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The grind and glam of Nashville, Tennessee was well-earned. After all, it's known nationally and even worldwide as the "Music City." Serving home to the Grand Ole Opry, the Country Music Hall of Fame and many major record labels, Nashville may trace the moniker back to 1874, when a performance by the Fisk Jubilee Singers for Queen Victoria of England earned her instant admiration and statement: "These young people must surely come from a musical city." Do not be misled, however, for Nashville boasts a wealth of other cultural, historical and natural attractions.



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# THE CITY



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The beautiful city of Nashville was founded in 1779 and is the second largest city in Tennessee, after Memphis. It is located on the Cumberland River in the north-central part of the state and makes it a great river city with a nice riverfront. Nashville is known as a center of the music industry, it is even called the "Music City" and has long been a cultural epicenter of the South. As the "home of country music", Nashville has become a major music recording and production center.

When in Nashville you will be meet by friendly people and experience a vibrant university community since the city is home to numerous colleges and universities. Nashville has many attractions to keep you busy, from Country Music Hall of Fame and the admired Grand Ole Opry House to Johnny Cash Museum, historic buildings and sports. The city also offers a vibrant, ever-growing art scene with a variety of art museums, galleries, and performing arts institutions.

With its fascinating mix of musical, historical and cultural flavors, Nashville is certainly a city for all seasons and styles.

# DO & SEE



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Nashville, a vibrant city with plenty of attractions that will keep the tourist busy no matter the taste and interest. From musical attractions like the Johnny Cash Museum and Country Music Hall of Fame to professional sporting events including historical properties and gorgeous feats of nature, Nashville is bound to impress. A city not only creative in music but also have a countless art galleries, up and coming fachion score bistoric landmarks

up-and-coming fashion scene, historic landmarks and a great food scene.

## **Grand Ole Opry**



The Grand Ole Opry is where it all began. Come experience a piece of Nashville music history that dates back to a simple radio broadcast in

1925. Now an entertainment phenomenon, Opry sets the stage for a mix of country greats, from new stars to superstars and legends. Among the Opry's current members are Dierks Bentley, Charlie Daniels, Jimmy Dickens, Vince Gill, Martina McBride, Brad Paisley, Carrie Underwood and Keith Urban. The Grand Ole Opry is known worldwide as "The Show That Made Country Music Famous."

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Address: 2804 Opryland Drive, Nashville Phone: +1 800 733 6779 Internet: www.opry.com

# **Country Music Hall Of Fame And Museum**



The Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum has been home to America's country music since 1967. It is dedicated to preserving the cultural

significance of music and the achievements of those who form its membership. The Museum illustrates country music throughout two centuries with historic video clips, recorded music, dynamic exhibits, state-of-the-art designs, live performances, public programs, the Museum Store, onsite dining and fabulous public spaces. The Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums.

Photo: ShelahD/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 222 5th Avenue, Nashville Phone: +1 615 416 2001 Internet: countrymusichalloffame.org Email: info@countrymusichalloffame.org

#### **Ryman Auditorium**



The Ryman Auditorium was built in 1892 and designated a National Historic Landmark! It offers the best in entertainment

opportunities, from self-guided museum or guided backstage tours and CD recordings in the Ryman Recording Studio, to nighttime concerts. The famed venue was named Pollstar's "Theatre of the Year" in 2010, 2011, 2012 and 2013, and it was also a 2-time winner of "Venue of the Year" from the Academy of Country Music! Photo: KennStilger47/Shutterstock.com Address: 116 Fifth Avenue North, Nashville Opening hours: Box Office Hours: Monday - Sunday: 9am -4pm Phone: +1 615 889 3060 Internet: www.ryman.com

#### Tennessee Titans



The Tennessee Titans are one of the NFL's newer franchises, but their history extends to back to the days of the American Football League when

they were the Houston Oilers. The Titans have established themselves as a highly competitive franchise, even having made it to Super Bowl XXXIV. Their regular season runs from September until December, with the playoffs taking place in January.

Photo: KennStilger47/Shutterstock.com Address: 460 Great Circle Road, Nashville Phone: +1 615 565 4000 Internet: www.titansonline.com

#### **Frist Center for Visual Arts**



The vivacious and family-friendly Frist Center is located in downtown Nashville. It is a world-class art center dedicated to presenting

local, regional, national and international exhibitions. The Frist features the award-winning Martin ArtQuest Gallery with interactive art-making stations, along with educational programs, free live music on Thursday and Friday evenings, a gift shop of handcrafted merchandise and a full-service cafe.

Photo: Kathleen Tyler Conklin/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 919 Broadway, Nashville



Phone: +1 615 244 3340 Internet: fristcenter.org

## **Cheekwood Museum And Botanical Gardens**



Cheekwood is a 55-acre estate built by the Maxwell House Coffee, as well as one of the finest examples of an 'American Country Place Era' estate

in the United States. The Botanical Garden is a showcase of vibrancy and horticultural diversity, with 11 specialty display gardens and a manicured natural landscape. The Museum of Art has collections of painting, sculpture and decorative arts and furthermore, visitors can enjoy the 4 distinct festivals held throughout the year.

Photo: Angel/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 1200 Forrest Park Drive, Nashville Opening hours: Tuesday - Sunday: 9am - 5pm Phone: +1 615 356 8000 Internet: www.cheekwood.org Email: info@cheekwood.org

#### The Parthenon



Nashville boasts the world's only full-scale reproduction of the famous Greek temple! The Parthenon stands in Centennial Park and

features the city's art museum and Athena Parthenos—which is the tallest indoor sculpture in the Western world at 42-feet. The Parthenon has continued to host changing art exhibits since the 1930s, preserving the legacy of the ancient Greeks and their impact on American civilization.

Photo: KennStilger47/Shutterstock.com Address: 2500 West End Avenue, Nashville Phone: +1 615 862 8431

#### Internet:

www.nashville.gov/Parks-and-Recreation/Parthenon.aspx Email: info@parthenon.org

#### **Nashville Shakespeare Festival**



Where else can you see Eddie George take the stage as Othello? The Nashville Shakespeare Festival is one of the city's proudest

attractions, holding public productions and educational workshops to educate and entertain both young and old. For a more detailed program, see website below.

Photo: Daniel Precht/Shutterstock.com Address: 161 Rains Avenue, Nashville Phone: +1 615 255 2273 Internet: www.nashvilleshakes.org Email: thebard@nashvilleshakes.org

## **Music City Walk of Fame**



The Music City Walk of Fame is located across the street from the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum. Nashville's Music Mile is

a landmark tribute to all genres of music and the individuals who have contributed to the world through song or industry collaborations. The Music City Walk of Fame celebrates music celebrities who lived, worked and played in Nashville, commemorated with sidewalk stars.

Photo: iraua/Shutterstock.com Address: 4th Avenue South, Nashville Internet: www.visitmusiccity.com/walkoffame Email: walkoffame@visitmusiccity.com



## Segway Of Nashville Tours



Experience Nashville from a different point of view! Get on a Segway and roll your way through the town while catching all the important sights

such as the Farmers' Market, Country Music Hall of Fame and Bridgestone Arena. There are different tours to choose from like the "Land and sea adventure", where you will combine a downtown tour on a segway with paddle board tour down the Cumberland River! There is also the "all access music pass" where you will ride your own segway to three of Nashville's finest music attractions.

Photo: Dima Sidelnikov/Shutterstock.com Address: 300 Commerce Street, Nashville Phone: +1 615 244 0555 Internet: www.iridenashville.com

#### **Centennial Park**



Located on the West End and 25th Avenue North, Centennial Park is one of the finest parks in Nashville. It is also here the iconic Parthenon

stands. The park is the perfect getaway on a sunny afternoon. Bring a picnic, a blanket and just enjoy a few hours away from the bustling city.

Photo: Cheryl E. Davis/Shutterstock.com Address: 2500 West End Avenue, Nashville Phone: +1 615 862 8400 Internet: www.nashville.gov/Parks-and-Recreation/Parks/Cen tennial-Park.aspx

## Nashville Paddle Company



Stand-up paddle boarding is an activity that suites all ages and is a great workout while having fun on the water! Nashville Paddle Co. is the place to

go to with instructors for all levels, beginners or advanced, everyone is welcome. They even have paddleboard yoga classes!

Photo: EpicStockMedia/Shutterstock.com Address: 2901 Bell Rd., Nashville Phone: +1 615 682 1787 Internet: www.nashvillepaddle.com Email: info@nashvillepaddle.com

#### The District



Situated in the heart of downtown, The District is a vibrant and a total fun area. Here you will find countless bars and restaurants that are all

devoted to country music. In addition, there are gift shops, cafes, ice cream stores and candy stores located here too. All you need to do is to dive into the country feeling.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com Address: The District, Nashville Internet: www.thedistrictnashville.org Email: info@thedistrictnashville.org More Info: Situated in the heart of downtown Nashville along the Cumberland River. It comprises three historic and important city districts: Broadway, 2nd Avenue, and Printer's Alley



#### Bridgestone Arena



The illustrious Bridgestone Arena opened in 1996 and has hosted over 13 million guests since. As Nashville's number one

venue for large-scale musical productions, the Arena is also one of the nation's most highly-acclaimed entertainment and sports venues. The seating capacity is approximately 20,000 for concerts, 19,395 for basketball and 17,113 for Nashville Predators games! Find the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame, an XM Radio studio, the Nashville Convention and Visitors Bureau, The Patrón Platinum Club and more at the Bridgestone Arena.

Photo: red mango/Shutterstock.com Address: 501 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 770 2000 Internet: www.bridgestonearena.com

#### **Municipal Auditorium**



The Nashville Municipal Auditorium was built in 1962 to hold a diversity of events, concerts, circuses, auto shows, evangelical crusades,

trade shows and touring extravaganzas! Check out the website for more details of upcoming events for your Nashville vacation.

Photo: Roman Voloshyn/Shutterstock.com Address: 417 4th Avenue North, Nashville Phone: +1 615 862 6390 Internet: www.nashvilleauditorium.com Email: municipal.auditorium@nashville.gov

#### **Nashville Symphony**



The Nashville Symphony offers over 200 performances annually ranging from classical, pops, special events, children's concerts and

community outreach programs. The center is dedicated to achieving the highest standard for excellence in musical performance and educational programs, in addition to engaging the community, enriching audiences and shaping cultural life in Nashville.

Photo: Jirapong Manustrong/Shutterstock.com Address: 1 Symphony Place, Nashville Phone: +1 615 687 6400 Internet: www.nashvillesymphony.org Email: tickets@nashvillesymphony.org

#### **Nashville Predators**



The Nashville Predators are proof that, while Nashville may be the friendliest place on Earth during the day, but during gametime the

claws come out! From their stadium at the Bridgestone Arena, the NHL's Nashville Predators are pure, raw excitement for hockey and sports enthusiasts in general. Come and experience "Smashville!" The regular seasons runs from October until April.

Photo: Stephen Yeargin/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 501 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 770 2300 Internet: predators.nhl.com Email: predators@nashvillepredators.com



#### Vanderbilt Dyer Observatory



Nashville invites you to experience the stars with Vanderbilt University's Dyer Observatory. It sits high atop one of the tallest peaks near

Nashville, allowing for wonderful views of space. Both students and the public are introduced to the wonders of astronomy and space exploration.

Photo: bluecrayola/Shutterstock.com Address: 1000 Oman Drive, Nashville Opening hours: Dyer Observatory open Tuesday – Friday: 8am – 5pm by appointment Phone: +1 615 373 4897 Internet: dyer.vanderbilt.edu

# The Hermitage, Home of President Andrew Jackson



President Andrew Jackson's Hermitage first opened to the public in 1889. It has since welcomed over 15 million guests! Located only

minutes from downtown Nashville, the National Historic Site comprises of 1120-acres of legendary grounds and pure history. Explore Hermitage Mansion, the first Hermitage, gardens, museum, enslaved memorials and so much more. There is also the Hermitage by wagon and intimate evening tours seasonally.

Photo: Zack Frank/Shutterstock.com Address: 4580 Rachel's Lane, Nashville Phone: +1 615 889 2941 Internet: www.thehermitage.com Email: info@thehermitage.com

#### DINING



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Not only known for its music scene, Nashville, has taken a giant step towards the culinary world, a city where the food scene is constantly booming and where food events are regularly hold. The creative spirit of the city is certainly reflecting its kitchens where everything from Southern fare to modern cuisine and everything in between is beautifully presented by the passionate chefs. Nashville truly offers something for every taste, and every nationality and region is represented on the plate. Some of the more popular types of local cuisine include hot chicken, hot fish, barbecue and meat. Come and find out why the emerging culinary scene has put Nashville on the gastronomic radar!

## Monell's Dining & Catering



"When in Rome" quickly becomes "when in Nashville" with dining delights like Monell's. Enjoy Southern Cuisine with a Nashville twist in a

historic setting. Featured dishes include local favorites like the skillet-fried chicken, pork chops, pot roast and BBQ ribs. The menu changes daily to ensure the freshest of local, seasonal ingredients.

Photo: Duplass/Shutterstock.com



Address: 1235 6th Avenue North, Nashville Opening hours: Open for breakfast, lunch and dinner Phone: +1 615 248 4747 Internet: monellstn.com

#### **Kayne Prime**



Kayne Prime is both Nashville's independent "boutique steakhouse" and M Street's dining gem. The name "Kayne" derives from the historic

Kayne switch yard, located directly across 11th Avenue. Kayne celebrates both traditional American steaks and modern interpretations, featuring classics, market-driven fresh ingredients and farm-to-table dishes. Craft cocktails accompany the extensive wine list, and dinner is served 7 nights a week. You will also be spoiled by spectacular views of the historic train yards, Union Station and the downtown skyline while dining.

Photo: istetiana/Shutterstock.com Address: 1103 McGavock Street, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 5pm - 10pm, Friday -Satudray: 5pm - 11pm Phone: +1 615 259 0050 Internet: www.mstreetnashville.com/kayne-prime Email: contact@mstreetnashville.com

#### **Burger Up**



Burger Up epitomizes "thoughtful consuming" through providing a menu of locally sourced food. Local farms with sustainable farm

practices supply Burger Up's meats and produce, so the guest may dine comfortably. Burgers and house fries are the ever-favorite specialties, with a supplement of salads and yummy appetizers to keep every palate satisfied. Burger Up has been

## a NCVB Member since 2010.

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: 2901 12th Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Sunday: 11am-10pm Phone: +1 615 279 3767 Internet: www.burger-up.com Email: BurgerUp@CommunityHospitality.com

#### The Capitol Grille



The Capitol Grille in Nashville's Hermitage Hotel is lauded to be a favorite of Nashvillians who are "in the know." Striving to preserve the

past while utilizing current methods of sustainability, the Capitol Grille serves vegetables that are grown just 5 miles from the restaurant. Also, the beef is raised at The Hermitage Hotel's own Double H Farms just west of Nashville. The menu features Southern Fusion with dishes that have reinvented Southern gourmet cuisine.

Photo: 135pixels/Shutterstock.com Address: 231 Sixth Avenue North, Nashville Opening hours: Breakfast: 6:30am - 11am, Lunch:11:30am -2pm, Dinner: 5pm - 10pm, Weekend Brunch: 11am - 2pm Phone: +1 615 345 7116 Internet: www.capitolgrillenashville.com Email: tmedl@thehermitagehotel.com

#### **Firefly Grille**



The ever-unique Firefly Grille is tucked away on Bandywood Drive. Not to be missed, the funky restaurant in Green Hills has eclectic decor and

modern art work. The atmosphere is friendly and relaxing, stimulating the palate with a menu of trendy wines and Cajun/Creole cuisine.



Photo: vectorfusionart/Shutterstock.com Address: 2201 Bandywood Drive, Nashville Opening hours: Lunch: Monday-Saturday: 11am-2pm, Dinner: Monday-Thursday: 5pm - 9pm, Friday and Saturday: 5pm-10pm

Phone: +1 615 383 0042 Internet: www.fireflygrillenashville.com Email: fireflygrille.bandywood@gmail.com

# **City House**



City House is a chef-owned and operated restaurant featuring Italian cuisine that's inspired and influenced by the American South.

The hidden gem serves a menu of antipasti, pizza, pasta, fish, meat and a wide selection of drinks. Complement every dish with a cocktail, bourbon, whiskey or wine. Desserts include the delicious chocolate stout + espresso ice box cake, butterscotch panna cotta and more.

Photo: sebasnoo/Shutterstock.com Address: 1222 4th Avenue North, Nashville Opening hours: Monday: 5pm - 10pm, Tuesday: Closed, Wednesday - Saturday: 5pm - 10pm, Sunday: 5pm - 9pm Phone: +1 615 736 5838 Internet: cityhousenashville.com Email: info@cityhousenashville.com

#### Fleming's Prime Steakhouse & Wine Bar



Fleming's Prime

Steakhouse & Wine Bar invites guests to indulge in the finest aged prime beef and their award-winning wine list,

featuring 100 wines by the glass. The warm ambiance boasts an open dining room constructed around an exhibition kitchen and expansive bar. Private dining rooms are adjacent to the main room. Photo: Evgeny Karandaev/Shutterstock.com Address: 2525 West End Avenue, Suite 220, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 5pm - 10pm, Friday -Saturday: 4.30pm - 11pm, Sunday: 4pm - 9pm Phone: +1 615 342 0131 Internet: www.flemingssteakhouse.com Email: GuestService@FlemingsSteakhouse.com

#### Joey's House of Pizza



Pizzas at Joey's House of Pizza are made fresh every day. Real, homemade, authentic New York style pizza that will make Northerners

feel like at home. Besides pizzas, they serve Italian pastas, salads, calzones and more. You will not be disappointed!

Photo: Foodio/Shutterstock.com Address: 897 Elm Hill Pike, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 11am - 3pm, Saturday -Sunday: Closed/Private Party Phone: +1 615 254 5639 Internet: www.joeyshouseofpizza.com Email: joeyhouseofpizza@aol.com

#### Etch Restaurant



For a classy, upscale evening with happy hour pricing, Etch Restaurant is the place to go. The homemade ice cream, appetizers and cocktails

are excellent and together with the very knowledgeable staff it is the recipe for a great evening. Open for lunch and dinner.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 303 Demonbreun St, Nashville Opening hours: Lunch: Monday – Friday: 11am – 2pm, Dinner: Monday – Thursday: 5pm – 10pm, Friday – Saturday: 5pm – 10.30pm, Sunday: Closed, Bar opens daily at 4pm Phone: +1 615 522 0685 Internet: www.etchrestaurant.com



Email: info@etchrestaurant.com

#### **Mas Tacos Por Favor**



Más Tacos por favor serves tacos that are just that little bit different from the typical taco. Try Sweet Potato and Quinoa tacos as well as Cactus

and Chorizo, you will not regret it and do not forget the ice-cold margaritas to complement your mouth-watering dinner! Also serving fish tacos, soups and chilaquiles.

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: 732 Mcferrin Ave, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 11am - 9pm Phone: +1 615 543 6271 Email: eatmastacos@live.com

#### The Wild Cow



The Wild Cow is serving vegan, vegetarian and gluten-free food cooked freshly with local and organ produce and it is all served in a fun, casual

environment. The philosophy of cruelty-free, healthy food is really practiced here as you will not find any microwave or freezer in the restaurant.

Photo: Foxys Forest Manufacture/Shutterstock.com Address: 1896 Eastland Ave, Nashville Opening hours: Monday: 11am - 9pm, Tuesday: Closed, Wednesday - Thursday: 11am - 9pm, Friday - Saturday: 11am - 10pm, Sunday: 11am - 9pm Phone: +1 615 262 2717 Internet: thewildcow.com Email: thewildcow@live.com

## McNamara's Irish Pub and Restaurant



As the name already suggests, this Irish pub serves authentic Irish classics in a traditional pub environment. The obligatory live music and

whiskey are not missing either. From the menu, you can choose dishes like fish and chips, Guinness stew, Scotch eggs, salmon salad and potato soup.

Photo: Subbotina Anna/Shutterstock.com Address: 2740 Old Lebanon Rd, Nashville Opening hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday: 11am -10pm, Friday & Saturday: 11am - Midnight, Sunday: 11am -10pm, Monday: Closed Phone: +1 615 885 7262 Internet: www.mcnamarasirishpub.com

# Demo's Steak & Spaghetti House



Demo's features hand-trimmed, USDA Choice steaks as their specialty. The menu also highlights lean, fresh-ground burgers, as

well as distinctively seasoned meats that are roasted or grilled to order. The recipes have stayed the same for 4 generations, leading to dishes like the Greek-style Chicken Sauce Spaghetti, Brown Butter Garlic Spaghetti, Bacon-Wrapped Filet of Beef, 10 oz Pot Roast, Grilled Tilapia, Grilled Salmon and more!

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: 300 Commerce Street, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday-Thursday 11am - 10:30pm, Friday & Saturday 11am - 11pm Phone: +1 615 256 4655 Internet: demosrestaurants.com



#### **Marche Artisan Foods**



Dazzle your palate for breakfast, lunch and dinner with Marche in the heart of Historic East Nashville. As a bustling European-style café and

marketplace, Marche focuses on simple, seasonal cuisine. Find a vast selection of housemade pastries, a full coffee and espresso bar, fresh fish, meats, cheeses and a selection of gourmet grocery items. For late night dining, look to a menu of soups, salads, latkes, pastas, seafood and beef.

Photo: David P. Smith/Shutterstock.com Address: 1000 Main Street, Nashville Opening hours: Monday: Closed, Tuesday - Friday: 8am -9pm, Breakfast: 8am-11am, Lunch: 11am - 4pm, Dinner: 5pm - 9pm, Saturday: Brunch 8am - 4pm, Dinner: 5pm - 9pm, Sunday: Brunch: 9am - 4pm Phone: +1 615 262 1111 Internet: www.marcheartisanfoods.com Email: info@marcheartisanfoods.com

## Puckett's Grocery - 5th and Church



Puckett's is family owned and operated, serving Southern meat-and-three for breakfast, lunch and dinner! Since the 1950s, Tennesseans have been

spoiled by Puckett's perfection. Cherry smoked hot wings, smoked sausage & cheese, shrimp & grits, Puckett's cherry smoked baby back ribs and other tasty entrees keep you coming back for more. To round things off, they even feature live music Monday through Saturday.

Photo: farbled/Shutterstock.com Address: 500 Church Street, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 7am - 10pm, Friday -Saturday: 7am - 11pm Phone: +1 615 770 2772 Internet: puckettsgrocery.com

# **Darfons Restaurant & Lounge**



The contemporary Darfons is under the helm of Executive Chef Todd Albertson, who prepares a menu of Traditional American cuisine. Steaks,

seafood, sandwiches and salads are all served alongside a selection of fine wines, beers and specialty cocktails from their lounge. If you're seeking the perfect setting for a romantic dinner, then Darfons is the answer. Modern design and lighting is paired with intimate seating.

Photo: HQuality/Shutterstock.com Address: 2810 Elm Hill Pike, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Saturday : 11am – 10pm, Saturday Brunch : 11am – 2.30pm, Sunday: Closed Phone: +1 615 889 3032 Internet: www.darfonsrestaurant.com Email: darfonsrestaurant@yahoo.com

#### 1808 Grille



Fine dining in a modern environment is to be had at 1808. Ideal for corporate lunches, private dining, romantic dinners or relaxed

evenings, the elegant 1808 Grille is dressed in woods and rich shades of green, blue and white. Savor delectable dishes of New American cuisine, which blends traditional dishes with global flavors. Prime meat and sustainable seafood entrees are paired with chutneys, aiolis and vinaigrettes, while farm fresh produce and signature side dishes add the perfect complement.

Photo: shutterdandan/Shutterstock.com Address: 1808 West End Avenue, Nashville



Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 6.30am - 11pm, Friday -Saturday: 6.30am - 12am, Sunday: 6.30am - 11pm Phone: +1 615 340 0012 Internet: www.1808grille.com Email: info@1808grille.com

# Maggiano's Little Italy



Maggiano's is merely minutes from downtown Nashville. They offer guests authentic Italian cuisine in a comfortable setting. Prepare to be

impressed with a selection of both classic and contemporary Italian-American recipes: homemade pastas, signature salads, prime steaks, fresh fish, regular chef specials and specialty desserts are paired with wines from acclaimed vintners and Maggiano's own private wine label, Salute Amico.

Photo: Jiri Hera/Shutterstock.com Address: 3106 West End Avenue, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11am - 10pm, Friday: 11am - 11pm, Saturday: 11.30am - 11pm, Sunday: 11:30am -9pm Phone: +1 615 514 0270 Internet: www.maggianos.com

# **Merchants Restaurant**



Merchants Restaurant is located within a historic building in the heart of downtown Nashville. Rejuvenated in 2010, Merchants offers a casual

and lively dining experience on the first floor, a refined dining space on the second floor and private dining on the third floor. Enjoy a menu of prime, contemporary Southern food.

Photo: farbled/Shutterstock.com Address: 401 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 254 1892 Internet: www.merchantsrestaurant.com

## The Old Spaghetti Factory



The Old Spaghetti Factory offers a complete meal of authentic Italian cuisine. Entrees include chicken parmigiana, baked lasagna, spinach

and cheese ravioli, garlic shrimp capellini and much more. End the evening with a delicious dessert like chocolate mousse cake or spumoni ice cream.

Photo: luckyraccoon/Shutterstock.com Address: 160 Second Avenue North, Nashville Opening hours: Open for lunch and dinner Phone: +1 615 254 9010 Internet: www.osf.com Email: info@osf.com

#### CAFES



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While in Nashville, start at the internationally acclaimed Bluebird Cafe. Not only is it featured in primetime shows like the eponymous "Nashville" but a wealth of country music's best stars have made its stage home on many occasions! From there, be sure to check out Music City's other great cafes where to enjoy a great cup of strong coffee or tea. The large variety of cafes spread across the city will show that there is more to the city than music.



## **Bluebird Café**



If you've never been to Nashville but you've seen the hit show, then you've seen the Bluebird Café! Long before becoming a part of the popular show,

Bluebird has been one of Music City's most loved music venues. They feature hit songwriters as well as fostering up-and-coming artists. In addition to craft appetizers like baked brie, Bluebird also features quesadillas, sandwiches and entrees, accompanied by a wine and beer list. Reservations are recommended.

Photo: donatas1205/Shutterstock.com Address: 4104 Hillsboro Road, Nashville Phone: +1 615 383 1461 Internet: www.bluebirdcafe.com Email: info@bluebirdcafe.com

# Chef's Market Cafe and Takeaway



Chef's Market was voted "#1 Caterer in Nashville" for the past two years! Serving all of Middle Tennessee, Chef's Market has become one of Music

City's go-to restaurants to meet everyone's food needs. It's easy to see why they're so great with a menu featuring delicious items like these: salads, white lasagna, New England style pot roast, Jerusalem chicken and calypso roasted pork loin! Top things offs like delicacies such as cake, cookies and ice cream!

Photo: Marian Weyo/Shutterstock.com Address: 900 Conference Drive, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 10.30am - 8.30pm, Friday - Saturday: 10.30am - 9pm, Sunday: Closed. Phone: +1 615 851 2433 Internet: www.chefsmarket.com Email: info@chefsmarket.com

# **Frothy Monkey Coffeehouse**



Frothy Monkey Coffeehouse is a comfy, neighborhood coffeehouse offering a full breakfast, lunch and dinner menu. The dishes

are made with locally-sourced, natural and sustainably produced ingredients whenever possible. The staff includes a number of trained baristas who are qualified to provide superior coffee and espresso, proudly brewing Kaldi's Coffee daily. They are also are a BYOB establishment, conveniently allowing wines and high gravity beers above 6% in alcohol.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com Address: 2509 12th Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday – Thursday: 7am – 9pm, Friday – Saturday: 7am – 10pm, Sunday: 8am – 9pm Phone: +1 615 600 4756 Internet: www.frothymonkeynashville.com Email: info@frothymonkey.com

#### Garage Coffee Company Nashville



Garage Coffee Company Nashville is the marquee cafe for New Jersey-based coffee roasters. From its location in the historic Marathon Motors

building, GCCN offers a full menu of coffee and espresso drinks. Freshly baked goods and a daily menu of soups, salads, sandwiches and wraps are all made daily for you. While dining and enjoying your coffee, be sure to explore the interesting décor—which is all vintage automotive inspired!

Photo: Loveischiangrai/Shutterstock.com Address: 1200 Clinton Street, Studio 25, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 7am - 6pm, Saturday: 9am - 6pm, Sunday: 9am - 4pm



Phone: +1 888 917 6789 Internet: garagecoffeecompanynashville.com Email: info@gcc-nashville.com

#### Legato Gelato



Legato is a premier gelato shop who creates their gelato daily using the freshest of local ingredients. Whether it be the fruits used in the

sorbets, or milk from local farms used in the gelato, the ingredients are as natural as they come. No artificial sweeteners, dyes or extracts are used, and there are even gluten-free baked goods made as well!

Photo: Gtranquillity/Shutterstock.com Address: 1200 Villa Place, Suite 113, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 11.30am - 9pm, Sunday: 12pm - 9pm Phone: +1 615 530 3190 Email: info@legatogelato.com

#### M. Market and Deli



M. Market and Deli is located in Cummins Station, serving Nashville breakfast and lunch Monday through Saturday. Browse

through an immense selection at the gourmet coffee bar, which features everything from hot chocolate to cool milkshakes. The menu offers delicatessens such as artesian cheese, along with fresh and organic soups, salads, sandwiches and a daily special.

Photo: MartiniDry/Shutterstock.com Address: 209 10th Avenue South, Suite 213, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 7am - 3pm, Saturday: 10am - 3pm, Sunday: Closed Phone: +1 615 678 1591 Email: info@mmarketanddeli.com

#### Mason's



Mason's is a Southern brasserie draped in modern flair. Award-winning chef Brandon Frohne seeks to impress with a menu of

Contemporary American and European cuisine. Each dish is infused with a taste of the South, making Mason's truly one-of-a-kind. Mason Bar is sure to complement any meal with a selection of beer, wines and spirits, with emphasis on Tennessee whiskey and Kentucky bourbon.

Photo: Tyler Olson/Shutterstock.com Address: 2100 West End Avenue, Nashville Opening hours: Breakfast: 6:30am - 11am, Lunch: 11am -3pm, Dinner: 5pm - 10pm Phone: +1 615 321 1990 Internet: masons-nashville.com Email: masons-nashville@loewshotels.com

#### Provence Breads & Cafe - Downtown



Provence is a locally owned, independent bakery and cafe. They serve only the best of all natural ingredients, from breads and pastries, to

their coffee and meals. It's nearly impossible to choose from a menu that features wonderful Banana Nut Oatmeal, French Toast, Crustless Quiche and Pastry Bread Pudding for breakfast, with lunch serving dishes such as the Smoked Salmon Tartine, Mediterranean Tuna Salad Sandwich and Poulet Salad!

Photo: Elena Elisseeva/Shutterstock.com Address: 601 Church Street, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 7am - 4pm, Saturday -Sunday: 9am - 3pm Phone: +1 615 664 1150 Internet: www.provencebreads.com



#### Savannah's Candy Kitchen of Nashville



Savannah's Candy Kitchen of Nashville serves up traditional freshly-made candies, ice cream, gelato and treats created daily! Hot fresh

pralines are scooped onto a thick marble slap to cool before being given as yummy samples. Salt water taffy is made on an authentic old-fashioned taffy machine. Caramel and chocolate hand-dipped apples, chocolate and caramel gophers, nostalgic candies and the most scrumptious chocolates around town will keep you saying "more please!"

Photo: Teri Virbickis/Shutterstock.com Address: 310 Broadway, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday- Thursday: 10am - 11pm, Friday -Saturday: 10am - 12am Phone: +1 615 313 9919 Internet: www.savannahcandy.com Email: info@savannahcandy.com

#### Thistle Stop Cafe



Thistle Farms sells Nashville-based and fair-trade coffees, teas and healthy catered foods. A stage gives women who have

survived tumultuous pasts a place to share healing stories while providing opportunities for artists to express their creative works.

Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com Address: 5128 Charlotte Avenue, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 8am - 3pm, Saturday: 8am -4pm Phone: +1 615 953 6440 Internet: www.thistlestopcafe.org Email: info@thistlestopcafe.org More Info: The Cafe closes at 2pm on the 1st Friday of each month

#### Fido



Fido was named "Best Place for Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner" by the Nashville Scene! Come discover where the magic happens, for Fido is an

amalgamation of upscale coffeehouses and casual dining venues. They serve coffee from sister store Bongo Java, as well as a diverse, creative and locally-sourced menu. Fare includes breakfast platters served all day, bagels and bagel sandwiches, craft sandwiches, soups, salads, snacks and delicious entrees.

Photo: Edward Fielding/Shutterstock.com Address: 1812 21st Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Sunday: 7am - 11pm Phone: +1 615 777 3436 Internet: www.bongojava.com/fido-cafe Email: info@bongojava.com

# **BARS AND NIGHTLIFE**



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Nightlife in Nashville is always brimming and the main focus is evidently on music. Music acts are hosted day and into the night and not only country music is played but also rock, swing blues and jazz. When in the party mood hit the downtown to the vibrant area of Broadway or Printer's Alley. Whether you're seeking to dance the night away, mingle with the friendly locals or have a cold beer, Nashville offers a wide



selection of dance clubs, venues and bars, all you need to do is to put on your best pair of dancing shoes and be ready for a fun night out!

## 12 South Taproom



The 12 South Taproom & Grill has an ambiance as fun and eclectic as its patrons. Dine on hot and made-to-order culinary creations, and sip on

distinct, craft libations. Their beverage list features beers, wine and even sake, fit to complement the live music.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 2318 12th Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Sunday: 11am-12am Phone: +1 615 463 7552 Internet: 12southtaproom.com Email: info@12southtaproom.com

#### **Bar Louie**



Look to Bar Louie for a night of endless entertainment and in an urban bar setting. The warm surroundings are filled with nightlife

photography, hand-laid tile artwork and other local architecture. They were made famous for their handcrafted signature martinis, but they also feature a selection of American fare both traditionally and regionally inspired. Find a menu of small plates, burgers and sandwiches. And of course, signature cocktails!

Photo: Nemanja Novakovic/Shutterstock.com Address: 314 11th Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11am - 2am, Friday: 11am - 3am, Saturday: 10am - 3am, Sunday: 10am - 2am Phone: +1 615 457 1632 Internet: www.barlouie.com Email: nashville@barlouieamerica.com

## **Corsair Artisan Brewery Taproom**



Corsair Artisan Brewery Taproom is located in Marathon Village. They pour only draft, craft beers as a brewpub attached to Nashville's

first distillery since Prohibition. Their beer roster changes 16 craft beers from microbreweries around the country, and they pour pints and fill growlers of all 16! They rotate 2 to 3 beers a week, and they keep 6 taps for local beers at all times, 9 taps for US craft beers and have 1 tap for a German draft.

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: 1200 Clinton Street 110, Nashville Phone: +1 615 200 0320 Internet: www.corsairtaproom.com

# Holland House Bar & Refuge



One simply has to list the awards of Holland House to secure the interest of Nahsville Visitors: HHB&R was featured in Imbibe magazine as "one

of the top 100 bars in the South," while Food & Wine Magazine, Details Magazine and Entrepreneur Magazine named them "one of the ten best bars in the nation to do business." Moreover, HHB&R has been internationally acclaimed as a top destination for cocktails and cuisine. If this wasn't enough, even their space is award-winning!

Photo: Jacob Lund/Shutterstock.com Address: 935 W. Eastland Avenue, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 4pm - 10pm, Friday -Saturday: 4pm - 12am Phone: +1 615 262 4190



Internet: www.hollandhousebarandrefuge.com Email: hollandhousebarandrefuge@gmail.com

#### The Patterson House



The Patterson House is located in an historic former residence Midtown and a popular location for locals. Their meal and drink menu

nods to the pre-Prohibition era when alluring cocktails and ever-vibrant conversation marked the cosmopolitan American nightlife.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com Address: 1711 Division Street, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday - Wednesday: 5pm - 1am, Thursday -Saturday: 5pm - 3am Phone: +1 615 636 7724 Internet: www.thepattersonnashville.com Email: info@thepattersonnashville.com

#### Saffire



Both locally and nationally acclaimed, Saffire is a sought-after venue night after night. The chefs begin stoking the coals early in the day

to ensure a burst of flavor come time. Their menu features, "The Best Seafood in Nashville," along with tender meats, international wines and other unique libations.

Photo: Minerva Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 230 Franklin Road, Building 11, Nashville Phone: +1 615 599 4995 Internet: saffirerestaurant.com Email: info@saffirerestaurant.com

#### Whiskey Kitchen



Whiskey Kitchen is a "tavern-chic" bar and restaurant. The menu is a mix of chef-inspired pub favorites, southern classics and wood-fired

pizzas, while the drinks list is a combination of mixologist cocktails, world-class whiskeys, bourbons, ryes and Scotches.

Photo: Zorandim/Shutterstock.com Address: 118 12th Avenue South, Nashville Phone: +1 615 254 3029 Internet: www.mstreetnashville.com/restaurants/whiskey-kitchen

#### **Robert's Western World**



Located in the heart of Nashville, in the historic Lower Broadway District, Robert's Western World is one of the best honky tonk in town for

traditional country music. A cold beer, deep fried pickles and a house band that will keep the crowd entertained, what more could you want?

Live music seven days per week.

Photo: Dmitriy\_Tsyupa/Shutterstock.com Address: 416 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 244 9552 Internet: www.robertswesternworld.com Email: Robertswesternworld@gmail.com

#### Music City Pub Crawl



This Pub Crawl is a great way to see Nashville and start your evening with some laughter, music and drinks while learning the history of Nashville and



listing to some funny stories. The quizzes at each pub are genuinely entertaining. Simply a great mixture of sightseeing, drinking and meeting new people.

Photo: LUMOimages/Shutterstock.com Address: 2nd at Broadway, Nashville Opening hours: 7 days per week Phone: +1 615 345 4458 Internet: www.musiccitypubcrawl.com Email: info@musiccitypubcrawl.com

## **3rd and Lindsley**



On almost every Mondays, seeing the TimeJumpers play is a must. Be part of the show and enjoy an exceptional live performance, a mixed

crowd and great food. A popular place that host music every night of the week by national, international, regional and local artists. This hangout is definitely worth a visit!

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 818 3rd Ave South, Nashville Phone: +1 615 259 9891 Internet: www.3rdandlindsley.com Email: mail@3rdandlindsley.com More Info: book in advance

#### Zanies Comedy Showcase



Zanies, a premiere comedy club offers the best stand up comedy every week. Talented, local comedians can definitely bring the

audience in fits and the exceptional service staff will make sure you have an enjoyable night. Food and drinks are served for fair prices.

Photo: Andrey Armyagov/Shutterstock.com Address: 2025 8th Ave. S, Nashville Opening hours: Open 7 days a week Phone: +1 615 269 0221 Internet: www.zanies.com Email: boxoffice@zanies.com

#### **Hick Chick Tours**



If you haven't been to downtown Nashville before, the Hick Chick Tour is obligatory. Your guide will make sure you find those gems along the

way that you may not step into on your own. This is a fun sightseeing tour combined with a pub craw and at the same time, you will get the chance to mingle with locals and other tourists.

Photo: clownbusiness/Shutterstock.com Address: 154 2nd Ave N, Nashville Phone: +1 615 838 7105 Internet: www.hickchicktours.com Email: info@hickchicktours.com More Info: Meeting point: Dick's Last Resort on the corner of 2nd Avenue and Commerce Street.

#### Legends Corner



Located on top of the Broadway right beside the Ryman theater, the Legends corner can stand by its promise. Album covers, posters, photos

and signed instruments prove that a lot of the artists have stopped by here. Enjoy a high-energy band that engages the crowd and reasonably priced drinks.

Photo: Ian Tragen/Shutterstock.com Address: 428 Broadway, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Sunday: 10am - 3am Phone: +1 615 248 6334 Internet: www.legendscorner.com



### The Bluebird Cafe



If you want to hear upcoming artists in a very intimate setting, The Bluebird Cafe is the place to go. It is not surprising that the TV series

"Nashville" frequently films scenes here. Long before becoming a part of the popular show, Bluebird has been one of Music City's most loved music venues.

Photo: Vlasov Volodymyr/Shutterstock.com Address: 4104 Hillsboro Pike, Nashville Phone: +1 615 383 1461 Internet: www.bluebirdcafe.com Email: info@bluebirdcafe.com More Info: Get your tickets early the Monday before the show

#### The Big Bang



Situated on the vibrant street of Broadway, The Big Bang (a dueling piano bar) has it all: great artists interacting with the vivid crowd, talented

showmen and some cold beers. Simply an awesome venue for a good night out with friends. The full bar serves cocktails, craft beers and even handcrafted pizzas.

Photo: Dragon Images/Shutterstock.com Address: 411 Broadway Suite 201, Nashville Phone: +1 615 747 5851 Internet: www.thebigbangbar.com Email: bigbang.nashville@yahoo.com More Info: Get there early to get a decent view

## **BB King's Blues Club**



Let the good times roll in the BB King's Blues Club. The band will make you want to dance to music inspired by the King of Blues, the Queen of

Motown and the Soul of Funk. A fine entertainment venue, open daily for lunch, dinner and late nigh meals. Plenty of southern comfort food, cold drinks and soulful jams is the norm here.

Photo: Lasse Ansaharju/Shutterstock.com Address: 152 2nd Ave N, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11am - 12am, Friday: 11am - 2am, Saturday: 10am - 2am, Sunday: 10am - 12am Phone: +1 615 256 2727 Internet: www.bbkingclubs.com Email: social@bbkingclubs.com

## **Tootsies Orchid Lounge**



Indulge in the country music history of Nashville at this world-famous honky-tonk, which is a three level music venue. With its old vintage feel,

Tootsie's has already been the star in several movies and magazine articles.

Hosting live entertainment weekly.

Photo: melis/Shutterstock.com Address: 422 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 726 0463 Internet: www.tootsies.net



#### Wildhorse Saloon



A popular dining and entertainment destination in Nashville, Wildhorse Saloon, is located on 2nd Ave. in the heart downtown Nashville. A

place that features a restaurant, bar, concert venue and a dance floor and as if all this was not enough, The Wildhorse Saloon offers line dancing lessons. They have everything you need for a fantastic, fun evening.

Photo: Lorraine Swanson/Shutterstock.com Address: 120 2nd Ave N, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday: 11am - 10pm, Monday: 4.30pm -10pm, Tuesday - Thursday: 11pm - 10pm, Friday - Saturday: 11am - 1am Phone: +1 615 902 8200 Internet: www.wildhorsesaloon.com Email: promotions@wildhorsesaloon.com

#### Tavern



Tavern is a "chef's pub" and a local foodie favorite. The bar serves an extensive list of wines, spirits, beers and sophisticated mixologist

cocktails. Posh wraparound booths and mezzanine seating offer great vistas of the bar scene. And 14 plasmas and big screens display sporting events while DJ music videos play late into the night.

Photo: wavebreakmedia/Shutterstock.com Address: 1904 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 320 8580 Internet: www.mstreetnashville.com/tavern Email: contact@mstreetnashville.com

# SHOPPING



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If shopping is your thing, don't worry, Nashville has incredible shops and trendy shopping districts including shopping malls and fashion boutiques where to spend some money. At the big open-air malls you can easily spend a whole day and find basically everything you need. If you are looking for that unique item to bring back home, head over to the Music City Marketplace (located in the Regions Building) where you will find hand-selected products from local artisan boutiques and craftsmen. And of course when in Nashville, one visit to a record store is a must.

Hit over to the Nashville's Lower Broadway, known as the Honky Tonk Highway, where some of the best shopping is to be found. The shops offers everything from home furnishings and local artisan merchandise to books, apparel, gifts and boots. It is also here The Johnny Cash Museum is located where the museum shop keeps everything from records, CDs, souvenirs to Johnny Cash merchandise.

With the impressive array of shops, you will definitely not leave this fashion hot spot empty handed!



#### Nashville Farmers' Market



The Nashville Farmers' Market is open year-round. Find a collection of restaurants, specialty shops, greenhouses and open-air

stalls, as well as fresh fruits, vegetables and plants to purchase. Also provides some food stalls where to sample some mouth-watering food.

Photo: KennStilger47/Shutterstock.com Address: 900 Rosa L. Parks Blvd., Nashville Opening hours: Open Every Day Phone: +1 615 880 2001 Internet: www.nashvillefarmersmarket.org Email: farmersmarket@nashville.gov

#### **Opry Mills**



Opry Mills is Tennessee's largest outlet and value retail shopping, dining and entertainment destination! With over 200 stores—including

several first-in-market name-brand additions—Opry Mills should be your first stop while shopping in Nashville. The roster of designer outlet stores includes Coach Factory

Store, Coach Mens Factory, H&M, Michael Kors, Polo Ralph Lauren Factory Store, Saks Fifth Avenue OFF 5TH, Tommy Bahama Outlet, Vera Bradley and more.

Photo: gpointstudio/Shutterstock.com Address: 433 Opry Mills Drive, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm, Sunday: 11am - 7pm Phone: +1 615 514 1100 Internet: www.simon.com/mall/opry-mills Email: tschneller@simon.com

#### **Hill Center Green Hills**



The Hill Center Green Hills (sidewalk shopping) is a lifestyle center of over 220,000-square-feet of retail, dining and office facilities. Located in

Nashville's most desirable shopping neighborhood, the Hill Center at Green Hills offers unique local boutiques, restaurants, nationally recognized retailers and exciting retail opportunities.

Photo: Bobex-73/Shutterstock.com Address: 4015-4031 Hillsboro Pike, Nashville Phone: +1 615 252 8101 Internet: www.hillcentergreenhills.com Email: hillcentergreenhills@hghill.com More Info: Located off Hillsboro Pike at Warfield Dr. Coming from downtown Nashville on 21st Ave, cross over I-440 and find The Hill Center on the right, just past Bank of America

## **Cool Springs Galleria**



CoolSprings Galleria is Middle Tennessee's largest shopping center, featuring food, entertainment and shopping for everyone. A

500-seat food court, five department stores and over 165 premier specialty stores bring visitors back time and time again! Enjoy names including Coach, Pottery Barn, Williams-Sonoma, Coldwater Creek, Victoria's Secret, Talbots, White House, American Eagle, Gap, PANDORA, Banana Republic and more. Dine at one of the many restaurants, including Buca di Beppo, Famous Dave's BBQ, J. Alexander's, Red Lobster, Stoney River Legendary Steaks and other delicious restaurants.

Photo: michaeljung/Shutterstock.com Address: 1800 Galleria Boulevard, Nashville



Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm, Sunday: 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 615 771 2128 Internet: www.coolspringsgalleria.com

#### **RiverGate Mall**



RiverGate baosts over 150 stores and 15 eateries. Situated 10 miles north of Nashville, the mall houses stores like Aeropostale,

American Eagle Outfitters, Bath & Body Works, Buckle, Express, Hollister Co., Pac Sun, Rack Room Shoes, rue 21, Victoria's Secret, Yankee Candle Company and more. Children will love the Incredible Dave's with bowling, live entertainment, interactive games and more!

Photo: oneinchpunch/Shutterstock.com Address: 1000 Rivergate Parkway, Suite 1, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Satuday: 10am - 9pm, Sunday: 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 615 859 3458 Internet: www.rivergate-mall.com

#### **Ernest Tubb Record Shop**



Started by the legendary country music artist Ernest Tubb in 1947, the Record Shop offers music lovers an impressive selection of country,

bluegrass and gospel music, CDs, DVDs, books, songbooks and even Instructional Materials. Free concerts at all locations are held throughout the year.

Photo: smolaw/Shutterstock.com Address: 417 Broadway, Nashville Phone: +1 615 255 7503 Internet: www.etrecordshop.com

#### Pangaea



Locally owned and operated for over 26 years, Pangaea Nashville boutique specializes in hand-selected apparel including folk art from

Mexico and Guatemalan imports. A store that stocks women's clothing, jewelry, home goods and gifts. The helpful staff are happy to assist you to find that quirky gift or the perfect attire.

Photo: Artemenko Daria/Shutterstock.com Address: 1721 21st Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 10am-6pm, Friday -Saturday: 10am-9pm, Sunday: 1pm-5pm Phone: +1 615 269 9665 Internet: www.pangaeanashville.com Email: info@pangaeanashville.com

#### DCXV



DCXV is a Nashville-based design and apparel company. As the creators of I BELIEVE IN NASHVILLE, much of their products feature the

familiar slogan. Their name itself actually represents the roman numerals for the Middle Tennessee area code! A great place where to buy some gifts to bring back home.

Photo: Halfpoint/Shutterstock.com Address: 727 Porter Road, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday - Monday: 12pm - 4pm, Tuesday -Friday: 12pm - 6pm, Saturday: 11am - 6pm Phone: +1 615 522 4656 Internet: dcxvindustries.storenvy.com Email: info@dcxvindustries.com



#### **Two Old Hippies**



Two Old Hippies has a special guitar room called "The Vault," which hosts the premium Bedell, Breedlove and Weber guitars and mandolins, as

well as providing a sanctuary for those that wish to jam in a quiet space. They carry a large selection of the best made acoustic guitars including CF Martin, Lowden, JW Gallagher, Batson and more. The rest of the store features unique apparel collections, accessories, fun novelty and gift items and their very own vintage 1962 VW Bus.

Photo: Africa Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: 401 12th Avenue South, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 10am - 7pm, Friday -Saturday: 10am - 8pm, Sunday: 11am - 5pm Phone: +1 615 254 7999 Internet: www.twooldhippies.com Email: Nashville@twooldhippies.com

#### **Hatch Show Print Store**



Operated since 1879, Hatch Show Print has generated so many iconic show posters. Learn about the history that is attached to this place and

buy some show posters or even print your own to take home. A great place to pick up a real Nashville souvenir!

Photo: Kyle Van Horn/Flickr (image cropped) Address: 224 5th Ave S, Nashville Opening hours: Sunday - Wednesday: 9.30am - 6pm, Thursday - Saturday: 9.30am - 8pm Phone: +1 615 577 7710 Internet: www.hatchshowprint.com Email: info@hatchshowprint.com

#### Nashville Flea Market



Whether you are looking for a bargain or a unique treasure. The Nashville Flea Market has it all. The selection is endless and the iconic event

operates monthly both indoor and outdoor. Not surprisingly the market is visited by over 150 million customers each year.

Photo: CoolR/Shutterstock.com Address: 625 Smith Avenue, Nashville Phone: +1 615 862 5016 Internet: www.thefairgrounds.com Email: thefairgrounds@nashville.gov

## **Gruhn Guitars Inc**



Gruhn Guitars is like heaven for guitar lovers and a must-see for guitar players. They have one of the world's premier collections of vintage,

used and new instruments everything from 1940s Martins to Taylor, Collings, Fender and Gibson. Also specializing in basses, banjos, mandolins, ukuleles, and amps.

Photo: Vereshchagin Dmitry/Shutterstock.com Address: 2120 8th Ave S, Nashville Public Transport: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 6pm, Sunday: Closed Phone: +1 615 256 2033 Internet: www.gruhn.com Email: gruhn@gruhn.com



# Willie Nelson and Friends Museum and General Store



In this mighty museum of Willie Nelson you can see his custom made Brunswick pool table, other personal items, photos, awards and movie

posters. The gift shop next to it offers great red neck gifts such as t-shirts, western hats, mugs, shot glasses and much more. A must for all Willie Nelson fans.

Photo: Ann Moore/Shutterstock.com Address: 2613 McGavock Pike, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Sunday: 8.30am - 9pm Phone: +1 615 885 1515 Internet: www.willienelsongeneralstore.com Email: info@willienelsongeneralstore.com

## **Third Man Records**



Whether you are a Jack White fan or not, Third Man Records is definitely worth a visit. Just outside the hustle and bustle of the Boadway district, you

can see Jack's eclectic collection of goodies, the recording booth where Neil Young recorded his last album and a sheer number of unique items.

Photo: Anki Hoglund/Shutterstock.com Address: 623 7th Ave S, Nashville Opening hours: Monday-Sunday: 10am - 5pm Phone: +1 615 891 4393 Internet: www.thirdmanrecords.com/about/nashville-storefront

#### The Mall at Green Hills



The Mall at Green Hills is anchored by Nordstrom, Dillard's and Macy's. Come and enjoy some of Music City's finest specialty shops, including

Nordstrom, Sephora, Tiffany & Co., Tory Burch, Michael Kors, Jimmy Choo, Coach, Apple, MAC Cosmetics and more. There are also more than 80 other lifestyle retailers!

Photo: nenetus/Shutterstock.com Address: 2126 Abbott Martin Road, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm, Sunday: 12pm - 6pm Phone: +1 615 298 5478 Internet: www.shopgreenhills.com Email: greenhills@taubman.com.

# Johnny Cash Museum Store



Find everything Man in Black at the Johnny Cash Museum Store! Officially authorized by the Estate of Johnny Cash, the museum features the

largest and most comprehensive collection of Johnny Cash artifacts and memorabilia in the world. The museum shop keeps everything from records, CDs, souvenirs to Johnny Cash merchandise.

Photo: MichalV33/Shutterstock.com Address: 119 3rd Ave South, Nashville Phone: +1 615 256 1777 Internet: www.johnnycashmuseum.com



#### **Thistle Farms**



Thistle Farms is a non-profit business, operated by a women under the name Magdalene. Here you will find handmade, natural

bath and body products that are as kind to the environment as they are to the body. All sales proceeds go back into the program.

Photo: almaje/Shutterstock.com Address: 5122 Charlotte Pike, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 8am - 4pm Phone: +1 615 298 1140 Internet: www.thistlefarms.org Email: customerservice@thistlefarms.org

#### **Boot Country**



Boots Country is your stop for premium quality and daily deals! Deals on boots include buy one, get two free and yes, you heard it correct! This is

truly a great deal and you can mix and match men's, women's, children's boots in any style! Customer service is very important here so you will be looked after. And with over 20,000 boots in stock, you will for sure find the perfect boots to bring back home!

Photo: Robert Orcutt/Shutterstock.com Address: 304 Broadway, Nashville Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 10am - 10.30pm, Friday -Saturday: 10am - 11pm, Sunday: 11am - 7.30pm Phone: +1 615 259 1691 Internet: www.twofreeboots.com Email: info@twofreeboots.com

# **ESSENTIAL INFORMATION**



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#### **Nashville International Airport**



Nashville is served by Nashville International Airport (BNA), located in southeastern Nashville, about 20 minutes from downtown. BNA services

the following major airlines: American Airlines, Delta Air Lines, Frontier Airlines, United Airlines, US Airways, Aeromexico, AirCanada and SeaPort Airlines.

Ground transportation is offered through rental car, taxi, shuttle, courtesy bus and limousine services.

#### Bus

The Metro Transit Authority (MTA) offers service between Nashville Airport and downtown. The Route 18 Airport/Elm Hill Pike operates hourly between 7am and 10pm. The bus leaves from the ground transportation area.

#### Shuttle

The official shuttle service for Nashville International Airport is called Jarmon Transportation and provide services to downtown and the West End area, Ft.



Campbell/Clarksville and door-to-door. You will find the bus on the first level inside the terminal. Shuttles depart every 15 minutes from the airport. Reservations are not required but can be made on the phone 615-275-0146 or online: jarmontransportation.hudsonltd.net/res.

# Car rentals

You will find all the major car rental agencies at the airport such as: Avis (on the second level), Hertz (on the third level), Enterprise (on the first level), National (on the first level).

# Taxi

On the ground level of the airport, you will find a taxi stand.

Photo: Juan Garces Address: 1 Terminal Dr, Nashville Phone: +1 615 275 1675 Internet: www.flynashville.com

# Time Zone



Nashville is in the Central time zone and all times are reflected in Central time.

Photo: Marek Polakovic

# **Public Transport**



The Metropolitan Transit Authority provides bus transit services within Nashville from its downtown hub station. There are several

different ticket types: all-day, pass (valid on any MTA bus route from the time you buy the ticket until the last bus runs that day) 7-Day Pass (valid on any MTA bus route) and 20-ride express card (valid for 20 rides on any MTA bus route).

There is also a free bus service in downtown, The Music City Circuit that offers two routes: The Green Circuit serves between downtown and the Gulch, while The Blue Circuit serves key destinations between the Riverfront Station and the Bicentennial Mall area. There are in total 75 locations along the two routes and the buses operates from 6.30am to 11pm weekdays and from 11am to 11pm on weekends.

Photo: Pierre-Luc Auclair Phone: +1 615 862 5950 Internet: www.nashvillemta.org Email: customercomments@nashville.gov

# Post

US Post Office



Photo: Andy Fuchs Address: 2006 Acklen Avenue, Nashville Opening hours: Retail Hours: Monday - Friday: 8.30am - 5pm, Saturday: 9am - 12pm, Sunday: Closed Phone: +1 615 383 5396 Internet: www.usps.com

# Taxi



It is easy to get a cab in Nashville, you can either hail or call for a taxicab. Most of the major hotels have stands. It can get busy on Friday and

Saturday nights so a good advice would be to book in advance.



The following cab companies serve the Nashville area:

American Music City Cab: +1 615 865 4100 1-800-Taxicab: +1 800 829 4222 Allied Cab: +1 615 333 3333 Green Cab: +1 615 424 6000

# Pharmacy



Walgreens 226 5th Avenue North +1 615 256 4600 CVS Pharmacy 426 21st Avenue South +1 615 321 2590

Photo: Gemma Garner Address: 226 5th Avenue North Phone: +1 615 256 4600

# Telephone



Country code: +1 Area Code in Nashville: 615

Photo: Jardson Almeida

# Electricity



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Photo: Stirling Tschan

Population 678,889

Currency

US Dollar, \$1 = 100 cents

#### **Opening hours**

Most stores are open daily 9am to 9pm or later. Most bars and clubs close around 2am.

#### Newspapers

The Tennessean - www.tennessean.com Nashville City Paper - www.nashvillecitypaper.com NashvillePost - www.nashvillePost.com Nashville Business Journal - www.bizjournals.com/nashville Nashville Scene - www.nashvillescene.com The Tennessee Tribune - tntribune.com

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