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As a metropolitan of amazing proportions, Dallas is the primary destination for travel and excitement in Texas. Drawing those with an innovative spirit, Dallas possesses an uncanny ability to combine Southern charm with commercial finesse. Its citizens have christened the city "Big D" in fitting manner, for much like the state in which it resides, Dallas boasts of big style. From the endless entertainment and dining districts of its downtown, to sporting attractions spanning five professional teams that include "America's Team" in the Dallas Cowboys, a good time is virtually guaranteed in the city that never ceases to amaze.

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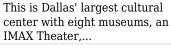
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# THE CITY



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Founded initially on the prospects of trade in 1841, Dallas has since expanded its commercial identity to one of massive financial and social success. The city has experienced its share of growing pains, nonetheless, all of which have served to increase its historical appeal.

As a hub of economic growth during the civil rights movement of the 1950s, the city's wealthy patrons financed support for integration. As a result, Dallas was saved from the unrest seen in surrounding cities and states. However, the city soon found the 1963 assassination of President Kennedy eviscerating its formerly pristine image. So over the next decade Dallas would work to resume the national stage of interest as it became home to "America's Team" in the Dallas Cowboys football team, as well as the immensely popular television hit "Dallas."

Referred to as the "Silicon Prairie," Dallas finds no shortage of jobs within its high technology centers. It has a booming telecommunications industry, along with droves of other businesses that have made Dallas their headquarters. 19 Fortune 500 companies and over \$1 billion cycling from the annual revenues of 13 privately-held companies are among those making Dallas their headquarters. Bohemian imprints of culture and expression from some of its original settlers have remained as an eclectic mix of museums, exhibits, festivals, and not to mention the Dallas Arts District—the largest of its kind in the nation. The warm weather is countered by a soothing breeze that draws citizens and tourists alike to its zoo, aquarium, arboretum, parks, and the Texas State Fair. If nightlife beckons you, there is no shortage of both dancing and comedy clubs, bars, and live music concerts.

# DO & SEE



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Whether visiting the art exhibits, catching a game of one of Dallas' five professional sports teams, or simply taking a stroll through the city's busy streets, there is plenty to do for the visitor to Dallas. Build your personal itinerary from our detailed selection.

# **Dallas Arboretum & Botanical Gardens**



The Dallas Arboretum is one of Texas' most attractive sites. Choose from 14 gardens that encompass 66-acres of pure beauty. Positioned

on picturesque White Rock Lake, the gardens give way to an Eden of trees, plants, ornamental shrubs, and different flowers throughout the seasons. There is more than what meets the



name, though. The Arboretum is its own menagerie of art displays, concerts, and festivals all in the spectacular natural ambiance.

Photo: aphotostory/Shutterstock.com Address: 8525 Garland Road, Dallas Public Transport: Garland @ Lakeland - N - FS Opening hours: Every day 9am - 5pm Phone: +1 214 515 6615 Internet: www.dallasarboretum.org Email: customerservice@dallasarboretum.org More Info: There is a refund policy for rainy days, excluding "Concerts in the Garden."

### Perot Museum Of Nature And Science



The museum is located in Victory Park, near Downtown Dallas and with five floors and eleven permanent exhibit halls you will not be

bored. The museum features state-of-the-art video and 3-D computer animation, hands-on activities, interactive kiosks and educational games. Also offers children's museum including an outdoor play space.

Photo: Joe Mabel/Wikimedia Commons (image cropped) Address: 2201 N. Field Street, Dallas Public Transport: Field @ Cedar Springs - N - NS Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm, Sun 12 - 5pm Phone: +1 214 428 5555 Internet: www.perotmuseum.org Email: marketing@perotmuseum.org More Info: Extended hours the first Thursday of each month 5pm-9pm.

### Fair Park



This is Dallas' largest cultural center with eight museums, an IMAX Theater, a planetarium, the Dallas Aquarium, the Cotton Bowl, an outdoor amphitheater and a Music Hall showing Broadway shows, ballet and opera. There are also plenty of rides for all ages here. In addition over one hundred special events and cultural festivals take place here each year.

Photo: Gunnar Rathbun/Shutterstock.com Address: 1121 First Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Take the DART Green Line to Fair Park Phone: +1 214 426 3400 Internet: www.fairpark.org Email: Friends@Fairmark.org

### **Segway Nation Dallas**



Segway is becoming an increasingly popular way of exploring a new city, and no wonder why. It is a fun and very entertaining experience.

Segway Nation Dallas offers tours six times daily, complete with a guide providing information about the major sights and attractions. There are several tours to choose from.

Photo: mariait/Shutterstock.com Address: 900 Jackson St, Suite b180, Dallas Public Transport: Wood @ Lamar - W - NS Opening hours: Every day 12pm & 3pm Phone: +1 214 983 6225 Internet: www.nationtours.com Email: dallas@NationTours.com

#### White Rock Lake Park



White Rock Lake is a 1,015 acre city lake located approximately 5 miles northeast of downtown Dallas. This is a beautiful site and

perfect for picnic, walk, run or just people watching. The park also provides excellent fishing and sailing opportunities, as well as



### various leisure activities.

Photo: Eric V Overton/Shutterstock.com Address: 8300 E. Lawther Drive, Dallas Public Transport: Buckner @ Lake Highlands - S - NS Phone: +1 214 670 4100 Internet: www.dallasparks.org/235/White-Rock-Lake

### **Big D Fun Tours**



There is no better way to see all the best of Dallas than on a sightseeing tour. Big D Fun Tours offers a 75 min city tour in classic old-time red

trolleys. On this tour you will see more than 30 attractions. Some of the highlights include West End, Klyde Warren Park, Pioneer Plaza, The Flagship Neiman Marcus Store, Dallas Arts District, Farmers Market and much more.

Photo: Syda Productions/Shutterstock.com Address: 411 Elm Street, Dallas Public Transport: Houston st Opening hours: Every day 10 am - 15.15 pm Phone: +1 214 400 9020 Email: info@bigdfuntours.com More Info: Dallas City Trolley Tours Pick-Up at: 411 Elm St. Dallas

### **Trinity Forest Adventure Park**



Trinity Forest Adventure Park is the first and only Aerial Adventure Park of its kind in Texas. It consists of cargo nets, bridges, climbing

features, zip lines, Indiana Jones bridges, and more. This is a great outdoor adventure for the whole family.

Photo: Brocreative/Shutterstock.com Address: 1820 Dowdy Ferry Road, Dallas Public Transport: St Augustine @ Fireside - N - FS Opening hours: Sat 10am - 5pm Sun 10am - 5pm Phone: +1 214 391 1000 or +1 800 688 5700 Internet: www.trinitytreetops.com Email: info@trinitytreetops.com More Info: Available to individuals ages 6 and up.

### **Dallas World Aquarium**



Step under the vast canopies of the Amazonian rainforest, see colorful tropical birds and penguins, Madagascan reptiles and amphibians,

or watch Mayan folklore come to life with the plants and animals of Yucatán - all at this impressive aquarium and zoo.

Photo: FamVeld/Shutterstock.com Address: 1801 North Griffin Street, Dallas Public Transport: Red line to West End Station Opening hours: Every day 10am - 5pm Phone: +1 214 720 2224 Internet: www.dwazoo.com Email: info@dwazoo.com

### **Dallas Museum Of Art**



Founded in 1903, the Dallas Museum of Art has long stood as a flagship for the Arts District. Connoisseurs and laymen alike can enjoy collections

of more than 22,000 pieces, all deriving from locations around the world and traversing historic timelines. Begin in the Americas and peer across at Europe, the Mediterranean, and Sub-Saharan Africa; Asia and the Pacific islands lie not too far beyond them.

Photo: KeithJonsn/Wikimedia Commons (image cropped) Address: 1717 North Harwood, Dallas Public Transport: If coming by DART Rail, disembark at the St. Paul station and walk north up Harwood Street to the Museum.



Opening hours: Fri - Wed 11am - 5pm Thu 11am - 9pm Phone: +1 214 922 1200 Internet: www.dma.org Email: groupsales@DMA.org More Info: Closed Mondays. The third Friday of the month,

excluding December, the Museum is open until midnight.

### Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center



Known affectionately as "The Meyerson," this symphony center consistently beckons both Dallas residents and visitors—even those

without previous experience or taste for orchestral music. Possessing exquisite acoustics and breathtaking architecture, The Meyerson plays host to the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, Dallas Wind Symphony, the Turtle Creek Chorale, and countless others. With a large repertoire of musical and non-musical events, it is sure to impress even the most seasoned aficionado.

Photo: Stokkete/Shutterstock.com Address: 2301 Flora Street, Dallas Public Transport: Pearl @ Flora - S - MB Opening hours: Mon - Fri 10am - 6pm, sat 12am - 8pm, sun 12am - 4pm Phone: +1 214 692 0203 Tickets: Subscriptions, single tickets, group tickets, and student tickets are available. Visit website for more information. Internet: www.dallassymphony.com Email: customerservice@dalsym.com

More Info: Hours vary by season and concert evenings.

#### **American Airlines Center**



As the home of championship teams and world class events, it's easy to see why American Airlines Center often serves as a primary destination of Dallas visitors. Hit the court with Dallas Mavericks basketball or the ice with Dallas Stars hockey. Add premium boxing fights and the ultimate sporting experience comes to life. The American Airlines Center is a venue of all entertainment, hosting concerts for stars like Beyoncé, Justin Bieber, and Bruno Mars, while giving stage to timeless rock powerhouses like Bon Jovi, The Eagles, and Fleetwood Mac. For family fun, the Barnum and Bailey Circus even sets up tent.

Photo: Jeff Attaway/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 2500 Victory Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Victory @ Olive - S - MB Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm Phone: +1 214 222 3687 Internet: www.americanairlinescenter.com Email: marketing@americanairlinescenter.com More Info: Tours are scheduled by appointment only. Call to book appointments. Tickets to events are available online at ticketmaster.com or by calling Ticketmaster at +1 800 745 3000.

#### Zero Gravity Thrill Amusement Park Dallas



Adrenaline-fueled entertainment awaits thrill-seekers, families, and friends at the Zero Gravity Thrill Amusement Park. Zero Gravity has an

atmosphere of unlimited fun, excitement, and smiles. The park features five rides: the Skycoaster, the Skyscraper, Texas Blastoff, the Nothin' But Net, and the timeless Bungee Jump.

Photo: Eshma/Shutterstock.com Address: 11131 Malibu Drive, Dallas Public Transport: Shady Trail @ Walnut Hill - N - NS Phone: +1 972 484 8359 Internet: www.gojump.com Email: info@gojump.com More Info: Park hours differ by month. Ticket prices are per rider and vary according to the number of rides taken. There are combination packages available.



### **Tenison Highlands**



Tenison Highlands golf club holds one of the most beautiful and popular golf courses in Texas. The 18-hole course now sports five

breathtaking lakes, 32 sand bunkers, 419 Bermuda fairways, and TifEagle greens. With differing elevations, the course is a welcome challenge to golfers of all skill. The Tenison Highlands also has a golf shop and a café to supplement your golfing experience.

Photo: Konstantin Sutyagin/Shutterstock.com Address: 3501 Samuell Boulevard, Dallas Public Transport: Samuell @ Winfield - E - NS Phone: +1 214 670 1402 Internet: www.tenisonpark.com Email: tenisonpark@gmail.com More Info: Rates vary between greens. For more information, visit www.tenisonpark.com/rates.

### **Times Ten Cellars**



As Dallas' premier wine tasting venue, Times Ten Cellars offers wine from its own Cathedral Mountain Vineyard, prepared in premium

equipment from France and Italy. Relaxation flows naturally as guests select their wine of choice before taking to the wine lounge.

Photo: Christopher Gardiner/Shutterstock.com Address: 6324 Prospect Avenue, Dallas Phone: +1 214 824 9463 Internet: www.timestencellars.com/dallas Email: kert@timestencellars.com

#### **Kessler** Theater



Art. Music. Film. All three reside under the roof of the historic Kessler Theater. Born in 1942 and owned temporarily by Gene Autry, the Kessler is

proof that good things CAN happen after dark. The Kessler fosters an ambiance of hip and ageless fun with live music, a cinema, and art shows. Its quirky location in the Historical Arts District dubbed "X+" only adds to its mystique.

Photo: aerogondo2/Shutterstock.com Address: 1230 West Davis Street, Dallas Public Transport: Davis @ Polk - W - NS Opening hours: Thu 6pm - 11pm Fri & Sat 6pm - 2am Phone: +1 214 272 8346 Internet: www.thekessler.org Email: jeff@thekessler.org More Info: Tickets are available in advance through www.prekindle.com/kessler. Tickets that remain for events may be purchased the night of the show at the door.

#### The Sixth Floor Museum



The Sixth Floor Museum gives visitors an opportunity to explore one of America's darkest moments - this is the location from which

President John F. Kennedy was assassinated, now converted into a museum. Exhibits narrate the life, times and untimely death of president Kennedy. Also located in the museum is the Reading Room, where patrons can delve into audiovisual resources, artifacts and an endless supply of books.

Photo: Brodie319/Wikimedia commons (image cropped) Address: 411 Elm Street, Dallas Public Transport: DART (Dallas Area Rapid Transit) Opening hours: Mon 12pm - 6pm Tue - Sun 10am - 6pm Phone: +1 214 747 6660



Internet: www.jfk.org Email: media@jfk.org More Info: Recommended length of stay is 90 minutes for optimum experience.

### **Plaza Of The Americas**



Plaza of the Americas is its own, self-contained entertainment bubble. With two floors dedicated to shopping and dining, an ice-skating rink for

family fun and two mirrored, 25-story towers, the Plaza of the Americas has something for everyone.

Photo: Andreas Praefcke/Wikimedia Commons (image cropped) Address: 700 North Pearl Street, Dallas Opening hours: Sun 1pm - 4pm Mon - Fri 9am - 8pm Sat 12pm - 9pm Phone: +1 214 572 3107 Internet: www.plazaofamericas.com/home.php Email: tfranke@pelotoncre.com More Info: There is no fare for entry, with complimentary Wi-Fi and onsite dining facilities.

### Winspear Opera House

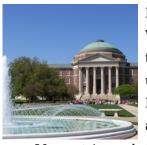


Take a seat and prepare to be amazed - the Winspear Opera House invites you to an evening of spellbinding performances. A perfect

view of the riveting opera, ballet and traveling Broadway productions is achieved with the finely designed staging, which places spectators in seating that mirrors the classic horseshoe configuration. The resulting acoustics are so stunning it's as if the performers are sitting right beside you.

Photo: aerogondo2/Shutterstock.com Address: 2403 Flora Street, Suite 500, Dallas Public Transport: Pearl @ Flora - S - MB Opening hours: Mon - Fri 9am - 5pm Phone: +1 214 443 1000 Internet: www.dallasopera.org Email: info@dallasopera.org More Info: Public transportation to the Winspear Opera House is available via DART rail.

### **Southern Methodist University**



Ranked by U.S. News and World Report as one of the nation's top 100 universities, Southern Methodist University attracts students from

over 80 countries and all 50 states. It's beautifully situated in Dallas, giving access to both visitors and Dallasites who want to enjoy the sporting events or simply walk the campus.

Photo: Spencerjc1/Wikimedia Commons (image cropped) Address: 6425 Boaz Lane, Dallas Public Transport: Bishop @ Binkley - N - FS Opening hours: Mon - Fri 8am - 5pm Phone: +1 214 768 2000 Internet: www.smu.edu Email: gshultz@mail.smu.edu More Info: Visitors are free to walk the campus without a guide. Individual and group visits can be scheduled online: follow the website link listed below for more details.



# DINING



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There is no shortage of restaurants in the Big D. A selection as big and diverse as the city itself is available, from southwestern Tex-Mex to delicate getaways for the romantic evening. Discover an array of venues that will fit the mood day or night.

# **Chamberlain's Steak And Chop House**



Owned by nationally recognized chef Richard Chamberlain, this steakhouse features palate-pleasing dishes that have garnered

critical acclaim and national attention. The seafood is always fresh from that day, and the meat selections include prime rib, steaks, chops, and American-raised Kobe beef. Finish the meal with delicious deserts like their crème brûlée and consider it a perfect night.

Photo: cobraphotography/Shutterstock.com Address: 5330 Belt Line Road, Dallas Public Transport: 2 blocks east of the North Dallas Tollway Opening hours: Every day 5pm - 10pm Phone: +1 972 934 2467 Internet: www.chamberlainssteakhouse.com Email: jimtruman@chamberlainsrestaurant.com

### Pappas Bros. Steakhouse



If you are craving a fabulous steak, then head over to Pappas Bros. This is an upscale restaurant where chefs pride themselves on serving

guests the best steaks with highest-quality ingredients. The food is cooked flawlessly each and every time. Very popular restaurant among locals and tourists.

Photo: stockcreations/Shutterstock.com Address: 10477 Lombardy Lane, Dallas Opening hours: Mon - Thu 5pm - 10pm, Fri - Sat 5pm - 11pm Phone: +1 214 366 2000 Internet: www.pappasbros.com More Info: Cocktail lounge opens at 4pm daily

### Thai Orchid



The restaurant is run by a Thai family and known for very good customer service. Here you can enjoy exotic Thai dishes at reasonable prices.

Dishes are cooked with fresh traditional ingredients to get that perfect taste. The atmosphere is friendly and welcoming.

Photo: Tony Magdaraog/Shutterstock.com Address: 4930 Belt Line Road 190, Addison-Dallas Public Transport: DART Opening hours: Mon - Fri 11am - 3pm, 5pm - 10pm Fri 11pm, Sat 12 - 11pm, Sun 5 - 10pm Phone: +1 972 720 8424 Internet: www.torchid.com Email: info@torchid.com More Info: Open for lunch and dinner



# Kalachandji's Palace & Restaurant



The vegetarian Kalachandji's Palace & Restaurant serves Indian dishes prepared with best possible ingredients. The restaurant is part of a

Hare Krishna Temple and offers a vegetarian buffet.

Photo: viennetta/Shutterstock.com Address: 5430 Gurley Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Lindsley @ Graham - S - NS Phone: +1 214 821 1048 Internet: www.kalachandjis.com Email: danny@kalachandjis.com More Info: Open for lunch and dinner.

### The French Room



New York Times has described The French Room as "a Louis XV fantasy on the prairie... indisputably the most striking and sumptuous

restaurant in Dallas." In the historic hotel, you can wine and dine like royalty and enjoy excellent service at its finest.

Photo: Andrey Bayda/Shutterstock.com Address: 1321 Commerce Street, Dallas Public Transport: DART to Akard Station Opening hours: Tue - Sat: 6pm - 9:30pm Phone: +1 214 742 8200 Internet: www.hoteladolphus.com/dining Email: hello@adolphus.com

# Kenny's Wood Fired Grill



Top notch quality service and attention to detail describe Kenny's Wood Fired Grill. Get the best crab cake and filet mignon in a great ambiance. Serves one of the best steaks in Dallas; Sunday brunch starts 11am.

Photo: Kzenon/Shutterstock.com Address: 5000 Belt Line Road 775, Dallas Public Transport: Belt Line @ Quorum - E - FS Opening hours: Sun - Mon 11am - 10pm, Tue - Sat 11am -12am Phone: +1 972 392 9663 Internet: www.kennyswoodfiredgrill.com Email: info@kennyswoodfiredgrill.com

#### Velvet Taco



Genuinely homemade Tacos made with the freshest ingredients from scratch - a huge hit with locals and an instant favorite for those visiting

the first time. Velvet Taco works until late, which means guests are welcome even in the after-hours.

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: 3012 N Henderson Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Henderson @ US 75 - W - MB Phone: +1 214 823 8358 Internet: www.velvettaco.com Email: brandon.b@velvettaco.com

#### Rise



Rise No. 1 has a lovely decor and ambience. Try the best-sellers are original savory souffles, like crab soufflé and pumpkin soufflé. Those

looking for flavors even more new and exciting should give the marshmallow soup a try.

Photo: AS Food studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 5360 W. Lovers Lane 220, Dallas Public Transport: Roper @ Stigall - N - FS Phone: +1 214 366 9900 Internet: www.risesouffle.com



Email: feedback@risesouffle.com

# Truluck's Seafood, Steak and Crab House



Truluck's casts fine dining in a welcomed new light. Whether your palate craves seafood from the restaurant's own fisheries, a classic-style

Texan steak, or a sweet indulgence of cake and coffee, this is a great option during an outing in downtown Dallas.

Photo: vichie81/Shutterstock.com Address: 2401 McKinney Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Maple @ McKinney - S - NS Opening hours: Sun - Thu 5pm - 10pm Fri - Sat 5pm - 11pm Phone: +1 214 220 2401 Internet: www.trulucks.com Email: trulucks-dallas@trulucks.com More Info: Uptown at Maple and McKinney

### Tupinamba Restaurant



A wealth of experience and tradition accompanies dinner at Tupi's. The restaurant's heritage spans decades back to 1947, when it

opened to become what is now Dallas' oldest family-owned Mexican restaurant. It is fine dining that remains true to its original roots, with lunch specials, a full menu and a bar equipped with wines, beer, and mixed drinks.

Photo: stockcreations/Shutterstock.com Address: 9665 N Central Express Way, Dallas Public Transport: Glen Lakes @ US 75 - W - NS Phone: +1 972 991 8148 Internet: www.tupinambarestaurant.com Email: tupinamba@causingthestir.com More Info: Suite 142

#### Celebration



Staying true to its name, Celebration serves traditional and Southern cuisine in an atmosphere light and fun for the family. From meatloaf

and black eyed peas to pan-seared tuna steaks, the menu has something for everyone to enjoy. Celebration Market is located next door.

Photo: wrangler/Shutterstock.com Address: 4503 West Lovers Lane, Dallas Public Transport: Lovers @ Bristol - W - NS Phone: +1 214 351 5681 Internet: www.celebrationrestaurant.com Email: yflores@celebrationrestaurant.com More Info: Open for lunch and dinner seven days a week.

### The Old Warsaw



Located in the elegant Uptown neighborhood, The Old Warsaw serves French Continental cuisine in a setting designed for romance and

intrigue with candlelit dinners and soft serenades played by musicians. Their wine cellar is replete with selections from Europe, South America and North America, and valet parking is provided. Reservations are required.

Photo: mpessaris/Shutterstock.com Address: 2512 Maple Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Maple @ Mahon - S - NS Opening hours: Every day 5pm - 10pm Phone: +1 214 528 0032 Internet: www.oldwarsaw.com Email: oldwarsaw@sbcglobal.net More Info: Business Casual. No hats, No T-shirts, No tank tops, no shorts.



### Steel Restaurant



Both a restaurant and lounge, Steel is a hybrid of Chinese, Indo-Chine, Japanese, and Korean cuisine. Mahogany paneling lines the walls

while the floors are Brazilian cherry hardwood, with the soothing appeal of spot-lighting and local artwork as the décor. You can also enjoy the sushi bar and sake in a glassed wine room. So if Zen harmony is what you seek, Steel Restaurant is the perfect venue.

Photo: Kichigin/Shutterstock.com Address: 3180 Welborn Street, Dallas Public Transport: DART Red line to City Place/Uptown Phone: +1 214 219 9908 Internet: www.steeldallas.com Email: rsvp@steeldallas.com

#### Fadi's Mediterranean Grill



A little bit of the Mediterranean style and cuisine can be found in Dallas at Fadi's. They provide a low-fat, low-calorie menu that

retains the freshness and zest of authentic Mediterranean dishes.

Photo: Quality/Shutterstock.com Address: 3001 Knox Street 110, Dallas Public Transport: Us 75 @ Hester - S- MB Opening hours: Mon - Thu 11am - 9pm, Fri - Sat 11am -10pm, Sun11am - 8.30pm Phone: +1 214 528 1800 Internet: www.fadiscuisine.com Email: cs@fadiscuisine.com

#### **Fireside Pies**



Comfortable booths set around an open kitchen that supplies hand-crafted, wood-oven baked pizzas and pies allow patrons to eat and

drink in ease and relaxation. Only the freshest ingredients are used—from their roasted red peppers and mozzarella to their house dressings—and signature cocktails always adorn the tables. Reservations are not accepted.

Photo: eldar nurkovic/Shutterstock.com Address: 2820 North Henderson Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Henderson @ Milam - W - NS Opening hours: Every day 5pm - 11pm Phone: +1 214 370 3916 Internet: www.firesidepies.com Email: hcary@firesidepies.com

#### Iron Cactus Mexican Grill & Margarita Bar



A magnificent rooftop view of the beautiful Pegasus Plaza park awaits diners at the Iron Cactus. This is supplementary to a menu

of authentic Mexican that includes gluten-free dishes and even homemade tortillas. The restaurant also features an award-winning margarita bar that needs little introduction.

Photo: Vladyslav Rasulov/Shutterstock.com Address: 1520 Main Street, Dallas Public Transport: Main @ Akard - W - NS Opening hours: Mon - Wed 10am - 10pm Thu - Sat 11am -11pm Sun 10am - 10pm Phone: +1 214 749 4766 Internet: www.ironcactus.com/dallas Email: socialmedia@ironcactus.com



#### The Grape



Using European and New York-style eateries as a model, The Grape quickly elevated to become one of Dallas' most voguish restaurants since its

opening in 1972. Offering a new contemporary American menu each month, it also has an extensive wine menu and happy hour Monday through Friday. The Sunday brunch has received countless awards and accolades, consequently drawing patrons each week.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com Address: 2808 Greenville Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Matilda @ Vickery - N - NS Phone: +1 214 828 1981 Internet: www.thegraperestaurant.com Email: mail@thegraperestaurant.com

# St. Martin's



Every glass of wine and every dish are served with the nightly performance of a live pianist that fosters an inviolable sense of

romance and tranquility. The cuisine is New American with specialties such as the champagne-brie soup, pei mussels and chocolate terrine. You may choose to dine in several chic rooms, including the "Symphony Alcove," the "Baroque Room," the "Concerto Room," and the main dining room. Dinner is served seven days a week and a brunch is held on Sundays; there is complimentary valet parking every day of the week.

Photo: By evilbeau/Shutterstock.com Address: 3020 Greenville Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Matilda @ Vanderbilt - N - NS Phone: +1 214 826 0940 Internet: www.stmartinswinebistro.com

### **El Fenix Restaurant**



Once frequented by musical legends like Glenn Miller and Kay Kaiser—and even featured on the Food Network—El Fenix has

been serving exquisite Mexican cuisine since 1918. This rich history infuses into Tex-Mex dishes like the gourmet grande taco platters, decadent enchiladas, and the signature 1918 margarita. Doors open at 11am seven days a week, so be sure to make the stop during your trip to Dallas.

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: 1601 McKinney Avenue, Dallas Opening hours: Sun - Mon 11am - 9pm, Tue - Sat 11am -10pm Phone: +1 214 747 1121 Internet: www.elfenix.com Email: feedback@elfenix.com

# CAFES



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Cafes invite individuals to indulge in a demitasse or simply enjoy each other's company through conversation. Dallas is no stranger to cafes, so here is a consolidated selection of the city's best.



### **Opening Bell Coffee**



This café hearkens truthfully to its name, as patrons are welcomed to their favorite morning coffee or espresso, a copy of the Wall Street Journal,

and a background of financial channels spanning MSNBC, CNN, CNBC among others. There is more than coffee on the menu, though: a choice of teas, pastries, lunch, and drinks for after work, with live acoustic music beginning in the afternoons. Wi-Fi is free and so is parking.

Photo: Katsiaryna Pakhomava/Shutterstock.com Address: 1409 South Lamar, Basement 012, Dallas Public Transport: DART Cedars Station Phone: +1 214 565 0383 Internet: www.openingbellcoffee.com Email: info@openingbellcoffee.com

### Veracruz Café



Veracruz café seeks to share the experience of its namesake, the city of Veracruz, Mexico. Veracruz itself was the first Spanish settlement

in the New World, having been established in 1519; and its European influence is displayed in its architecture, music, food, and overall culture—extending to its cafes. With its quaint vibrancy in colors and atmosphere, the Veracruz café is most certainly a viable option for those seeking a new way to experience coffee, food, and good company.

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Address: Bishop Arts District, 408 North Bishop, Suite 107, Dallas Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-2:30pm, 5pm-10pm Sat

11am-10pm Sun 11am-9pm. Phone: +1 214 948 4746 Internet: www.veracruzcafedallas.com

#### AllGood Cafe



AllGood Cafe combines rich Southern-style cooking with jovial music to give patrons a wonderful environment (which includes a great

view of Main Street). Located in the musical depths of Deep Ellum, Dallas, this cafe is a refreshing change from some of the more commercialized cafes of today.

Photo: ilolab/Shutterstock.com Address: 2934 Main Street, Dallas Public Transport: Dart Opening hours: Sun - Mon 9am - 2pm Tue - Sat 9am - 9pm Phone: +1 214 742 5362 Internet: www.allgoodcafe.com Email: txmuzik@swbell.net

#### La Madeleine



La Madeleine began as the dream of bringing a piece of authentic French bakeries to Dallas and has since become the café of today. It serves

genuine French country cuisine: baguettes, espresso, pastries, and homemade soups. The soft lighting and warm wood décor make the experience that much more enjoyable.

Photo: Xenya and Igor/Shutterstock.com Address: 2121 San Jacinto Street, Dallas Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-3pm Phone: +1 214 220 3911 Internet: www.lamadeleine.com More Info: A second Dallas location is found at 3906 Lemmon Avenue, Suite 110.



### **Corner Bakery Cafe**



This café is a jack-of-all-trades when it comes to serving tasty food that's nutritious at the same time. The Corner Bakery Cafe

strives to serve customers good, healthy food, whether it be fresh salads, soups, pasta, paninis, or delectable sweets. It has become a community favorite, with multiple Dallas locations.

Photo: Iryna Inshyna/Shutterstock.com Address: 12700 Park Central Drive, Suite 1300 Dallas Opening hours: Mon - Fri 8.30am - 5.30pm Phone: +1 972 619 4100 Internet: www.cornerbakerycafe.com

### **Grand Lux Cafe**



Inspired by Venetian decadence and the culinary diversity of Europe, Grand Lux Cafe has a versatile menu that has something for

everyone. Classic American, European, Thai, Malaysian and even Caribbean dishes are served daily. Patio seating is available.

Photo: Alexey Laputin/Shutterstock.com Address: 13420 North Dallas Parkway, Dallas Opening hours: Mon - Thu 11am - 11pm Fri 11am - 12am Sat 10am - 12am Sun 10am - 10pm Phone: +1 972 385 3114 Internet: www.grandluxcafe.com

# Green Papaya Cafe



As a cafe and bistro, the Green Papaya serves Vietnamese fusion cuisine at its beautiful Oak Lawn venue. The menu varies from mild to spicy dishes, featuring their signature Green Papaya Salad. Soft lighting shines on an interior of contemporary woods and color schemes, and the aquarium provides the finishing touche of class and ease.

Photo: Bignai/Shutterstock.com Address: 3211 Oak Lawn Avenue, Dallas Opening hours: Mon - Sat 11am - 10pm Sun 11am - 9pm Phone: +1 214 521 4811 Internet: www.greenpapayadallas.com Email: ngosean@greenpapayadallas.com

### Dodie's Reef Cafe



Dodie's Reef Cafe is an offshoot of the famous Dodie's Cajun Restaurants. The McGuiness family's gripping New

Orleans-inspired Cajun cuisine was brought to this smaller venue. The food is all prepared from scratch to create a comfortable, hometown feel that has attracted people since 1989.

Photo: CHIKARAvv/Shutterstock.com Address: 2821 Greenville Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Matilda @ Vickery - N - NS Opening hours: Every day 11am - 2pm Phone: +1 214 823 7333 Internet: www.dodiesreef.com Email: dodiesreef@gmail.com

#### Norma's Cafe



Norma's Cafe is perfect for true Texan home cooking. Part of an award-winning menu ensemble are the famous Mile-High Cream Pies.

Norma's has multiple Dallas locations, so be sure check the website for additional details.

Photo: Brent Hofacker/Shutterstock.com



Address: 1123 West Davis Street, Dallas Public Transport: Davis @ Winnetka - E - FS Opening hours: Mon-Fri: 6am-8pm. Sat-Sun 7am-8pm. Phone: +1 214 946 2111 Internet: www.normascafe.com Email: Catering@NormasCafe.com

### Sevan G & G Cafe



For a refreshing take on American and Mediterranean cuisine, step into Sevan's for breakfast, lunch, dinner or dessert. The choices

are light and healthy and the atmosphere is always welcoming. Take-out is available for the entire menu.

Photo: Arina P Habich/Shutterstock.com Address: 2221 Greenville Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Matilda @ Richmond - S - NS Phone: +1 214 821 0601 Internet: www.sevanmediterranean.com Email: sevan04@hotmail.com

# **BARS & NIGHTLIFE**



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Dallas has the unique identity of being one of the largest cities in the South, which affords it a range of nightlife options. From urban dance halls to traditional saloons, chain nightlife establishments to craft beer halls, the Big D has plenty to offer.

#### **Round-Up Saloon**



This saloon is said to be haunted by a ghost. Apart from that, the venue is anything but spooky. The music is diverse and a huge crowd can dance on

the big dance floor. Sing Karaoke or play pool, options are endless.

Photo: Arina P Habich/Shutterstock.com Address: 3912 Cedar Springs Road, Dallas Phone: +1 214 522 9611 Internet: www.roundupsaloon.com

### The Old Monk



Great little place with a lovely beer garden that is always buzzing with people. They have nice selection of beer (drafts from multiple European

countries and as many as 70 varieties of bottled beers) and good appetizers.

Photo: James Cridland/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 2847 N Henderson Avenue, Dallas Opening hours: Mon - Thu 3pm - 2am, Fri 11.30am - 2am, Sat - Sun 11am - 2am Phone: +1 214 821 1880 Internet: www.oldmonkdallas.com Email: mail@oldmonkdallas.com

## **Black Swan Saloon**



There is no sign with the name of the bar - Black Swan Saloon really is a hidden gem. Make sure to tell the bartender your favourite spirit and he

will create a customized world-class cocktail within a minute.



Photo: Arina P Habich/Shutterstock.com Address: 2708 Elm Street, Dallas Opening hours: Tue - Sun 7pm - 2am Phone: +1 214 749 4848 Internet: www.blackswansaloon.com

### Four Corners Brewing Company



Sample locally brewed beer at very reasonable prices in the comfortable tasting room. There are several beer types on offer, among them an

oatmeal stout and multiple classic brews. You can also learn interesting facts about the brewing process.

Photo: Arina P Habich/Shutterstock.com Address: 423 Singleton Boulevard, Dallas Phone: +1 214 748 2739 Internet: www.fcbrewing.com Email: beer@fcbrewing.com

# Kung Fu Saloon Dallas



One part sports bar, one part dance spot, and one part vintage arcade, there is more than enough for even the most selective of guests. As an

Asian-American inspired saloon, there are 24 beers on tap and a sake bomb menu, as well as a menu containing Asian and American dishes. There are 20 vintage arcade games—like classic favorites Ms. Pacman and Mortal Kombat—and two private karaoke rooms.

Photo: massimofusaro/Shutterstock.com Address: 2911 Routh Street, Dallas Opening hours: Mon - Fri 4pm - 2am Sat - Sun 11am - 2am Phone: +1 214 730 0283 Internet: www.kungfusaloon.com Email: infodallas@kungfusaloon.com

#### Sons of Hermann Hall



Situated in a building with a lot of character and an understated elegance, Sons of Hermann Hall is the perfect place to dance

your heart out. Join the swing or blues dance lessons and apply your newly acquired skills on the dance floor afterwards.

Photo: d double u/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 3414 Elm Street, Dallas Public Transport: Main @ Exposition - E - NS Opening hours: Wed & Thu 7pm - 12am Fri & Sat 7pm - 2am Phone: +1 214 747 4422 Internet: www.sonsofhermann.com Email: sonsofhermannhallbooking@gmail.com

#### **Choctaw Casinos**



Choctaw has eighteen locations in whole Southeastern Oklahoma, one of them in Durant close to Dallas. Enjoy first-class gaming and

entertainment at Choctaw Casino.

Photo: Sebastian Duda/Shutterstock.com Address: 3735 Choctaw Road, Durant Phone: +1 888 652 4628 Internet: www.choctawcasinos.com/choctaw-durant Email: info@choctawcasinos.com

#### **House of Blues Dallas**



With its eclectic décor of folk art, House of Blues is the venue for catching memorable performances and listening to some first-class blues, rhythm

and blues, gospel, jazz and rock & roll concerts.



Photo: Scott Ellis/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 2200 N Lamar Street, Dallas Public Transport: Dart Opening hours: Every day 4am - 12am Phone: +1 214 978 2583 Internet: www.houseofblues.com Email: travisohl@livenation.com

# Candleroom



Candleroom is a 3,000 square feet nightclub with cutting edge music. The Djs at this progressive dance club play a good mixture of

top 40 hits, house, rock, hip-hop and dance music. If party vibes are what you're after, make sure to give this one a try.

Photo: Pressmaster/Shutterstock.com Address: 5039 Willis Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Henderson @ Milam - E - NS Opening hours: Wed 9pm - 2am Fri 9pm - 2am Sat 9pm - 2am Phone: +1 214 370 4155 Internet: www.candleroomdallas.com Email: events@candleroomdallas.com

#### Trees



Since its opening in the 90s, Trees has hosted some of the biggest bands and celebrated musicians. Radiohead, Pearl Jam, Nirvana, Arcade Fire,

Deftones, Dave Mathews Band, Tool and Erykah Badu have already rocked the stage at Trees, and even more names are surely yet to make an appearance (check the website for schedules).

Photo: chasdesign/Shutterstock.com Address: 2709 Elm Street, Dallas Public Transport: Malcolm X @ Elm - N- NS Phone: +1 214 741 1122 Internet: www.treesdallas.com Email: info@thebombfactory.com

#### The Bomb Factory



Although the The Bomb Factory was reportedly once used to produce actual bombs, the name alone remains from those days. Up to 4,300 people

fit into the Bomb Factory, a music venue for thrilling live music experiences with exhilarating party vibes.

Photo: Moosician/Shutterstock.com Address: 2713 Canton Street, Dallas Public Transport: Commerce @ Crowdus - E - FS Phone: +1 214 932 6501 Internet: www.thebombfactory.com Email: info@thebombfactory.com

### The Draft House



This is a bar with a relaxed atmosphere, one that's inviting for groups of friends and low-key fun. Offering a full bar and grill, it is also

equipped with several high-definition televisions on the inside and patio. Cuisine served is American.

Photo: Nejron Photo/Shutterstock.com Address: 3940 Rosemeade Parkway, Suite 170, Dallas Public Transport: Lina @ Rosemeade - N - NS Opening hours: Every day 2am - 2pm Phone: +1 972 306 8900 Internet: www.thedrafthousetx.com Email: thedrafthoustexas@gmail.com



#### Lee Harvey's



Following the vintage trend of bar designs, Lee Harvey's has both an interior and outside space that is styled with wood paneling, classic beer

signs, and - to top it all off - has a full bar. Friday nights are the busiest for the younger crowds, with the weekends catering to more seasoned clientele.

Photo: BlueSkyImage/Shutterstock.com Address: 1807 Gould Street, Dallas Public Transport: Lee Harvey's is just 6 blocks from the Dart Rail Cedars Station Opening hours: Mon - Fri 11am - 2am Sat 3pm - 2am Sun 1pm - 2am Phone: +1 214 428 1555 Internet: www.leeharveys.com Email: leeharveys@yahoo.com

### **Backdoor Comedy Club**



The Backdoor Comedy Club has consistently remained one of Dallas' most frequented comedy showcases for over 15 years. It's been credited

by Last Comic Standing, BET and Comedy Central, and it holds shows nightly. Reservations are recommended.

Photo: Bank629/Shutterstock.com Address: 8250 North Central Expressway, Dallas Public Transport: Caruth Haven @ US 75 - W - FS Phone: +1 214 328 4444 Internet: www.backdoorcomedy.com

#### Poor David's Pub



Rocking Dallas for over 30 years, Poor David's has an extensive history comprised of good music and good times. Lyle Lovett, the Dixie Chicks

and even Michael Nesmith of The Monkees have graced the stage. The pub is non-smoking and only popcorn is served, so bring your own food and get ready for a jam session.

Photo: Evannovostro/Shutterstock.com Address: 1313 South Lamar Street, Dallas Opening hours: Every day 11am - 10pm Phone: +1 214 565 1295 Internet: www.poordavidspub.com Email: david@poordavidspub.com

#### **Trinity Hall**



Soccer fans - this is the bar for you. Trinity Hall is the quintessential Irish pub experience in Dallas. Guests can drink from a selection of draft and

bottled beers, wine and Irish and Scotch whiskeys. Dine on premium entrees like filet mignon, fish and chips, or lamb stew. Oh, and catch a game on one of the Hall's many televisions. They offer games from the Spanish, German, Italian and English leagues, as well as the MLS.

Photo: Dallas Twestival/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 5321 East Mockingbird Lane, Dallas Public Transport: Adjacent to DART Light Rail platform & Bus terminal in Dallas Opening hours: Every day 11am - 1.30am Phone: +1 214 887 3600 Internet: www.trinityhall.tv Email: manager@trinityhall.tv More Info: They open earlier for soccer matches.



### Tei Tei Robata Bar



Tei Tei's is both a sushi restaurant and robata bar, serving delicious Japanese cuisine with class. Kinki Snapper and Sashimi are just two

selections from their celebrated dishes, and the bar offers premium sake. The wood-dominated interior and cool design is made even more alluring every Friday and Saturday night, when the Sake Bar features a live Dj.

Photo: KPG Payless2/Shutterstock.com Address: 2906 North Henderson Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Henderson @ Milam - E - NS Opening hours: Tue - Sun 5.30pm - 11pm Phone: +1 214 828 2400 Internet: www.teiteirobata.com Email: teitei@airmail.net

### The Goat



The Goat is a favorite among blues and pool enthusiasts. The interior is designed with an emphasis on the stage, from which great music is

played for guests seven days a week.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 7248 Gaston Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: East Grand @ Gaston - S - FS Opening hours: Mon - Sat 7am - 2am Sun 12pm - 2am Phone: +1 214 327 8119 Internet: www.thegoatdallas.com

# SHOPPING



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Shopping and sunshine are abound in Dallas. Malls, gallerias, farmer's markets, shopping districts: all are accessible and in the vicinity of major tourist sights and Big D haute spots.

### **NorthPark Center**



Acting as a microcosm for the finer things in life, NorthPark center is only five miles north of downtown Dallas and certainly worth the trip. It

has 235 retailers and department stores, as well as an assortment of dining options. You can also catch a movie at AMC NorthPark 15, or gaze at the work of artists like Andy Warhol and Frank Stella. Tax-free shopping is available for international visitors.

Photo: Blend Images/Shutterstock.com Address: 8687 North Central Expressway, Dallas Public Transport: Northpark Mall @ East Entrance - S Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 9pm Sun 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 214 363 7441 Internet: www.northparkcenter.com Email: bhines@northparkcntr.com



### Scardello



Incredible cheese paired with excellent wine - no need to say more. Try the finest cheese and charcuterie and feel a touch of Italy. You can

learn about wine pairings, and enjoy dinner nights to try various offerings.

Photo: George Dolgikh/Shutterstock.com Address: 3511 Oak Lawn Ave, Dallas Phone: +1 214 219 1300 Internet: www.scardellocheese.com

### Wild Bill's Western Store



Real Texas feel and good quality western hats as well as vast, varied and entertaining merchandise to suit all budgets. Definitely worth a visit

when shopping in Dallas.

Photo: Tancha/Shutterstock.com Address: 311 N Market Street, Dallas Public Transport: Dart Light Rail, West End Opening hours: Mon - Tue 10am - 7am Wed - Sat 10am - 9am Sun 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 214 954 1050 Internet: www.wildbillswestern.com Email: service@wildbillswestern.com

# **Central Market**



Incredible market with aisles of of fresh produce from vegetables to seafood, meat counter, beer growlers and cheeses. Don't forget to

stop by the wonderful salad bar, gelato counter and possibly grab one or two to-go dinners.

Photo: Goran Bogicevic/Shutterstock.com

Address: 5750 E Lovers Lane, Dallas Opening hours: Every day 8am - 10pm Phone: +1 214 234 7000 Internet: www.centralmarket.com Email: urcmcd@heb.com

### Galleria Dallas



Eat, watch, shop, stay, and skate—an eclectic mix of options. Galleria Dallas has over 200 shops and boutiques, including national favorites like

Macy's and Saks Fifth Avenue, as well as quick eateries and fine dining. There is a theater for when you want to relax and even a Westin hotel if when you want to stay and sleep. To top off things, the Galleria has an ice-skating center.

Photo: David Leo Veksler/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 13350 Dallas Parkway, I-635 at Dallas North Tollway, Dallas Public Transport: Dart Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 9pm Sun 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 972 702 7100 Internet: www.galleriadallas.com Email: customercare@galleriadallas.com

# West Village



Dubbed "Uptown's Downtown" by Dallasites, the West Village is a retail/residential district equipped with a day's worth of exploration.

Along with your typical stores and dining facilities, there's a "Beauty Bundle" with spas for unwinding and even personal tailors. Public transportation via the DART rail and the Dallas trolley system make West Village a fast and easy destination.

Photo: blurAZ/Shutterstock.com Address: 3699 McKinney Avenue, Dallas



Public Transport: Take the Red or Blue line to Cityplace Station. Walk Northwest along Cityplace W Blvd. Phone: +1 214 219 1144 Internet: www.westvillagedallas.com

# **Highland Park Village**



Lavish style meets accessibility at the Highland Park Village, where valet parking is available for free to optimize your shopping,

dining, and entertainment experience. Brands include: Anne Fontaine, Avant Garden, Beretta Gallery, Carolina Herrera, Chanel, Christian Louboutin, DVF, Escada, Frederic Fekkai, Gerald Tomlin Antiques, Harry Winston, Jimmy Choo, Judith Ripka, Kiehl's, Lafco NY, Madison, Molto Formaggio, Pockets Menswear, Q Custom Clothier, Ralph Lauren, St. John, Tory Burch, Vince, Warren Barron Bridal, and Williams Sonoma.

Photo: EpicStockMedia/Shutterstock.com Address: 47 Highland Park Village #208, Dallas Phone: +1 214 443 9898 Internet: www.hpvillage.com Email: info@hpvillage.com More Info: There is a full-service concierge available to facilitate the ultimate shopping experience.

### **Dallas Farmer's Market**



If you're looking for locally grown, seasonal and specialty items, then the Dallas Farmer's Market is the only stop to make. It offers produce,

meat, specialty and deli foods, flowers, and more.

Photo: Luis Tamayo/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 920 S. Harwood, Dallas Public Transport: DART- take Pearl Stop or Bus Line 35 Opening hours: Every day 10am - 6pm Phone: +1 214 664 9110 Internet: www.dallasfarmersmarket.org Email: info@dallasfarmersmarket.org

### Allen Premium Outlets



Located in the northern Dallas suburb of Allen, the premium outlets offer 100 stores for the ultimate shopping experience. Savings can

be found at familiar favorites Adidas, Coach, Gap, J. Crew, Michael Kors, True Religion, and far more.

Photo: michaeljung/Shutterstock.com Address: 820 West Stacy Road, Allen Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 9pm Sun 11am - 6pm Phone: +1 972 678 7000 Internet: www.premiumoutlets.com/allen Email: awarshawsky@simon.com

# **Grapevine Mills**



With 185 combined stores of shopping, restaurants and entertainment, the Grapevine Mills shopping center is a gem for personalized style and

fashion. From Abercrombie & Fitch to Zumiez, and everything in between, the Mills far more than just these brands.

Photo: antoniodiaz/Shutterstock.com Address: 3000 Grapevine Mills Parkway, Grapevine Opening hours: Every day 8am - 9pm Phone: +1 972 724 4910 Internet: www.simon.com/mall/grapevine-mills Email: trudy.cresswell@simon.com



### **Grand Prairie Premium Outlets**



Formerly the Paragon Outlets, the Grand Prairie Premium Outlets is only minutes away from Dallas. The attractive promenade is comprised

of 110 stores, featuring the likes of Bloomingdale's The Outlet Store, Cole Haan, Saks Fifth Avenue Off 5th, Tommy Hilfiger and more. The outlets offer an abundant selection of renowned brands and - perhaps most importantly - daily savings events.

Photo: LuckyImages/Shutterstock.com Address: 2950 West Interstate 20, Grand Prairie Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 9pm Sun 11am - 6pm Phone: +1 972 602 8383 Internet: www.premiumoutlets.com/grandprairie Email: pacampbell@simon.com

# **Times Ten Cellars**



The Times Ten Cellars combines a rustic elegance with the tranquility of the rolling vineyards in which they grow their own grapes.

As Dallas' premier wine tasting venue, Times Ten Cellars offers wine from its own Cathedral Mountain Vineyard, prepared in premium equipment from France and Italy. Relaxation flows naturally as guests choose their own wine before taking to the wine lounge or patio for enjoyment of one of Dallas' most rewarding attractions.

Photo: Christopher Gardiner/Shutterstock.com Address: 6324 Prospect Avenue, Dallas Phone: +1 214 824 9463 Internet: www.timestencellars.com/dallas Email: kert@timestencellars.com

#### **Flirt Boutique**



Flirt Boutique is Uptown fashion with Uptown accessibility. The clothing is trendy and deliciously chic, matching the boutique's overall

ambiance. Customers find their shopping experience near perfection with the availability of a lounge and yes, a wine bar.

Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com Address: 3699 Mckinney Avenue, Dallas Public Transport: Cole @ Lemmon - S - MB Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 7pm Sun 8am - 6pm Phone: +1 214 754 7001 Internet: www.flirtboutique.com Email: flirtdallas@gmail.com

#### Demerara



Located in West Village, Demerara specialty boutique is a collection of men's and women's designer clothing and accessories.

Complimentary tailoring is available in-house. Manufactured in Dallas.

Photo: Eugene Partyzan/Shutterstock.com Address: 3699 McKinney Avenue, Suite 405, Dallas Public Transport: Blackburn @ Cole - E - NS Opening hours: Mon - Sat 10am - 9pm Sun 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 214 295 7622 Internet: www.demerarausa.com Email: inquiries@demerarausa.com



# **ESSENTIAL INFORMATION**



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### **Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport**



The main airport serving both the Dallas and Fort Worth areas. As an international airport, it serves all major U.S. airlines as well as Air

Canada, British Airways, Emirates, Korean Air, KLM, Lufthansa, and AeroMexico. Impressively, it has 200 nonstop destinations, including 52 international and 148 U.S. destinations. There are various transportation services available: rental cars, taxis, public transportation, courtesy cars, shared ride programs, limousines, and charter buses. The airport itself is 18 miles from the city of Dallas.

Photo: Juan Garces Address: 200 E Airfield Dr, DFW Airport, TX Phone: +1 972 973 3112 Internet: www.dfwairport.com Email: AirportInfoCenter@dfwairport.com

## **Dallas Love Field Airport**



As Dallas's downtown airport, Love is a general-purpose airport. It is served by Southwest Airlines, United Express, Delta Connection, and

SeaPort Airlines.

The airfield is 7 miles northwest of the downtown central business district; it is also only 20 minutes from the Dallas Market Center, Downtown Convention Center, West End and the Infomart. For information concerning destinations and transportation services, visit the Dallas Love Field website or call +1 214 670 6080.

Photo: Juan Garces Address: 8008 Cedar Springs Rd, Dallas, TX Phone: +1 214 670 6080 Internet: www.dallas-lovefield.com

#### **DART Rail System**



The Dallas Area Rapid Transit is the city's leading form of public transportation. It has access to both Dallas and 12 surrounding cities,

and it also encompasses the Trinity Railway Express (TRE) and bus services. DART operates across a 700-square-mile area and utilizes HOV (high-occupancy vehicle) lanes to facilitate safe transportation. Schedules and information about fares are available on their website.

Photo: Michael Zenaty Phone: +1 214 979 1111 Internet: www.dart.org



# Taxi



There are various cab services operating in the Dallas area: Ambassador Cab +1 214 905 1111 Cowboy Cab +1 214 428 0202 Texas Cab Company

+1 214 599 9483

Dallas Yellow Cab +1 214 426 6262

Executive Taxi +1 469 222 2222

### **Post Office**

US Post Office



Photo: Andy Fuchs Address: 400 N Ervay St Phone: +1 214 468 8270

## Pharmacy



Abundant locations of Walgreen's, CVS, Wal-Mart, Target and various independent chain store retailers.

Photo: Gemma Garner

### Telephone



Country code: +1 Area Codes in Dallas: 214, 469, 512, 682, 817, 903, 940, 972

#### Photo: Jardson Almeida

### Electricity



Flat 2 or 3 prong plugs. Comes standard with 110-115 volt adapters that are available in many electrical shops and discount variety stores.

Photo: Stirling Tschan

Population 1.223 million

**Currency** U. S. Dollars \$1 = 100 cents

#### **Opening hours**

General opening hours for shops are 10am - 9pm from Monday to Saturday, and 12pm - 6pm on Sundays.

#### Newspapers

Dallas Business Journal Dallas Morning News Dallas Observer El Heraldo News El Hispano News Oak Cliff People Park Cities People Preston Hollow People

#### Emergency numbers

Ambulance: 911 Fire: 911 Police: 911 Jack Evans Police Headquarters: +1 214 671 3001

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