

THINGS TO DO

PLACES TO VISIT

Boggs & Boulders

20133 Brooklyn Road Andalusia, AL 36421

(251) 578-4333

An off-road adventure park, campground, and music venue that has over 850 acres of trails, bogs, hills, and mud pits.

The park is located on County Rd. 42 near the Brooklyn community. Special features include caves, boulders, and a cool pool. Boggs and Boulders is open year round each weekend and is a place the entire family can enjoy.

www.boggsandboulders.com

Booker's Mill

CR 21 Evergreen, AL 36401 (251) 578-1682

Known for both its historical value and scenic beauty. The mill, built in the 1800s by prison workers, provided electricity to the neighborhood. It has long been closed as an electricity generating plant. The land and the building now give the Conecuh County residents and visitors a peaceful retreat offering a taste of the past in an award winning setting.

On the property was once located a water wheel, stone gristmill, and one of the first cotton gins in Conecuh County. The gristmill and cotton gin were destroyed by fire. There are many other attractions both old and new to enjoy on the 250 acre property. The old general store that once was the hub of the community has now been converted into a meeting hall and museum that houses artifacts, Indian relics, and primitive tools.

Brown Hawkins Rural Learning Center

Brown Hawkins Road/Fall Lane, Evergreen, AL 36401

(334) 288-6409

The Learning Center will be at the home of Dr. Hillary James Hawkins (Brown Hawkins). The Hawkins home was added to the Alabama Register of Landmarks and Heritage. The Learning Center is designed for all ages, and especially for school age children that are interested in understanding what it was like to live in Rural America years ago.

Conecuh Sausage Company

200 Industrial Park Evergreen, AL 36401

(251) 578-3380

Conecuh Sausage is a family-owned business started in 1947. They have a patented blend of seasonings which is used on only the best meats and then smoked over a pure hickory fire for that true Southern flavor. The smoked sausage is their most popular product, but they also carry smoked hams, turkeys, and bacon. The gift shop is open to the public offering all Conecuh Sausage products plus unique gift items, home decor, and hunting accessories as well as coolers for shipping meats. They are an authorized dealer for Yeti Coolers, Sportsman Condos, and Portable Kitchen Grills.

Evergreen Golf Club

18382 US-31, Evergreen, AL 36401 (251) 578-5214

The Evergreen Golf Club, a public 9-hole golf course located just outside Evergreen City limits on US31 north, offers a beautiful, well kept course in a wooded, country setting. The Club also offers a salt pool for summer relaxation.

Historic Evergreen Train Depot

100 Depot Square Evergreen, AL 36401 (251) 578-1707

The historic Evergreen Train Depot located on the old L & N Railroad line in downtown Evergreen was constructed in 1907 and ready for occupancy by March of 1908. The depot was described as an ornament to the town, and pride for everyone, the best and most ornate outside of large cities, according to a newspaper report for that time. There were 3 waiting rooms, sanitary closets, a baggage room, an express room and freight room in the rear of the building.

Today, the depot is used as offices for the Evergreen-Conecuh Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development Office. The old historical Evergreen Train Depot is a reminder to us when railroad transportation was "king". This depot was placed on the National Register of Historic Places on April 3, 1975.

The little red caboose parked adjacent to the depot was added by the City of Evergreen, and donated by the railroad to serve as a 'learning experience' for area school children and tourists.

Old Federal Road

From I-65 South take exit 96 to AL 83 to Burnt Corn -then Follow County Road 5 to follow the old Federal Road Bed.

When the United States purchased the Louisiana Territory from France in 1803, an access route was needed to this new territory. In 1805, the U.S. Government got the Creek Nation to give permission for a "horse path" through the Creek Nation. This "horse path" included the "Old Wolf Trail" which ran through Burnt Corn. The "horse path" became the Old Federal Road which served as a major thoroughfare for western migration of settlers.

The Old Federal Road exists in several areas throughout Conecuh County. In the northern most part of the county, the road begins where Butler and Conecuh Counties join and winds down where it serves as the border between Conecuh and Monroe Counties in the Burnt Corn area, and then on down to where it runs into Escambia County below Highway 84. Detours have to be made in several areas because the old road no longer exists or it is now on private property. There are several Historic markers already in place for some of the sites and several more are yet to be erected.

One of the most interesting stops along the Old Federal Road is the town of Burnt Corn, one of the oldest settlements in Alabama, and which is located between Monroeville, Alabama and Evergreen, Alabama. Burnt Corn began as a trading post settlement at an intersection of Indian trails on the "Old Wolf Path" when this area was still Creek Indian territory. U.S. postal service to Burnt Corn began in 1817 when the Alabama Territory was established. A school, the "Students' Retreat," was organized in 1820, followed by a Baptist church in 1821. Burnt Corn was a thriving community in the early twentieth century. Today, many of the buildings in Burnt Corn are still intact.

The Sepulga River Canoe Trail

Increasingly popular with nature lovers in Alabama. With deep water, lime stone walls and a few rapids for fun, Sepulga offers a wilderness kayaking/canoe experience unique to South Alabama. Keep your eyes peeled for an alligator or two sunning on the rocks. The Sepulga is an interesting river in that it is generally a nice float trip through lush forest of magnolia, weeping willows, oak, and scrub pine. But unlike many rivers south of Montgomery, it has a few fast shoals to maneuver through, as well as a great Class I section with a series of drops that can be easily handled by beginners and intermediate paddlers.

• Information •

Evergreen Area Chamber of Commerce

100 Depot Square
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-1707

www.evergreenareachamber.com

Evergreen –Conecuh County Public Library

119 Cemetery Avenue
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-2670

Evergreen City Hall

355 East Front Street
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-1574

www.evergreenal.org

• EMERGENCY CONTACTS (always dial 911 in case of emergency) •

Evergreen Medical Center

101 Crestview Avenue, Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-2480

www.evergreenmedical.org

• LODGING •

(Andalusia)

Hickory Ridge Lodge

27388 Straughn School Road
 Andalusia, AL 36421
 (334) 222-6647

www.hickoryridgelodge.com

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

16727 U.S. 84
 Andalusia, AL 36421
 (334) 427-2740

(Evergreen)

Quality Inn

1571 Bates Road
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-4701

Sleep Inn & Suites

78 Liberty Hill Drive
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-9590

Comfort Inn

1571 Ted Bates Road
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-4701

Econo Lodge Inn & Suites

215 U.S. Highway 83
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-2100

• DINING OPPORTUNITIES •

Black Angus Steakhouse

1545 Ted Bates Road
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-5777

Griff's Diner

417 Liberty Hill Drive
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-3535

Jalisco Mexican Restaurant

101 Hillcrest Drive
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251)578-1690

Conecuh Sausage Company

200 Industrial Park
 Evergreen, AL 36401
 (251) 578-3380

www.conecuhsausage.com

J&T Diner

316 Perryman Street
 Evergreen, AL 36401
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The Shack

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