



Babb Bros. BBQ

Craving some hickory-smoked flavor and an authentic down-home feel? Look no further than [Babb Brother's BBQ and Blues](#), nestled at the foot of the Margaret Hunt Hill Bridge, a stone's throw away from the main [Trinity Groves](#) complex. Thick tender brisket, pulled pork, juicy ribs and spicy sausage, all topped with Babb's homemade barbecue sauce. And while you're chowing down on some of the best barbecue in Dallas, you can sit back and enjoy live music, brought to you by local artists every Saturday night.



The Shell Shack

The Shell Shack Uptown is the newest seafood addition to McKinney Avenue! Come enjoy the casual, relaxed atmosphere, a full bar, and kitchen open until 1am! Choose your boil from a variety of shellfish including king crab, snow crab, Dungeness crab, shrimp or crawfish.

CAKE BAR

Cake Bar is a bakery and retail shop where you can enjoy a large selection of traditional, southern style made from scratch cake and confections on the spot or take them to go. Items sold include 16 different made from scratch cakes, a variety of pound cakes, quick breads, cookies, ice cream and assorted beverages.

Behind the bakery, CAKE BAR, is longtime backer Tracy German, whose passion for baking inspired her to her to open up shop with the help of the Trinity Groves incubator program.



Ellen's Southern Kitchen

Ellen's Southern Kitchen is where real Southern cooking meets a little bit of Downtown Dallas' high-class flair. The blue-gray paint and vintage patterned wallpaper set just the right tone for fluffy flapjacks with dainty dustings of powdered sugar, buttermilk chicken fried steaks with a crunch loud enough to burst ear drums.



Dallas Black Dance Theatre

Founded in 1976 by Ann Williams to inspire minority boys and girls to appreciate dance as an art form and to realize the possibility of dance as a means to express their creativity, Dallas Black Dance Theatre offers dance opportunities for the entire population, regardless of race, age or circumstance, through professional dance concert performances, arts-in-education programs, community outreach activities, and dance training classes.



Juanita J. Craft Civil Right House

The Juanita J. Craft Civil Rights House is one of the only three house museums in the nation honoring major female figures in the modern civil rights movement. Craft, a leading civil rights and social justice reformer, lived in this 1920 Craftsman bungalow for 35 years.



The Black Academy of Arts and Letters

The Black Academy of Arts and Letters, Inc., is a multi-discipline arts institution whose mission is to create and enhance an awareness and understanding of artistic, cultural and aesthetic differences utilizing the framework of African, African American and Caribbean Arts and Letters.



The African American Museum

The African American Museum was founded in 1974 as a part of the Special Collections at Bishop College, a Historically Black College that closed in 1988. The Museum has operated independently since 1979. The African American Museum is the only one of its kind in the Southwestern Region devoted to the preservation and display of African American artistic, cultural and historical materials. It has one of the

largest African American Folk Art collections in the United States.



Truth Nightclub

Modern, swanky haunt featuring live entertainment & DJs as well as happy hour & Sunday brunch.



Sandaga 813

The best jazz night clubs in North Texas can be found in the Exposition Park neighborhood just north of Fair Park. Inside Sandaga 813, Grammy Award nominated artists are regulars with the best jazz shows every Tuesday and Thursday nights. The club also host R&B and hip-hop artists on weekends.



Ten Eleven Grill

Ten Eleven takes on a lot of responsibilities -- restaurant, club, and poetry house -- and juggles them well. Take down some burgers and jalapeño-loaded fries while you take in some poetry.



QUILL Kitchen + Cocktails

Dallas' Design District has a stunning new place for dinner, drinks, and events. Nestled adjacent to the iconic Oak Restaurant, the luxuriously designed space is a great setting to enjoy sophisticated dining while partaking in a handcrafted cocktail or glass of champagne.