

Floyd Country Store & County Sales

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The Floyd Country Store is renowned as a place to experience authentic Appalachian music, and is home to a group of musicians, flatfoot dancers, and cloggers who are carrying on the tradition of their families who'd pass the time playing music and dancing together. Everywhere they could these folks would gather with their friends and families from their front porch to the neighbor's kitchen. In the 1980's Folks in Floyd took to coming out to the General Store and began the Friday Night Jamboree tradition that continues today.

The Floyd Country Store served the community through most of the twentieth century. Although its origins are lost in obscurity it is known that in June 1910 a business called Farmer's Supply opened its doors in the building and the store has remained open ever since.

Under a series of owners the store continued to operate as a hardware store and a general store until the late 1990's when changes in the way people shopped made it hard for local businesses to keep

going. Nevertheless, the store remained open for one evening a week, for the now famous Friday Night Jamboree. A restoration of the store in 2007 revitalized the business and now the retail store and cafe are back in full swing.

The store is now acknowledged far and wide as a haven for traditional musicians and dancers. In 2007, with the establishment of The Crooked Road, Virginia's Heritage Music Trail, The Floyd Country Store became part of the mission to honor and preserve the extraordinary music of the Appalachian region.

The store continues to be a community gathering spot, hosting a variety of music events, films, parties, classes, presentations and lots of informal gatherings of friends. Everyone is welcome to relax and participate in this community.

County Sales carries the world's largest selection of bluegrass, old time, and early country music recordings. Established in 1965, County Sales has long been the first choice for musicians and fans alike, whether shopping for classic recordings or the latest new releases. Located in beautiful downtown Floyd, VA, the store moved in 2019 from its original location on Talley's Alley to a more accessible main street location – directly across from the Floyd Country Store. Customers can now visit the store in-person or browse the extensive inventory online at countysales.com.



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Other Heritage Sites to Visit

Floyd Center for the Arts

220 Parkway Ln. S, Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 745-2784 | www.floydartcenter.org

Chateau Morrisette Winery

291 Winery Rd. SW, Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 593-2865 | www.thedogs.com

Where to Stay

Hotel Floyd

300 Rick Lewis Way, Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 745-6080

Stonewall Bed & Breakfast

102 Wendi Pate Trail SE, Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 745-2861

Oak Haven Lodge

323 Webbs Mill Rd. N #3681, Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 745-5716

Chantilly Farm Camping and RV Park

2697 Franklin Pike SE, Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 808-4984 | www.chantillyfarm.com

Outdoor Recreation Opportunities

Rocky Knob Recreational Area

1670 Blue Ridge Pkwy., Floyd, VA 24091 (877) 444-6777

Buffalo Mountain Natural Area Preserve

890 Moles Rd. SW, Willis, VA 24380 (540) 265-5234

Where to Dine

The Floyd Country Store Café & Soda Fountain

206 South Locust St., Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 745-4563

Dogtown Roadhouse

302 S Locust St., Floyd, VA 24091 (540) 745-6836 | www.dogtownroadhouse.com

Mickey G's Bistro

113 Parkview Rd. NE, Floyd, VA 24091-3809 (540) 745-2208