

Do it all in Alexander County, NC

Dig a little deeper -- Emerald Hollow Mine is the only public emerald mine in the United States. The largest emerald found in North America was unearthed in Alexander County. (Map: #11)

Scale new Heights -- The 318 acre **Rocky Face Mountain Recreation Area** features a 100 foot natural rock climbing wall, hiking trails, picnic shelter, and restrooms. ADA trail. (Map: #7)

Find Diamond Jim -- The **Hiddenite Center** is a cultural arts mecca once home to "Diamond Jim Lucas" and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. (Map: #12)

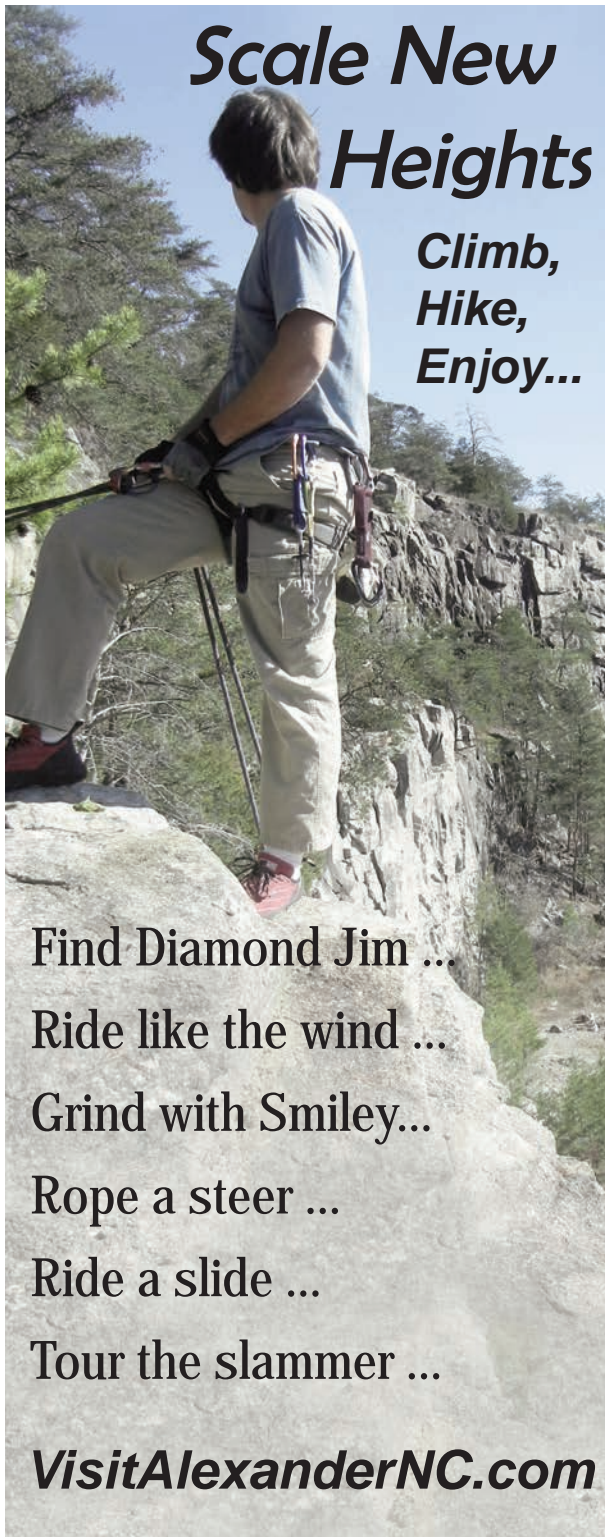
Ride like the Wind -- **Brushy Mountain Motor Sports Park** has 24 miles of dirtbike and 4x4 trails. **Daniels Ridge Motocross** is an all lighted facility with full track sprinkler system. Open to all 2-wheeled motorcycles & ATVs. (Map: #s 1 & 10)

Grind with Smiley -- **Linney's Mill** has been located in the same spot since 1790. Billy "Smiley" Linney greets visitors to a working mill that produces stone ground corn meal, grits and other products. General store and campground. (Map: #9)

Rope A Steer -- **H-N-H Arena** is an equine facility hosting events including, Team Roping Jackpots and Ropings, Rodeos, Barrel Races, Cuttings, Team Pennings, along with other horse shows and and horse schools and clinics. (Map: #4)

Ride A Slide -- **Sun Crest Water Park** offers an old fashioned swinging rope, a water slide for all ages, or you can just hang out in the sun and enjoy the relaxing scenery. (Map: #2)

Tour the Slammer -- **Old County Jail** built in 1913. One of the oldest public buildings in Alexander County and one of the oldest jails still standing in North Carolina. Houses a small museum dedicated to former jailers and their families. (Map: #6)

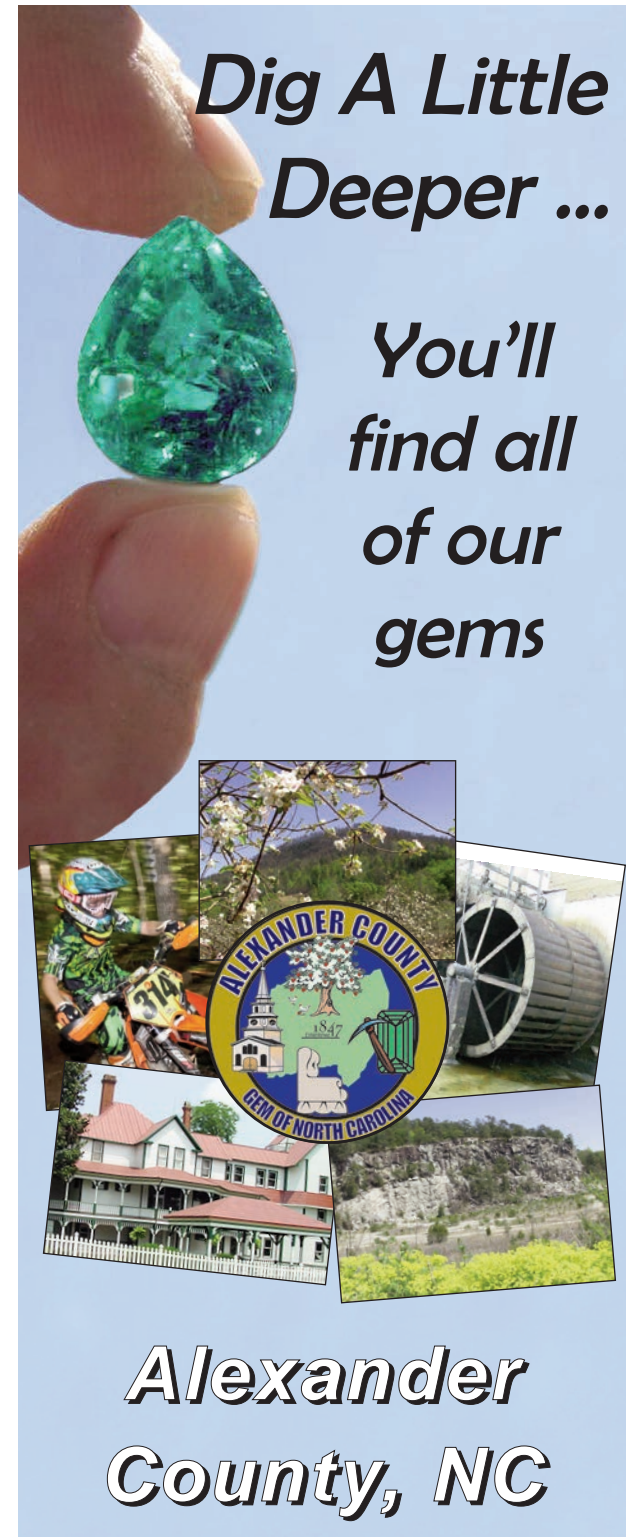


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*Climb,
Hike,
Enjoy...*



Find Diamond Jim ...
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VisitAlexanderNC.com



Dig A Little Deeper ...

You'll find all of our gems



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1. Brushy Mountain Motor Sports

Dirtbike & ATV Trails
2491 Lambert Fork Road
Taylorsville, NC 28681
(828) 635-7766
www.bmmspark.com

2. Sun Crest Water Park

Water Park
6806 All Healing Springs RD.
Taylorsville, NC 28681
(828)632-2731
www.suncrestwaterpark.net

3. Chestnut Hunting Lodge

Largest hunting preserve in NC
525 Chestnut Hunting Lodge Drive
Taylorsville, NC 28681
PH: 828-632-3916
www.chestnuthuntinglodge.com

4. H-N-H Arena

Equine events & sales
311 Ned Herman Road,
Taylorsville, NC 28681
PH: 828-312-5310
www.hharena.com

5. Lake Hickory

Two public access areas:
Wittenburg Access Area and Dusty Ridge
Access Area.
Three privately operated Marinas:
Rink Dam Marina 828-632-7937
Taylorsville Beach Marina 828-632-7649
R & N Marina 828-495-8833
www.randnmarina.com

6. Old Jail Museum

History Museum
205 Main Ave Drive SE
Taylorsville, NC
828-635-0064
www.taylorsvillenc.com

7. Rocky Face Mountain Recreational Area

Rock Climbing, Hiking
3451 Rocky Face Church Rd.
Taylorsville, NC
828-632-1093
www.rockyfacepark.com

8. Apple Orchards

Deal Apple Orchards
828-632-2304
Sugar Loaf Apple House
828-632-3374

Perry Lowe Orchards
828-632-7913
J & A Orchard
828-632-0830
GreenGo Orchards
828-455-3615

9. Linney's Mill

Historic Mill
4635 Linneys Mill Road
Union Grove, NC
(704) 592-2075
<http://linneysmill.com>

10. Daniels Ridge MX

Motocross Track
641 Daniels Ridge Road,
Taylorsville NC 28681
(828) 635-8635
www.danielsridgemx.com

11. Emerald Hollow Mine

Public Emerald Mining
484 Emerald Hollow Mine Drive
Hiddenite, NC 28636
Toll Free: 1-866-600-GEMS
Local: (828) 632-3394
www.hiddenitegems.com

12. Hiddenite Center

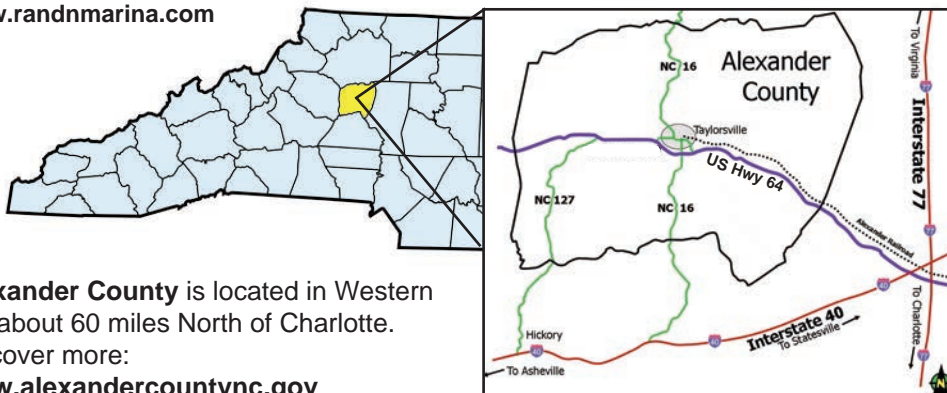
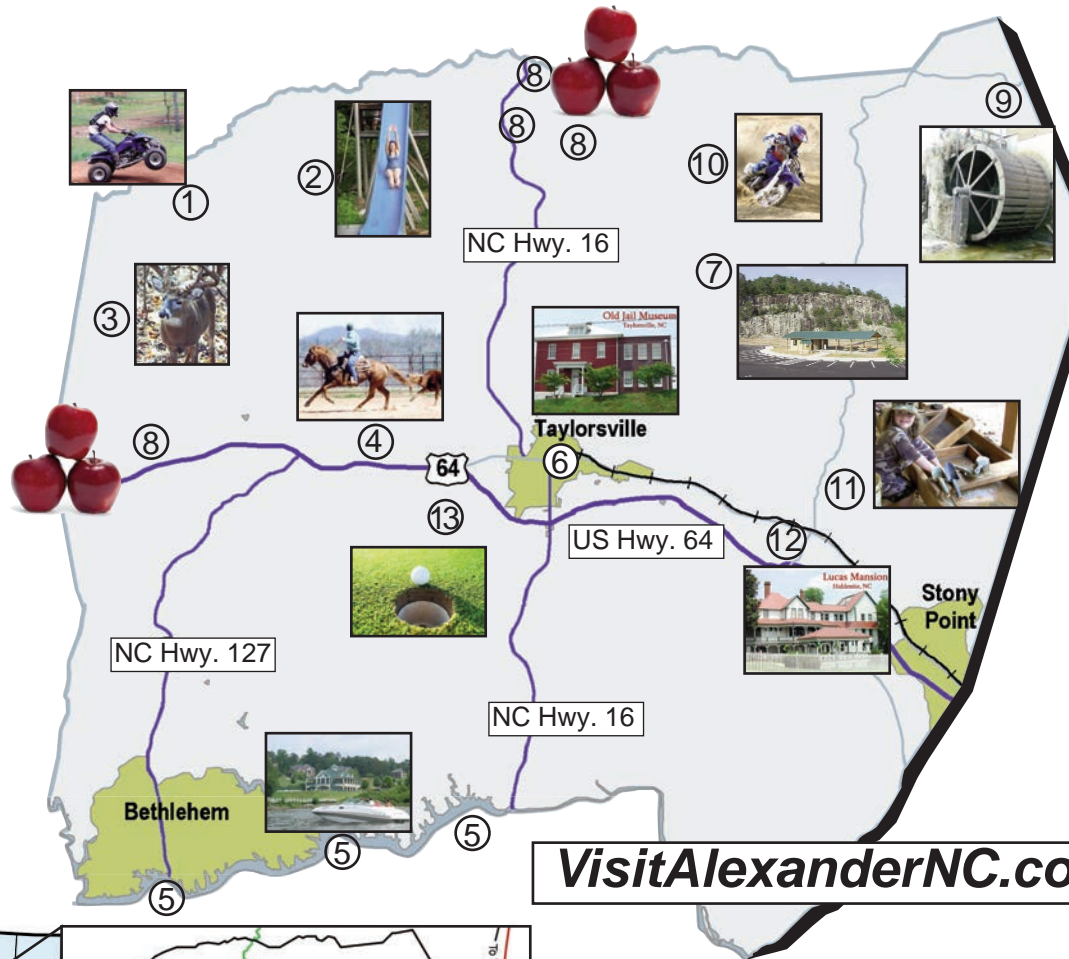
Cultural Arts & Lucas Mansion
316 Hiddenite Church Road
Hiddenite, NC 28636
828-632-6966
www.hiddenitecenter.com

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13. Golf: Alexander County is home to one of the best rural golf courses in the state:
Brushy Mountain Golf, 300 Golf Course Lane, Taylorsville, NC, 828-632-4804.
www.brushymountaingolf.com

Lodging, Campgrounds: Apple City Bed & Breakfast 828-635-1850, Hiddenite Family
Campground 828-632-3815, Hickory Cove Bible Camp 828-632-2987, Linney's Mill
Campground 704-592-2075.

Local Festivals: Hiddenite Celebration, Apple Festival, County Fair, Christmas Parade,
Bethlehem Car show. Discover more about local events at www.visitalexandernc.com



Alexander County is located in Western
NC about 60 miles North of Charlotte.
Discover more:
www.alexandercountync.gov