

CNC Excursions presented by Visit NC

Take a day off and experience North Carolina!

8:30 am - 4 pm Everyday

Sign up before the ride - \$25 per day / \$150 for the week

Sign up during the ride - \$30 per day / \$185 for the week

Day 1: Sunday, October 5 (Lake Lure to Lincolnton)

- Bechtler Heritage Center

Learn about the history of North Carolina's first "gold rush"

- Ellenboro Train Depot

Experience this source of historic community pride in Ellenboro

- Redbone Willy's

Grab lunch and explore this old general store and trading company

Day 2: Monday, October 6 (Lincolnton to Kannapolis)

- Carolina Raptor Center

Experience over 30 species of raptors at this conservation center

- Lake Norman

Enjoy a lakeside lunch and explore Cornelius, located on NC's largest fresh water lake

- The Depot at Gibson Mill

This adaptive reuse textile mill now house the largest Antique Mall in the Southeast

Day 3: Tuesday, October 7 (Kannapolis to Asheboro)

- NC Transportation Museum

Explore this historic tribute to all types of transportation history including

- Lunch in Salisbury

Enjoy lunch and a self-guided historic walking tour in Western NC's oldest colonial town

- Seagrove

Spend the afternoon in the Handmade Pottery Capital of the United States

Day 4: Wednesday, October 8 (Asheboro to Fuquay-Varina)

- Alamance Battleground

Take a tour of this site commemorating the 1771 battle between Royal Governor Tryon & the Regulators

- Lunch in Hillsborough

Enjoy lunch and explore this charming town spanning three centuries of history, arts and culture

- Ayr Mount

Tour one of the finest Federal era houses in NC's Piedmont region with original artwork & period furniture

Day 5: Thursday, October 9 (Fuquay-Varina to Goldsboro)

- Tobacco Farm Life Museum

Explore this fascinating glimpse into North Carolina's agricultural heritage

- Old North State Food Hall

Enjoy lunch in the nation's first interstate food hall

- Broadslab Distillery

Enjoy a "from dirt to bottle" tour by a 5th generation moonshine stiller in Johnston County

Day 6: Friday, October 10 (Goldsboro to Wallace)

- Sampson County History Museum

Tour this "hidden gem" in a village consisting of 11 museum buildings

- Elizabeth's Pecans

Stop by and enjoy their world famous pecan brittle and other pecan products

- Duplin County Veteran's Museum

Military artifacts and memorabilia from many periods of military history

Day 7: Saturday, October 11 (Wallace to Fort Fisher)

- Bellamy Mansion Museum

Enjoy an audio tour of a spectacular example of 1800's architecture

- Cycle NC End of Ride Celebration

- Celebrate with us and all of our riders as we reach our final destination, Fort Fisher



For more details or to sign up visit www.ncsports.org.

Cost includes motorcoach, bicycle transportation and most admission fees.

Does not include lunch/alcohol. Itinerary subject to change.