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VISITOR INFO

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Downtown Map, D2

Stop in for expert advice, free brochures & maps, and self-guided tours. Operating from the Athens Welcome Center, **Classic City Tours** provides guided tours by reservation, as well as podcast and audio tours. See map, p. 21 for coupon and tour schedule!

University Of Georgia Visitors Center

Four Towers Building, 405 College Station Rd., Athens, GA 30602
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Closed on Sundays, UGA holidays, & home football gamedays.
UGA Map, D6

Free guided tours daily; reservations strongly suggested.

LIVE MUSIC CENTRAL

Known worldwide as the birthplace of R.E.M, the B-52s, Widespread Panic, and the Drive by Truckers, Athens is still called home by hundreds of bands. You'll find plenty of live entertainment almost every night of the week, including singer-songwriters, rock, indie sounds, country, jazz, bluegrass, hip-hop, and rap.



Photo courtesy of Jason Thrasher



RETRO VIBES

Immerse yourself in Athens' music heritage with the **Athens Music Walking Tour**. You'll discover stories such as where Duke Ellington played in the early 20th century, how the Last Resort got its name and all the moves of the fabulous 40 Watt Club. You'll also find sites where famous music videos were filmed and album photography was shot, like the Murmur Trestle. Download the self-guided tour from VisitAthensGA.com/music-tour or pick up a copy at the Athens Welcome Center or the Athens Convention & Visitors Bureau (p. 4).

Don't miss the **UGA Special Collections** galleries for interactive exhibits, including broadcast media and music.

Seek out favorite and hard-to-find albums and local band tees at **Wuxtry Records**, where members of R.E.M. first met and going strong as "One of the South's Best Musical Landmarks" (*Southern Living*, March 2018.) You'll find more albums and music memorabilia at **Lo You Stuff** and **Atomic Athens**. Score some hot new threads along Clayton Street's boutiques and more vintage shops on Jackson Street.

TODAY'S HIT LIST

After a refreshing happy hour at one of Athens' breweries and delectable local flavors at dinner, you'll be fortified for an evening of live music. Check the performance calendars at VisitAthensGA.com/events/live-music or pick up a copy of the weekly *Flagpole*.

Start out at the earlier shows at **The Foundry** or **Hendershots**, or a special performance at **The Classic Center** or UGA's **Performing Arts Center**.

Stay out late with a national touring act, regional draw, or local favorite in Athens' acclaimed clubs such as:

- The Georgia Theatre
- 40 Watt Club
- Caledonia Lounge
- Nowhere Bar
- The World Famous
- Little Kings Shuffle Club
- Live Wire Athens



MUSIC FESTIVALS & EVENTS

SAMPLE THE SCENE!

JANUARY:
Athens MLK Day Parade and Music Fest

APRIL: Athens Twilight
UGA International Street Festival

JUNE-SEPTEMBER, MONTHLY:
Sunflower Music Series

JUNE: AthFest
Hot Corner Celebration
and Soul Food Festival

JULY:
Classic City American Music Festival
Sigh in July Music & Arts Fest

SEPTEMBER: Wildwood Revival
Terrapin RecFest

OCTOBER:
North Georgia Folk Festival
Wild Rumpus
Halloween in the Clubs

DECEMBER:
New Year's Eve special bookings

GET MORE!

Locate venues and download a music history walking tour VisitAthensGA.com/live-music

CRAFT BEER

Athens is becoming known around the Southeast as a beer destination, complete with great breweries and pubs. Spend happy hour at the source of good times and good beer, with a tour, tastings and live music.

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CREATURE COMFORTS
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Budo 4.9% Pilsner
Athena
Belmont
Classic

Terrapin Beer Co., Athens' first brewery, paved the way for other local breweries as Georgia's legislation became more friendly to the brewing industry. Terrapin's original Rye Pale Ale is still a best-seller, joined by plenty of other year-round offerings such as Hopsecutioner, an IPA with hints of pine and citrus flavors, plus special seasonal releases such as Pumpkinfest in the fall, Moo Hoo Chocolate Stout in winter and Watermelon Gose in the summer.

Creature Comforts Brewing Company's Tropicalia IPA and Athena beers have become a sensation, from their recent appearance in the new *Avengers: Endgame* movie. Known for its superior sours such as Athena, Creature Comforts also brews a full line of year-round and seasonal releases. An expanded tasting room and patio area sweeten the visitor experience.

Southern Brewing Company made its mark with a wild yeast program. Through a collaboration with the UGA Microbiology Department, Southern isolates wild yeast strains to use in their brews such as the Wild Azalea and Cherokee Rose. Fewer than 50 breweries in the United States are running a similar yeast program.

Akademia Brewing Company has brought craft beer to Athens' West Corridor, with an emphasis on food-beer pairings at the brewpub. Even the sauces are beer-based! Akademia specializes in sour beers, as well as serving traditional German styles with a flavorful twist.

Athentic Brewing Company is set to open in fall 2019 in the heart of Athens' Normaltown neighborhood. Athentic plans to focus on small batch handcrafted beers that are both unique and easy drinking. The centerpiece of the tasting room will be the self-serve beer wall with 12 taps of Athentic Beer allowing customers to pour by the ounce without standing in long lines.

HAPPY HOUR COCKTAILS



THE EXPAT Jerry Slater literally wrote the book on cocktails, *The Southern Foodways Alliance Guide to Cocktails*. Try his signature, with Maurin Quina, Junipero gin and a touch of Luxardo Maraschino liqueur. In Five Points. Named one of the South's Best New Bars by *Garden and Gun*.



THE WORLD FAMOUS This unassuming downtown spot does it all well: drink menu with alcoholic and non-alcoholic creations, tasty food and live music. Named one of *Esquire* magazine's "Best Bars in America."



THE GLOBE A downtown staple since 1989, The Globe is an Irish-style pub that's a welcoming spot for professors, students, professionals and visitors. Named one of *Esquire* magazine's "Best Bars in America."



THE OLD PAL The neighborhood bar in Normaltown offers seasonal cocktails, craft beers and Old World wines along with a well-rounded list of whiskey and amari. The Old Pal has been named one of the "South's Best Bars" by *Southern Living* magazine.

Classic City Beer Festival, each April, has been named one of the 25 Best Beer Festivals in the World by UpRoxx.

GET MORE!

Brewery tour schedules and special events
VisitAthensGA.com/craftbeer



DINING DISCOVERIES

Athens' chefs have been inspired by the town's creative energy to develop a happening food scene full of discoveries. It will take more than one Athens getaway to sample all of the delectable food & drink options, but there's no better time to get started.



BREAKFAST

Athenians take their coffee seriously, and you can head to the source by visiting **Jittery Joe's Coffee Roaster** on Barber Street or its several coffee shops around town. **1000 Faces Coffee** in downtown Athens also roasts its own beans onsite and supplies many of Athens' top restaurants. For those who like hearty fare to start the day, Athens delivers. Super-sized biscuits at **Mama's Boy** and omelet specials at **The Grit** are local favorites. Prefer a continental breakfast? Stop by **Independent Baking Company** in Five Points for hearth-baked breads and pastries, from scratch daily, or **Ike & Jane** in Normaltown for crazy-good donuts.



LUNCH

Athens insiders know to venture off the beaten path and into historic neighborhoods for lunch. **Pulaski Heights BBQ** smokes meats daily and prepares inventive sides from scratch including squash casserole, smoked cauliflower, and kimchi. Chef-owner Chuck Ramsey provides plenty of vegetarian, vegan, and gluten-free options. **White Tiger Gourmet** makes its home in a 100-plus-year-old former grocery store and serves fresh selections made from local and organic products. Specialty sandwiches include vegetarian ciabatta and pecan-wood-smoked pulled pork or chicken. Another favorite lunch spot is **Heirloom Café**. Housed in a former gas station, its mission is to create community, celebrate local farmers, and tell stories through food. Each of these spots is also open for dinner and has lovely patio seating. Finally, no visit to Athens is complete without checking out **Weaver D's**, whose slogan, Automatic for the People, became the title of one of R.E.M.'s best-selling albums (and still serves some pretty fine soul food, to boot!)



DINNER

At **Five & Ten**, Chef-Owner Hugh Acheson and Chef de Cuisine Telly Mazzio continue to serve new interpretations of Southern cuisine melded with French and Italian influences. Fans of James Beard Award-winner Acheson will also want to dine with other chefs—including the aforementioned Chuck Ramsey—who came up through the Five & Ten kitchen. Peter Dale has gone on to great success with **The National**, which celebrates southern Mediterranean cuisine through a southern U.S. lens. Dale has also opened **Maepole** and **Seabear Oyster Bar**, which offers a casual vibe and a menu of delectable oysters—plus surprising weekly specials such as Ramen Monday and Tiki Taco Tuesday. Shae and Ryan Sims fell in love while working at Five & Ten and have gone on to open **Donna Chang's**, a small neighborhood restaurant offering a casual-yet-refined take on Chinese-American fare. Mimi Maumus at **home.made** looks to her roots in New Orleans as well as her decades in Georgia for inspiration in dishes such as tomato pie, shrimp and grits, and New Orleans hot chicken.

GET MORE!

Find restaurant listings, menus, reviews, & specials
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SIGNATURE DISHES



CUBAN SANDWICH CALI N TITOS

@TheThirstyVenture says: "One of the best bites I have had in awhile... A MUST visit on your journey through this town. Where the locals go (it's been confirmed by locals I know). Pro Tip: CASH ONLY" (at the Lumpkin St. location)



GREEN TOMATO CRISP W/ GRITS ICE CREAM HOME.MADE

Chef-Owner Mimi Maumus has accomplished what may be the next frontier in southern cooking: creating a delectable dessert from everyone's favorite fried green tomatoes and grits! Y'all, this is not just a novelty item—it's soooo GOOD!



SWEET TREATS LIL' ICE CREAM DUDE'S COOL WORLD

15-year-old entrepreneur Beau Shell's dreams continue to come true! After starting a mobile ice cream biz when he was eight, he opened his first brick-and-mortar ice cream store in Eastside Athens in June 2019.



FROGMORE STEW FIVE & TEN

Chef-Owner Hugh Acheson came to national attention as a young chef when his take on a low country boil was published by *Food & Wine* magazine. The recipe still carries a 5-star user rating at foodandwine.com and remains on the Five & Ten menu.



OOEY GOOEY BISCUIT MAMA JEWEL'S

Fried chicken, brie cheese and jalapeno peach jelly on a true southern-style cathead biscuit. The overall taste is savory but the peach jelly gives it a bit of a kick.



POWER LUNCH THE NATIONAL

"Eat your veggies" never tasted so good. Even those who typically shy away from the veggie plate will savor the inspired preparation and combinations that change with the season.



SMOKED CAULIFLOWER PULASKI HEIGHTS BBQ

Chef-Owner Chuck Ramsey has built a following not only for his smoked meats, but also his sides, such as smoked cauliflower. A BBQ restaurant vegetarians flock to? It can happen!

48 HOURS IN ATHENS



DAY 1

LATE AFTERNOON: Unwind and de-stress. You're in Athens, and happy hour awaits! Head to one of Athens' **craft breweries** for a tour and tasting. Go up to the **Georgia Theatre** rooftop for an unbeatable view of downtown, or to the **Globe**, **Seabear** or **The Old Pal** for a top-notch craft cocktail. (p. 9)

DINNER: Indulge with choices from casual to refined fare. (p. 11)

EVENING: Experience Athens' renowned live music scene! (p. 6)

DAY 2

BREAKFAST: Savor fresh-roasted coffee at **1000 Faces** or **Jittery Joe's** coffee roasters, and enjoy a hearty breakfast at **Mama's Boy**, **Big City Bread** or **The Grit**.

MORNING EXPLORING: Head across Broad St. to UGA's historic **North Campus**, the birthplace of public higher education in America. Then, hit the trails at the **State Botanical Garden of Georgia** or the **Oconee Rivers Greenway**.

LUNCH: You can't go wrong with any of the #AthensGaEats choices.

AFTERNOON: Enjoy the galleries at the **Georgia Museum of Art**. Check out **Lyndon House Arts Center** for current art exhibits plus the **Ware-Lyndon** historic house museum. Browse through downtown Athens' vast collection of vintage stores, record shops and local boutiques.

EVENING: There's more good food, craft beer, and live music to be had! Or, take in a performance at **The Classic Center**, the **UGA Performing Arts Center** or by a local theatre company.

DAY 3

Venture just a few blocks from Downtown to discover:

FIVE POINTS: This Victorian neighborhood houses antique shops, **Avid Book Shop** and **Condor Chocolates**, an Ecuadorian bean-to-bar chocolatier.

BOULEVARD: Founded as a streetcar suburb in the late 19th century, this neighborhood's contemporary art is found within rustic exteriors. Avid Book Shop's first location is here, along with yummy restaurants.

NORMALTOWN: Named for the former State Normal School for teacher education, this neighborhood is experiencing a renaissance as home to UGA's Health Sciences campus, with amenities from coffee shops to cocktail bars.

Don't forget to grab a last, memorable meal and an authentic piece of Athens to take home with you, such as local artwork, UGA fan gear or a six-pack or growler of craft beer.

See VisitAthensGA.com/restaurants for full listings, menus and specials

ARTISTRY

Art is around every corner in Athens, from public art installations to the state's official art museum, from local galleries to shops filled with artisan fare, and from the bright lights of The Classic Center and UGA Performing Arts Center stages to several local theatre groups.

Explore the **Georgia Museum of Art's** permanent collection, with strengths in American painting and Southern decorative arts, plus exhibitions from around the world. Take time to visit the well-curated gift shop and stop for coffee at the cafe. Cross the plaza to the **Lamar Dodd School of Art** to see what UGA students and faculty are creating.

The large, airy galleries of the **Lyndon House Arts Center** are a revelation, nestled downtown behind one of Athens' historic house museums. Local and regional artist exhibitions are featured, in addition to a gallery shop stocked with works in a variety of media.

Find more galleries at:

- Ciné
- Heidi Hensley Art
- Hotel Indigo
- Howard's
- State Botanical Garden of Georgia
- Tate Student Center at UGA
- The Classic Center
- Tif Sigfrids Gallery

Head to the **Chase Street Warehouse District** for high-flying trapeze performance art at **Canopy Studio**. **Frog Stomp Studio**, a children's open art studio that nurtures creative play, is a family favorite (as are the

monthly Family Day Saturday programs at Georgia Museum of Art.) Nearby you'll find **ATHICA: Athens Institute for Contemporary Art**.

Athens performing arts are exceptional. Headliner entertainers, touring Broadway productions, and top comedians grace **The Classic Center Theatre** stage. **UGA's Performing Arts Center** showcases the finest music, dance, and theatre performers from around the world. Athens is also the proud home of several local theatre companies, including **Town and Gown Players, Rose of Athens, Athens Community Theatre**, and **Circle Ensemble Theatre Company**. Be sure to look up performance schedules for the dates of your visit to Athens!

GET MORE!

Evening tours and events are held at a half dozen galleries every Third Thursday.

Find current exhibit and performance schedules
VisitAthensGA.com/events

ART STOPS: ATHENS PUBLIC ART

ATHENA

Jean Westmacott's statue of the Greek goddess who guarded the city of Athens commemorates the 1996 Olympic games and is inscribed with the Athenian Oath.

ATHENS MURAL PROJECT

New murals are unveiled seemingly every day, both on commercial businesses and government buildings, even parking decks.

YOU, ME, & THE BUS

Athens' bus shelters are some of the coolest around, thanks to art competitions.

NEST

St. Louis artist Maureen Kelly's soaring sculpture, in The Classic Center Atrium, evokes Athens' textile heritage.

SERENGETI DREAMS

The eight-foot tall, three-sided animal-themed metal sculpture by famed local artist Harold Rittenberry, Jr., looks over Bear Hollow Wildlife Trail.

PROJECT GINKGO >>

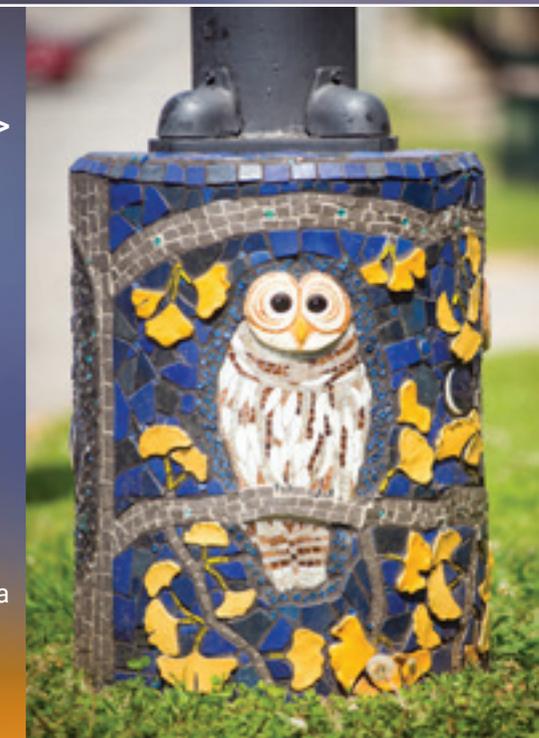
Kryisia Ara's intricate mosaics glitter at the bases of several downtown light poles.

FIRE UP THE HYDRANTS

Downtown hydrants are painted by award-winning local artists.

SPIRIT OF ATHENS

The lovely sculpture by William J. Thompson was dedicated in 1996 to commemorate the Atlanta Olympics torch run and events held in Athens.



GET MORE! Keep up with the latest public art installations at VisitAthensGA.com/publicart

Georgia Museum of Art

HOME & GARDEN

Cross over Broad Street in downtown Athens and venture back two centuries to the birthplace of public higher education in America, the University of Georgia. Get a glimpse into the lives and legacy of antebellum Athens as you tour historic house museums and their authentic gardens.

UGA Chapel

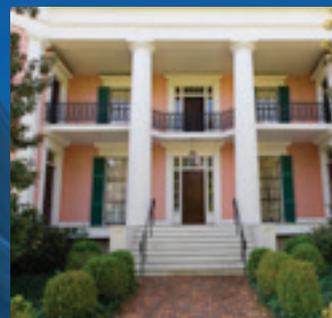
ATHENS HOUSE MUSEUMS



Church-Waddel-Brumby House (1820)



Taylor-Grady House (1844), a National Historic Landmark



T.R.R. Cobb House (1852)



Ware-Lyndon House (1856)

Athens' four **historic house museums** represent distinct architectural styles from different decades of the 19th century. Download a self-guided tour brochure, pick one up at the Athens Welcome Center or Convention & Visitors Bureau, or make a reservation for a guided tour with **Classic City Tours**. Choose the Athens Heritage Tour – a 90-minute driving tour of historic districts and landmarks – or the **Museum Mile** – a two-hour tour of all four antebellum interiors. Don't miss seeing the authentic period gardens at each house museum!

Take a stroll through historic **North Campus**, which is modeled after Yale University and is the setting of some of the oldest buildings in Athens, dating back to the start of classes in 1801.

Georgia's history comes to life at the **University of Georgia's Special Collections** building. Historic and cultural treasures are on display, including interactive exhibits, Georgia artifacts and even a full-sized replica of Senator Richard B. Russell's Washington office. Audiovisual displays include the Peabody Award collection and vintage town films.

ATHENS: BIRTHPLACE OF AMERICA'S FIRST GARDEN CLUB

Explore the gardens and five miles of trails at the 313-acre preserve of the **State Botanical Garden of Georgia**. A stunning tropical conservatory is surrounded by themed gardens showcasing native and international flora. The grounds also include the **Garden Club of Georgia State Headquarters** and the lovely **Day Chapel**. Bring your binoculars: the Garden is an Audubon-designated Important Bird Area. Grab a refreshment at the garden's cafe' and stop in one of Athens' best gift shops, featuring a wide range of local products, including honey made from the garden's bee hives.

Another must-see attraction for green thumbs is the **Trial Gardens at UGA**. See horticulturists in action as they determine the "best of the best" plants for our region's heat and humidity.

GET MORE!

Self-guided driving tours of historic sites and African-American heritage
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On the **UGA** bus route!



State Botanical Garden of Georgia
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Discover the Alice H. Richards Children's Garden, an outdoor classroom designed to educate children about Georgia's rich natural resources, its native plants and pollinators and delicate ecosystems, along with misting mushrooms, mastodon fossils, a pitcher plant bog and a canopy walk.



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SPORTS & REC

Athens more than doubles its population on home football weekends with a tailgate scene that can't be beat! UGA sports action goes on far beyond the gridiron, and, best of all, admission to many UGA sports events is FREE! Get in on the fun with a walk (or hike, or climb, or kayak) that's a bit off the beaten path.



Start out where it all began. **Herty Field**, on historic North Campus, is the site of early Bulldog football games played under Pop Warner in the 1890s. It's a far cry from **Sanford Stadium** just a few blocks away, which seats 92,746 fans and is the nation's tenth-largest stadium in the NCAA. Here on gameday? Enjoy Dawg Walk, approximately two hours before kickoff.

Recapture the best moments from UGA sports history at **Butts-Mehre Heritage Hall**, which features memorabilia and interactive displays. You'll see the 1980 national championship football trophy and Heisman trophies won by Frank Sinkwich and Herschel Walker, plus exhibits from the 1996 Atlanta Olympics sports held in Athens. UGA is also home to the ITF Men's Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame.

Cyclists will find new trails to love in Athens: The first sections of the rails-to-trail **Firefly Trail** have opened, with the trailhead right in downtown crossing over the Middle Oconee River. **Trail Creek Park** is the site of a new, professionally designed mountain bike trail. Don't feel like traveling with your bike? No worries! Stay at Graduate Athens or Hotel Indigo and borrow one of theirs! Or, get a rental from Hub Bicycles, which also offers no-drop rides each morning.

Sandy Creek Park surrounds the 260-acre Lake Chapman and features picnic sites, swimming, play-

grounds, fishing, dog runs, disc golf course and a 7-mile lakeside trail for hikers or adventurous joggers.

Continue your outdoor exploration at the **North Oconee River Greenway**, a linear park open sunrise to sunset for all types of non-motorized uses, including dogs on leashes. An added Greenway treat: Over 50 interpretive heritage markers are placed along a half-mile stretch by Dudley Park. Enjoy the beauty of the Middle Oconee River with a kayak trip from **Big Dogs on the River**, or put in your own kayak or canoe at **Ben Burton Park**.

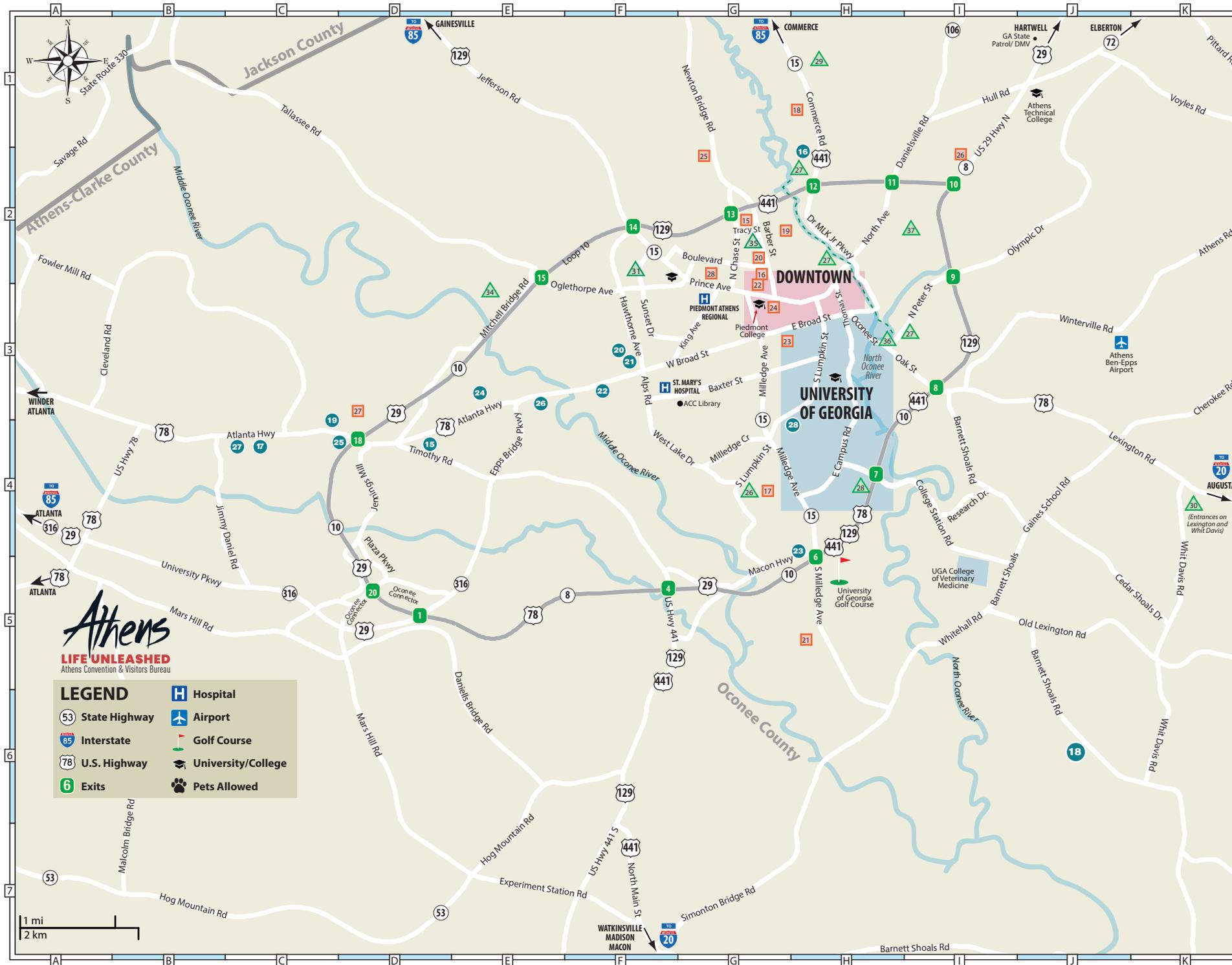
Golfers will want to play one the best campus golf courses in America, the Robert Trent Jones Sr.- designed **UGA Golf Course**.

TEAM SPORTS

Check out a Classic City Rollergirls or UGA ice hockey match. Stegeman Coliseum is home to the Gym Dogs as well as the UGA men's & women's basketball teams. The UGA soccer, softball and baseball teams all provide great action on the fields plus fun kid-friendly activities prior to and during games!

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UGA sports schedules
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LEGEND

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Airport	Golf Course
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Interstate	
U.S. Highway	
Exits	

ACCOMMODATIONS

- D4 15 Budget Host Inn 🐾
- H2 16 Bulldog Inn 🐾
- C4 17 Candlewood Suites 🐾
- J6 18 The Colonels Bed & Breakfast 🐾
- C3 19 Comfort Inn & Suites 🐾
- F3 20 Country Inn & Suites
- F3 21 Hampton Inn by Hilton
- F3 22 Howard Johnson
- H4 23 InTown Suites
- E3 24 Microtel 🐾
- C4 25 Perimeter Inn
- E3 26 Quality Inn
- B4 27 Sleep Inn & Suites 🐾
- H4 28 UGA Center for Continuing Education & Hotel

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- G2 15 Canopy Studio
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- G3 22 Taylor-Grady House
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- D4 27 Akademia Brewing Co.
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PARKS

- G4 26 Memorial Park, Bear Hollow Zoo, Fred Birchmore Trail
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- G2 35 Active Climbing
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- I2 37 Trail Creek Park

MISC.

- G3 🎓 Piedmont College
- J1 🎓 Athens Technical College
- F2 🎓 UGA Health Sciences Campus
- K3 🛫 Athens Ben Epps Airport
- G3 🏥 Piedmont Athens Regional
- F3 🏥 St. Mary's Hospital

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Circa 1820
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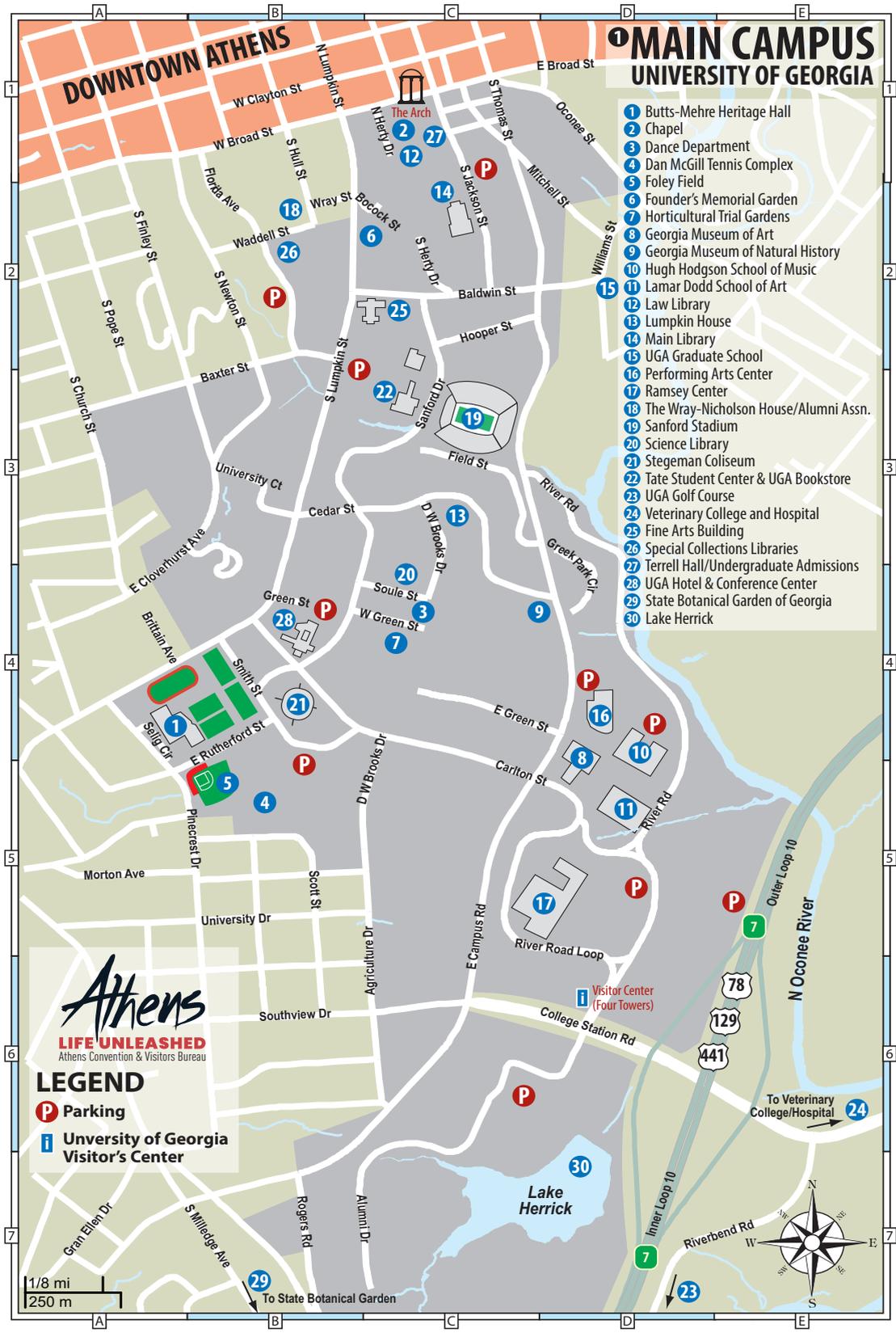
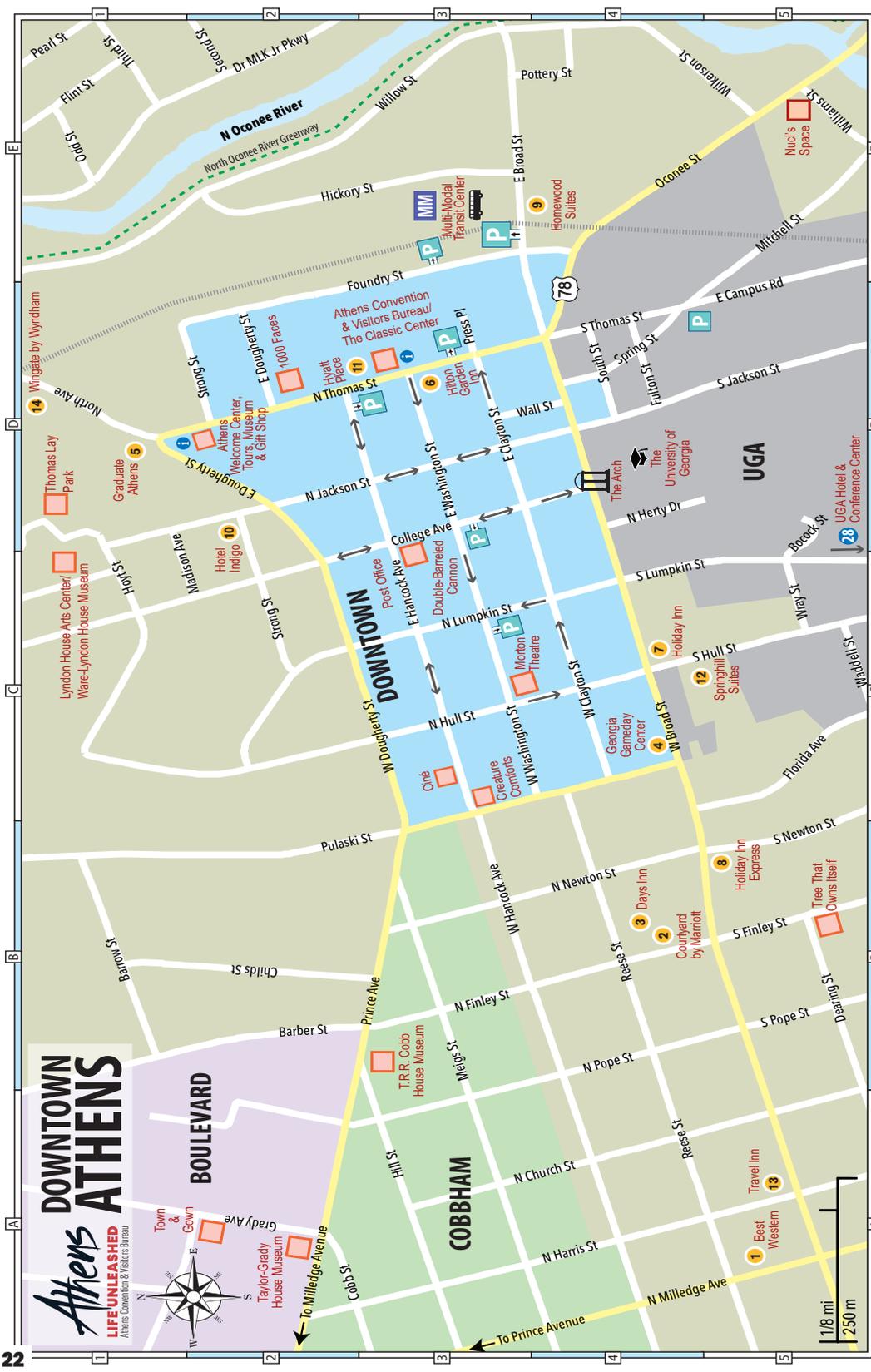
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Atl.com
- Groome Transportation** Airport Shuttle
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GroomeTransportation.com
- Mega Bus**
877-462-6342
MegaBus.com
- Southeastern Stages**
404-591-2750
SoutheasternStages.com
- WITHIN ATHENS:**
- Athens Transit System**
706-613-3430
AthensTransit.com
- Athens Transit Taxi**
706-543-5646
- HopOn Athens Shuttle**
706-389-8031
HopOnAthens.com
- Ride Share:**
Lyft & Uber

HOSPITALS & URGENT CARE

PIEDMONT ATHENS REGIONAL
Piedmont.org

- Piedmont Athens Regional**
1199 Prince Ave.
706-475-7000
- Piedmont Urgent Care**
485 Hwy. 29 N., Athens
706-353-9300
- Piedmont Urgent Care**
1010 Village Dr., Watkinsville
706-769-0000
- Piedmont Quick Care**
1270 Prince Ave., Ste. 202
706-475-1655
- ST. MARY'S HOSPITAL**
StMarysAthens.org
1230 Baxter St.
706-389-3000
- REDDY URGENT CARE**
ReddyUrgentCareCenters.com
- Reddy Urgent Care**
1061 Dowdy Rd., Ste. 102
706-621-7575
- Reddy Urgent Care**
4036 Lexington Rd.
706-621-7575

Map of Georgia: Shows major cities and distances: Chattanooga (110 miles to Knoxville), Greenville (80 miles to Greenville), Atlanta Metro (90 miles to Birmingham, 80 miles to Montgomery), Augusta (75 miles to Columbia), Savannah (90 miles to Jacksonville), Gainesville (30 miles to Jacksonville).

THE GUIDE

FUN, MUSIC, & MORE



Beverly "Guitar" Watkins at AthFest
Photo by Sophie Fernandez

VISITOR INFO & TOURS

ATHENS CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU

300 N. Thomas St., 1st floor of historic fire hall at The Classic Center
8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday
706-357-4430

VisitAthensGA.com

Downtown Map, **11**, D3

Plan your visit! Get expert local advice to make the most of your visit.

ATHENS WELCOME CENTER/ CLASSIC CITY TOURS

280 E. Dougherty St.
10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, noon-5 p.m. Sunday
706-353-1820

AthensWelcomeCenter.com

Downtown Map, **11**, D2

Make this your first stop for brochures, guided heritage tours, and a wide variety of self-guided tours and maps. Shuttle service also available.

UGA VISITORS CENTER

405 College Station Rd., UGA campus, 30602
706-542-0842

Visit.uga.edu

UGA Map, **11**, D6

Free guided campus tours daily.

ART: VISUAL ART

ATHICA: ATHENS INSTITUTE FOR CONTEMPORARY ART

675 Pulaski St., Ste 1200
706-850-7770

Athica.org

Area Map, **15**, G2

This non-profit institution presents innovative, contemporary art exhibits and events from regional, national, and international artists.

CINÉ

234 W. Hancock Ave.
706-353-3343

AthensCine.com

Downtown Map, C3

Catch an intriguing film, relax with

a cocktail from Ciné Bar and check out art in the exhibit space. Matinee Monday with \$1 popcorn and wine and beer specials.

GEORGIA MUSEUM OF ART

90 Carlton St., UGA Campus, 30602
706-542-4662

GeorgiaMuseum.org

UGA Map, **8**, D4

Browse the galleries of the state's official art museum for a range of visiting exhibits plus American paintings and Southern decorative arts. Café and museum store.

LAMAR DODD SCHOOL OF ART

270 River Rd., UGA Campus, 30602
706-542-1511

Art.uga.edu

UGA Map, **11**, D5

The galleries at UGA's art school host revolving shows of established and emerging contemporary artists.

LYNDON HOUSE ARTS CENTER

211 Hoyt St.
706-613-3623

accgov.com/LyndonHouse.

Downtown Map, C1

This community visual arts complex includes large airy galleries, a children's wing, artists' workshops, and the Visual Arts Guild of Athens gallery shop.

ART: GALLERIES & SHOPS

AGORA VINTAGE

233 E. Broad St.
706-255-2623

AgoraVintageShop.com

AURUM STUDIOS

125 E. Clayton St.
706-546-8826

AurumStudios.com

GALLERY AT THE CLASSIC CENTER

300 N. Thomas St.
706-208-0900

ClassicCenter.com

THE GALLERY @ HOTEL INDIGO

500 College Ave.
706-309-7263

IndigoAthens.com

HEIDI HENSLEY ART

355 Foundry St.
678-227-8837

HeidiHensleyArt.com

HOWARD'S, & TIF SIGFRIDS GALLERIES

119 N. Jackson St.
HowardsArtGallery.com

TifSigfrids.com

NATIVE AMERICA GALLERY

195 E. Clayton St.
706-543-8425

facebook.com/NativeAmericaGallery

R WOOD STUDIO CERAMICS

450 Georgia Dr.
706-613-8525

RWoodStudio.com

ART: CREATE-YOUR-OWN

ARTINI'S

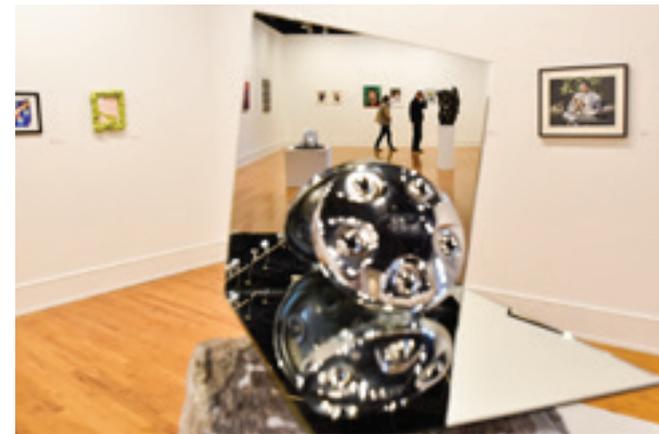
337 Prince Ave. (The Bottleworks)
706-353-8530

ArtinisArtLounge.com

FROG STOMP STUDIO

160 Tracy St, Unit 1-A
706-286-8449

FrogStompStudio.com



GOOD DIRT CLAY STUDIO

485 Macon Hwy.
706-358-3161

GoodDirt.net

ART: THEATRE & PERFORMING ARTS

CANOPY STUDIO

160 Tracy St., Ste. 6
706-549-8501

CanopyStudio.org

Area Map, **15**, G2

Watch aerial artists fly high during performances at this non-profit community art center.

CLASSIC CENTER THEATRE

300 N. Thomas St.
706-357-4444

ClassicCenter.com

Downtown Map, D3

2019-2020 performances include Alison Krauss, David Sedaris, A Bronx Tail, Escape to Margaritaville, Waitress, The Nutcracker, An American in Paris and more!

MORTON THEATRE

195 W. Washington St.
Tickets: 706-613-3771

Info: 706-613-3770

MortonTheatre.com

Downtown Map, C4

See a play or music performance at this restored African-American vaudeville theatre, opened in 1910 and listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

230 River Rd., UGA Campus, 30605
706-542-4400

Pac.uga.edu

UGA Map, **16**, D4

Catch innovative and cutting-edge performances from the world's best musicians and dancers in all genres, including classical, jazz, ballet and folk.

THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA DEPARTMENTAL PRODUCTIONS

Drama.uga.edu 706-542-4400

Dance.uga.edu 706-542-4415

Music.uga.edu 706-542-3737

Student and guest artist performances range from the classics to contemporary and original works.

ART: LOCAL THEATRE COMPANIES

ATHENS CREATIVE THEATRE

293 Gran Ellen Dr., 30606
706-613-3628

accgov.com/act

Area Map, **17**, G4

CIRCLE ENSEMBLE THEATRE

371 N. Church St., Winterville, 30683
706-362-2175

CircleEnsembleTheatre.com

ROSE OF ATHENS THEATRE

706-340-9181

RoseofAthens.org

TOWN AND GOWN PLAYERS

115 Grady Ave.
706-548-3854

TownandGownPlayers.org

Area Map, **16**, G2

BREWERIES

AKADEMIA BREWING COMPANY

150 Crane Dr., 30606
678-726-2288

AkademiaBC.com

Area Map, **27**, D4

ATHENTIC BREWING CO.

Coming Fall 2019
108 Park Ave.
706-206-2074

AthenticBrewing.com

Area Map, **28**, G2

CREATURE COMFORTS BREWING CO.

271 W. Hancock Ave.
706-410-1043

CreatureComfortsBeer.com

Downtown Map, C3

SOUTHERN BREWING CO.

231 Collins Industrial Boulevard
706-548-7183

SoBrewCo.com

Area Map, **26**, I2

TERRAPIN BEER CO.

265 Newton Bridge Rd., 30607
706-549-3377

TerrapinBeer.com

Area Map, **25**, G2

COFFEE ROASTERS

1000 FACES COFFEE

510 N. Thomas St.
706-534-8860

1000facescoffee.com

Downtown Map, D2

JITTERY JOE'S COFFEE ROASTER

425 Barber St.
706-227-2161

JitteryJoes.com

Area Map, **20**, G2

GARDENS

FOUNDERS MEMORIAL GARDEN

325 S. Lumpkin St., UGA Campus, 30602

https://gardclub.uga.edu/foundersgarden.html

UGA Map, **6**, C2

A trickling fountain, rare flora, winding walkways, and ornamental shrubbery are a grand memorial to the founders of America's first garden club.

STATE BOTANICAL GARDEN OF GEORGIA

2450 S. Milledge Ave., 30605
706-542-1244

BotGarden.uga.edu

Area Map, **21**, H5

Wander through five miles of trails, a tropical conservatory, and themed gardens. Audobon-noted birding area. Gift shop, Café, Day Chapel, and Garden Club of Georgia on site.

TRIAL GARDENS AT UGA

1030 W. Green St., across from the UGA Coliseum
706-583-0285

UGATrial.hort.uga.edu

UGA Map, **15**, B4

See horticulturists in action as they determine the "best of the best" plants for our region's high heat and humidity.

HERITAGE

ATHENS WELCOME CENTER/ CHURCH-WADDEL-BRUMBY HOUSE (1820)

280 E. Dougherty St.
706-353-1820

866-455-1820

AthensWelcomeCenter.com

Downtown Map, **11**, D2

This Federal-style house is believed to be Athens' oldest surviving residence. Its restoration in the 1960s and 1970s as a house museum and welcome center sparked Athens' historic preservation movement.

T.R.R. COBB HOUSE (1852)

175 Hill St.

706-369-3513

TRRCobbHouse.org

Downtown Map, B3

The home of this UGA graduate, Confederate general, and principal author of the Confederate Constitution was moved to Stone Mountain Park in 1985, then returned to Athens in 2005.

TAYLOR-GRADY HOUSE (1844)

634 Prince Ave.

706-549-8688

TaylorGradyHouse.com

Downtown Map, A2

This National Historic Landmark was the home of newspaper editor Henry W. Grady, who promoted the view of the New South after the Civil War.

UGA'S HISTORIC NORTH CAMPUS

Downtown Map, D4

Stroll through the original campus of the nation's first state-chartered university, highlighted by Greek Revival architecture, beautiful gardens, and stately trees. Self-guided and guided tours available at the UGA Visitors Center (p. 23).

UGA SPECIAL COLLECTIONS LIBRARIES

300 S. Hull Street,
UGA Campus, 30602

706-542-7123

libs.uga.edu/scl

UGA Map, **26**, B2

Historical and cultural treasures are revealed in a magnificent setting with interactive displays. Georgia, political, and Peabody Award broadcast media galleries.

All listings located in Athens, GA 30601 unless otherwise noted.



WARE-LYNDON HOUSE (1856)

211 Hoyt St.
706-613-3623
accgov.com/LyndonHouse
Downtown Map, C1
One of the few antebellum homes with Italianate elements remaining in the Athens area, this house museum is the centerpiece of the Lyndon House Arts Center.

LIVE MUSIC

(COMPLETE LIST at VisitAthensGA.com/live-music)

40 WATT CLUB

285 W. Washington St.
706-549-7871
40Watt.com

CALEDONIA LOUNGE

256 W. Clayton St.
706-549-5577
CaledoniaLounge.com

THE CLASSIC CENTER

300 N. Thomas St.
706-357-4444
ClassicCenter.com

THE FOUNDRY

295 E. Dougherty St.
706-549-7051
TheFoundryAthens.com

GEORGIA THEATRE

215 N. Lumpkin St.
706-850-7670
GeorgiaTheatre.com

HENDERSHOT'S

237 Prince Ave.
706-353-3050
HendershotsCoffee.com

LIVE WIRE ATHENS

227 W. Dougherty St.
706-543-8283
LiveWireAthens.com

NOWHERE BAR

240 N. Lumpkin Dr., 30606
706-546-4742
Facebook.com/NowhereBarAthens

THE WORLD FAMOUS

351 N. Hull St.
706-543-4002
Facebook.com/TheWorldFamousAthens

SPORTS: GOLF (PUBLIC & SEMI-PRIVATE)

ATHENS: UGA GOLF COURSE

2600 Riverbend Rd.
Athens
706-369-5739
Golfcourse.uga.edu
Area Map, H5, UGA Map 23

AREA: THE CHIMNEYS

338 Monroe Hwy.
Winder, 30680
770-307-4900

EAGLE GREENS SANDY CREEK

3100 Ila Rd.
Commerce, 30530
706-335-8100

THE GEORGIA CLUB

1050 Chancellors Dr.
Statham, 30666
770-725-8100

JENNINGS MILL

1150 Chambers Ct.,
Watkinsville, 30677
706-548-1852

LANE CREEK GOLF CLUB

1201 Club Dr.
Bishop, 30621
706-769-6699

SPORTS: PARKS & RECREATION

ACTIVE CLIMBING

665 Barber St.
706-354-0038
ActiveClimbing.com
Area Map, G2
This indoor rock climbing gym features state-of-the-art climbing walls and bouldering routes for all ages and experience levels, including professional.

BIG DOGS ON THE RIVER

2525 Atlanta Hwy., 30606
706-353-6002
BigDogsontheRiver.com
Take a one- to two-hour kayak trip down the Middle Oconee River, right here in Athens! Kayak rental, river trail service and picnic area.

BISHOP PARK

705 Sunset Dr., 30606
706-613-3589
accgov.com/bishop
Area Map, 31, F2
Athletic fields, pool, and site of the Athens Farmers Market on Saturdays April-December.

BUTTS-MEHRE HERITAGE HALL

1 Selig Circle,
UGA Campus, 30602
706-542-9036
georgiadogs.com/sports/
2017/6/16/butts-team.aspx
UGA Map, 1, B4
Bask in Georgia sports glory at this museum's Heisman and Olympic memorabilia with touchscreen displays and video highlights.

FIREFLY TRAIL

790 E. Broad St.
706-613-3801
accgov.com/firefly

MEMORIAL PARK & BEAR HOLLOW ZOO

293 Gran Ellen Dr., 30606
Park: 706-613-3580
accgov.com/memorial
Area Map, 26, G4
Explore rolling hills, a lake, picnic shelters, and playground area, plus a nature trail, dog park, and small zoo with Georgia's native wildlife.

LAKE HERRICK

110 Lake Herrick Dr., 30602
706-542-5060
UGA Map, 30, C7
Recently reopened with new walking trails and non-motorized watercraft, plus fishing.

NORTH OCONEE RIVER GREENWAY

706-613-3801
accgov.com/greenway
Area Map, 27, I3/H2
This linear park is open to all types of non-motorized uses, including dogs on leashes. Interpretive heritage markers near Dudley Park. Picnic and recreational areas.

OCONEE FOREST PARK

College Station and East Campus Rds., at UGA Intramural fields.
706-542-4287
Warnell.uga.edu/oconee-forest-park
Area Map, 28, H4
This UGA park features walking trails, a 1.2-mile mountain bike trail, and a 15-acre lake.

SANDY CREEK NATURE CENTER

205 Old Commerce Rd., 30607
706-613-3615
accgov.com/sandycreeknaturecenter
Area Map, 18, H1
Miles of trails run through 225 acres of woodland, fields, and wetlands. Interactive live animal exhibits and ADA-accessible trails.

SANDY CREEK PARK

400 Bob Holman Rd., 30607
706-613-3631
accgov.com/sandycreekpark
Area Map, 29, H1
Lake with seasonal canoe, kayak, and paddleboard rentals. Picnic sites, wooded trails, swimming, playgrounds, fishing, dog runs, disc golf, sports areas and rental facilities.

SOUTHEAST W CLARKE PARK

4440 Lexington Rd., 30605
706-613-3991
accgov.com/southeast
Area Map, 30, K4
On Site: Skate Park of Athens: The Tony Hawk-designed park welcomes BMX bikes and in-line skates. World of Wonder Community Playground (use Whit Davis Rd. entrance): almost two full acres of playscape mazes, slides, swings, bridges, tunnels, climbing wall, and enclosed toddler area, plus gardens and outdoor children's art.

TRAIL CREEK PARK

200 Trail Creek St., 30605
706-613-3991
accgov.com/trailcreek
Area Map, 37, I2
Splash pad, five miles of professionally designed mountain bike trails, playground, greenway and fields.

UGA ATHLETICS

GeorgiaDogs.com
Go online for sports schedules and tickets. Most UGA sports events are free!

The Birthplace Of Anesthesia
28 College St. • Jefferson, GA 30549
706.367.5307
www.crawfordlong.org



FAMILY FUN

ALICE H. RICHARDS CHILDREN'S GARDEN

Opened in March 2019 at the State Botanical Garden of Georgia, this garden encourages children to explore streams, dig for dinosaur bones, climb above the tree canopy and see how plants grow. For older children there are over five miles of trails to explore.

BEAR HOLLOW ZOO

This wildlife trail houses black bears, otters, bobcats, and several species of birds and reptiles. The wooded setting stays shady for comfort in the summer months. It's found at **Memorial Park**, which also includes a lake, picnic shelters, and expansive playgrounds. Best of all, it's free!

EAST ATHENS PARK

Kids of all ages will find something to enjoy here. The **World of Wonder** playground includes a three-story slide tower, two-story spinner, augmented

reality gameplay, and climbing rock wall, plus all the standard favorite equipment. **Athens Skate Park** is open for skateboarders, BMX bikes, and in-line skates. And wow, all are free!

SANDY CREEK NATURE CENTER

Interactive exhibits are a gateway to outdoor exploration of 225 acres of woodlands and wetlands, including four miles of trails plus an ADA interpretive trail. Admission is free and special events and programs such as planetarium shows are offered at a nominal charge.

INDOOR DELIGHTS

Check out **Active Climbing** for amazing climbing walls, or **Rush: Athens Trampoline Park** for an afternoon of fun. Accept the challenge of **Escape the Space**, Athens' escape room. Head to **Treehouse** or **Frog Stomp Studio** for creative fun.



ATHFEST

FEBRUARY 2020

Athens Wine Weekend, Jan. 31–Feb. 2

MARCH 2020

Hip Hop Awards, Mar. 29

APRIL 2020

UGA International Street Festival, Apr. 11

Plantapolooza! Apr. 11

Piedmont Gardeners Garden Tour, TBA

Athens Beer Week and
Classic City Brew Fest, TBA

Athens Twilight Criterium and
Americana Music Festival, TBA

G-Day Football Game, TBA

MAY 2020

Athens Human Rights Festival, TBA

JUNE 2020

Hot Corner Celebration, June 12-13

AthFest, June 26-28

JULY 2020

Classic City American Music Festival,
Typically the first Sunday

Independence Day Celebration, TBA

UGA Trial Garden Open House, TBA

SEASONAL

Athens and West Broad Farmers Markets,
April-December

Sunflower Music Series, June–September

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On Twitter: @VisitAthensGA
On Facebook: VisitAthensGA

Complete event calendar:
VisitAthensGA.com/events

SEPTEMBER 2019

LatinxFest, Sept. 28

RecFest, Sept. 28

Insectival, Sept. 28

Wildwood Revival, Sept. 27-29

OCTOBER 2019

Athens-to-Atlanta Road Skate, Oct. 6

North Georgia Folk Festival, Oct. 12

Halloween in the Clubs and
Wild Rumpus, Oct. 25-26 weekend

AthFest Fitness Expo
& Half Marathon, Oct. 26-27

DECEMBER 2019

Downtown Parade of Lights, Dec. 5

Museum Mile Holiday Home Tour, TBA

New Year's Eve, Dec. 31

JANUARY 2020

MLK Jr. Day Parade & Music Fest, Jan. 20

Call before you go! Event dates are subject to change.

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\$<\$79
 \$\$=\$79-\$109
 \$\$\$=\$110+

Complimentary Breakfast
 Wi-Fi
 Pool
 Exercise Facility
 Meeting Facility
 Suites
 Restaurant/Lounge
 Banquet Facility
 Pet Friendly

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America's Best Value Inn - 898 W. Broad St.	706-549-5400 / 800-578-7878	13	A5	\$	☕	📶	🏊										
Best Western Athens - 170 N. Milledge Ave.	706-546-7311 / 800-592-9401 bestwestern.com	1	A5	\$\$	☕	📶	🏊	🌳	📺	🛏	🛏						🐾
Courtyard by Marriott - 166 N. Finley St.	706-369-7000 / 800-321-2211 courtyard.com	2	B4	\$\$\$		📶	🏊	🌳	🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽				
Days Inn - 230 N. Finley St.	706-543-6511 / 800-329-7466 daysinnathens.com	3	B4	\$	☕	📶	🏊										
Georgia Gameday Center - 250 W. Broad St.	706-583-4500 stayatgameday.com	4	C4	\$\$\$		📶			🌳	📺	🛏	🛏					
Graduate Athens - 295 E. Dougherty St.	706-549-7020 graduateathens.com	5	D1	\$\$\$		📶	🏊	🌳	🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽	👤	🐾		
Hilton Garden Inn - 390 E. Washington St.	706-353-6800 / 877-STAYHGI hiltongardeninnathens.com	6	D3	\$\$\$		📶			🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽	👤			
Holiday Inn - 197 E. Broad St.	706-549-4433 / 888-465-4329 holidayinnathensga.com	7	C4	\$\$		📶	🏊	🌳	🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽	👤			
Holiday Inn Express - 513 W. Broad St.	706-546-8122 / 888-465-4329 hiexpressathensga.com	8	B5	\$\$	☕	📶	🏊	🌳	🌳	📺	🛏	🛏					
Homewood Suites - 750 E. Broad St.	706-548-3500 hwathens.homewoodsuitesbyhilton.com	9	E4	\$\$\$	☕	📶			🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽	👤	🐾		
Hotel Indigo - 500 College Ave.	706-546-0430 indigoathens.com	10	D2	\$\$\$		📶			🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽	👤	🐾		
Hyatt Place Athens Downtown - 412 N. Thomas St.	706-425-1800 hyattplaceathens.com	11	D3	\$\$\$	☕	📶			🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽	👤			
Springhill Suites by Marriott at UGA - 220 S. Hull St.	706-850-2072 marriott.com/ahse	12	C4	\$\$\$	☕	📶			🌳	📺	🛏	🛏	🍽				
Wingate by Wyndham - 255 North Ave.	706-995-4000 / 800-466-1589 wingatehotels.com	14	D1	\$\$	☕	📶	🏊	🌳	🌳	📺	🛏	🛏					🐾



ATHENS AREA HOTELS

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\$-<\$79
 \$\$=\$79-\$109
 \$\$\$=\$110+

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 Meeting Facility
 Suites
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 Banquet Facility
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Budget Host Inn - 3425 Atlanta Hwy.	706-549-0251 BudgetHost.com		D4	\$								
Bulldog Inn - 1225 Commerce Rd.	706-543-3611/877-635-1253 bulldoginn-athens.com		H2	\$								
Candlewood Suites - 156 Classic Rd.	706-548-9663/888-226-3539 candlewoodsuites.com/athensga		C4	\$\$								
The Colonels Bed & Breakfast - 3890 Barnett Shoals Rd.	706-559-9595 thecolonels.net		J6	\$\$\$								
Comfort Inn & Suites - 3980 Atlanta Hwy.	706-227-9700/800-4CHOICE choicehotels.com		C3	\$\$\$								
Country Inn & Suites - 236 Old Epps Bridge Rd.	706-612-9100, 800-830-5222 countryinns.com/athensga		F3	\$\$								
Hampton Inn by Hilton - 2220 W. Broad St.	706-548-9600 / 800-426-7866 hamptoninn.com		F3	\$\$\$								
Howard Johnson - 2465 W. Broad St.	706-548-1111 / 800-446-4656 www.hojo.com		F3	\$								
InTown Suites - 2044 S. Milledge Ave.	706-355-3121 / 800-553-9338 www.intownsuites.com		H4	\$						KITCHEN-ETTE		
Microtel Inn - 1050 Ultimate Dr.	706-389-4836 / 800-771-7171 microtelinn.com		E3	\$								
Perimeter Inn - 3791 Atlanta Hwy.	706-548-3000 / 800-934-2963 perimeterinn.com		C4	\$								
Quality Inn & Suites - 2715 Atlanta Hwy.	706-549-1530 / 800-237-8466 choicehotels.com/ga173		E3	\$\$								
Sleep Inn & Suites 109 Florence Dr.	706-850-1261 sleepinn.com		B4	\$\$								
UGA Center for Continuing Education & Hotel 1197 S. Lumpkin St. (Georgia Center)	706-542-2134 / 800-884-1381 hotel.uga.edu		H4	\$\$\$		campus access						



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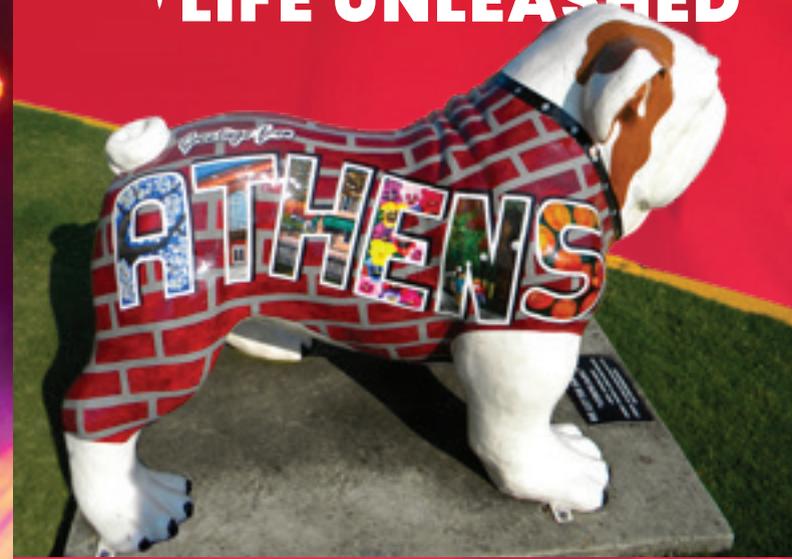
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