

# Statewide Survey of Historic Properties

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## SURVEY FORM

### Identification

Historic Name: Country Club of Spartanburg  
Common Name: Country Club of Spartanburg  
Address/Location: 2500 Country Club Rd  
City: Spartanburg ✓ Vicinity of County: Spartanburg  
Ownership: Private Category: Site Other:  
Historical Use: Recreation/ Culture  
Current Use: Recreation/ Culture  
SHPO National Register Determination of Eligibility: Not Eligible

### Property Description

Construction Date: 1963 Construction: Masonry Other:  
Historic Core Shape: Irregular Exterior Walls: Brick  
Other: Foundation: Not visible  
Commercial Form: Roof Shape: Other various  
Other: Roof Material: Composition shingle  
Stories: Other Porch Shape: Pedimented gable  
Other: various Porch Width:

#### Description/Significant Features:

The Country Club of Spartanburg is a sprawling masonry/brick complex. The building features a variety of gable roof forms and pedimented porticos. The building has undergone numerous renovations and likely retains little original material.

Alterations (include date(s), if known):

significant number of material alterations and additions hide remaining elements of 1929 building; columned porte cochere not original, but inspired by original one

Architect(s)/Builder(s):

J. Thomas Hollis, Spartanburg

## **Historical Information**

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The Club opened in 1910 on the Spartanburg-Glendale trolley line. Originally had nine hole golf course, but added second nine in 1928. First clubhouse was a modest, Craftsman-style, one-story building, replaced by a larger, brick, Colonial Revival-style building in 1929 after a fire. Was in turn reworked in an apparently minor fashion in 1937. Greatly enlarged and altered in 1963. Little known about J. Thomas Hollis, who did not include commissions in AIA historical directories. Known to have designed modernist, no-longer-extant Spartanburg Public Library in 1961.

Source(s) of Information:

Spartanburg Herald, February 25, 1965; March 20, 2002  
South Carolina Librarian, Vol. 6, No. 1 (October 1961)

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