



# Southern Campaigns of the American Revolution [www.southerncampaign.org](http://www.southerncampaign.org)

## Cornwallis's Retreat from Charlotte "The Long Retreat" Home Page

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Saturday, 19 Nov 2011 9:00am - 4:00pm, Driving Tour of Cornwallis's Retreat from Charlotte, 1780 - The Long Retreat"

Meet us at Rush Pavilion, Anne Springs Close Greenway, 1300 N. Hwy 21 Bypass, Fort Mill, SC. The Long Retreat is a free event and will trace the route and visit the actual local sites involved with Lord Cornwallis's and the British Army's retreat from Charlotte . This will be a very informative event. This event is sponsored by the [Southern Campaigns of the American Revolution](http://www.southerncampaign.org).

### **Tour Announcement: Please read and share with others.**

- [Announcement, "The Long Retreat"](#)

### **Required documents. Please print these documents and bring them with you.**

- [Agenda](#) (4 pages)
- Driving Instructions: [directions](#) (2 pages), [times](#) (1 page), [Google trip map](#) (4 pages)
- [Sites of Interest "Along the Way"](#) (2 pages)

### **Handouts. Please print these, total 14 pages, to help defray printing costs.**

- Cornwallis's Retreat [Timeline](#)
- [British commanders](#)
- British and American march route on [modern map](#)
- [Spratt-Nation Ford Marker](#), from Michael C. Scoggins
- "[Kanawha](#)", a report about Thomas "Kanawha" Spratt by Michael C. Scoggins.
- "[The Old Catawba Forts](#)" by Michael C. Scoggins
- British march map segment from [William Faden's 1787 map](#)
- [William Richardson Davie epitaph](#)

### **Supplemental documents. Read online or print.**

- [William Faden 1787 map](#) with [documentation](#) by Michael C. Scoggins.
- Description of Cornwallis at Thomas Spratt's house, "[A Carolina Women of the Revolution: Susannah Smart](#)" (7 pages)
- "[Cornwallis in York County](#)" newspaper article by Louise Pettus (1 page)

- [“Peter Harris, Catawba Indian”](#) buried in Spratt Family Cemetery, newspaper article by Louise Pettus (2 pages)
- Report [“Cornwallis’s Retreat from Charlotte”](#) original sources chronologically ordered into a “Who What When Why” timeline. (16 pages)
- [Interactive map of Cornwallis’s Retreat](#) (1 page)
- Pension Applications:
  - [Michael McLeary](#), reference to British backtrack, hanged soldier, Land’s Ford
  - [Samuel Walkup](#), reference to Land’s Ford
  - [Robert Wilson Junior](#), reference to house of Robert Wilson Senior