

# Anderson County

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## VISITORS GUIDE

**Anderson County Welcome Center**

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115 Welcome Lane

Clinton, TN 37716



# Discover Anderson County!

Anderson County is the ideal destination if you want to explore the outdoors, discover American's heritage and history or just relax and enjoy the beautiful scenery.

Our mountains and valleys create the perfect landscape for the outdoor enthusiast whether you are an adrenalin junky or wildlife observer. You can boat, ski or fish along our 800 miles of shoreline on Norris Lake or fish one of the world's premier trout fisheries.

We also have over 250,000 acres of wilderness that are ideal for hiking, biking, off-roading, horseback riding, wildlife and wildflower viewing. Our more than 1,000 miles of trails meander along river banks and climb into majestic mountains while providing many picturesque resting spots. Whether you prefer a challenging climb or a casual stroll, the perfect trail is waiting for you to explore.

Anderson County also offers the unique opportunity to travel through 300 years of American History. You can be transported from 18th Century Appalachia to the atomic age to the Civil Rights Era and into the future.

The term "Appalachian" is not only the name of the mountain range in Eastern North America. It also refers to a unique American culture of crafts, music, cuisine, heritage, and beliefs. This culture is on display through out Anderson County at the Museum of Appalachia, Lenoir Museum Historical Complex and Appalachian Arts Craft Center

In the early 1940's, while the Germans struggled to find the fuel source for a weapon that would give them the ultimate power, the United States was looking for a site in the mountains and valleys of East Tennessee to build a top-secret city that would be used to create the world's first Atomic Bomb. Discover how 75,000 people kept a secret while exploring the World War II Secret City of Oak Ridge and how they are still creating cutting edge technology that will benefit mankind now and into the future.

On August 27, 1956, twelve young people in Clinton, Tennessee walked into history and changed the world. They were the first students to desegregate a state-supported high school in the south. Learn the fascinating history of the twelve and how they not only changed a community but a nation at the Green McAdoo Cultural Center.

From beautiful rural countrysides to picturesque mountain settings, from eclectic cosmopolitan cities to small "Mayberry" like living, Anderson County's diversity is appealing to anyone who visits and wants to stay.

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# TRAILS

Looking for a way to fill your weekend or afternoon, look no further than one of several trails that includes Anderson County. Whether by motorcycle or by car, visitors are sure to enjoy the sites along the **White Lightning Trail** and **Top Secret Trail**. Also consider driving along one of the many trails in our **Long and Winding Road** brochure. Discover Appalachian heritage in Norris, unlock the secrets of the Manhattan Project in Oak Ridge, take a dip in our cool streams and lakes, stop by a petting zoo, or get lost in our quaint shops, diners and unique eateries. Parts of these trails also lead you out of Anderson County to historical and adventurous destinations including the Cumberland Gap, the pioneer's great way to the west and Rugby, the restored Victorian village founded in 1880 by British author and social reformer, Thomas Hughes. An easy drive from 75 percent of the U.S., and nestled between two major interstates, Anderson County is sure to provide fun for the entire family.



## TIME LINE

A number of major developments in the history of Oak Ridge and Anderson County.

**1902**

John Hendrix, an eccentric local who was regarded as a mystic, prophesied the construction of Oak Ridge's World War II Secret City.

**1911**

The explosion of the Cross Mountain Mine killed 84 men and boys. Fifty-eight hours after the explosion, five men were found alive in a barricaded room, marking it the first successful rescue by the US Bureau of Mines.



**1943**

ORNL's Graphite Reactor was built in 1943 to demonstrate the production of plutonium from uranium for the World War II Manhattan Project.



**1902**

On May 19, 1902, the Fraterville Mine exploded killing 216 men and boys. Ten trapped miners wrote their farewell messages to loved ones before they also perished.



**1933-36**

Spanning 1860 feet across the Clinch River and standing 265 feet high, Norris Dam was the first dam built by the Tennessee Valley Authority costing approximately \$36 million. The construction was started in October 1933 and completed in March 1936 and included the construction of a city to house the workers.

**1942-45**

Top Secret Government project formed to create the world's first atomic weapon. Secret communities came together, pooling scientific and technological efforts to ultimately create the two bombs that ended World War II in 1945. These communities were Oak Ridge, Tenn., Hanford, Wash. and Los Alamos, New Mex.



**1891-92**

After the Civil War, the financially distressed southern states enacted legislation to lease convicts to private industries such as coal mining companies which led to labor disputes with the free miners and ultimately the Coal Creek War.

# RESOURCES

## Anderson County Welcome Center

115 Welcome Lane

Clinton, TN 37716

Located at Exit 122 west of Interstate 75

www.yallcome.org | info@yallcome.org

800-524-3602



## Oak Ridge Welcome Center

102 Robertsville Rd., Suite C

Oak Ridge, TN 37830

Located in Oak Ridge at Traffic Light 11

www.oakridgevisitor.com | info@oakridgevisitor.com

800-887-3429



### LEGEND:



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**NRHP**

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES



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**1945**

Japan surrenders and WWII is over, after two bombs were dropped in August. Material for "Little Boy," the second Atomic bomb, was created in Oak Ridge.

**1948**

Cold War begins (to December 26, 1991)



**1956**

On August 27, 1956, twelve African-American students were the first to attend a desegregated state-supported high school in the south, Clinton High School, which holds the honor of having the first African-American to graduate from a public high school in the South.

**2006**

Spallation Neutron Source (SNS). Called the world's biggest science project, the SNS was created to provide a one-of-a-kind facility for neutron research.



**1948**

Built during the construction of Norris Dam (1933-1936) to house the workers, the City of Norris was auctioned by the Tennessee Valley Authority on June 15, 1948. The current residents of Norris, who pooled their money together, were outbid by a real estate broker from Philadelphia.

**1949**

The first time the gates to Oak Ridge were opened to visitors.



**2003**

Construction of the South's only windmill farm on top of Buffalo Mountain to provide green energy. The windmills stand 262 feet tall and have 131-foot-long blades.

**2012**

The National Center for Computational Sciences as three supercomputers that can perform 4 quadrillion calculations per second and is regularly atop world supercomputer rankings. They are used to study topics from global climate to population movements to fusion energy to supernovas.



## OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

### ADVENTURE OUTDOORS

695 Melton Lake Drive, Oak Ridge, 865-680-1516  
Whether you have a few hours or all day, they have everything you need to explore Oak Ridge by waterway or trail. Now renting bikes for adults and children, single and double kayaks, and trikkes.

### ANDERSON COUNTY PARK

2191 Park Lane, Andersonville, 865-494-9352  
Boaters, fishermen, campers and nature walkers will enjoy the Park's 196 acres of camp sites, a swimming area, playgrounds, walking and hiking trails, and much more.

### BIRD WATCHING TRAILS Oak Ridge, 800-887-3429

More than 200 species reside in Oak Ridge. The self-guided tour features locations open to the public year-round. Map available.

### CLINCH RIVER 800-524-3602

Many experienced anglers who have fished the premier trout waters of the United States consider the Clinch River tailwater to be one of the finest trout fisheries in the country. Flowing from Norris Dam, 13 miles to Clinton, the Clinch is home to Rainbow and Brown Trout, the state record Brown Trout was caught in the Clinch. Guide services and maps available.

### HAW RIDGE PARK Oak Ridge, 865-425-3450

Explore 25 miles of hiking, mountain biking, running, and Nordic skiing trails, with access for canoeing. Maps available.

### LITTLE PONDEROSA ZOO

629 Granite Road, Clinton, 865-457-5536  
This "hands-on zoo" is the perfect place for animal lovers of all ages to see your typical farm yard animals and exotic animals. Enjoy pony rides, the petting zoo and the barnyard nursery. There are also event areas, programs for groups and a pavilion near the pond for picnic lunches.

### MELTON HILL LAKE 800-887-3429

With 173 miles of shoreline, Melton Hill is a popular attraction for boating, fishing, swimming, and boasts a world-renowned rowing course. The shoreline also has a greenway with a 7 mile trail great for bicycling, walking, running and skating. Melton Hill is home to muskies, the "fish of 10,000 casts," as well as large and smallmouth bass, white and black crappie, bluegill, walleye, yellow perch, and numerous other fish.

### **NORRIS DAM** 800-524-3602

The first dam built by the Tennessee Valley Authority in 1936 for flood control, to bring efficient electrical power to East Tennessee and for recreation, Norris Dam is 265 feet high and stretches 1,860 feet across the Clinch River. Visitors can enjoy the views of the mountains and valley surrounding the dam at the overlooks, trails and information center.

### **NORRIS DAM STATE PARK**

125 Village Green Circle, Rocky Top, 865-426-7461  
The Park's 4,000 acres of virgin forest and scenic nature trails surround Norris Dam and overlook Norris Lake. It has deluxe and rustic cabins, camping areas, a full service marina, a recreation area with a swimming pool, game room, tennis courts and volleyball court. Primitive camping is available for groups. Join the park rangers throughout the year for nature and history programs.

### **NORRIS LAKE** 800-524-3602

Recreation awaits you on Norris Lake, where the mountains meet the water. With 800 miles of shoreline, there always seems to be a secluded cove waiting for you. So whether you are fishing, camping, boating, or simply enjoying the picturesque shoreline, you are sure to be satisfied with the Lake and the many marinas, free launch facilities, restaurants, cabins, motels, houseboats and campgrounds.

Fifty-six different species of fish call Norris Lake home including bass, crappie, walleye and striper. Guide services available.

### **NORRIS WATERSHED HIKING AND RIDING TRAILS**

Norris, 800-524-3602

Experience spectacular views of Norris Lake as you hike, bike ride or horseback ride over 20 miles of woodland trails that meander through the watershed and the adjacent Norris Dam State Park. Maps available.

### **OAK RIDGE GREENWAYS** 865-425-3450

Enjoy eleven greenways totaling 48 miles (easy to moderate) designed for pedestrians, bicyclists, and skaters. Maps available.

### **OAK RIDGE ROWING ASSOCIATION** 865-482-6538

From the NCAA Women's Championship Regatta to the Masters, this 2,000 meter rowing course on Melton Hill Lake is nationally known as one of the premier spots for rowing and kayaking.

### **PLAYFUL CITY USA** 865-425-3450

Oak Ridge is a Playful City! Visit one of the many parks and playgrounds in the community. Cedar Hill Park was built by a community effort in 2011, and is more colorful and fun than ever.

### **SAVAGE GARDENS**

318 Savage Garden Road, Rocky Top, 865-426-6495  
Visit this 30 acre garden of many rare wildflowers and towering limestone rock formations to explore. Open March, April and May

### **UNIVERSITY OF TENNESSEE ARBORETUM**

901 S. Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge, 865-483-3571  
Four trails covering 250 acres featuring 2,500 plant specimens including 800 species of trees, shrubs and flowering plants.

### **WINDROCK PARK**

912 Windrock Park Lane, Oliver Springs, 865-435-3492  
Seventy-two thousand acres and 300 miles of trails for off-road vehicles, dirt and mountain biking, horseback riding and hiking. Windrock Park is the perfect place to see the 262 foot windmill farm. Maps, guides, cabins, camping facilities and ATV rentals available

## **GOLF AND DISC GOLF**

### **CARL YEARWOOD DISC GOLF COURSE**

Bus Terminal Rd., Oak Ridge, 865-425-3450  
This is a challenging but short Par 3 disc golf course. This course has tee signs, access to a water fountain, restrooms, and there are two different basket locations and tee lengths on each hole.

### **GROVES PARK AT SOUTH HILLS**

Tuskegee Ave., Oak Ridge, 865-425-3450  
This is an 18-hole disc golf course with four tee lengths on each hole to provide a fun challenge for beginners, intermediate players, advanced players, and professionals.

### **TENNESSEE CENTENNIAL GOLF COURSE**

101 Centennial Blvd. - Oak Ridge, 865-483-2291  
This challenging public course offers 18 holes nestled in the rolling ridges and valleys of East Tennessee. The course also has a full service practice facility to perfect your game.

# APPALACHIAN HERITAGE

## MUSEUM OF APPALACHIA



2819 Andersonville Highway, Clinton, 865-494-7680  
The Museum of Appalachia, a Smithsonian Affiliate museum, tells the story of a region which was settled by proud, hardworking people through the relics they made and used to survive. Considered "the most authentic and complete replica of pioneer Appalachian life in the world", the Museum contains over 250,000 pioneer relics including 30 log structures featuring cantilever barns, chapel, schoolhouse and cabins including the Mark Twain Family cabin. Gift shop and country café on site. Hours vary by season. Admission charged.

## COAL CREEK MINING MOTOR DISCOVERY TRAIL

Rocky Top, 800-524-3602

*"Oh God for one more breath, remember me as long as you live,"* were the last words written on the side of a collapsed mine by Jacob Vowell before he and 250 men and boys died in the Fraterville Mine Disaster. Learn their story and the stories of the Coal Creek War and the Cross Mountain Mine Disaster along this self-guided motor discovery trail. Start your journey at the Coal Creek Miners Museum and continue onto the 22 historical sites. FREE.

## DAVID HALL CABIN

830 Old Edgemoor Lane, Clinton, 800-524-3602

Built in 1799, this home, inn and tavern, was home to an American Revolutionary War veteran. If the walls could talk, it would tell you about Indian confrontations, Civil War soldiers who marched through and travelers who waited for the nearby ferry that was part of the route between Knoxville and Nashville. FREE

## LENOIR HISTORICAL COMPLEX



### AT NORRIS DAM STATE PARK

125 Village Green Circle Road, Rocky Top, 865-426-7461

This complex includes the Lenoir Museum, an 18th Century Grist Mill and a Threshing Barn that depicts the life before the Tennessee Valley Authority built Norris Dam through a pictorial history display, artifacts and historical documents. Don't miss the 19th century German Barrel Organ. Wednesday - Sunday: 9am - 5pm. FREE.



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## WWII HISTORY

**OAK RIDGE** is a city built of war, living for peace, and growing through science. In the early 1940's, while Germany struggled to find the fuel source for the ultimate weapon, the United States battles the same race against time. In 1942, the U.S. looked for a site to build a top-secret city to create the world's first atomic bomb. That city, enclosed behind a fence and not even on a map until 1949, is now called Oak Ridge. It stands as a testimony to the hard work and insurmountable courage of a people whose hope of ending the war gave them the strength to work on a top-secret mission called the Manhattan Project.

### AMERICAN MUSEUM OF SCIENCE & ENERGY

300 South Tulane Ave., Oak Ridge, 865-576-3200  
Learn how 75,000 people kept a secret during WWII. From the frontier of Appalachia to the frontier of the nuclear age, you will learn about Oak Ridge's leading-edge technology that continues to earn the U.S. the title of "Super Power." Open Monday - Saturday, 9 am - 5 pm; Sunday 1 - 5 pm. Allow 1 - 3 hours. Admission charged.

### CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF OAK RIDGE

461 West Outer Dr., Oak Ridge, 865-482-1074  
Explore a child-size dollhouse, experience the wonders of a rainforest, and learn the unique heritage of the region through the eyes of a child. Don't miss the World of Trains exhibit and the many special events, classes and camps that are offered throughout the year. Tuesday - Friday 9 am - 5 pm; Saturday 10 am - 4 pm; Sunday 1 - 4 pm; Mondays (June through August) 9 am - 5 pm. Admission charged.

### DOE FACILITIES PUBLIC BUS TOUR

Departs from AMSE, 865-576-3200  
Explore original Manhattan Project sites around Oak Ridge and learn the history behind the world's first atomic weapon which helped to end WWII. Tour schedule varies seasonally. Call for more info. US Citizens only age 10+.

### HISTORIC JACKSON SQUARE/ GREENWICH VILLAGE NRHP

East Tennessee Ave., Oak Ridge  
Jackson Square lies at the center of the historic district that was once the original Townsite of Oak Ridge. During the war, this facility was open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Now, it features unique shopping, dining and historic displays.

### INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP BELL

Badger Ave., Oak Ridge, 865-482-7821  
The first monument between a U.S. Manhattan Project city and Japan, the bell serves as an expression of hope for everlasting peace. FREE.

### K-25 INTERPRETIVE CENTER

Hwy. 58, Oak Ridge, 865-574-9683  
View the historic former Manhattan Project facility in this overlook that features pictures, historic displays and a video. Open daily, dawn till dusk. FREE.

### NEW HOPE CENTER

602 Scarboro Road, Oak Ridge, 865-574-3280  
Located at Y-12, one of the original Manhattan Project facilities, this center houses historic displays and videos about Y-12. Monday - Thursday 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. FREE

### SECRET CITY COMMEMORATIVE WALK

1403 Oak Ridge Turnpike, 865-482-7821  
A memorial dedicated to everyone who came at their nation's call, to a city that was not on any map, to help end the greatest war this world has ever seen. FREE

### SECRET CITY SCENIC EXCURSION TRAIN

Hwy. 58, East TN Technology Park, Oak Ridge, 865-241-2140  
Ride the Atomic Train on a 14-mile excursion to learn about the birthplace of the atomic age. Plan your visit around a dinner train or special event ride like the Fall Colors or Santa Trains. Train runs select Saturdays and Sundays from February to December. Admission charged.

## AFRICAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE

### GREEN McADOO CULTURAL CENTER NRHP

101 School Street, Clinton, 865-457-6500  
On August 27, 1956, twelve African-American high school students walked into history and changed the south. They were the first to attend a desegregated state-supported high school in the south. Learn how they not only changed a community but a nation at the Green McAdoo Cultural Center. FREE.

### WHEAT COMMUNITY BURIAL GROUND

Highway 58, Oak Ridge, 800-887-3429  
Believed to be part of the Gallaher-Stone Plantation, this 1850s slave cemetery has more than 90 unmarked graves. Includes a beautiful monument in memory of those held in bondage. FREE.

# ANDERSON COUNTY ATTRACTIONS

- 1 Stardust Marina
- 2 Anderson County Park
- 3 Sequoyah Marina
- 4 Norris Watershed
- 5 Lenoir Museum Historical Complex
- 6 Norris Dam State Park
- 7 Museum of Appalachia
- 8 Appalachian Arts Craft Center
- 9 Coal Creek Miners Museum and Trail
- 10 Historic Downtown Clinton
- 11 Green McAdoo Cultural Center
- 12 Little Ponderosa Zoo and Rescue
- 13 David Hall Cabin
- 14 Life Development Center
- 15 Adventure Outdoors
- 16 Haw Ridge
- 17 Melton Hill Lake Trails
- 18 Jackson Square
- 19 American Museum of Science and Energy
- 20 Children's Museum of Oak Ridge
- 21 University of Tennessee Arboretum
- 22 Y-12 New Hope Visitors Center
- 23 Secret City Excursion Train
- 24 Historic Downtown Oliver Springs
- 25 Windrock Park
- 26 Devil's Triangle

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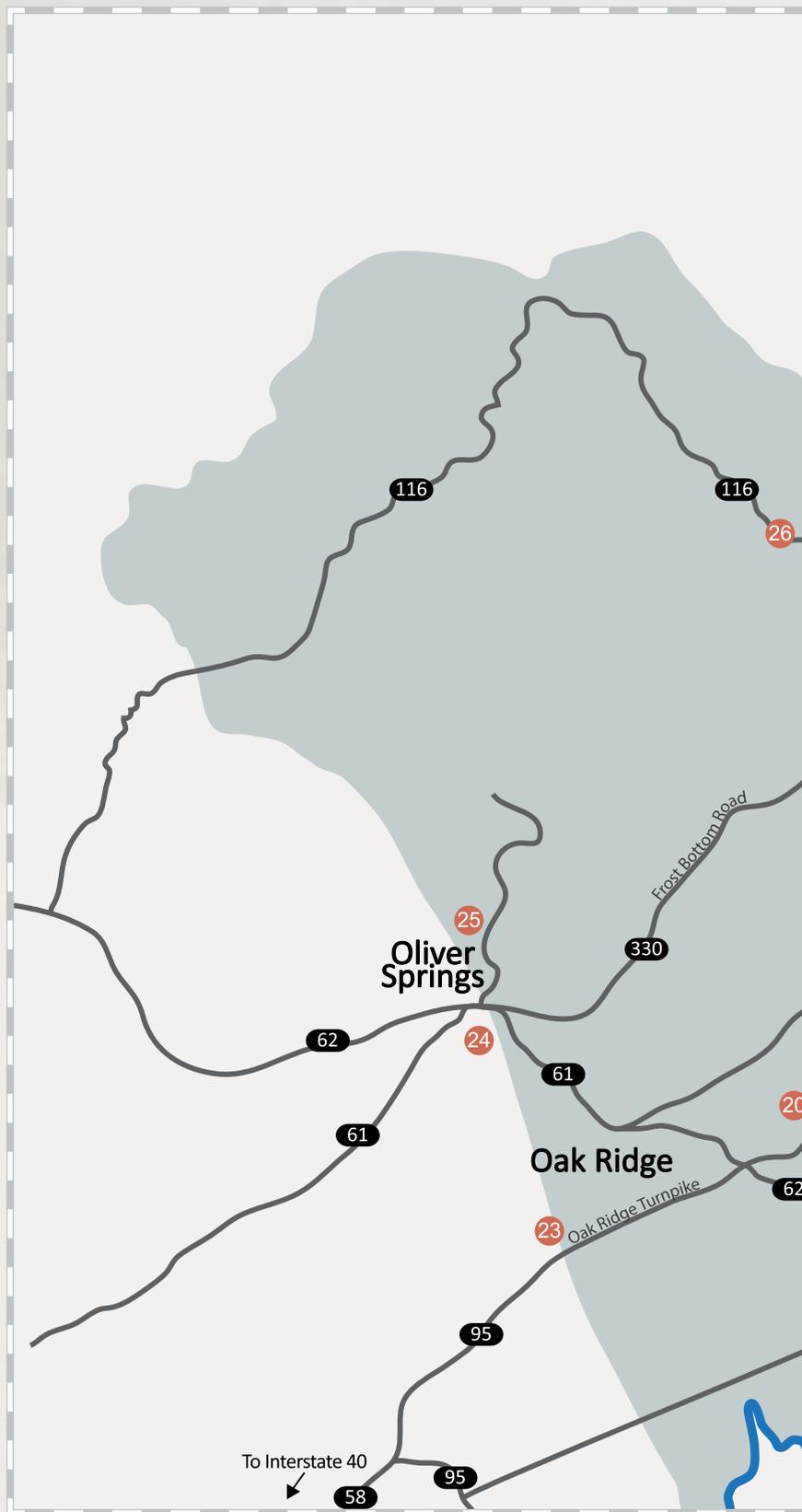
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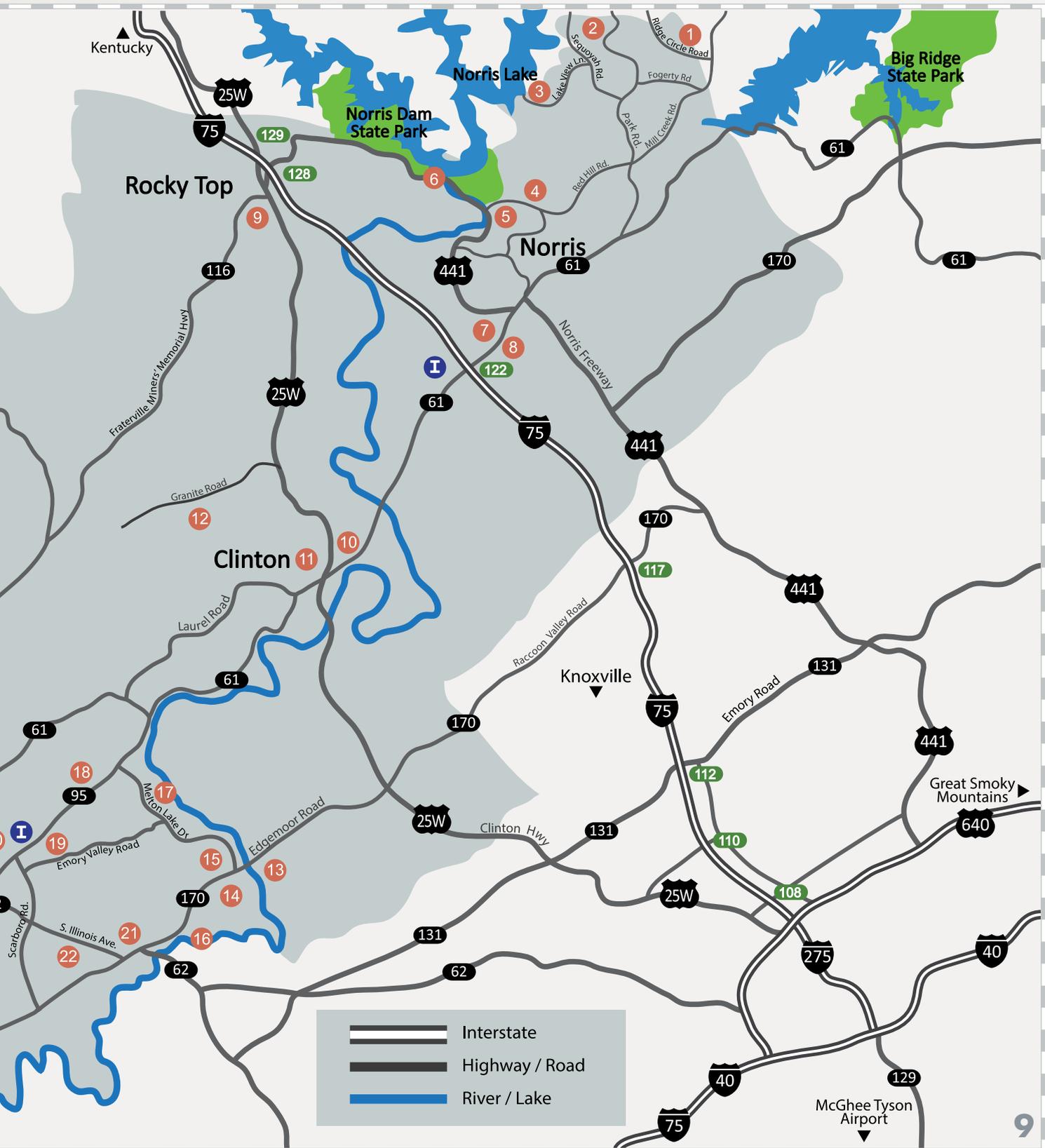
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800-524-3602 | [www.yallcome.org](http://www.yallcome.org)  
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Exit 122 off Interstate 75

#### **Oak Ridge Welcome Center**

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located at 102 Robertsville Rd., Oak Ridge  
Exit 356 off Interstate 40





## ART | CULTURE | ENTERTAINMENT

### APPALACHIAN ARTS CRAFT CENTER

2716 Andersonville Highway, Clinton, 865-494-9854  
The center was founded in 1970 to enrich the souls and pocketbooks of low-income people in Anderson County, by teaching, producing, and selling hand crafts. Today the center is an educational facility and shop where local artisans and visitors can gather to share creative ideas and talents in order to keep traditional crafts alive.

### HISTORIC DOWNTOWN CLINTON

Market and Main Street, Clinton, 800-524-3602  
Stroll through our historic district with antique, collectible and unique shops housed in restored 19th Century buildings where you will find American, European and Primitive period furnishings, china, lamps, clocks, interior décor, clothing, jewelry and much more. You can also have breakfast, lunch or dinner at one of the cafés or eateries.

### HISTORIC JACKSON SQUARE

East Tennessee Ave., Oak Ridge, 865-482-8450  
The original town site of Oak Ridge built during the Manhattan Project. Now features unique shopping, dining and historic displays.

### OAK RIDGE ART CENTER

201 Badger Avenue, Oak Ridge, 865-482-1441  
Permanent contemporary collection as well as rotating exhibits of local and regional artists. Tuesday - Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Saturday - Monday 1 - 4 p.m. FREE.

### OAK RIDGE BALLET

865-483-4858  
The Oak Ridge Civic Ballet Association (ORCBA), organized in 1963, is the oldest chartered non-profit dance organization in Tennessee. While classical ballet is the focus, modern, character and ethnic dance have also shared the ORCBA stage.

### OAK RIDGE CIVIC MUSIC ASSOCIATION

PO Box 4271, Oak Ridge, 865-483-5569  
Established in 1943, visitors can enjoy many performances throughout the year by talented musicians of the Oak Ridge Symphony and Oak Ridge Chorus.



# MOVE TO ANDERSON COUNTY

## OAK RIDGE COMMUNITY BAND/WIND ENSEMBLE

865-483-3044

The ORCB presents a series of summer concerts May thru September in A.K. Bissell Park and six concerts October thru April.

## OAK RIDGE COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA

865-482-5614

The Community Orchestra showcases the talent of local area performers and composers at as many as six concerts per year.

## OAK RIDGE COMMUNITY PLAYHOUSE

227 Broadway, Oak Ridge, 865-482-9999

A professionally managed volunteer organization, the Playhouse annually produces a diverse season of musicals, plays and children's theater for audiences and participants of all ages. Office hours: Monday-Friday, 12 to 5:30 p.m.

## OAK RIDGE FARMER'S MARKET

Historic Jackson Square, 865-482-7821

Come find fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers, plants, bread, and meats available. All agricultural goods are locally produced. Wednesdays, April thru September; Saturdays, April thru November.

## RITZ THEATER NRHP

121 North Main Street, Clinton, 865-463-0440

Opened in 1945, the Ritz was one of the most modern theaters in the South. Today, they feature first-run movies, concerts, gospel singings, receptions and miscellaneous meetings. National Register of Historical Places Site.

## TINSELTOWN THEATER

775 West Main Street, Oak Ridge, 865-220-9929

Enjoy a night out at the movies and watch the latest blockbuster at Oak Ridge's premier 14 screen, stadium seating theater.

Anderson County is not only a popular place to visit, it is also a great place to live. Here are some of the reasons, you should consider moving to Anderson County.

### CLIMATE

- Moderate climate with four distinct seasons
- Enjoy the natural beauty and outdoor resources throughout the year!

### HEALTHCARE

- Methodist Medical Center (MMC) is a 301-bed, nonprofit, regional medical facility serving Anderson and four adjacent counties
- Its medical staff of more than 175 physicians represents 30 medical and surgical specialties
- MMC was named the number one hospital in the Knoxville metro area in U.S. News and World Report's 2011-12 Best Hospitals rankings

### NOW HIRING!

- Strong industrial base with current expansions of several facilities;
- In 2014, SL Manufacturing announces expansion with 1,000 new jobs over next 5 years!
- Coming in 2015, 3M will open an Anderson County location with 100 jobs in first year!

### QUALITY OF LIFE

- Family centered communities
- Strong work ethic
- Natural beauty and outdoor activities
- Numerous greenways and parks

### CONVENIENCE

- Easy access to I-75, I-40, and I-81
- Near McGhee Tyson Airport in Knoxville

### EDUCATION

- Top ranked public schools and private schools
- Higher education and continued learning at the University of Tennessee, Roane State Community College, Pellissippi Technical School & Community College

### COST OF LIVING

- No state income tax
- Anderson County cost of living is below the national average

# ANNUAL EVENTS

## JANUARY

Martin Luther King Day Celebration  
Children's Museum, 865-482-1074

## FEBRUARY

Valentine Train Rides, Secret City Excursion Train  
865-241-2140

International Festival, Children's Museum, 865-482-1074

## MARCH

Wildflower Walk, Norris Dam State Park, 865-426-7461

## APRIL

Dogwood Regatta, Melton Hill Lake, 800-887-3429

Spring Jamboree, Windrock Park, 865-435-3492

Smoky Mountain Shoot Out, Oak Ridge Sportsmen's Club  
800-887-3429

Celebration of the Young Child, Children's Museum  
865-482-1074

Earth Day Festival, A.K. Bissell Park, 865-425-3450

## MAY

Clinch River Spring Antique Fair  
Historic Downtown Clinton, 800-524-3602

Memorial Day Concert by the Oak Ridge Community Band,  
A.K. Bissell Park, 865-482-3568

## JUNE

Secret City Festival, A.K. Bissell Park, 865-425-3610

Lavender Festival, Historic Jackson Square, 865-483-0961

DOE Facilities Bus Tour, June-September, American Museum  
of Science and Energy, 865-576-3200

Fire on the Water, Sequoyah Marina, 865-494-7984

## JULY

Anderson County Fair, Jaycee Park, 865-457-2559

Oak Ridge Community Band Concert & Fireworks  
A.K. Bissell Park, 865-482-3568

Celebration on the 4th, Melton Lake Park, 800-887-3429

July 4th Celebration and Anvil Shoot,  
Museum of Appalachia, 865-494-7680

## AUGUST

Summertime Train Rides, Secret City Excursion Train  
865-241-2140

Oak Ridge Fall Velo Classic, Various Locations  
865-482-7821

## SEPTEMBER

Back to School Train Rides, Secret City Excursion Train  
865-241-2140

Labor Day Concert, Oak Ridge Community Band  
A.K. Bissell Park, 865-482-3568

Memory Magic Scrapbook Event  
Oak Ridge Civic Center, 865-425-3450

## OCTOBER

Clinch River Antique Festival  
Historic Downtown Clinton, 865-457-2559

Fall Color Cruises, Norris Lake, 800-524-3602

Fall Color Train Rides, Secret City Excursion Train  
865-241-2140

Fall Jamboree, Windrock Park, 865-435-3492

October Sky Festival, Downtown Oliver Springs  
865-435-2509

Secret City Head Race, Melton Hill Lake, 800-887-3429

Street Painting Festival, Roane State Community College  
800-887-3429

Tennessee Fall Homecoming, Museum of Appalachia  
865-494-7680

Owl Prowl, UT Arboretum, 865-483-3571

## NOVEMBER

ORCBA presents The Nutcracker, Oak Ridge, 865-898-4637

Thanksgiving Train Rides, Secret City Excursion Train  
865-241-2140

Secret City Half Marathon, Oak Ridge, 800-887-3429

## DECEMBER

Holiday Homecoming, Norris Dam State Park  
865-426-7461

Christmas in Old Appalachia, Museum of Appalachia  
865-494-7680

Santa Train Rides, Secret City Excursion Train, 865-241-2140

# MEETINGS | REUNIONS | WEDDINGS

Name	Contact	Capacity	Inside/Outside	On-Site Food Service
<b>205 Main</b> 205 Main Street, Clinton 37716	865-680-6858	300	Inside	
<b>Alex Haley Farm</b> 1000 Alex Haley Lane, Clinton 37716	865-457-6466	6 meeting rooms ranging from 12 to 400 seats	Both	
<b>American Museum of Science and Energy</b> 300 S. Tulane Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-576-3200	4 meeting rooms and 312 auditorium	Inside	No
<b>Children's Museum of Oak Ridge</b> 461 W. Outer Drive, Oak Ridge 37830	865-482-1074	Gymnasium with 500 and smaller activity rooms	Inside	No
<b>Comfort Inn</b> 433 S. Rutgers Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-481-8200	30 to 85 people	Inside	No
<b>Country Jewell Wedding Chapel</b> 6550 Hickory Valley Road, Heiskell 37840	865-494-0552	Chapel-45 people / Event Building-100 people	Inside	
<b>Double Tree Hotel</b> 215 S. Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-481-2468	250 people	Inside	Yes
<b>Elizabeth Claire's</b> 364 Market Street, Clinton 37716	865-463-9259	490 standing/150 seated	Inside	
<b>Hampton Inn</b> 208 S. Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-482-7889	40 people	Inside	No
<b>Holiday Inn Express &amp; Suites</b> 114 Tulsa Road, Oak Ridge, 37830	865-298-1990	72 people	Inside	
<b>Holiday Inn and Suites</b> 111 Hillvale Road, Clinton 37716	865-457-2233	100 people	Inside	No
<b>Quality Inn</b> 216 S. Rutgers Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-483-6809	10 people	Inside	No
<b>Museum of Appalachia</b> 2819 Andersonville Highway, Clinton 37716	865-494-7680	Unlimited Outside/225 Inside	Both	Yes
<b>Mid Town Community Center</b> 102 Robertsville Road, Oak Ridge 37830	865-599-7208	125 people	Inside	No
<b>New Hope Visitors Center at Y-12</b> 602 Scarboro Road, Oak Ridge 37830	865-574-3280	416 seated, 500 plus standing	Inside	
<b>Norris Dam State Park Tea Room and Amphitheatre</b> 125 Village Green Circle, Lake City 37769	865-426-7461	Tea Room-100 people/ Outside Amphitheatre-Unlimited	Both	No
<b>Oak Ridge Civic Center</b> 1401 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge 37830	865-425-3450	Multi rooms	Both	No
<b>Pollard Technology Conference Center</b> 210 Badger Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-765-5273	3 conference room and 300 seat auditorium	Inside	No
<b>Riverside Grille</b> 100 Melton Lake Peninsula, Oak Ridge, 37830	865-862-8646	Banquet seating 175 and Reception seating 144	Inside	Yes
<b>Sequoyah Marina</b> 336 Lakeview Lane, Andersonville 37705	865-494-7984	56 Banquet or 86 Reception	Both	Yes
<b>Staybridge Suites</b> 420 S. Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	865-298-0050	49	Inside	No

# LODGING

Hotel	Address	Total Rooms	Mtg Rooms	Cont. Brkfst	Pool	Fitness Center	Internet	Pets	Int Corridor
<b>CLINTON</b> <i>(The following hotels are located off of Interstate 75 at exit 122)</i>									
Comfort Inn 865-457-2255	120 Welcome Lane, Clinton 37716	60	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Country Inn & Suites 865-457-4311	710 Park Place, Clinton 37716	63	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Hampton Inn 865-691-8070	105 Hillvale Road, Clinton, TN 37716	75	0	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Holiday Inn Express 865-457-2233	111 Hillvale Road, Clinton, TN 37716	81	1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Red Roof Inn 865-457-9070	141 Buffalo Road, Clinton 37716	51	1	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No
Super 8 865- 457-2311	720 Park Place, Clinton 37716	40	0	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
<b>OAK RIDGE</b> <i>(The following hotels are in the City of Oak Ridge)</i>									
Comfort Inn 865-483-6142	433 South Rutgers Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	113	2	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Days Inn 888-663-7789	206 South Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	54	1	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No
Doubletree by Hilton 865-481-2468	215 South Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	167	4	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Hampton Inn 865-482-7889	208 South Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	60	1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Holiday Inn Express & Suites 865-298-1990	114 Tulsa Road, Oak Ridge 37830	80	1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Quality Inn 865-483-6809	216 South Rutgers Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	79	1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
StayBridge Suites 865-298-0050	420 South Illinois Avenue, Oak Ridge 37830	90	1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

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CAMPGROUNDS	Address	Lake Access	Mountain Access	Full Hookup	Cabin Rentals	Launch Ramp	Sewer	Boat Rentals	Restaurant	Pool	Game Room	Playground	Laundry	Meeting Room	ADA	Hiking Trails	Bath Facilities
Anderson County Park 865-494-9352	2191 Park Lane Andersonville	X		X		X	X					X			X	X	X
KOA 888-803-9883	2423 Andersonville Hwy Clinton			X	X		X			X	X	X	X	X			X
Half Moon Campground 865-435-2385	423 Half Moon Road Oliver Springs		X	X	X		X									X	X
Indian Creek 865-435-0962	1387 Cove Lane Oliver Springs		X	X	X		X									X	X
Norris Dam State Park 865-426-7461	125 Village Green Circle Rocky Top	X		X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Stardust Marina 865-494-7461	149 Stardust Lane Andersonville	X		X	X	X		X	X					X			X
Windrock Park 865-435-1251	555 Windrock Park Lane Oliver Springs		X	X	X		X									X	X

## CABINS/CONDOS/HOUSES ON NORRIS LAKE

As Good As It Gets  
Andersonville - 800-883-7406

Buckeye Bungalow  
Andersonville - 850-381-3222

Captain's Quarters  
Andersonville - 850-381-3222

Harbor House  
Andersonville - 513-332-2865

Lighthouse at Twin Magnolias  
Andersonville - 865-494-6973

Main Channel Norris  
Lakefront Home  
Andersonville - 865-660-3464

Mallard Point Lake Escape  
Andersonville - 850-381-3222

Norris Dam State Park  
Rocky Top - 865-426-7461

Pinnacle Point Condo  
at Stardust Marina - 221  
Andersonville - 865-494-9761

Pinnacle Point Condo  
at Stardust Marina - 441  
Andersonville - 513-315-2609

Pinnacle Point Condo  
at Stardust Marina - 442  
Andersonville - 407-760-7149

Pinnacle Point Condo  
at Stardust Marina - 532  
Andersonville - 865-494-5424

Ross Retreat  
Andersonville - 865-494-0166

Sequoyah House  
Andersonville - 865-494-7984

The Black Pearl  
Andersonville - 850-381-3222

The House on Norris Lake  
Andersonville - 818-708-9832

The Loyston Lounge  
Andersonville - 850-381-3222

The Topsail Tavern  
Andersonville - 850-381-3222

## CABINS/HOUSES AT COAL CREEK OHV

Windrock B&B  
Oliver Springs - 865-776-5683

Windrock Lodge  
Oliver Springs - 865-244-7075

Windrock Park Cabins  
Oliver Springs - 865-435-1251

## CABINS/ HOUSES ON CLINCH RIVER

Clinch River House  
Rocky Top - 865-250-9361

Clinch River Lodge  
Rocky Top - 865-599-1115

## LODGING NEAR INTERSTATE 75 & MUSEUM OF APPALACHIA

Cabin on Cedar Ridge  
(Bed & Breakfast)  
Clinton - 865-494-3248

Rabbit Run Retreat  
Norris - 865-494-0455

Skunk Ridge Farms Bed & Breakfast  
Clinton - 865-494-0214