

# THE Woodlands AT FURMAN

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## **The Woodlands at Furman Goes on the Road**

GREENVILLE – The Woodlands at Furman staff will be visiting cities throughout South Carolina next week to meet with potential residents.

These road shows are one way that The Woodlands at Furman is spreading the word about life at this 22-acre community in northern Greenville County. Woodlands staff will be at The Westin Hilton Head Island Resort and Spa on Sept. 14 at 5:30 p.m., The Magnolias Restaurant in Charleston on Sept. 15 at 9:30 a.m. and the Columbia Country Club in Blythewood on Sept. 16 at 11:30 a.m.

These events are invitation only, but we are extending an inside look to members of the media to learn more about retirement living in South Carolina.

The Woodlands at Furman is a non-profit, mission driven Life Care retirement community owned and operated by a local board of directors and managed professionally by Greystone Communities. The 22-acre campus, adjacent to Furman University, opened in March 2009 and consists of 132 apartment homes in addition to The Arboretum, a separate, but attached section of the Woodlands, opened in June 2009. The Arboretum includes 32 assisted living apartments, 16 memory support suites and 30 skilled nursing suites. Residents enjoy a wide range of amenities - enabling them to continue an active and engaged lifestyle.

The Woodlands added Masterpiece Living in May. Masterpiece Living assists visionary communities who are already leading the industry with their wellness commitment, to become places where residents and staff alike seek to better themselves. Residents in Masterpiece Living communities are enriched by opportunities afforded through an integrated approach to lifestyle

enhancement. Staff members aren't merely employees; they are facilitators of a research-based process that, while producing measurable positive results in residents, also provides a new level of job satisfaction and an awareness of what they must do to age successfully.

The program is keyed on the idea that successful aging is about more than comfort and security. It is about self esteem, confidence and continued growth. It focuses on attaining measurable goals that look at health, social interaction, spiritual well-being and learning.

The Woodlands offers numerous activities each week ranging from group trips exploring the nearby mountains and towns to direct access to Furman University and the Swamp Rabbit Trail to exercise programs and swimming to movie nights. Woodlands residents also enjoy complimentary use of the Furman golf course and physical activities center.

Learn more at [www.thewoodlandsatfurman.org](http://www.thewoodlandsatfurman.org).