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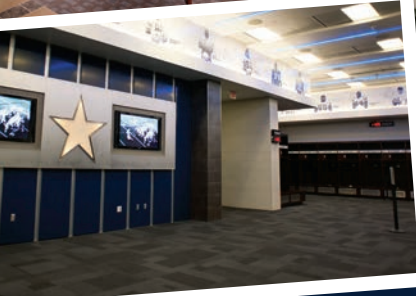
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Fun AND Games

**YOUR GUIDE TO
FAMILY FUN IN ARLINGTON**

by Alison Macor



how can a city that invented Ballpark Nachos be anything *but* fun? Once one of the largest gambling destinations in the United States, Arlington continues to draw visitors from all over, thanks to its abundance of family-friendly entertainment options. From a high-tech stadium that hosts the top names in sports and music to beloved amusement and water parks, Arlington doesn't disappoint the thousands of families that flock to this year-round vacation spot.



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WHERE: GRAPEVINE VINTAGE RAILROAD, 18 MILES NORTHWEST

WHAT: YEAR-ROUND SIGHTSEEING VIA STEAM OR DIESEL LOCOMOTIVE. ALL ABOARD A TRAIN PULLED BY PUFFY, AN 1896 STEAM ENGINE, OR VINNY, A 1953 GP-7 DIESEL LOCOMOTIVE. TO VISIT THE FORT WORTH STOCKYARDS, OR TAKE A ONE-HOUR WEEKEND EXCURSION ON THE FUN TRAIN. CHECK OUT THE CHRISTMAS WINE TRAIN IN DECEMBER.

WHERE: LEGOLAND AND SEA LIFE AQUARIUM, GRAPEVINE MILLS MALL, 23 MILES NORTHWEST

WHAT: KID-FRIENDLY ATTRACTIONS DEVOTED TO POPULAR LEGO BUILDING TOYS AND AQUATIC CREATURES AND THEIR HABITATS. FIND TWO ATTRACTIONS IN ONE ACCESSIBLE MALL. TAKE THE LEGO FACTORY TOUR AND MARVEL AT THE ALL-BRICK LEGO CITY BEFORE CHECKING OUT THE AQUARIUM'S GRAND PACIFIC OCTOPUS AND HANDS-ON RAINFOREST ADVENTURE.

WHERE: LOUIS TOUSSAUD'S PALACE OF WAX & RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT!, 10 MILES EAST

WHAT: MORE THAN 200 WAX FIGURES OF FAMOUS PEOPLE AND VARIOUS ODDITIES AND ATTRACTIONS. TAKE A SELFIE WITH LIFELIKE REPLICAS OF PRESIDENTS AND CELEBRITIES AND OGLE THE ODDITORIUM'S SHRUNKEN-HEAD EXHIBIT AND VAMPIRE-KILLING KIT.

WHERE: FORT WORTH MUSEUM OF SCIENCE & HISTORY, 19 MILES WEST

WHAT: THE FACILITY IN THE HEART OF FORT WORTH'S MUSEUM DISTRICT HAS WOWED VISITORS WITH THE WONDERS OF SCIENCE FOR MORE THAN 75 YEARS. WHEN PLANNING YOUR TRIP, MAKE SURE TO SET ASIDE TIME FOR PERMANENT EXHIBITS LIKE THE DINODIG AND THE STUNNING IMAX THEATER. THE FILM FEATURES CHANGE, BUT THE INCREDIBLE EXPERIENCE REMAINS.

SOAK UP SIX FLAGS OVER TEXAS

You can easily spend an entire weekend at Six Flags Over Texas, the first theme park to call the region home. From its range of rides to its seasonal events like Holiday in the Park, Six Flags caters to families and groups. Daredevils will love the park's smorgasbord of thrill rides like the New Texas Giant, a hybrid roller coaster that marries traditional wooden-coaster architecture with high-tech steel aerodynamics, while the youngsters—and those with tamer tastes—will appreciate the Silver Star Carousel and Texas Tea Cups.

Fans of the park's Gotham City attractions will thrill to three new rides for 2016. The Riddler's Revenge features a swinging pendulum that lifts guests nearly 150 feet off the ground, the Catwoman's Whip spins and tilts riders in a dizzying circle and Harley Quinn Spinsanity offers swirling family fun. Live entertainment, a variety of dining options and countless shopping opportunities round out Six Flags' impressive list of non-stop diversions.

LOCAL'S TIP: IF YOU PLAN TO SPEND

A LOT OF TIME AT SIX FLAGS OR HOPE TO VISIT MULTIPLE TIMES THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, PURCHASE A SEASON PASS. PASSES INCLUDE SPECIAL HOLIDAY PROMOTION OFFERS AND DISCOUNTS TO BRING A FRIEND FREE, AMONG OTHER BENEFITS. CONSIDER BUYING A PASS IN DECEMBER, WHEN THE PARK TYPICALLY OFFERS ADDITIONAL HOLIDAY PERKS LIKE UPGRADES AND FREE PARKING.

PLAY BALL

If you're traveling to Arlington between April and September, plan your stay around a Texas Rangers game at Globe Life Park, home to the American League team since 1994. Here, the whole family can indulge in a single Boomstick, an impressive, two-foot long hot dog that weighs nearly a pound—but

don't forget to save room for nachos. And be sure to leave room in your itinerary for a behind-the-scenes tour of the stadium.

Arlington's AT&T Stadium may be best known as the home of the Dallas Cowboys, but this state-of-the-art complex also features concerts by internationally known performers like the Rolling Stones and Kenny Chesney, rodeo and wrestling smackdowns and intense match-ups for soccer rivals and basketball teams from around the globe. Single-admission tickets may be available for some events; check in advance of your visit. Touring the \$1.3 billion stadium itself is worth your time (we especially like the Art Tour, described on page 36), and it's another way to get inside the impressive facility even if a football game or concert isn't on your itinerary.

ROCK 'N' BOWL

Across the street from Six Flags, a giant bowling pin welcomes visitors to a campus devoted to the past, present and future of bowling. The International Bowling Museum & Hall of Fame features interactive exhibits and tributes to bowling greats like Don Carter and Carolyn Dorin-Ballard, as well as Bowlopolis, a hands-on activity that teaches the basics of bowling.

Put those skills to the test at Alley Cats Entertainment, offering non-stop family fun 365 days a year. With 40,000 square feet of indoor space and a full-service restaurant and bar, Alley Cats doesn't fool around when it comes to a good time. Set up a friendly wager on the neon-splashed bowling lanes or sharpen your skills at one of Alley Cats' billiard tables. Go toe-to-toe in a laser tag shootout in the complex's two-story arena, or challenge yourself on the 26-foot-high rock-climbing wall.

The Alley Cats arcade features games from old-school Skee ball to the latest video games where players win tickets for awesome,

even seasonal prizes, like camping tents in the summertime. A few games reward lucky winners on the spot with iPads and other cool merchandise.

Let the fun continue next door at Putt-Putt Golf & Games, with 54 holes of miniature golf on a beautifully landscaped course, mini bowling, more arcade games and batting cages.



LOCAL'S TIP: RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT'S
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Learn more about the area by visiting River Legacy Living Science Center, the interactive nature center housed in a 12,000-square-foot, sustainably designed building. Hands-on exhibits, aquariums and terrariums educate in a way that's fun and entertaining for all ages. Walk the nature trails and cap off your visit with a stop at Acorn Gift Shop.

CONQUER CLIMBING

If the weather's not cooperating, take the fun indoors. With more than 16,000 square feet of climb-

ing surface, Dyno-Rock Indoor Climbing Center can accommodate all comers, from the climbing newbie to the experienced pro eager to tackle bouldering routes and top climbing. All guests are required to take a 10-minute safety class, and equipment is available for climbers as young as two years old. Dyno-Rock's one-day pass lets guests come and go, allowing you to take a break to fit in other sightseeing options between climbs.

MAKE A SPLASH

Beat the summer heat between May and September at Six Flags Hurricane Harbor, Six Flags' water-themed amusement park. Stoke some friendly family competition on Wahoo Racer, one of the park's thrill rides. With six lanes and two tiers, this water slide is the largest of its kind in the world. Take off from a launching pad that's nearly 60 feet off the ground, then rocket head first on specially designed water toboggans that'll have you flying at speeds up to 40 miles per hour.



Surf Lagoon, Hurricane Harbor's surfing simulator and wave pool. Paddle around in Boogie Beach's enormous wading pool or head over to Hook's Lagoon Treehouse, where the kids can climb and splash while you kick back in the lounging area. Have little ones? Hang out at Hook's Ship, whose small slides, sprayers and shallow water work best for the park's youngest guests. Finally, enjoy a

snack or a meal at Beachside Grill while you listen to live bands or a DJ spinning the latest tracks.

COOL DOWN

No matter what time of year you visit Arlington, take advantage of ICE at The Parks, a regulation NHL-sized ice skating rink conveniently located in Arlington's largest shopping mall. Sharpen your skating skills, join a hockey game

or take in a seasonal skating show. And with an 18-screen movie theater and a variety of retail stores, The Parks at Arlington has something for every family member.

Whether you've got your itinerary mapped out or you're feeling dazzled by Arlington's dizzying array of fun spots, read on for helpful tips on making this your family's best vacation ever. ★



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MAY 27-29

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..... APRIL

WWE WRESTLEMANIA 32

APRIL 3

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LONE STAR HALF MARATHON & MAYOR'S 5K

APRIL 24

The race begins and ends at the Levitt Pavilion and routes the runners through some of the greatest sites in Downtown Arlington, including The University of Texas at Arlington's scenic campus.

..... MAY

MY WAY: A TRIBUTE TO FRANK SINATRA

MAY 6-29

Revel in more than 50 classic Sinatra songs by various artists in this musical tribute at Theatre Arlington.

BEYONCÉ'S "THE FORMATION" WORLD TOUR

MAY 9

AT&T Stadium hosts pop superstar Beyoncé for her first solo tour since her ambitious Mrs. Carter Show World Tour in 2013.

TEXAS SCOTTISH FESTIVAL & HIGHLAND GAMES

MAY 13-15

Revel in the finest in Scottish music, food and athletics at Arlington's own version of Scotland at Maverick Stadium on the UT Arlington campus.

DALLAS WINGS OPENING HOME GAME

MAY 14

See the Metroplex's new WNBA franchise tip off against the San Antonio Silver Stars at UT Arlington's College Park Center.

ART ON THE GREENE

MAY 20-22

Tents showcasing the artistic genius of some 100 artists will dot Richard Greene Linear Park. Bring along a chair to sit in while you enjoy live music. (Fido's welcome, too.)

..... JUNE

KENNY CHESNEY SPREADS THE LOVE TOUR

JUNE 4

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..... JULY

NEWPLAYFEST 2016

JULY 1-17

Theatre Arlington is one of seven theaters selected nationally producing the American Association of Community Theatre NewPlay Fest 2016, which kicks off with the world premiere of *Gracefully Ending*.

LIGHT UP ARLINGTON

JULY 3

Enjoy games, tasty food, rides and music leading up to an awe-inspiring Fourth of July fireworks show. Last year, more than 60,000 people came out to celebrate our nation's birthday.

Visit arlington.org for a comprehensive calendar of events.

..... AUGUST

COLDPLAY: A HEAD FULL OF DREAMS TOUR

AUGUST 27

After four years away from the touring scene, Coldplay returns to North Texas to promote its new album, *Head Full of Dreams*. Catch a night of fun and music at AT&T Stadium.

..... SEPTEMBER

FRAME 4 FRAME

SEPTEMBER 15-18

This four-day music and film festival includes live music, art exhibitions and classes, film screenings and workshops hosted at the Arlington Museum of Art, the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame, and multiple local bars, restaurants and theaters.

ECOFEST ARLINGTON

SEPTEMBER 19

This special event mixes kids' activities with environmental awareness. Growth happens here in more ways than one—last year, the Arlington Parks & Recreation Department gave away more than 1,500 saplings to attendees to take home and plant.

SIX FLAGS OVER TEXAS FRIGHT FEST

SEPTEMBER 24-OCTOBER 31

Bring the whole family as frightening creatures take over the park. Enjoy thrill rides during the day and return for a night of spooky entertainment and haunted attractions.

..... OCTOBER

AFTER DARK IN THE PARK

OCTOBER 7-9

The fall festival features hayrides, story time, a pumpkin patch, karaoke, balloon artists, food trucks and more at River Legacy Park.



PBR & American Rodeo

..... NOVEMBER

PABLO PICASSO: CERAMICS

NOVEMBER 12-FEBRUARY 12, 2017

Toward the end of his life, Pablo Picasso immersed himself into the art of ceramics. Stop by the Arlington Museum of Art for a chance to view some of his world famous pieces.

HOLIDAY IN THE PARK

NOVEMBER 19-JANUARY 1, 2017

Celebrate the season while enjoying festive decorations and lights throughout the park at Six Flags Over Texas.

..... 2017

81ST GOODYEAR COTTON BOWL CLASSIC

JANUARY 2

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by Eric Butterman

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bring along your love for all things water, because Lake Arlington provides more than 2,000 acres of fun. Kayaks and canoes are available for rent, with beginner classes available every Saturday and Sunday at the south end of the lake.

Bowman Springs and Richard Simpson parks offer boat ramps, and lakefront rental facilities provide catfish and bass fishing excursions. If you find yourself in Arlington on April 9, check out the Arlington Bass Classic competition. Many of the region's top fishermen will compete to win big prize money.

“Arlington is one of the great outdoor cities in Texas,” says Gary Packan, assistant director of the Arlington Parks and Recreation Department. “Visitors don’t realize all there is to do.”

PARK IT

Get your disc golf fix at Veterans Park, whose course attracts players from all over the country. The Arlington Disc Golf Association maintains the course's varying topography and challenges,

from hilly and steep terrain to woody areas and open fields. Veterans Park also boasts a 1.4-mile walking trail, a fishing pond and a beautiful wild-scape garden that's home to native Texas plants.

River Legacy Parks, Arlington's largest, are home to 10 miles of trails that are favorites of local runners and mountain bikers. The parks feature exercise stations, hard- and soft-surface nature trails, a nature-themed playground, pavilions and the Trinity River Paddling Trail.

LOCAL'S TIP: FOR THE BEST CHANCE AT SPOTTING WILDLIFE, HIT THE TRAILS AT RIVER LEGACY PARKS AT DUSK OR DAWN.

In the heart of Arlington's Entertainment District lies Richard Greene Linear Park. The outdoor space is home to the acclaimed five-piece Caelum Moor



Trinity River



River Legacy Park



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WHERE: THE DALLAS ZOO, 22 MILES EAST

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sculpture. As many as 25 works of art will eventually line the trail. The soon-to-be-displayed Unity Arch, a commissioned stainless steel sculpture, will feature decorative lighting and landscaping. Walk, run or rollerblade the art-inspired trail that offers the feel of nature in the shadows of two of the Lone Star State's most celebrated sports stadiums.

LOCAL'S TIP: WANT A FUN, BEHIND-THE-SCENES TOUR OF THE ARLINGTON ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT AND THE BALLPARK? SEGWAY FORT WORTH GIVES A COMPREHENSIVE TOUR ON WHEELS. VISIT ARLINGTON.ORG FOR DETAILS.

Skateboarding continues to grow as a popular activity in Arlington, and Vandergriff Park's skate park is a big reason why. Located in central Arlington just north of Interstate-20, its transitional and plaza skating terrain is designed for all ages and skill levels. Take in the sun and channel your inner Tony Hawk here or at one of Arlington's other skate parks that offer terrain for everyone.

A TASTE OF THE PRESERVE

Bowman Springs Road leads to the celebrated Southwest Nature Preserve, 58 acres of undeveloped land featuring fishing ponds and soft-surface trails to explore and enjoy. A serene place to see native plants and wildlife, this spot will keep an avid birdwatcher busy. Step onto the high bluff, and on a clear day, you can see all the way to Fort Worth.

GET IN THE GAME

For those who prefer their golf disc-free, Tierra Verde Golf Club has been ranked No. 1 for DFW municipal golf courses and achieved Audubon Signature Sanctuary

certification. Enjoy playing this golf course with a secluded feel, so much that you might not see anyone playing anywhere around you, as if you reserved your own private links for the day. Of course, you might spy a roadrunner or a bobcat, both known to get perturbed if you don't allow them to play through.

Waterchase Golf Club is an immaculately kept par-72 course that combines challenge and beauty. It made *Golf Digest's* list of Best New Courses in 2001 and remains a Metroplex favorite.

TENNIS ANYONE?

The Arlington Tennis Center is a nationally known tennis facility that hosts local, regional and national tournaments. Even the famed U.S. Open National Playoffs have a sectional qualifying tournament here, where amateurs and pros alike can vie for a chance to play in the U.S. Open. Twenty-six lighted outdoor courts make the game come alive as Texas continues the search for its next Andy Roddick.

CATCH SOME FUTURE STARS

You remember when it was just a game—the simplicity of athletes playing for little more than the struggle for victory and improvement. Youth sports tournaments may be sport at its purest. The Harold Patterson Sports Center is popular for youth lacrosse, soccer and softball tournaments, while Randol Mill Park is strong for catching good, old-fashioned hardball and softball. ★

LOCAL'S TIP: HEAD OVER TO VANDERGRIFF PARK FOR FAST-PITCH SOFTBALL.

Turn to page 12 for a list of Arlington's annual events.

3 DAYS of *Getaways*

Your Arlington adventure awaits. Your only decision is choosing a weekend to experience all the city has to offer. You might want your visit to coincide with a concert, a Cowboys or a Rangers game, or one of Arlington's many annual events (see page 12). Or perhaps your style is more spontaneous.

No matter your approach, these three weekend itineraries are sure to bring you and yours 48 hours of fun, from a Friday evening out through a Sunday afternoon excursion.

by Sara McCabe



A LEISURELY *Ladies' Weekend*

"My girlfriends and I would be perfectly happy spending an entire weekend at the Highlands. A few shops, lunch on the patio, a few more shops, movie and dinner at the Studio Movie Grill. It's all right there." —TRACY BROWN, HIGHLAND PARK, TX

FRIDAY

It's cocktail hour at Arlington's newest hot spot, the R Bar & Grill, situated in the Hilton Arlington. With a reputation for inspired mixology, this sophisticated restaurant is an ideal place to let the bartender surprise you. Save the glass of wine for dinner and start with something unexpected, or try a reimaged classic like the new old fashioned crafted with house-made bitters.

From the wood-burning pizza oven and Vietnamese bánh mì sandwiches to desserts like Cast Iron Golden Cider Apple Pie, all the ingredients for a perfect first night are here, including a friendly welcome to Arlington.



SATURDAY

Ease your way into the weekend by browsing the eclectic Gracie Lane collection of boutiques in south Arlington. Every corner features a different shop, creating a European market-style array of apparel, accessories, jewelry and home décor.

Compare your purchases over brunch at elegant restaurant 506, a short drive away at the beloved Sanford House Inn & Spa in Downtown Arlington. Its creative American menu changes with the seasons, but one thing is always certain: lively sauces and dressings like the signature opal basil pomegranate vinaigrette accompany nearly every dish. Don't hesitate to order a blood orange bellinitini—the only thing required of you after lunch is a walk across the street and perhaps a judicious choice of nail color. It's time for an afternoon of pampering at the full-service Sanford Spa & Salon, where carefree conversation continues in the relaxation room between services.

Back at your room, spritz on some perfume and prop up your feet for a brief intermission, because you won't be back by your usual bedtime. Your first stop is the Mercury Wine Bar & Grill, a cozy brick-and-wood bistro where owner Rabii Moutaouakil will help you pick the perfect wine to accompany your meal. Whether you prefer comfort food like chicken cordon bleu and mashed potatoes or lighter fare like mahi mahi with pineapple relish, everyone will find a favorite on the menu. For an extra treat, order jalapeño cheese grits to share.



SUNDAY

Fortify yourselves for a motivated day of shopping with the award-winning Southwestern brunch at Blue Mesa Grill in Lincoln Square. At the chic outdoor Arlington Highlands mall, landscaped walkways lead you from popular stores to specialty shops such as Penzey's Spices or Texas' own Rally House. Be sure to save energy for Macy's and Nordstrom Rack, a short drive away at the recently renovated Parks Mall at Arlington.

If you're into bargain hunting, consider a detour to Grand Prairie Premium Outlets, where exclusive brands like Coach and Kate Spade are featured in an easily walkable and shaded outdoor mall. Looking for a great gift or souvenir? Look no further than Gene Allen's Gifts, Arlington's go-to gift shop for more than 50 years.

AN
ACTION-PACKED
Guys' Getaway

"I just love the friendly atmosphere around the ballpark and stadium. If I'm not tailgating with my friends, you can find me at Sherlock's Pub."

—ANDY KIDZUS, FORT WORTH, TX

FRIDAY

"It's like a beer church, with a congregation of beer lovers," says Division Brewing owner Wade Wadlington about his locally owned and operated, downtown brewery. An Arlington native, Wadlington serves his finest handcrafted IPAs, stouts and porters while introducing you to the locals.

Keep the evening interesting by crowdsourcing your dinner destination. You'll get lots of recommendations from the Division regulars for casual downtown restaurants just a few steps away. Hooligans Pub, Mavericks Bar & Grill and The Grease Monkey

Burger Shop all feature draft beer, full bars, and tasty burgers, sandwiches and pub-style food.

SATURDAY

Does your ideal weekend revolve around a cooler, a grill and your favorite jersey? If you're planning to join in the Cowboys tailgating experience or share wings with friends before a Rangers game, be sure to check arlington.org for tips on having fun at AT&T Stadium and Globe Life Park. Take your tailgate to the next level with Kool Keg, Arlington's one-stop shop for beer kegs, margarita machines and full-service alcohol catering.

If tailgating's not your thing, get your major-league thrills with a behind-the-scenes tour at either of Arlington's renowned stadiums. Choose between a VIP or self-guided tour to relive your favorite Cowboys moments at AT&T Stadium. Both let you play football here, throwing passes on the field and taking pictures on the famous mid-field Cowboys star. Next door at Globe Life Park, visit the batting cages, press box, locker rooms, Texas Rangers Hall of Fame and more. From the dugout, imagine running the bases or relishing a strikeout thrown from the pitcher's mound.

When you're done playing ball, it's time to get serious for lunch. No guys' weekend in Texas is complete without a barbecue pilgrimage. Jambo's BBQ Shack

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scores on all accounts with tender brisket and ribs. Jambo's is closed on Sundays so don't miss your chance for one of their signature monster dishes. Now take the crew to bet on the horses at Lone Star Park in nearby Grand Prairie. Don't worry if you've never wagered before: this world-class park offers an online beginner's guide, bets start as low as \$2 and the park staff is eager to help. You'll feel at home immediately in the friendly atmosphere. Be sure to sit close to the track to fully experience the horses in action.

Grab wings and brews at Pluckers, and then take a short walk to Arlington Improv. There are no bad

seats at this comedy club, but you might want to make advance reservations anyway for the popular 9:30 p.m. show.

SUNDAY

Golfers of all levels will find the right fit at one of Arlington's four diverse courses: the easygoing and affordable nine-hole Meadowbrook Park Golf Course; the secluded and highly ranked Tierra Verde Golf Club; the scenic Lake Arlington Golf Course; or the convenient Chester W. Ditto Golf Course, complete with driving range, chipping area and practice put-



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ting green. Compare costs and tee times at arlington-golf.com. Have lunch at the golf club or make a final stop at a local favorite, J. Gilligan's Bar & Grill, before heading out of town. The Irish pub atmosphere offers an upbeat end to your trip, especially on game day. Don't miss out on the original, cheese-drenched Irish nachos.

TIME OUT for Two

"Arlington is a great place to get away and have some quiet time together. There are plenty of things to do, but just hanging out should definitely be one of them." —VANNESA JIMENEZ, AUSTIN, TX

FRIDAY

Check in to your weekend hideaway—a spacious and beautiful cottage or suite at the Sanford House Inn & Spa—before an intimate, candlelit dinner at Cacharel. One of the area's finest dining experiences,

this longtime Metroplex favorite is tucked away on the top floor of a nondescript office building, but its outstanding view and white linen tablecloths remind you that Arlington is more than meets the eye. While the prix fixe menu offers just a few choices each for appetizers, entrees and desserts, you may still have trouble deciding among Chef Hans Bergmann's delectable creations. Diners serious about steak should select from the separate Texas Beef Lovers menu. The recommended buffalo tenderloin is served with fresh haricot verts and sliced mushrooms in a cabernet sauvignon sauce.

After dinner, get cozy in your suite with its luxurious feather-top king bed and marble tub big enough for two. If the night is still calling, look into a show at one of Arlington's best live music venues, the classic Arlington Music Hall or the festive outdoor Levitt Pavillion, both downtown.

SATURDAY

Start your day off peacefully with a quiet morning walk at River Legacy Parks and Living Science Center, a 1,300-acre oasis along the Trinity River. Try to spot a painted bunting or great horned owl as you stroll the scenic, tree-lined trails and picturesque bridges.

Stop at Arlington Highlands mall for lunch, outdoors or in at your choice of cafés. After visiting a few



shops, head back to Sanford House Spa & Salon for a couples' massage or other luxurious treatments—they even do hair and makeup.

Now that you're fully relaxed, no dining experience is quite as romantic as sharing fondue in an intimate booth. Order to your hearts' content at the The Melting Pot, where a four-course dinner is sure to quell your appetite.

SUNDAY

When you greet the morning, see how you feel: will it be a day of leisure or adventure? Adventurers should take advantage of the complimentary Sanford House breakfast before kayaking the 10.9-mile Lake Arlington Paddling Trail. Local outfitter Flatwater Kayak delivers and picks up boats so you can conserve your energy for paddling and the great conversation that naturally flows on the water. For a more leisurely option, treat yourself to the Mambo King Brunch at Rio Mambo. Just remember to leave room after your huevos rancheros for the sopapilla and cinnamon roll finale.

Walk it off at the Arlington Museum of Art, where exhibits may include contemporary artists as well as masters such as Pablo Picasso, Ansel Adams and Andy Warhol. To see the city's best-known work of art, take a walk in nearby Richard Greene Linear

Park. Standing along verdant Johnson Creek are five towering granite sculptures known as Caelum Moor. This Celtic-themed environmental artwork cost \$1.5 million to construct and took California artist Norm Hines two years to complete. With Arlington's stadiums in the distance, it's a scenic and fitting farewell to the weekend. ★







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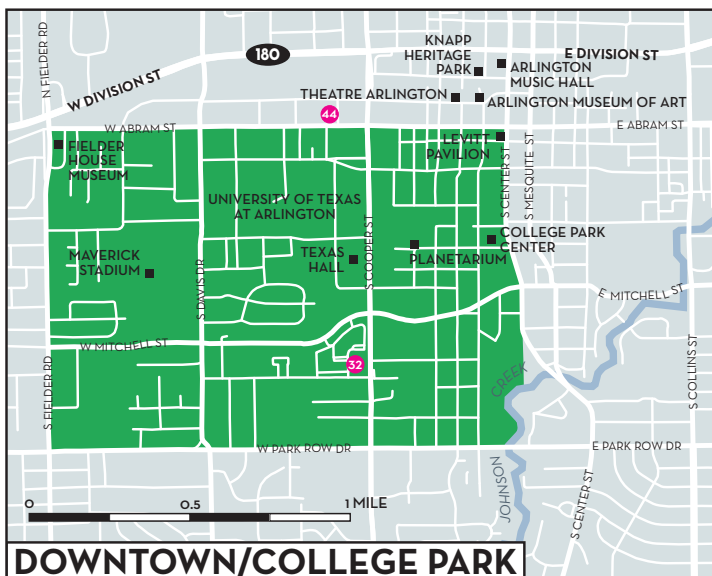
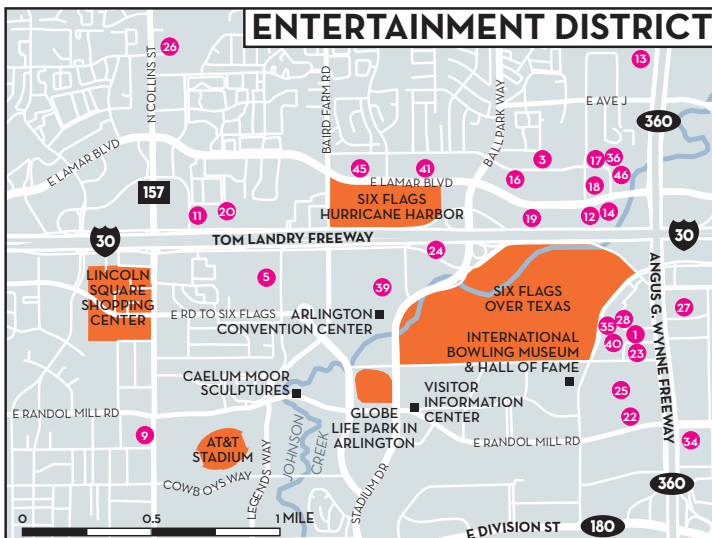


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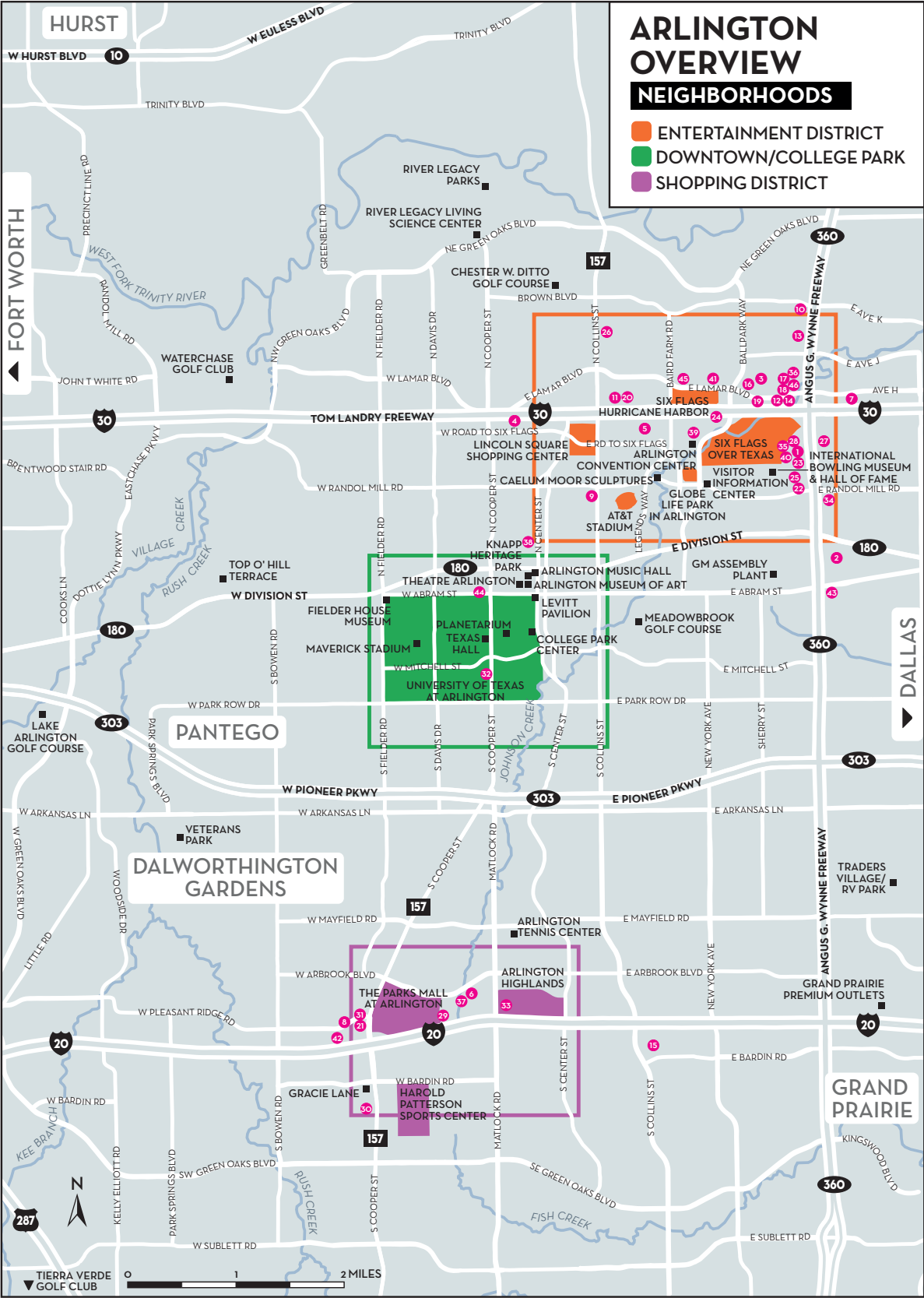
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ARLINGTON OVERVIEW

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by Eric Butterman and Sara McCabe

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LOCAL'S TIP: LATE-NIGHT REVELERS SHOULD TAKE ADVANTAGE OF PIRANHA'S "REVERSE HAPPY HOUR" ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY DURING THE LAST HOUR OF BUSINESS FROM 11 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT.

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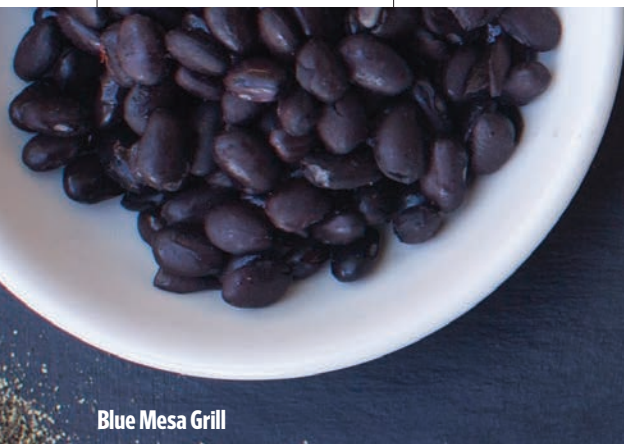
Many diners come to Chop House for the first time after seeing it featured on Guy Fieri's TV series "Diners, Drive-ins and Dives." But that's not why they keep coming back. One key reason is the ever-popular Chop House burger, combining slow-roasted brisket, applewood bacon and smoked cheddar cheese. Another favorite is the 10 Pepper Burger, spiked with a spicy mixture of peppers,

from jalapeños to habañeros, and served with Tabasco mayo. Chop House Chef Kenny Mills is the real deal—he got his start in 1970s Arlington as a dishwasher and busboy, made his name with restaurants all over Texas and returned to Arlington to make sure DFW's best burgers could be yours for the taking.

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by Alison Macor

FAME AND FORTUNE

One of Arlington's most scenic and tranquil spots was once a place of great glamour and controversy. Today, Top O' Hill Terrace is part of Arlington Baptist College, but in the 1930s and 1940s, this former tea room fronted an illegal speakeasy and gambling joint.

Bugsy Malone, Howard Hughes and top stars like Clark Gable frequented the popular casino, located beneath the charming and very proper tea room and gardens. VIPs had to wind their way through a series of hallways and checkpoints to reach the basement speakeasy, which even had escape tunnels to help famous patrons escape during occasional raids.

Baptist pastor J. Frank Norris considered the casino a scourge on the town and vowed one day to own it. His dream came true in the mid 1950s, when he purchased the property and turned it into a seminary that eventually became the college. Some 60 years later, Top O' Hill Terrace's elaborate stone walls, archways and wrought iron gates welcome visitors for tours throughout the year. Secret passageways and artifacts from Top O' Hill's heyday are still being discovered. Visitors can ogle original poker chips, holstered pistols and even a few fashion accessories possibly left behind in haste as guests fled the law. Tours are available.



Theatre Arlington

PERFECT HARMONY

Historic Arlington Music Hall is home to Symphony Arlington and a who's who of talented regional, national and international performers led by musical director Robert Carter Austin. Guest soloists for 2016 include Iranian pianist Sara Daneshpour, Bulgarian cellist Kalin Ivanov and American pianist Stephen Beus. The symphony's season, October through May, takes place in a former movie palace that has hosted live events for more than 60 years. Today, the renovated theater boasts a top-of-the-line sound and lighting system and just over 1,000 seats. Experience all of Arlington Music Hall's musical offerings with the entire family.

SUMMER NIGHTS

Enjoy a more laid-back musical experience at Levitt Pavilion for the Performing Arts, Downtown Arlington's popular open-air amphitheater. Frequently described as one of Arlington's hidden jewels, Levitt Pavilion hosts more than 50 free concerts annually beginning in early summer and running through October. Past seasons have included acts like Kenny Loggins, Grammy winner Brave Combo and The Doobie Brothers. The pavilion is a perfect spot for a picnic dinner under the stars—bring your own feast or make a menu selection from the many popular on-site vendors. Then kick back on a blanket or lounge in a lawn chair for the ultimate easy-listening experience.



Arlington Museum of Art

LOCAL'S TIP: HEADING TO LEVITT PAVILION? CONSIDER BRINGING TAKEOUT FROM A NEARBY ARLINGTON EATERY LIKE SPROUTS SPRING ROLL & PHO RESTAURANT, CHOP HOUSE BURGERS, J. GILLIGAN'S BAR & GRILL OR MARIANO'S HACIENDA. ALL HAVE BEEN FEATURED ON POPULAR TV PROGRAMS LIKE FOOD NETWORK'S "DINERS, DRIVE-INS AND DIVES" OR ON THE TRAVEL CHANNEL.

ON STAGE

All-ages musicals like *Hello Dolly!* and youth productions like *The Outsiders* make Theatre Arlington a must-see for out-of-towners eager to enjoy top-rated family friendly theater. Tarrant County's second largest and second oldest theater, Theatre Arlington has been a local favorite since the early 1970s. Today, the 199-seat cabaret-style venue is accessibly located downtown on Main Street, where Theatre Arlington's year-round productions draw more than 30,000 patrons annually from the Metroplex and beyond.

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WHERE: PEROT MUSEUM OF NATURE AND SCIENCE, 20 MILES EAST

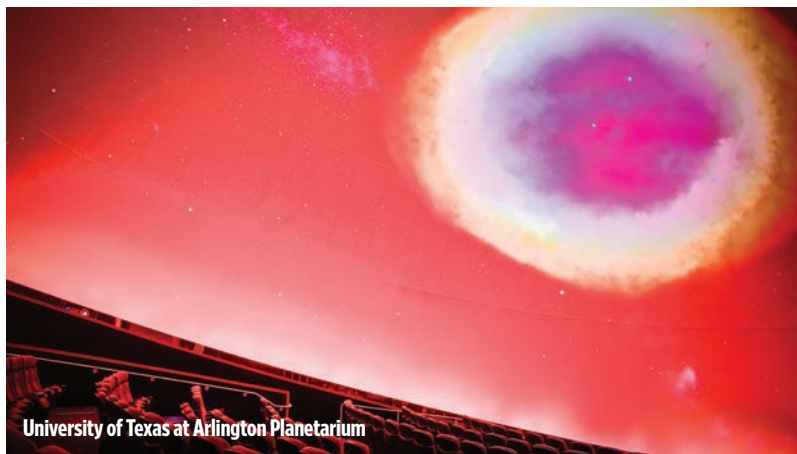
WHAT: HANDS-ON LEARNING FOR THE STEM SET AND EVERYONE ELSE. YOU COULD EASILY SPEND A FULL DAY AT DALLAS' NEWEST MUSEUM, WHERE THE GROUND-FLOOR INTERACTIVE SPORTS HALL AND THE DYNAMIC EARTH HALL ARE ESPECIALLY POPULAR. CHECK OUT THE ARCHOSAUR FOSSILS, FIRST DISCOVERED IN AN ARLINGTON SUBDIVISION IN 2008.

WHERE: SIXTH FLOOR MUSEUM AT DEALEY PLAZA, 21 MILES EAST

WHAT: A STEP BACK IN TIME TO THE LIFE, DEATH AND LEGACY OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY. LOCATED AT THE VERY SPOT WHERE LEE HARVEY OSWALD SHOT AND KILLED THE PRESIDENT IN 1963, THE MUSEUM'S MULTIMEDIA EXPERIENCE OF EXHIBITS, ARTIFACTS AND FILMS PROVIDE AN IN-DEPTH LOOK AT THE LIFE AND ASSASSINATION OF JFK.

WHERE: BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINTING, WESTERN CURRENCY FACILITY TOUR AND VISITOR CENTER, 25 MILES NORTHWEST

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University of Texas at Arlington Planetarium

calendar kicks off with works by artists including Andy Warhol, Jasper Johns and Jackson Pollock. Photographs by the late Vivian Maier, whose work was discovered posthumously and inspired the documentary *Finding Vivian Maier*, comprise an exhibit that opens this May. Ceramics by Pablo Picasso will be on display beginning in November.

AUTHENTICALLY ARLINGTON

Even the most reluctant art aficionados will love the AT&T Stadium Art Tour. More than 50 pieces of contemporary art selected or commissioned by Dallas Cowboys owners Jerry and wife Gene Jones form the impressive collection displayed throughout AT&T Stadium. Not only does the tour allow visitors to experience important works like Jenny Holzer's *Truisms* series and James Welling's photographs of architect Phillip Johnson's Glass House, but it also offers a chance to visit parts of the iconic AT&T Stadium

like the main concourse and club rooms. Enjoy the stadium's collection on your own or choose a guided tour for a more immersive experience.

Head to the University of Texas at Arlington to discover what the art world already knows: UTA has an accomplished and internationally recognized glass program. The Gallery at UTA is the main exhibition space for the university's regional and national exhibits as well as for faculty and student shows held throughout the year.

Recent touring shows have included *Sharing Space: Gyorgy Beck and Sylvia Plachy*, an exhibition of photo-based works by these Hungarian-born artists. Examples from UTA's own collection include contemporary prints and photographs, paintings, pieces from the university's African Art Collections and of course many stunning examples of works created in glass.



AT&T Stadium Art Tour



Levitt Pavilion for the Performing Arts

LOCAL'S TIP: LEAVE PLENTY OF TRANSIT TIME TO AND FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT ARLINGTON'S GALLERY AND PLANETARIUM. BOTH ARE LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE UTA CAMPUS, SO CHOOSE A NEARBY PARKING GARAGE AND ALLOW FOR ENOUGH TIME TO WALK.

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sity of Texas at Arlington's Planetarium. Hour-long programs run year-round and include a 30-minute film combined with a guided tour of the North Texas night sky via a 60-foot domed screen and state-of-the-art projection system. Stargazing experiences are led by one of UTA's resident astronomers and scientists. Programs include laser tributes to rock greats Led

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Arlington Visitor Welcome Center

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Arlington, TX 76011

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Stop by the official Arlington Visitor Welcome Center, located in the heart of the Entertainment District next to Globe Life Park, to find maps, coupons and brochures about the area.

Alley Cats

2008 W. Pleasant Ridge Rd.

Arlington, TX 76015

(817) 784-2695 • alleycatsbowl.com

Alley Cats is the only attraction in Arlington open 365 days a year. Whether you are looking for corporate team building, a place to play or party, or a spot with anything but “bowling alley food,” you are in luck. Go bowling in the dark on one of 24 lanes, shoot billiards, try rock climbing or play more than 100 video, prize and ticket games.

Arlington Museum of Art

201 W. Main St. • Arlington, TX 76010

(817) 275-4600 • arlingtonmuseum.org

The Arlington Museum of Art is focused on bringing outstanding exhibitions to the four floors of the facility that inspire, inform and challenge our local visitors, as well as tourists from outside the Metroplex. We also present accompanying educational and related programming in order to increase public awareness, appeal to a broader cross-section of the community and establish Arlington as a cultural hub in North Texas.

Arlington Music Hall

224 N. Center St. • Arlington, TX 76011

(817) 226-4400 • arlingtonmusichall.net

Nestled in the heart of Downtown Arlington and under new ownership and management, this historic site is the premier performance venue in the DFW Metroplex. With an expanded offering of concerts, camps and a Christmas Spectacular, this is the place to see and hear the finest in live music of all kinds. Arlington Music Hall offers something for everyone—from Kansas (rock ‘n’ roll) to The Oak Ridge Boys (classic Country) to Donny Edwards (Elvis tribute) to Symphony Arlington (classical orchestra). Check out our website to see who’s coming soon!

AT&T Stadium

One AT&T Way • Arlington, TX 76011

(817) 892-4000

stadium.dallascowboys.com

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Guided Stadium Tours: One-hour stadium tours are available daily, excluding home game days and special stadium events. Tours begin and end at the Stadium Pro Shop at the main entrance.

College Park Center UTA

601 S. Spaniolo Dr. • Arlington, TX 76019

(817) 272-5584 • utacollegepark.com

College Park Center is home to the WNBA Dallas Wings and the University of Texas at Arlington’s men’s and women’s basketball and volleyball teams. The center is surrounded by a wide variety of restaurants and hosts numerous high-profile events, entertainment, conferences and community activities.

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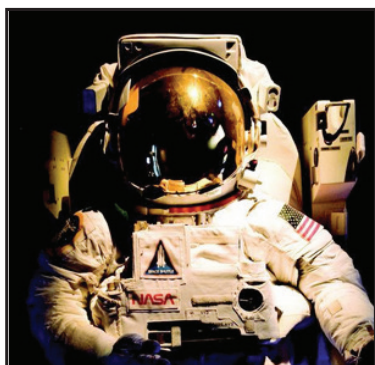
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International Bowling Museum & Hall of Fame

621 Six Flags Dr.

Arlington, TX 76011

(817) 385-8215 • bowlingmuseum.com

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101 W. Abrams St. • Arlington, TX 76010

(817) 543-4301

levittpavilionarlington.org

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(817) 467-6565 • puttputt.com

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River Legacy Parks and Living Science Center

701 N.W. Green Oaks Blvd.

Arlington, TX 76006

(817) 860-6752 • riverlegacy.org

River Legacy Parks, the crown jewel of Arlington's park system, is located along the banks of the Trinity River in northwest Arlington. The natural urban hardwood forest includes 400 species of wildlife, 193 species of birds and 28 species of trees. Recreational activities include nature studies, bird watching, bicycling, jogging, picnicking and River Legacy Parks Paddling Trail. Adjacent to River Legacy Parks is a 12,000 square foot nature center, River Legacy Living Science Center, featuring terrariums and aquariums with native wildlife, an exhibit hall, self-exploration stations, nature trails, a gift shop and free Saturday programs.

Arlington Segway Tours

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Arlington, TX 76006

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Six Flags Over Texas

2201 E. Rd. to Six Flags

Arlington, TX 76011

(817) 640-8900 • sixflags.com/overtexas

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The Historic Fielder House Museum

1616 W. Abram St. • Arlington, TX 76013

(817) 460-4001 • historicalarlington.org

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309 Curtis Mathes Way, #147

Arlington, TX 76015

(817) 635-5555 • improv.com

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The Planetarium at UT Arlington

700 Planetarium Pl.

Arlington, TX 76019

(817) 272-1183 • utplanetarium.com

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Theatre Arlington

305 W. Main St. • Arlington, TX 76010

(817) 275-7661 • theatrearlington.org

Located in the center of Arlington's Arts District, Theatre Arlington is one of the largest semi-professional nonprofit theaters in the nation, producing quality live theater and award-winning shows. It also offers classes for all acting levels and ages.

Top O' Hill Terrace

3001 W. Division • Arlington, TX 76012

(817) 461-8741 • topohillterrace.com

This former tearoom became a notorious casino in the 1920s. Known as Top O' Hill Terrace, the popular spot attracted gamblers as well as visitors who were often unaware of the gaming activities. In 1956, the Bible Baptist Seminary—which is now

Arlington Baptist College—purchased the property and converted it from a casino to a seminary. Many of the historic structures from the days of Top O' Hill remain on the site. Tours are available.

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Fort Worth Museum of Science & History

1600 Gendy St. • Fort Worth, TX 76107
(817) 255-9300 • fortworthmuseum.org

Plan your visit to the Fort Worth Museum of Science & History, located only minutes from Downtown Arlington in the heart of the Fort Worth Cultural District. The museum's environment of learning includes the Children's Museum, Dino Labs and Dino Dig, Energy Blast and Innovation Studios. The Noble Planetarium and Omni Theater, IMAX Dome make this an experience you won't forget!

Fossil Rim Wildlife Center

2299 County Rd. 2008 • Glen Rose, TX 76043
(254) 897-2960 • fossilrim.com

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Perot Museum of Nature & Science

2201 N. Field St. • Dallas, TX 75201
(214) 428-5555 • perotmuseum.org

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Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza

411 Elm St. • Dallas, TX 75202-3301

(214) 747-6660 • jfk.org

Located on the sixth floor of the Dallas County Administration Building (formerly the Texas School Book Depository) from which Lee Harvey Oswald fired those infamous shots, this historic exhibition chronicles the life, times, assassination and legacy of President John F. Kennedy.

Texas Civil War Museum

760 Jim Wright Fwy. • Fort Worth, TX 76108

(817) 246-2323 • texascivilwarmuseum.com

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801 Brown Blvd. • (817) 275-5941 • arlingtongolf.com

Lake Arlington Golf Course

1516 Green Oaks Blvd. • (817) 451-6101 • arlingtongolf.com

Meadowbrook Golf Course

1300 E. Dugan St. • (817) 275-0221 • arlingtongolf.com

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(817) 861-4653 • waterchasegc.com

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Arlington Highlands

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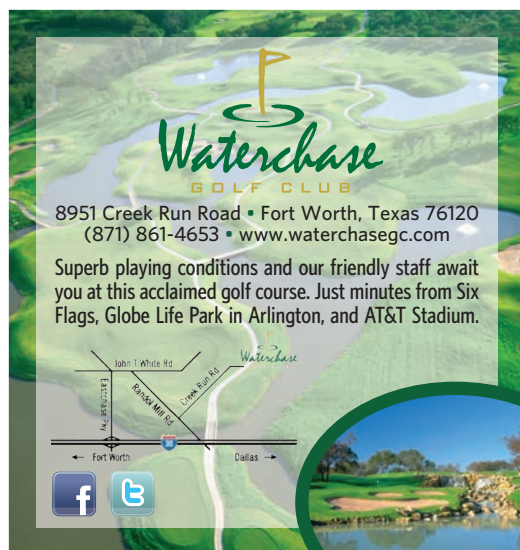
This is the spot in Arlington for dining, shopping and lots of fun. Along with more than 25 dining options, Arlington Highlands offers over 50 stores to do some shopping, a movie theater, and plenty of places for grown-ups to play. It's the destination for a leisurely day of shopping and dining with the family or a fun evening out with friends.

Beef Jerky Outlet

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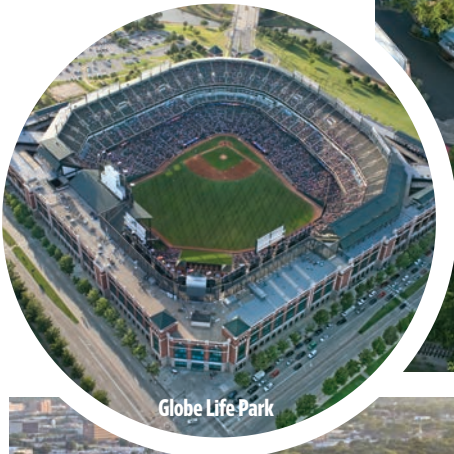
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	Days Inn at the Ballpark 910 N. Collins St. (817) 261-8444	93			★		★				★		
	DoubleTree by Hilton 1507 N. Watson Rd. (817) 640-7712	237	★	★		★	★		★	★	★		
	Eco Lodge Inn & Suites 1075 Wet N Wild Way (817) 261-8900	130	★		★		★	★	★	★	★		
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 Extended Stay America 360 1221 N. Watson Rd. • (817) 633-7588	137			★		★	★					
 Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott 2500 E. Lamar Blvd. (817) 649-5800	101		★			★		★	★	★		
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Hyatt Place Arlington	127	★	★			★	★					
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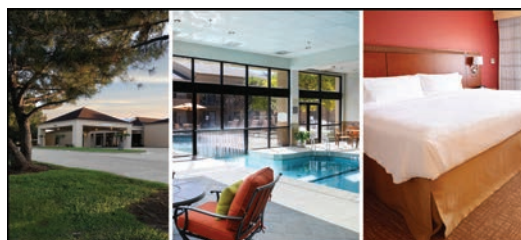
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