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1. Blue Ridge Parkway
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/blue-ridge-parkway
http://digital.ncdcr.gov/u?/p249901coll22,21692
2. Cape Hatteras Lighthouse
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/cape-hatteraslighthouse
Web: http://www.nps.gov/caha/index.htm
3. Cheerwine NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/culture/food/cheerwine
* Web: http://www.cheerwine.com/find
4. Mast General Store
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/country-stores
* Web: http://www.mastgeneralstore.com
5. Cape Fear River
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/river/cape-fear
6. Appalachian Trail
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/appalachian-trail
Web: http://www.nps.gov/appa/index.htm
7. Grandfather Mountain NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/grandfathermountain
8. Interstate 40
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/animals/sea-turtles
10. Biltmore House
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/biltmore-house
http://digital.ncdcr.gov/u?/p249901coll22,505870
11. Fontana Dam
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/fontana-dam
* Web: http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/nfsnc/home
12. Thomas Wolfe NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/thomas-wolfe
Web: http://www.nchistoricisites.org/wolfe/wolfe.html
13. Wright Brothers NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/aviation/wrightbrothers
* http://ncpedia.org/wright-brothers-national-memorial
Web: http://www.nps.gov/wrbr/index.htm
14. Pinehurst No. 2
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/golf
15. Charles Kuralt
16. Moravian Cookies
Web: http://www.visitnc.com/journeys/articles/famous-nc-flavors/1/moravian-treats-from-old-salem
17. Tweetsie Railroad
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/tweetsie-railroad
* Web: http://www.tweetsie.com
18. Linn Cove Viaduct
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/linn-cove-viaduct
19. Belk
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/belk
Web: http://digital.ncdcr.gov/u?/p249901coll22,451994
20. Daniel Boone
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/outdoor-dramas
Web: http://www.hornin newfound.com/home.htm
21. Pepsi
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/pepsi-cola
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/biography/blackbeardthepirate
Web: http://www.ncmaritimemuseums.com/beanfortune/kr
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/symbols/potterybirthplace
Web: http://www.discoverseagrove.com/24. Mount Olive Pickles The Our State Magazine 100 icons list provides plenty of information to find them!
25. Uwharries
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/uwharrie-nationalforest
Web: http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/nfsnc/home
26. Tobacco Barns
Web: http://www.hpo.ncdcr.gov/ctb/where.htm
27. Shagging
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/symbols/dances
28. Muscadine Wine
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/wine-and-winemaking
E-book: Making Muscadine Table Wine.
http://digital.ncdcr.gov/u?/p249901coll22,80027
Web: http://www.visitncwine.com/
29. Carolina Style
We don’t know of any specific guides to resources for this one. But, many burger places have Carolina burgers!
30. Battleship North Carolina
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/north-carolina-us
Web: http://www.battleshipnc.com/31. Sandhills
Web: http://www.visitnc.com/journeys/articles/pinehurst-the-sandhills-region
32. Norfolk Southern Railway
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/nctransportationmuseum
Web: http://www.nchistoricisites.org/spencer/spencer.htm
33. Neese’s Sausage
Web: http://www.neesesausage.com/
34. Krispy Kreme
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/krispy-kreme
Web: http://locations.krispykreme.com/
35. Intracoastal Waterway
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/intracoastalwaterway
36. Asheville
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/geography/asheville
Web: http://www.exploreasheville.com/
37. Barrier Islands NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/outerbanks
http://www.orto.com/
http://www.nps.gov/ora/index.htm
39. Hanes NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/hanesbrands
40. N.C. Zoo NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/north-carolina-zoo
41. Lake Mattamuskeet
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/lakes/lakemattamuskeet
Web: http://www.fws.gov/mattamuskeet
42. Mt. Mitchell
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/mount-mitchell
Web: http://www.nps.gov/appa/planyourvisit/fora/index.php
43. The Presidents NCPedia: http://ncpedia.org/category/presidents
44. Bull Durham
Web: http://www.imdb.com/title/tt0094812/
45. Andy Griffith
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/andy-griffith
Web: http://rppreus.com/
47. Furniture
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/furniture
Web:
Podcast: http://ncmuseumofhistory.org/collateral/Podcasts/BehindTheVenerem.podcasts
48. Wachovia
NCpedia: http://ncpedia.org/wachovia
Web: http://www.BethabaraPark.org