Unusual Town Names	Compiled by Marlene Buchanan	Who suggested
in Georgia	of Snellville.	
1. Algood.		Joni Scott Tornambe
2. Apple Pie Ridge	north of Lula	Randy Baily
3. Apple Valley	Near Commerce	Marlene Ratledge Buchanan
4. Ball Ground	Cherokee Co Is there another Ball Ground in South Gaeas, Dodge County?	Harold Bray Tony Thacker
5. Beaverdam	Oglethorpe Co	Cheryl Darnell Chastain
6. Bellwood	Atlanta	Marlene Ratledge Buchanan Joanna Hunter Hathcock
7. Birmingham	North Fulton	Carol Martin Dudchock
8. Bloody Bucket	U.S.Hwy 78 @ Parkwood just East of cemetery	Clark Britt
9. Blossom Creek	Now Flowery Branch	
10. Blossom Hill	Everson Rd and 124	Michael Thomas Ford
11. Blue Ridge	largest city in Fannin Co. Fannin was part of Cherokee nation.	Mark Scott
12. Bold Springs		Jack Snell
13. Bolton		Ray Pate
14. Box Spring		Marianne Abercrombie Dollar Chotas; Rick Warren
15. Box Springs		Kenneth James Bryson
16. Breezy Hill	U.S. 78 & Rosebud Rds	Ross Gunter
17. Brooks	South of Peachtree City	Ray pate
18. Brushy Fork	Between Snellville and Loganville	Steve Butler
19. Buckhead	Named for the head of a mule deer that graced the local bar before the turn of the century.	Jennie Cleveland
20. Bugtown	·	Ann Jackson Tiberghein
21. Bumble Hook		Shannon Pelly
22. Buttermilk Bottom	A slum area, no electricity, no access to utilities. Called that name because the poor let milk turn to clabber	Ray Pate

	because clabber lasted longer and was stronger. Torn down in		
	the 90's, next to old forth ward.		
23. Cabbagetown	Community Southeast of downtown Atlanta		
24. Cackle Corner			Harold Bray
25. Caleb(sp),	Leora Church and Centerville		Clark Britt
	Pronounced KA-Lab		Sonja Harrison Bowman
26. Campbell	In South Fulton		Frank Foster
			Harold Bray
27. Centerville	Centerville in Gwinnett used to be called Sneezer.	Several in state	Joan Bonnett
	http://www.oldplaces.org/gwinnettga/towns/centerville.html		
28. Chattahoochee Hills	New town n South Fulton		Harold Bray
29. Chattahoochee Plantation	which was about a ten foot wide strip running west of the		Harold Bray
	Hooch down to Six Flags which was chartered to stop Atlanta		
	from crossing the Hooch to the west; in South Fulton		
30. Cherry Log	In Gilmer County		Betty Holon
			TonP Thacker
31. Christian City	Is this near Newnan in Coweta County?		Ray Pate
32. Clairmont	In North Hall County		Randy Bailey
33. Climax	Climax, Ga. because it's located at the highest point of the railroad between Savannah and the Chattahoochee river		Mark Scott
34. Cloudland			Harold Bray
35. Collier Heights			Ray Pate
36. Constitution	Just off Moreland Ave. Intersection of Constitution Road and Fayetteville Road (Fleetwood Drive)		Darren Pierce
37. Cool Springs	Tift County below Omega		Jackie Snell
38. Crabapple	North Fulton County		Lewis Corley
	North Fulton County		Tony Thacker
39. Cuba	between Cumming and Ducktown, Forsyth County		Joe Beck
			Larry Smith
40. Deepstep,			Kenneth James Bryson
			Bob Carpenter
41. Dewey Rose	Near Elberton, Elbert County		Linda Winkles McMillan
			Cheryl Darnell Chastain
			Judy Vestrand
42. Diaperville	Area around Grant Park, unofficially. 70 years ago.		Holly Williams

43. Dip	Now known as Clermont	Patricia Coffee Decker
44. Dry Pond Community	Several in state; in Jackson and Montgomery Counties	Rob McDonald
45. Dublin	In Laurens County; named for Irish capitol	Marietta Trimble
46. Duck Town	Cherokee/Forsyth line	Betty Holon
	(two Ducktowns?)	Tony Thacker
		Carol Martin Dudchock
47. Due West Community	In Cobb County	Mike Huff, Jr.
48. Ellijay	County seat of Gilmer County	Benita Kicrease
49. Enigma	In Tift Co, (It's a puzzleha!)	Lorraine Fussel
	They had a hard time choosing a name for the town!	Sharon Varner Tonge
50. Enterprise	Oglethorpe Co	Cheryl Darnell Chastain
51. Fighting Town	Creek in Fannin County	Betty Holon
		Will Steele
52. Five Forks	Oak Rd. @ Fiveforks-Trickum. Five Forks-Trickum got its	Clark Britt
	name because five roads came together. (Peggy Britt)	Russ Gunter
	All of us that attended SGHS from what is now called	Peggy Britt
	Mountain Park grew up in Trickum which why they call it	
	Five Forks Trickum Road. (Russ Gunter)	
53. Five Points	Atlanta (no town, but location)	Ray Pate
54. Flovilla	Butts County	Judy Vestrand
55. Flower Branch	Blossom Creek back in the day	Glenda Simmons Ivey Wilson
		Steve Williams
56. Furniture City	Previously Socktown. Near Mabelton	Clem Moore
57. Galilee community	Jackson county	Rob McDonald
58. Gay	Meriwether County	Harold Bray
59. Gloster	Near U.S. Hwy 29 and Gloster Road, on the CSX Rail Line	Roy Wynn
	in Gwinnett County	Elliott Brack
		Clark Britt
		Randy Bailey
60. Good Hope	Walton County	Jan Snell Houston
61. Grayson	Formerly Trip Grayson was known as Tripp but found	Laura Mitchell
	another town was named Tripp and changed to Grayson.	Peggy Britt
62. Greens Cut		Kenneth James Bryson
63. Gum Log	Near Lake Hartwell	Tonya Gidson Harrison
64. Hahira	Lowndes County	Marlene Ratledge Buchanan
65. Handy	Coweta Co	Mary Martin Bowen
66. Hestertown		Scott Webb

67. Hickory Flat	Cherokee County	Holly Williams
68. Hills Park	in NW Atlanta,	Frank Foster
69. Hog Liver Road	Off Hwy 27 in Carrollton	Sandra Mix
70. Hog Mountain	Gwinnett County	Larry Kitchens
		Keith Kelly
		Sonja Harrison Bowman
71. Homerville	County seat of Clinch County	Chesta Drake
72. Hopeulikeit -	near Statesboro	Linda Winkles McMillan
	Bullock County,	Bill Keeling
		Sandra Cruce Satterfield
73. Hopewell	North Fulton and also Camden County	Carol Martin Dudchock
74. Ila	Between Danielsville and Commerce	Randy Bailey
75. Indian Springs	Butts County	Marlene Ratledge Buchanan
76. Inman Yards	Rail yards in Atlanta	Frank Foster
77. Jewberville	Hwy 120 & 1-85 area	Ellen Downing
		Gary Howell
78. Johnson Town	Near Lenox Square, Atlanta	Ken Jernigan
79. Jubberville		Gary Howell
80. Jug Tavern	Now Winder	Jeannie Cleveland
81. Kirkwood	East of Atlanta and Cabbagetown	Ray Pate
82. Klondike	Intersection of Klondike Rd and Ga 212	Darren Pierce
83. Lathemtown	Cherokee County	Holly Williams
84. Lax	Lax in Irwin County, not to be confused with LAX, the	Lorraine Fussle
	airportnot sure of	
85. Lick Skillet,	Several: near Adamsville, also Fannin and in Harris Counties	Bob Carpenter
86. Lithia Springs	In Cobb County	Ray Pate
87. Little Five Points	East of Atlanta	Ray Pate
88. Little Hope	Seminole County	Joni Scott Tornambe
89. Lost End,	a section in Blue Ridge	Betty Holon
90. Lula	Hall County; Grows mighty good white peaches	Frank Foster James Woodall Randy Bailey

		Keith Kelly
91. Luxomni	Luxomni (Latin, meaning "light [for] all") was a small	Nita Hallford Killebrew
	community between central and southwestern Gwinnett	Sandra Cruce Satterfield
	County, Georgia, USA on a railroad line just east-northeast of	
	<u>Lilburn</u> . It was founded in 1891 around a rail <u>depot</u> , on the	
	line to <u>Lawrenceville</u> , the <u>county seat</u> . The town has largely	
	been absorbed into Lilburn and greater Gwinnett County, and	
	is no longer part of the local <u>vernacular</u> .	
92. Mechanicsville	On the Norfolk Southern track Mechanicsville now included	Elliott Brack
	within city limits of Peachtree Corners in Gwinnett County	Frank Foster
		Patricia Coffee Decker
93. Middle Ground	South of Sylvania	Marlene Ratledge Buchanan
94. Midway	North Fulton/ South Forsyth; Also in Liberty County	Carol Martin Dudchock
95. Milner	Lamar County	Ray Pate
96. Mountain Park	North Fulton County town. Community in Gwinnett Co.	Ray Pate
97. Needmore,		Joni Scott Tornambe
98. No Business Hill	It was a steep hill on Lee Road, just pass The Promised Land in Gwinnett County. It was meant to tell you that you had no business trying to ride your bike during the day and no reason to travel after darkLOL! Trust me many left knee skin riding their bikes trying to ride down 'No Business'!	Tom Livsey
99. Normal Town	in Athens; Once site of U.S. Naval School	Sandra Cruce Satterfield
100.Nowhere	An area just outside of Athens - Nowhere road runs all the	Keith Kelly
	way through it kind of like peachtree in Atlanta	
101.Oakland City	Community in Fulton County	Frank Foster
102.Ocee	North Fulton	Carol Martin Dudchock Michael Perry Green
103.Omega	In Tift and Colquitt counties	Jackie Snell
104.Panthersville,	DeKalb County	Frank Foster
105. Pea Ridge	Tucker area and	Jan Snell Houston Tony Thacker Johnnie H. Davis
	And Where did the name Pea Ridge originate? I know	Bob Doty
	other communities by that name: in Cherokee and Picke	Will Steele
	counties. Googled Pea Ridge. Seems there was a Civil V	WIII Steele
	battle in Pea Ridge, Arkansas in 1862. Bet there were so	

	Georgians in that battle! There is also one in Missouri.	
	Where Nathan, and Wilson's & Dorsett's stores. That was where we caught the bus to the old Clarkston High School. 1956–1960.	
	Pea Ridge is still alive and well. Frazier Road at US 29 to	
	Montreal Road and US 29. Nathan Harrelson was the	
	"Mayor" of Pea Ridge. There's Pea Ridge restaurant at the crossroad's former location.	
106.People's Town	Community south of Turner's Field, Atlanta	Frank Foster
107.Phiolomath	Oglethorpe Co	Cheryl Darnell Chastain
108.Pickneyville	SW Gwinnett County voting precinct	Lewis Corley
109.Pine Mountain	Harris and Meriwether County. Home of Callaway Gardens	Ray Pate
110.Pinelog	Near Duluth	Lewis Corley
111.Pittman	the Once a step on Norfolk Southern RR in Gwinnett	Elliott Brack
112.Plainville & Chester	Plainville in Gordon County. Chester in Dodge County	Marlene Ratledge Buchanan
113.Pocataligo	In SC, not Ga.	Kenneth James Bryson
114.Pocatallgo		Sharon Varner Tonge
115.Pole Town	between Buckhead and Sandy Springs?	Hank Dolive
116.Pole Town (South Sandy Springs)	South Sandy Springs was Pole Town.	Pam Word Shipley
117.Polksville	Gainesville,	Randy Bailey
118.Possum Corners	Several: near Tallapoosa, Ray City, Gwinnett County and	Clark Britt
	south of Brasstown, N.C.	Beth Gibbons
119.Possum Lake	In Gwinnett County. Renamed Lake Lucerne in 1970s' to	Anna Warden
	sound more sophisticated	Jack Snell, Sr
		Jackie Snell
120.Possum Snout	Now Tallapoosa The name was in reference to a large rock outcrop on the trail used by traders that was shaped like an	Sandra Mix
	opossum's snout	
121.Promise Land	In Gwinnett County south of Snellville. I know that the	Susan Morrison Thompson
	Promised Land was called that because it was left to a group	Tom Livesey
	of slaves by a plantation owner, was the story I heard and that	
	some of their descendants still live there.	
122.Rawlingstown	I think at Skyland Drive and Temple Johnson	Jackie Snell
123.Red Oak	Fulton County	Ray Pate Marie Beiser

124.Relee	Coffee County, and Bullock County,	Sandra Cruce Satterfield
125.Resthaven	Gwinnett County	Meg Pettus Oliver
126.Ringgold	Catoosa County	Harold Bray
127.Rising Fawn	Dade County	Patricia Coffee Decker
128.Riverdale	Clayton County	Ray Pate
129.Riverside	Colquitt County	Frank Foster
130.Rivertown	Fulton County	Harold Bray
131.Rocky Branch:	Off Rocky Branch Rd. in the Five Forks area	Clark Britt
•		Peggy Brittt
132.Rocky Face,	Unincorporated town in Dalton County	Harold Bray
133.Roosterville	Heard County	Mary Martin Bowen
134.Rosebud	Community in Gwinnett County	Clark Britt
135.Roswell Junction	Now Chamblee	Patricia Coffee Decker
136.Rutledge	Morgan County	John Pisello
137.Santa Claus	Toombs County, south of Lyons	Lois Martin
138.Saplo Isoland	Community in McIntosh County	Ray Pate
139.Sautee,	Community in White County	Tracy Brookshire
140.Shakerag	Community in North Fulton County	Mark Scott
C	http://shakeraghoa.com/document_view.asp?id=151	Art Davenport
		John Phillips
		Rosemary Patterson
		Rolaine Coleman
141.Sharp Top	Pickens County, near a mountain by that name	Tony Thacker
142.Shelterville	North Fulton County.	John Phillips
		Joe Beck
143.Shelterville	past Duluth into Fulton co.	John Phillips
144.Sixes	Cherokee County	Holly Williams
145.Smithonia	Oglethorpe Co	Cheryl Darnell Chastain
146.Snake Nation	North Ga.)	Betty Holon
147.Snellville	City in Gwinnett County	C Ray Pate
148.Social Circle	City in Walton County	Glenda Simmons Ivey Wilson
		John Pisello
		Kenneth James Bryson
149.Socktown	Previously called Furniture City near Mableton	Clem Moore
150.Split silk	At the intersection of US Hwy. 78 & Bay Creek Church Rd.	Joan Williams Ottinger
-	in Gwinnett County. The story is that a man & woman	Hoyt Morris

	stopped at the store, in horse and buggy days, the lady tore her	Clark Britt
	slip getting off the buggy. In those days, slips were called	
	"silks". It was considered scandalous to show your silk, even	
	in an accident. It ended up being the talk of the town!! After	
	that, folks referred to the area as Split-Silk. True or not, that's	
	what was passed down to her family (Joan Williams Ottinger)	
151.Spot	Forsyth Co)	Tony Thacker
152.Spring Lake	Dekalb County	Ray Pate
153.Stonewall	in South Fulton	Frank Foster
154.Struggleville	in Winder	Mark Anthony James
155.Suches	Union County	Shirley M. Sharp
		Kenneth James Bryson
156.Sugar Creek,	Near Blue Ridge Fannin Co.	Betty Holon
157.Sugar Hill	City in Gwinnett County	Rosemary Patterson
158.Sugar Valley	Unincorporated community in Gordon County	Harold Bray
159.Sweet Apple	near Crabapple and Alpharetta, Fulton County	Ed Parks
160.Talking Rock	Talking Rock, GA has a rich history. In Pickens County	Mark Scott
_	between Ellijay and Jasper. Happily, the third smallest town	
	in the state of Georgia, Talking Rock has not changed much	
	since it's beginning in 1883, when the train was the lifeline of	
	the town. Talking Rock's history is rich with stories about the	
	Trail of Tears, the Civil War, the railroad and the Great	
	Depression.	
161.Talking Rock	North Ga. near Ellijay.	Betty Holon
	Pickens County	Tony thancker
		Tracy Brookshire
162.Tate	Pickins County	Frank Foster
163.The Rock	Between Thomaston and Barnesville	Steve Danneman
164.Thyatira	Jackson County	Rob McDonald
165.Ty Ty	Tift County	Larry Smith
166.Tiger	Rabun County	Tracy Brookshire
167.Tooterville'	Near Pembroke Ga. in Bryan County	Jack Burell White
168. 'Tooterville' near Pembroke Ga.		Jack Burell White
169.Trickum	Now Mountain Park community in Gwinnett County	Claude bates
170.Trickum: Now@ Mountain Park		Clark Britt
171.Trip	Now Grayson. When is was found another town was named	Peggy Britt
-	Tripp and the name was changed to Grayson.	

172.Troops	Union troops looking for Georgia Mtn, Troops. Somebody told them the wrong road and tricked them	Peggy Britt
173.Tunnel Hill	Whitfield County	Harold Bray
174. Tybee Island	Chatham County, east of Savannah	Ray Pate
175.Union City	Fulton County	Ray pate
176.Vesta	Oglethorpe Co	Cheryl Darnell Chastain
177.Warsaw	Community in Norcountyth Fulton County	Michel Perry Green
178.Wasabow Isand	Island in Chatham	Ray Pate
179.Waterport	Centerhill Church Rd Walton County	Michael Thomas Ford
180.Welcome	Coweta Co	Mary Martin Bowen
181.West End	Community in Atlanta	Ray Pate
182. West Five Points	In Atlanta	Ray Pate
183.Wildwood	area behind Discover Mills, Gwinnett county	John Phillips
184.Windy Ridge	a section in Blue Ridge, Ga.	Betty Holon
185.Woolsey	Fayette Couny	Ray Pate
186. Young Harris	Towns County	Harold Bray
187.Zingara	Rockdale County	Laura Mitchell