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ROANOKE CANAL MUSEUM, housed in one of the area's first power stations built at the canal locks, pays homage to our country's transportation, power and individual history. The nine-mile canal was constructed in the early 1800's to safely move goods around the rapids to our seaports. Come view the old canal structures as the remnants of the power canal bulkhead, stone culvert and phenomenal aqueduct, spans a 35-foot expanse over Chockoyotte Creek.



HISTORIC HALIFAX ~ BIRTHPLACE OF INDEPENDENCE - On April 12, 1776 during the fourth Provincial Congress, the first official action by an entire colony was taken, the Halifax Resolves was signed, recommending independence from England. That act is memorialized at the site, as well as the colonial and revolutionary history of this once bustling port town. Experience living history demonstrations, including quilting, chair caning, butter churning, tating, colonial toys and more.



HISTORICAL CHURCHES - From Whitaker's Chapel - 1740, where the interior displays the original pulpit furniture, organ and kerosene light fixtures, to Old Trinity Episcopal Church - 1854, a Gothic Revival brick building built by slaves, to the 1870's Churches Kehukee Primitive Baptist Church, Grace Episcopal Church and St. Alban's Episcopal Church.

Other churches include the Church of the Immaculate Conception ~ a spirited rendition of the Gothic Architectural style of Edwin Durang and All Saints Episcopal Church with an engagingly simple design developed by Hoburt Upjohn, renowned New York architect, constructed of wood shingles.



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Music comes alive on I-95! Don't miss North Carolina's newest entertainment experience. Carolina Crossroads, with an anchor 1500-seat state-of-the-art theater and outdoor concert venue, offers a consistent program of diverse musical entertainment at the theater venue and special outdoor concerts.

The stars come out at The Roanoke Rapids Theatre. The new music venue is located in the Carolina Crossroads Music & Entertainment District on I-95! Jerusalem Ridge, The Roanoke Rapids Theatre house band, performs regularly, and a diverse entertainment schedule is planned for 2008.



You can't miss us ~ The Roanoke Rapids Theatre is located directly off of I-95 at exit 171, Roanoke Rapids, NC. For more information and packages contact Janis O'Neill at 1-252-536-5700.



The Theatre is a 1,500-seat venue, and with its beautiful décor, you feel right at home. The production utilizes state-of-the-art sound and video and new lighting technologies not found in any other theatre in the United States.



The Roanoke Rapids Theatre offers discount rates for groups of 20 or more. Other services: Step-on Greeting, Motorcoach Parking, Marketing Collateral, Dinner Packages. The group sales department will also help you with other great attractions and restaurants in the area. Cater a lunch or dinner at the Theatre before the show in the VIP room.

COMING SOON ~ Top-quality accommodations and meeting space are available onsite with a 147-room Hilton Garden Inn. Soon to be under construction are shopping, amusements, dining and fun for the whole family. From a full vacation to an overnight stay to a simple stop along the way, make Carolina Crossroads your next travel destination.



SYLVAN HEIGHT'S WATERFOWL PARK & ECO-CENTER is the world's largest waterfowl preserve. Sylvan is home to more than 3,000 birds and more than 170 species from every continent on the globe. You'll want to take your time and really listen to the calls of the wild from some of the most unusual birds like the Kookaburras, Argus, Macaws, Whistling Duck and Swans. Sylvan truly offers fun for the entire group.

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