



2018 Annual Meeting Dining and Activities Guide

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Restaurants near the Hilton Anatole

Chop Houses

Al Biernat's

4217 Oak Lawn Avenue Dallas TX—(214)219-2201

Longtime upscale steak & seafood hot spot is known for its ever-present host & vibrant bar. Owner Al Biernat knows everyone by name, and if he doesn't know you when you come in, he will by the time you head for valet. Be prepared to enjoy the best filet or some of the most outstanding seafood with wines from his impeccable wine list, but leave room for the best coconut cream pie that you have ever had the chance to enjoy.

Bob's Steak & Chop House

4300 Lemmon Avenue (at Wycliff), Dallas, Texas 75219—(214)528-9446

Bob's Steak & Chop House is ranked as one of the top steakhouses in the country. All locations are examples of the traditional American prime steakhouse, combining simple elegance, a lively atmosphere, big drinks, fine wines and large cuts of the finest prime steaks, chops and seafood

The Capital Grille

500 Crescent Court - #135, Dallas, TX—(214)303-0500

Rich African mahogany paneling and warm lighting from one-of-a-kind art deco chandeliers set the tone for a comfortably elegant evening. Our impressive menu of nationally renowned dry aged steaks and the freshest of seafood will ignite your culinary imagination as our award-winning wine list of more than 5,000 bottles awakens your inner sommelier.

Dallas Chop House

1717 Main Street Dallas TX—(214)736-7300

Dallas Chop House has been created to provide a completely new approach to steakhouse dining. Along with providing a refreshing, relaxing, energized environment for everyone to enjoy, it is all about accessibility to the

experience. Whatever your appetite, there is something for you to enjoy at Dallas Chop House.

Knife

5680 North Central Expressway Dallas TX—(214)443-9339

Knife is the highly awarded restaurant created by nationally acclaimed, James Beard nominated Chef John Tesar. The cuisine at Knife melds classic and modern steakhouse dishes featuring all-natural born and raised Texas beef, pork and lamb in dry-aged prime cuts prepared in cast irons and customary steakhouse broilers. Beyond the steakhouse, Knife makes all pasta in house and offers fresh seafood and vegetarian main dishes, family-style seasonal salads and raw bar selections.

Nick & Sam's Steakhouse

3008 Maple Avenue Dallas TX—(214)871-7444

This hot Uptown spot serves a broad array of cuts with focused, friendly, professional service. The universal appeal is a result of exceptional prime steaks, chops, seafood and world class sushi --- in addition, to the best selections of Japanese Wagyu in the US and paired with a wine list of 500 labels and outstanding customer service.

Pappas Bros. Steakhouse

10477 Lombardy Lane Dallas TX—(214)366-2000

Pappas Bros Steakhouse feels like steakhouse should. The dining room is dim enough to warrant a penlight, there is enough leather to stop a cattle drive and the sommelier truly listens and responds. The steak is aged in house for 40 days and is buttery, salty, tender and blood red with a crunch car on top. The service is as impeccable as the macaroni and cheese laced with jumbo lump crabmeat.

Town Hearth

1617 Market Center Blvd, Dallas, TX—(214)761-1617

Town Hearth led by Dallas Chef Nick Badovinus has made a splash in the Dallas restaurant scene this past year. The dining room, with 64 crystal chandeliers, a lemon-yellow submarine-like mine sweeper encased in an aquarium and a silver 1961 MG parked in front of the open kitchen, is clear designed to dazzle. As for the food, you can start with raw bar treats then progress to one of the chef's mammoth steaks to be paired with a "tot poutine" or other magnificent sides. It will be a meal to always remember.

Seafood Restaurants

Al Biernat's

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Much more than a great steakhouse! Our menu rises above the traditional grill menu, with popular entrees such as Pan Seared Sea Bass over Lobster Risotto, Australian Cold Water Lobster Tail, Veal Osso Bucco, Colorado Lamb Chops or Elk Filet. The extensive wine list offers over 650 rare selections and a sommelier's expertise. Al Biernat personally greets you at the door to ensure your delightful dining experience. Come see why Al Biernat's is known as one of the best restaurants in the world.

Dallas Fish Market

1501 Main Street Dallas—(214)744-3474

Located on the ground floor of the Busch-Kirby Building, a recorded Texas historic landmark, built in 1913 by Adolphus Busch. Executive Chef Anupam "AJ" Joglekar offers the freshest seafood daily from sources around the world, the finest Texas grass-feed more steaks and local produce. With a weekly changing menu you will dine on the finest, freshest ingredients of the season. The clean, contemporary interior will truly showcase Chef AJ's creations. The Wine Lounge is a wine lover's dream come true!

Eddie V's Prime Seafood

4023 Oak Lawn Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)890-1500

Eddie V's combines a broad-reaching wine list with menu favorites such as Jonah crab claws, premium Black Angus steaks and wok-seared, Kung Pao-style calamari in spicy soy and ginger sauce --- all with "top notch" service in a beautiful modern setting and nightly live jazz in the lounge.

Ocean Prime

2101 Cedar Springs Avenue Dallas TX—(214)965-0440

Ocean Prime encompasses retro elements of a supper club, including warm finishes and rich woods, combined with contemporary styled sheer drapery, state of the art lighting and granite bar tops. The atmosphere at Ocean Prime is electric, sophisticated and fun, with unsurpassable service. Ocean Prime also features a beautiful outdoor more patio terrace with a fireplace, a lively cocktail lounge and piano bar, and three private dining rooms

TJ's Seafood Market

4212 Oak Lawn Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)219-3474 or 6025 Royal Lane #110 Dallas, TX—(214)691-2369

Voted Dallas' "Best Seafood Restaurant"- Join us for a fresh, casual seafood experience. Enjoy authentic preparations of our award-winning fresh seafood including shellfish, grilled fish, fish tacos, sandwiches, soups, salads and more.

Truluck's Seafood, Steak & Crab House

2401 McKinney Avenue, Dallas, TX— (214)220-2401

We invite you to escape to Truluck's. A getaway for the senses. Come savor the freshest Crab, direct from our own fisheries. Delight in our fresh-catch seafood menu or select tender, juicy steaks grilled to perfection. Then complement it all with delicious wines by the glass and bottle.

Continental and Contemporary Cuisine

Abacus

4511 McKinney Avenue Dallas TX—(214) 559-3111

Specializing in contemporary global cuisine with Pacific Rim influences, the first restaurant concept of Iron Chef America winner Kent Rathbun, Abacus, has been continually exceeding guest's expectations with exquisite culinary creations and exceptional food service for more than ten years. Rathbun, a four-time James Beard Award nominee, applies three decades of culinary expertise and skills from his extensive world travels to Italy, France, Spain, and Asia to create one-of-a-kind dishes that exemplify epicurean perfection at its finest.

Fearing's

(Ritz-Carlton) 2121 McKinney Avenue, Dallas, TX—(214)922-0020

Legendary Dean Fearing serves brilliant adventures in an environment of rich woods, leathers, textures, glass and earth tones. Fearing's is the perfect blend of innovative design, elevated cuisine and the true spirit of Texas hospitality. Named "Restaurant of the Year" and "Table of the Year" by Esquire Magazine, Fearing's has created quite a buzz with distinct dining venues, a spectacular farm-to-market seasonal menu, and the personal presence of Fearing himself.

FT33

1617 Hi Line Drive, Suite 250 Dallas, TX—(214)741-2629

Chef-owner Matt McCallister's FT33 puts a modern spin on seasonal ingredients grown or produced by local farmers and artisanal producers. The menu changes by the minute, and dishes rarely fail to cause diners to gasp. A must-try

in Dallas with a great bar scene to match --- another reason why some say this spot is “one of the coolest places to eat in Dallas.”

Gemma

2323 N Henderson Ave # 109 Dallas, TX—(214)370-9426

“Truly a gem”, this Knox-Henderson New American “wakes up taste buds” with “inventive”, “fresh” cuisine that’s paired with “compelling cocktails” and “excellent wines”; though it’s a “neighborhood” spot, it exudes “casual elegance”, all adding up to a “great experience from beginning to end” --- it’s “hard to get into”, so “reservations are a must.” P.S. night owls appreciate the late-night hours.

Hattie’s

418 N. Bishop Avenue Dallas TX—(214)942-7400

Located in Bishop's Arts District, Hattie's is an American Bistro with a Southern low-country influence. Here, traditional ingredients are transformed into sophisticated yet simple dishes that surprise and satisfy the palate. Hattie's offers an imaginative menu that changes seasonally.

Meddlesome Moth

1621 Oak Lawn Avenue Dallas, TX 75207—(214)628-7900

A great bar with great food. The Meddlesome Moth is located in Dallas' Trinity Design District. They have a full bar and the city's best menu featuring 40 draught beers, two live ales, and more than 85 bottles to help us round out our selection. Changes are if you've seen it in a commercial, they serve it.

Neighborhood Services

5027 West Lovers Lane Dallas, TX—(214)350-5027

Chef-owner Nick Badovinus has poured his soul into his restaurants, and it shows in this casual restaurant. His egalitarian American food menu has something for everyone. It features sophisticated, no-frills meat and seafood dishes, fresh pastas, salads, and inventive daily specials alongside the best gourmet burger in Dallas.

The Grape Restaurant

2808 Greenville Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)828-1981

Recognized as one of the most celebrated neighborhood eateries in Dallas for over 35 years, dining at The Grape is like stepping into a small European village. The monthly changing blackboard menu offerings, which have proven to be one of the elements of success, feature signature bistro fare as well as eclectic and contemporary creations

The Landmark at the Melrose

3015 Oak Lawn Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)521-5151

It has been named “The top Place to Sip and Sup” by the Wall Street Journal and consistently chosen as one of Dallas' best Piano bars. Sunbathed and inviting at breakfast, this traditional dining turns into the perfect romantic spot by night. Candlelight and fresh cut flowers adorn the crisp white linens while diners sink comfortably into upholstered armchairs. Service is as gracious as the décor. Classically presented New American favorites.

The Mansion on Turtle Creek

3411 Gillespie Street Dallas, TX—(214)520-5824

Long-hailed as Dallas' best restaurant for fine dining, the Mansion Restaurant has been delighting guests for more than 30 years. The proud tradition of culinary excellence and exquisite service continues as Chef Bruno Davailon leads the Mansion's talented culinary team to give guests the most inviting, approachable and valuable dining experience in Texas. Chef Davailon's contemporary American cuisine with French influences reveals the brilliance of simplicity with an approach that involves choosing the freshest and finest ingredients and combining them to maximize flavor and texture.

Sevy's Grill

8201 Preston Road Dallas, TX—(214)265-7389

On May 8, 1997, Sevy's Grill was opened to chase the dream of running an independent restaurant with the guests as the primary focus. Family-run with the simple principles of chef-driven, consistent quality food and wine, warm professional service, and a comfortable ambiance. The centerpiece is cooking over our Aztek grill with a live fire fueled by hickory wood. It's that natural kiss of smoke that adds to the distinct flavors of our food.

Tillman's Roadhouse

324 W. 7th Street Bishops Art District Dallas, TX-(214)942-0988

Tillman's is a place for really good food, drinks, and music in a fun, casual, come-as-you-are environment. It is an update on the classic Texas roadhouse. Regional menu favorites, familiar tunes, no-one is a stranger hospitality – all energized with a modern take. A combination of both rustic and lush in everything from the menu to the décor make Tillman's a good-time anytime destination, whether it's for a quick drink, a casual dinner, or a special occasion.

Italian Restaurants

Adelmo's Ristorante

5450 West Lovers Lane, Suite 225 Dallas, TX—(214)559-0325

This "way underrated" "treasure" in the Knox/Henderson area serves "splendid Mediterranean cuisine", including a "heavenly veal chop"; the "eclectic crowd" finds the "charming", "postage stamp-sized" setting "supremely romantic" (especially upstairs), and the "friendly" staff is "generous with advice."

Cane Rosso

2612 Commerce Stree. Dallas, TX—(214)741-1188 or 7328 Gaston Avenue, Suite 100 Dallas, TX—(214)660-3644

"Life-changing" Neapolitan thin-crust pies piled with a creative assortment of toppings ("two words: bacon marmalade") are fired in wood-burning ovens at these "chill" pizza parlors, where the ovens themselves make quite the centerpieces in the rustic-industrial digs; pastas, wines and a selection of local brews round out the offerings, but don't neglect to ask about "secret menu" items too, like the Honey Badger pizza – "you will not regret it." Led by certified Master Pizzaiolo and Executive Chef, Dino Santonicola, Cane Rosso creates an authentic Italian dining experience with the highest quality ingredients, handmade dough, mozzarella made in-house daily, fresh pasta, and unique takes on traditional Italian dishes.

Cremona Bistro

2704 Worthington Dallas, TX—(214)871-1115

Cremona Bistro has relocated into the heart of beautiful Uptown to 2704 Worthington just off McKinney ave. just minutes from downtown Dallas. Cremona Bistro has been family owned and operated since 1977 and continues to proudly serve the freshest and best Italian food.

Lucia

408 West Eighth Street, # 101 Dallas, TX—(214)948-4998

It will be a feast for the ages. Chef David Uygur's selection of house-cured meats will be a spectacular display which can be highlighted with a spicy coppa, soppressata, chicken liver pâté, and Lucia's signature n'duja. David Uygur will be "in the kitchen working magic" to conjure "outstanding" Italian fare while his wife oversees the front of house; set in a historic building dating back to the '20s, it's "hard to get into", so "reservations are a must."

Nonna

4115 Loma Alto Dallas, TX 75219—(214)521-1800

In 2006 Nonna was conceived to provide Highland Park with a neighborhood restaurant for people to meet and enjoy authentically made regional Italian food. The cuisine is seasonal and dependent on local producers of meat and produce whenever possible. A wood burning oven is a focal point for the restaurant, both aesthetically and for the food. The focus is artisanal salamis, pastas, and pizza.

Pie Tap Pizza Workshop + Bar

1212 Oak Lawn Avenue # 131 Dallas, TX—(469)677-0997

Pizzeria concept from Mooyah co-founder Rich Hicks has the makings of a chain, and there are already two locations, this one in the Design District and another on Henderson Avenue. But don't worry about that: The pizza is excellent, and there's pasta, beer, and wine, all served in a brisk, cosmopolitan setting. Everything is available onsite or via delivery to your door — meaning you can get a complete meal with wine or beer included, even a six-pack if you like, a delivery option that's unique.

Ravenna Urban Downtown

1301 Main Street Dallas, TX—(866)779-8138

Boasting an award-winning Italian menu, impressive wine list and a highly attentive level of service, Ravenna Italian Downtown Restaurant has earned its reputation as the most popular Italian restaurant that Downtown Dallas has to offer. In a hurry and simply want a pizza to-go or prefer to partake in an intimate four course menu customized by the creators themselves, Ravenna offers something for everyone.

Sushi

Nobu

400 Crescent Court, Dallas, TX —(in the Crescent Court Hotel) (214)252-7000

Nobu Dallas opened in 2005 as Chef Nobu Matsuhisa's Texas outpost. The Rockwell Group designed dining room with its river stone wall and onyx sushi bar is most reminiscent of the original Nobu in New York with its birch trees, but with a touch of Southern charm to fit its Texas location. Nobu Dallas can be the destination for dinner in the dining room or at the sushi bar, drinks in the bar lounge, or a private function in the skylight room.

Shinsei

7713 Inwood Road Dallas, TX—(214)352-0005

This chic Park Cities hot spot serves a solid assortment of sushi and Asian-fusion specialties to its well-heeled neighbors. Simplicity rules in the spicy tuna roll, which is fat with fish and holds just enough wasabi to make our sinuses tingle.

Steel Sushi Restaurant and Lounge

3180 Welborn Street Dallas TX—(214)219-9908

This Oak Lawn denizen keeps its well-heeled regulars engaged with a sweep of Asian cuisines (Japanese to Vietnamese) in the form of inventive bento boxes, flavor-packed noodle dishes and hot-rock, cook-at-the-table items, plus a formidable sushi list. It's also known for its special events such as sake tastings and Sunday Swirl evenings.

Tei-An

1722 Routh Street Dallas, TX—(214)220-2828

Chef-owner Teiichi "Teach" Sakurai continues to raise the bar on fine dining in Dallas. His spot in One Arts Plaza specializes in Japanese soba noodles made by hand from nutty-tasting, nutritious buckwheat flour. It is a "trendy yet elegant" scene and "impeccable" service combine at this Arts District Japanese, "one of the best restaurants in Dallas"; interiors with "sleek styling" plus a rooftop cocktail bar with killer views add to the appeal.

Tei Tei Robata Bar

2906 North Henderson Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)828-2400

As you enter Tei Tei through the Japanese garden, you begin to get a flavor of the restaurant even before reaching the door. From the rear parking, take the narrow pebbled path through the garden where you feel your relaxation deepening with each step. Inside you find a sleek, sophisticated decor where the emphasis is on the fresh taste and artistic presentation of our menu. The highlight of the menu is robata - a traditional grill cooking style of Hokkaido in northern Japan.

Uchi Dallas

2817 Maple Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)855-5454

Tyson Cole brings the latest iteration of his much-lauded modern Japanese restaurant to Uptown with this sleekly designed spot highlighting fine, fresh seafood. The menu features hot and cold specialties, makimono, yakimono, tempura, sushi, and sashimi. In addition, Chef de Cuisine Alex Astranti creates a seasonal menu that rotates four times a year just for Dallas diners.

Yutaka Sushi Bistro

2633 McKinney Avenue, Suite 140 Dallas, TX—(214)969-5533

"It's the real deal" say fans of this Uptown Japanese known for its "fantastic" sushi as well as hot and cold entrees from chef-owner Yutaka Yamato. Rolls, such as tuna and yellowtail, center on impeccably handled fish, but Yutaka's intriguing menu puts this bistro in the same league as Nobu and Tei Tei. Try the gyoza dumplings filled with spicy tuna, pan-seared until crisp.

Texas Barbecue

Lockhart Smokehouse

400 W Davis Street Dallas, TX—(214)944-5521

For a "real Texas experience", BBQ fans head to these pit stops for "Central Texas-style" smoked meats, including "melt-in-your-mouth" brisket and ribs "sliced right off a huge slab pulled from the cooker" plus "excellent" sausage from Kreuz Market in Lockhart (the owners are kin to the legendary pitmaster there); it's all served over the counter on butcher paper with no fork and no sauce, but there's a full bar if you need to wet your whistle --- P.S. "go early" because they stop serving when the meat runs out.

Pecan Lodge

2702 Main Street Dallas, TX—(214)748-8900

To most people, the name Pecan Lodge is synonymous with BBQ. But it goes deeper than that. While the name originated from the owner's grandfather's ranch in Abilene, what they do is anchored in the memories of cooking with all his grandparents. So it's not surprising what when they first planted their business in Shed #2 at Dallas' Farmer's Market, they went back to their roots. They used everything they learned about working an offset pit. And made sure to honored family recipes instead of following the latest trends.

Slow Bone

2234 Irving Boulevard Dallas, TX—(214)377-7727

Slow Bone's take on the barbecue boys with aplomb at this lunch-only "joint" that's "all about" the smoked meats, though some claim the sides (pinto beans, fried okra, buttered squash and many others) are "even better"; the rustic Design District digs feature cafeteria-style service, and there's often a line, so expect a wait – and be aware that they frequently sell out of food and close early.

Stampede 66

1717 McKinney Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)550-6966

Though the “creative comfort food” with Southwestern, Southern and Tex-Mex accents is “outstanding” and the cocktails are “smoking” (literally), it’s the decor that’s “really the standout” at celeb chef Stephan Pyles’ “very Texas” joint, featuring eye-popping Western-inspired art in otherwise casual digs near Victory Park; the “wonderful” service is provided by a staff clad in Western-wear, helping to make this “a fun place” for “out-of-towners, as well as locals.”

Tex-Mex and Mexican Cuisine

El Bolero Cocina Mexicana

1201 Oak Lawn Avenue # 160 Dallas, TX—(214)741-1986

“Delicious” regional Mexican cuisine is on offer at this Design District hangout from the team behind Oak, with soups, ceviches, tacos and traditional entrees all in the mix, as well as “top-notch” margaritas. The airy, “upscale” design with pops of color takes cues from traditional Mexican artwork, plus there’s a “beautiful patio” with an equally festive feel.

Gloria’s

3223 Lemmon Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)303-1166

“A great place to eat, drink and be merry”, this chain of “busy” cantinas draws raves for “excellent” Salvadoran and Tex-Mex specialties, including its “to-die-for” black bean dip, plus “strong” margaritas; though the “fun, funky” settings get “loud”, they’re still suited for taking both a “date” and the “whole family”

Javier’s Gourmet Mexicano

4912 Cole Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)521-4211

This Knox-Henderson “institution” with “fabulous cars at the valet” is “packed every day of the week” thanks to an “engaging” staff (and Javier himself, “greeting his customers”) delivering a menu of “outstanding” Mexico City-style cuisine and “amazing” margaritas --- even after 30+ years is the business. Filete cantinflas, tenderloin of beef stuffed with Chihuahua cheese and butter, is sinfully delicious. Mesquite-smoked pollo ahumado is the most tender and juicy chicken on the planet.

Meso Maya Comida Y Copas

11909 Preston Road #1426 Dallas, TX—(469)726-7390

A “nice departure from the usual Tex-Mex”, these contemporary cantinas specialize in “outstanding”, “fresh” interior Mexican food from the Central and Southern regions; “original” cocktails flow from the bar, boosting the “relaxed, fun” atmosphere of the stylishly “comfortable” settings.

Mi Cocina

3699 McKinney Avenue Dallas, TX—(469)533-5663

A “go-to” in the metroplex for “straight-up Tex-Mex”, these “modern” cantinas keep things spicy with a big menu of traditional favorites and “potent” margaritas (after a Mambo Taxi “you’ll need a taxi” to get home); though some find them “unremarkable”, most agree they’re “always a winner.”

Mr. Mesero

4444 McKinney Avenue Dallas, TX—(214)780-1991

“You can’t get much better than this unless you go to Mexico” say fans of this Knox-Henderson venue turning out “tasty”, “authentic” Mexican food, an assortment of American eats and cocktails; the casual vibe inside spills out onto the roomy porch, making for a “wonderful experience all around.”

Pepe’s & Mito’s

2911 Elm Street Dallas, TX—(214)741-1901

This lively Deep Ellum “go-to” is known for its “awesome” Mexican food and “wonderful” margaritas delivered with “attentive” service; the colorful surrounds feature murals evoking south-of-the-border life, giving the spacious spot a real cantina vibe.

Arts and Culture (websites included to access current exhibits)

Amon Carter Museum www.cartermuseum.org

The Amon Carter Museum is a treasure not only for the Fort Worth community, but also for art lovers throughout the world. An extraordinary collection, special exhibitions, education programs, community events, and publications make the Museum a major center for the gathering, interpretation, and enjoyment of American art.

The Amon Carter Museum was established through the generosity of Amon G. Carter Sr. (1879–1955) to house his collection of paintings and sculpture by Frederic Remington and Charles M. Russell; to collect, preserve, and exhibit the finest examples of American art; and to serve an educational role through exhibitions, publications, and programs devoted to the study of American art

AT&T Performing Arts Center

AT&T Performing Arts Center encompasses 10 acres within the downtown Dallas Arts District. The Center includes the Margot and Bill Winspear Opera House, Dee and Charles Wylie Theatre, Annette Strauss Square and Elaine D. and Charles A. Sammons Park. The AT&T PAC presents a variety of programs year-round in its indoor and outdoor performance venues, including the Lexus Broadway Series, Brinker International Forum and, in association with TITAS, contemporary dance and music, as well as other touring and community performances.

Dallas Museum of Art www.dm-art.org

The Dallas Museum of Art is located in the downtown Dallas Arts District, now considered the largest urban arts district in the United States. The DMA has a proud history of serving the North Texas community and connecting art and people, and welcomes approximately 600,000 visitors each year. The Museum was established in 1903 and features an outstanding collection of more than 24,000 works of art from around the world, from ancient to modern times

Nasher Sculpture Center www.nashersculpturecenter.org

Nasher Sculpture Center at Flora Street is a significant landmark of Dallas. The gallery has been designed by Renzo Piano and has works by Rodin and Picasso. This monumental structure with glass ceilings, opens up into a beautiful garden. The works are just as striking.

Crow Collection of Asian Art www.crowcollection.org

Located in the Arts District of downtown Dallas, The Crow Collection is a permanent set of galleries dedicated to the arts and cultures of China, Japan, India and Southeast Asia. The museum offers a serene setting for quiet reflection and learning

Meadows Museum at SMU www.meadowsmuseumdallas.org

The Meadows Museum at Southern Methodist University houses one of the largest and most comprehensive collections of Spanish art outside of Spain. With works dating from the 10th to the 21st century, the internationally renowned collection presents a broad spectrum of art covering a thousand years of Spanish heritage

The Dallas Symphony (The Meyerson Symphony Center) www.dallassymphony.com

The home of the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, the Meyerson Symphony Center is just as integral to the sound of the music as the musicians themselves. Since 1989, the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center has become a landmark on the Dallas skyline and the international press has proclaimed the hall "world-class, rivaling the great concert halls

of the world" and is part of the Dallas Arts District.

Sixth Floor Museum www.jfk.org

The Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza chronicles the assassination and legacy of President John F. Kennedy; interprets the Dealey Plaza National Historical Landmark District and the John F. Kennedy Memorial Plaza; and presents contemporary culture within the context of presidential history.

Kimball Art Museum www.kimbellart.org

Architect Louis I. Kahn won an award from the American Institute of Architects for this building's striking design. He has used a series of arched glass ceilings to let in natural light and enhance the presentation of the many important pieces in the museum collection. Artworks come from all over the world and range from ancient times to present day, with maestros such as Renoir, Picasso, Rubens and Rembrandt represented.

National Cowgirl Museum & Hall of Fame www.cowgirl.net

The National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame honors and celebrates women, past and present, whose lives exemplify the courage, resilience, and independence that helped shape the American West, and fosters an appreciation of the ideals and spirit of self-reliance they inspire.

Trinity Groves www.trinitygroves.com

Central to the Trinity Groves project is the Restaurant Concept Incubator program, which encourages chefs and restaurateurs to create and present unique restaurant concepts to a team of experienced restaurateurs who will then support them to bring their ideas to reality. We've already accepted several restaurant concepts which are currently opening for business in spaces that were formerly industrial warehouses. These warehouses have since been rehabilitated and adapted to house these opportunities.

Our incubator program has been successful in attracting diversity to the area; we are currently incubating a variety of concepts including Spanish Tapas, Middle Eastern, Latin-Asian fusion, Central-American, Italian, and sushi. In addition to restaurants and retail, Trinity Groves features a microbrewery and a culinary events center. We also host many exciting events such as art and theater shows, live musical performances and chef cook-off competitions.

George W. Bush Presidential Library and Museum

2943 SMU Boulevard Dallas, TX—(214)200-4300

The George W. Bush Presidential Center engages communities in the United States and around the world by developing leaders, advancing policy, and taking action to solve today's most pressing challenges.