up the surrounding beauty.

Kendall Park, Haile Street and Park Circle

Just south of Kendall Lake, Kendall Park provides serious walkers with a half mile walking trail. Situated along Little Pine Tree Creek, this lighted woodland park is perfect for picnics.

Hobkirk's Hill District

Kirkwood Common, Kirkwood Lane and Kirkwood Street

Kirkwood Common is a natural woodland park. Named after Revolutionary



War hero Lt. Robert Kirkwood of Delaware, the park was the site of the Revolutionary War battle of Hobkirk's Hill (1781) and the DAR has erected a monument to the gallantry of the Continental Army.

Colonial District

City Arena Park, Bull and Market Streets near the City Arena

This is a great neighborhood park where families enjoy the basketball court, picnic tables, and playground equipment.

Downtown District

Broad Street Park, Rutledge and Broad Streets

The perfect place to take a break during the day, Broad Street Park is a relaxing pocket park in the heart of the downtown business district. Meet up with friends before lunch or before setting out on a fun shopping trip. Check out the informational kiosk on the corner. Or, just sit and enjoy our historic downtown.

City Hall Park, Fair Street and Roscoe Avenue

This lovely greenspace provides families with playground equipment and picnic tables. City Hall Park is perfect for family outings and has several oak trees over 175 years old.

Powder Magazine Park, Market Street at Clyburn Lane

This secret garden is located next to the historic Civil War era powder magazine. It has picnic tables, a shelter, and relaxing benches set in a lovely garden design. The park is conveniently located near restaurants and antique shops.



Town Green, Broad, Market, and Rutledge Streets

A community gathering place, Town Green is perfect for festivals and public performances. Accessible from Broad Street by a lovely lighted alleyway, the focal point of the Green are two statues that immortalize King Haigler of the Catawba Nation, Patron Saint of Camden, and Colonel Joseph Kershaw, Founder of Camden.





We welcome you to discover the place we call home.™

- **EXPERIENCE** world-class horse racing and our legendary sporting lifestyle.
- ★ TOUR historic sites, antebellum neighborhoods and lush green parks.
- ★ UNCOVER treasures in our museums, antique shops, boutiques and art galleries.
- KICK BACK at our classic annual festivals.
- ★ LAZE on Lake Wateree, Kendall Lake, Goodale State Park, and the Wateree River.
- RELISH our upscale dining and downhome Southern eateries.



Camden is Centrally Located and Just:

- ★ 30 miles northeast of Columbia
- ★ 85 miles southeast of Charlotte, NC
- ★ 150 miles north of Charleston, SC
- ★ 118 miles west of Myrtle Beach



Camden - Tree City, USA

For 300 years, Camden has been known for its trees and greenspaces. In the 1700s, city planners incorporated six town squares into the community. Five of those squares remain public commons.

Today, the town squares are parks scattered throughout the city. In all, Camden is home to 19 parks that encompass more than 100 acres.



Tree City is a designation we are extremely

TREE CITY USA proud of, particularly since Camden has qualified for this designation for the past 31 years. Tree City USA is a national recognition program under the auspices of the Arbor Day Foundation and the National Association of State Foresters and provides the framework for community forestry management of public trees



in cities and towns across America.

Other lush and inviting greenspaces in Camden's environs are Goodale State Park and Historic Camden. Goodale State Park is centered on a historic mill pond. Water enthusiates may enjoy a unique water trail through a bald cypress forest. Historic Camden has a 0.7 mile walking trail that takes visitors past a pond and Little Pine Tree Creek. Both of these historic greenspaces are oases of peace in a hectic world!

