

## Arts, Culture & Entertainment



**The Hartsville Museum** -- Located at Fifth Street and Home Avenue, the Hartsville Museum and the Sculpture Courtyard anchor downtown Hartsville's cultural plaza. Housed in a 1930s Post Office building, the museum has retained many of the historic structure's unique characteristics. The original skylight has been retrofitted with stained glass panels depicting flora and fauna significant to the area. The Sculpture Courtyard, added in 2000, features multiple types of sculpture.

In addition, museum tours can be scheduled for groups of all ages and interests, including students, senior citizens and church groups. Hands-on tours are offered for children focusing on Native Americans, Cotton and the Early 20th Century Kitchen. General and special tours are scheduled at least 2 weeks in advance and limited to 25 persons per tour.

The museum has no admission charge.

Website: [www.hartsvillemuseum.org](http://www.hartsvillemuseum.org)

Phone: 843-383-3005



**Black Creek Arts Council** -- The Black Creek Arts Council seeks to promote arts in Darlington County through education, programming, funding and more. The Council offers a variety of arts classes and produces numerous arts-based events and festivals.

**Location:** 116 W. College Ave.

**Website:** [www.blackcreekarts.org](http://www.blackcreekarts.org)

**Phone:** 843.332.6234



## Center Theater -- Past and Present

The **Center Theater** is at 212 N Fifth St. and was constructed in 1936. The theater contains 867 seats, almost 200 of which are in the balcony. The building has historically been known as "Building A" or the "Community Center Theater", as it was constructed as part of a project including two other buildings on the block. Initially used as a motion picture theater, the facility was later modified to accommodate performance arts. Center Theater has hosted several famous artists, including Loretta Lynn (twice) and Johnny Cash. It is one of the Pee Dee Regions premier performing arts facilities, featuring a wide array of theatrical productions, musicals, comedies, and entertaining children's theater performances.

## Boatwright Coker Performing Arts Center



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The Elizabeth Boatwright Coker Performing Arts Center opened for classes in 1997 at a cost of \$6.5 million. The 40,000 square foot Center has forever changed the cultural and educational landscape of Coker College and South Carolina by providing an unmatched facility for the visual, performing and media arts benefits students and audiences alike.