Uptown Charlotte has come a long way since it grew from two Native American trading paths, now called Trade and Tryon Streets. It’s where tradition and innovation come together and it’s home to some of the Southeast’s most acclaimed businesses, inspired dining and nightlife, a vibrant arts & culture scene, three pro sports venues, scenic parks and greenways, and nationally-celebrated events.

Welcome to the center of it all—where there’s always a lot going on and always somewhere great to be!

**DINING+DRINKING+SHOPPING**
- 172 locally owned restaurants & bars
- 90 sit-down restaurants
- 35 bars, breweries & brewpubs
- 20 coffee shops
- 40 shops (galleries, local retail, gift shops)
- 4 bakeries

**RANKED #9**
of the 25 Hottest
Food Cities of 2018 by Zagat

**PARKS+PATHS**
- 9 parks
- 2 greenway networks & access
- Walk score “Walker’s Paradise”
- 4 spraygrounds to cool off
- 4.5 Mile Rail trail through South End
- 131+ Acres of open space

**ARTS+CULTURE+SPORTS**
- 10 outdoor public art places to enjoy
- 63 designated historic landmarks
- 35K+ works of art at the Mint Museum
- 3 professional sports teams
- 125+ professional sports games per year
- 120+ yearly performances at the Blumenthal Performing Arts Center
- 2,500+ bike & scooter share options

**PHOTO OPS**
As you explore Uptown you’ll find plenty of your own picture-perfect scenes. But should you find yourself searching for the Queen City’s top photo ops, here are four of the most popular—from skyline views to enchanting parks to a renowned work of public art.

**BECHTLER MUSEUM**
420 S Tryon St

**THE GREEN**
435 S Tryon St

**MERCHANT AND TRADE**
301 S Church St

**ROMARE BEARDEN PARK**
300 S Church St

**EXPLORE**
Use your iPhone camera or QR code reader to scan here for the latest scheduled events.

**PARK**
Searching for places to park? Use your iPhone camera or QR code reader to scan here.

**RIDE**
Using CATS to get around? Use your iPhone camera or QR code reader to scan for routes & schedules.