



# CHARLESTON CLASSIC

Presented by ESPN Events

# TOP TEN REASONS TO BOOK YOUR TRIP TO THE TOURNEY!

12th Annual Charleston Classic Basketball Tournament  
TD Arena, Historic Charleston, Nov. 21, 22 & 24, 2019

## 1 Style Points!

Each year, readers of *Conde Nast Traveler* and *Travel + Leisure* magazines vote Charleston as a top travel destination! #1 City in US for 7th year (T+ L) and #1 Small US City (CNT) for 8th! [Charleston Kudos](#)



## 2 Cuisine/Spirits

Our celebrated dining scene includes over 345 establishments on the Peninsula alone. Wineries, alcohol distilleries and over 27 breweries make up the local spirit tour scene. [Dining & Spirits](#)



## 3 Easy Travel

Charleston International Airport is just 10 miles from TD Arena with 120 daily non-stop flights to 25 cities including Miami, Boston, Baltimore, Philadelphia and Cincinnati. Easy interstate highway access includes I-95, I-17 and I-26. [CHS Flights](#)

## 4 Climate

Semi-tropical weather with a Nov 2017 forecast of daily highs up to 72' and night temps never below 54'. Visit five coastal beach areas, only 20 min. drive from Peninsula. [Area Beaches](#)



## 5 Attractions

Countless opportunities to explore architecture, plantations and history. Between games, take an easy stroll along picturesque streets and alleys. [History Loves Company](#)

## 6 Hotels

Over 90 area hotels including B&Bs and Inns sprinkled throughout the Peninsula. All price points within 20-min. drive from weekend 'Hoops' action. [Hotels](#)



## 7 Shopping

Charleston historic district includes boutiques, galleries, and an open-air market. A Farmer's Market is one block from TD Arena in Marion Square and open on Sat, Nov 23, 8am-2pm. [Shopping](#)



## 8 State-of-the-Art Arena

The TD Arena is a 5,000-seat facility, located in the heart of Charleston's historic district. First opened in 2008 with the inaugural ESPN event. Home to College of Charleston athletics and CAA competitions. Walking distance to nine parking garages and 2-hour street parking. [Parking Garages](#) and [TD Arena and Tickets](#)

## 9 Golf Outings

Book a golf outing at one of 23 area courses, some are former host sites for international competitions, such as Ryder Cup and PGA Championship. [Charleston Golf Courses](#)



## 10 High-Quality Hoops!

This year's field features UConn, Miami, SJU, Towson, Xavier, Florida, Buffalo and Missouri State. Charleston is the perfect destination to plan a hoops tourney trip with your family or alumni friends. When it's not game time, it's explore time! [Explore Charleston](#)

