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I think this is our first Ultimate Outsiders with the ranger crew selfie! Congrats to Claudia & Scott from Wellford, SC, who both completed their journey to all 47 SC State Parks at Croft State Park -- with all of the rangers congratulating them! Looks like they had a lot of fun along the way. When are you going to start YOUR journey? <https://southcarolinaparks.com/ultimate-outsider>



**Joan Benkert Mitchell** Congratulations Claudia and Scott!!!

at 15:17:27 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**Claudia Crowe Martin** Thanx Joan ☺

at 17:36:59 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**Terri Young** Congratulations Claudia! Looking good girlfriend!

at 17:42:13 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**Claudia Crowe Martin** Thank you T E R R I ☺

at 17:43:21 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**Susan Goering** South Carolina State Parks - can you have each Ultimate Outsider include which State Park was their favorite, and why. ?

at 18:55:17 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**Russ Poole** Half way there. Visiting 4 more this week.

at 20:40:30 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**Ann Peeler** Congratulations!

at 22:10:01 on 10/13/2018 UTC



**John Turner** Do you have to camp at least one night or just run around and get stamped in a week or two.

at 0:04:40 on 10/14/2018 UTC



**Russ Poole** Just visit the park or historical site.

at 0:21:57 on 10/14/2018 UTC



**John Turner** Russ Poole thanks

at 0:23:16 on 10/14/2018 UTC



**Melody Gabriel** Congratulations! That is awesome! Love you!

at 13:21:23 on 10/15/2018 UTC



**Peter Bendal Kear** I'm not sure anyone would be up for that road trip all done in one week. All you have to do is get the stamp and not even from a park ranger there is a kiosk with the stamps. We did a few parks that way but we had been to them before. Part of the journey is actually visiting the park for a bit. Doing it in a rush just for the t-shirt and picture posted here without the experience is truthfully a waste.

at 17:13:26 on 10/15/2018 UTC



**Peter Bendal Kear** See that's just it. The wife and I did this a couple years ago. We have a few "favorite" parks based on what we choose to do. For example we love Hunting Island for the beach and fishing, Table rock, for the camping and scenery, Saddler's Creek was nice for the relaxing camping and sunset view but that was very campsite dependent, and I was a recent instructor at a fishing clinic at Santee which I have decided is going to be my favorite place to hold them once I can arrange it. This is only a partial list and not every park is good for every activity and need. For example I don't think we will ever have a reason to go back to the two parks known for the golf courses and H. Cooper Black has no interest for us. That said we try to visit Landsford Canal when the lillies are blooming every year but I also would not call it a favorite just like Woods Bay warrants a visit when we are in the area especially during a season we have not been due to the ever changing nature of the environment and yet is also not a "favorite".

at 17:26:52 on 10/15/2018 UTC



**Susan Goering** Peter Bendal Kear - thanks! Good answer, good input ☺

at 17:29:09 on 10/15/2018 UTC



**John Turner** Peter Bendal Kear i agree. Wished I had my camper back.

at 10:49:24 on 10/18/2018 UTC



**Russ Poole** Peter Bendal Kear we are visiting 3-4 parks a trip. The further they are from our home the harder it is to plan a day trip. Yesterday we left home and went through the county to visit Aiken, Barnwell, Santee and Poinsett. I took 9 hours to do the round trip. We stood beside a river, lunched beside a lake and sat beside an old mill pond. This journey has us on roads and in towns we would never have visited otherwise

at 11:36:50 on 10/18/2018 UTC



**Peter Bendal Kear** Russ Poole we did sections as well but we camped then drove to the other parks. It is not a trip one should take with the mindset of getting them all done quickly just to do it though.

at 14:53:47 on 10/18/2018 UTC



**John Turner** Peter Bendal Kear

at 15:14:39 on 10/18/2018 UTC



**John Turner** I might buy another camper and do this myself.

at 15:15:21 on 10/18/2018 UTC



**Russ Poole** We have driven through all of the campgrounds to check them out. Loved Santee but thought Poinsett was in need of a lot of work. Not all of the 47 locations have campgrounds. Another reason we are enjoying this adventure is because my wife's father was in The CCC (Civilian Conservation Corp) during the Great Depression. A lot of our parks were built by these men.

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