



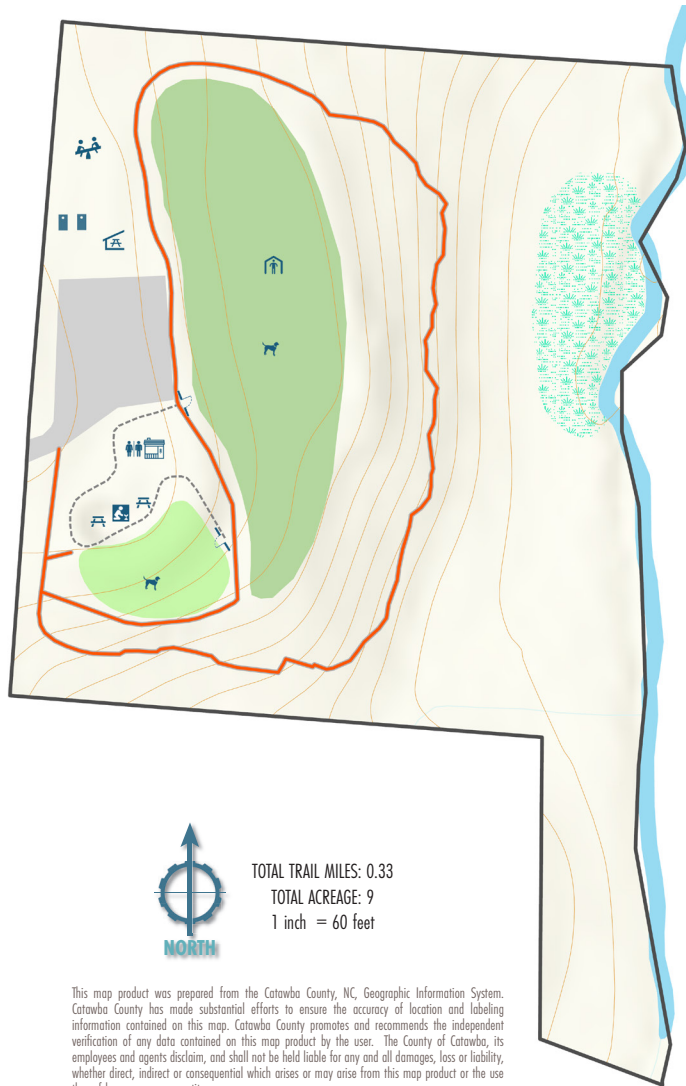
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CATAWBA COUNTY PARKS

ST. STEPHENS PARK

2247 36TH AVE NE | HICKORY NC 28613 | 828-256-9157

- Garden
- Gate
- Cornhole
- Park Office
- Picnic Shelter
- Picnic Table
- Playground
- Rest Rooms
- Weather Shelter
- Dog Park
- St. Stephens Park Boundary
- Large Dog Park
- Small Dog Park
- Parking
- Creeks
- Marsh Area
- 5' Contour Lines
- Existing Trail
- Literacy Trail



TOTAL TRAIL MILES: 0.33
TOTAL ACREAGE: 9
1 inch = 60 feet

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welcome to st. stephens park!

ST. STEPHENS PARK is located adjacent to the City of Hickory, the park design and natural features of this 9-acre park provide the visitor with a respite from the pressures of today's fast paced world. Enjoy your visit as you explore our:

- Hiking trails
- Picnic area/shelter with grills
- Wildlife habitat areas
- 1-acre off-leash dog park
- Leashed dog walking on trails
- Playground and Cornhole
- LITeracy Trail and Garden Walk

PARK HOURS

November - February 8AM-5PM
March and October 8AM-7PM
April - September 8AM-8PM
Closed Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve & Christmas Day

PARK RULES

Please observe our park rules to ensure your visit is safe and enjoyable. Thank you for helping us protect our natural heritage.

- **Camping and Fires:** Camping is not allowed. Fires are only allowed in grills.
- **Dogs:** Must have a valid rabies tag. Dogs outside the fenced dog park must be on leash.
- **Trash:** Please throw trash in proper receptacles located throughout the park.
- **Natural Resources:** The removal of any plant, animal or artifact is not allowed.
- **Children:** Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult.
- **Alcohol and Tobacco:** Tobacco use and the possession or drinking of alcoholic beverages is not allowed.
- **Guns and Fireworks:** Fireworks, firearms and all other weapons are not allowed. Carrying legally permitted concealed handguns in Catawba County Parks is allowed.
- **Motorized Vehicles:** Motorized bikes, golf carts, four wheelers and other off-road vehicles are not allowed.
- **Drones:** Not allowed.
- **Hunting and Trapping:** Not allowed. All Catawba County Parks are wildlife reserves.

PARK FACILITIES FEES

Open Shelter Reservation = \$20 per hour/ 2 hour minimum

**check out the back
for more info about
our entire park system!**

In case of emergency, call 828-256-9157

Visit us online at www.catawbacountyparks.org





catawba county PARKS SYSTEM

Plan to spend your next day trip or weekend adventure at Catawba County Parks! Wondering what to do when you get there? Here are just a few ideas:

- Hike to views from the county's highest peak at Bakers Mountain Park.
- Ride the 19.52 miles of mountain biking trails at Mountain Creek Park.
- Fish or kayak along the Catawba River shoreline at Riverbend Park.
- Give your dog a play-day at St. Stephens Park's urban oasis.

BAKERS MOUNTAIN PARK

6680 Bakers Mountain Rd.
Hickory, NC 28602
(828) 324-8461

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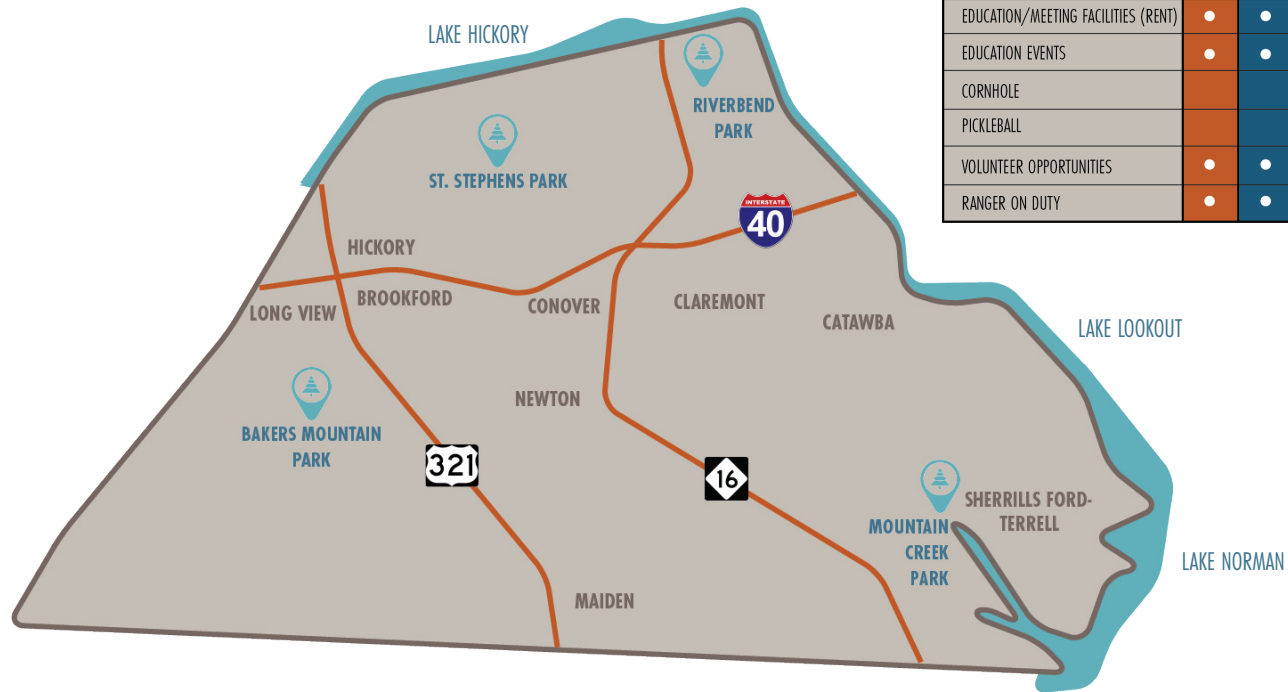
2247 36th Ave. NE
Hickory, NC 28601
(828) 256-9157

RIVERBEND PARK

6700 N NC Hwy 16
Conover, NC 28613
(828) 256-9157

MOUNTAIN CREEK PARK

6554 Little Mountain Rd.
Sherrills Ford, NC 28673
(828) 465-9645



activities & amenities	BAKERS MOUNTAIN	RIVERBEND	ST. STEPHENS	MOUNTAIN CREEK
ACREAGE	189	690	9	606
HIKING	•	•	•	•
MOUNTAIN BIKING		•		•
TRAIL RUNNING	•	•		•
FISHING		•		•
CANOEING/KAYAKING		•		•
DOG WALKING	•	•	•	•
DOG PARK		•	•	•
WILDLIFE/HABITAT OBSERVATION	•	•	•	•
WATERFRONT PIER		•		•
MOUNTAINTOP OBSERVATION DECK	•			
BIRDING	•	•	•	•
PICNICKING	•	•	•	•
PLAYGROUND			•	•
BUTTERFLY WALK	•	•		•
STORY WALK	•	•	•	•
EDUCATION/MEETING FACILITIES (RENT)	•	•	•	•
EDUCATION EVENTS	•	•	•	•
CORNHOLE			•	•
PICKLEBALL				•
VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES	•	•	•	•
RANGER ON DUTY	•	•	•	•

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