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# June

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Big-eye tuna at Siren

## EDITOR'S NOTE

June 2018

### #SeizeTheStay

Old Town Alexandria may be just a quick drive or Metrorail ride across the river, but it feels worlds away. A personal favorite? The Torpedo Factory Art Center, a WWII munitions plant turned art hub with more than 80 studios. [wheretraveler.com/seizethestay](http://wheretraveler.com/seizethestay).

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School is finally out, so naturally our thoughts turn to fun things to do for the whole family. Need some ideas? See page 16 to learn all about the area's many children's theaters. This month, we're also dishing out the latest news on D.C.'s food front. The city's culinary achievements (a Michelin guide, multiple James Beard winners and nominees, among other awards) have made the city a foodie destination. So what's next? Check out page 14 to find out. Now that summer's officially here, there's lots more to do, including a jaunt across the river to Old Town Alexandria, Va. (see left).

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*Ways to Connect*

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### Go Local

Historic Georgetown (pictured) comes alive with local color, charming boutiques and great people-watching on the main drag, Wisconsin Avenue NW.

2

### Water Works

In warm weather, the Potomac and Anacostia rivers become hubs for kayaks, standup paddle boards and even sail boats, all available to rent.

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### Sweet!

D.C.'s sugar obsession has resulted in award-winning bakeries, artisan chocolate shops and out-of-the-box dessert courses at top restaurants.

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### Park It

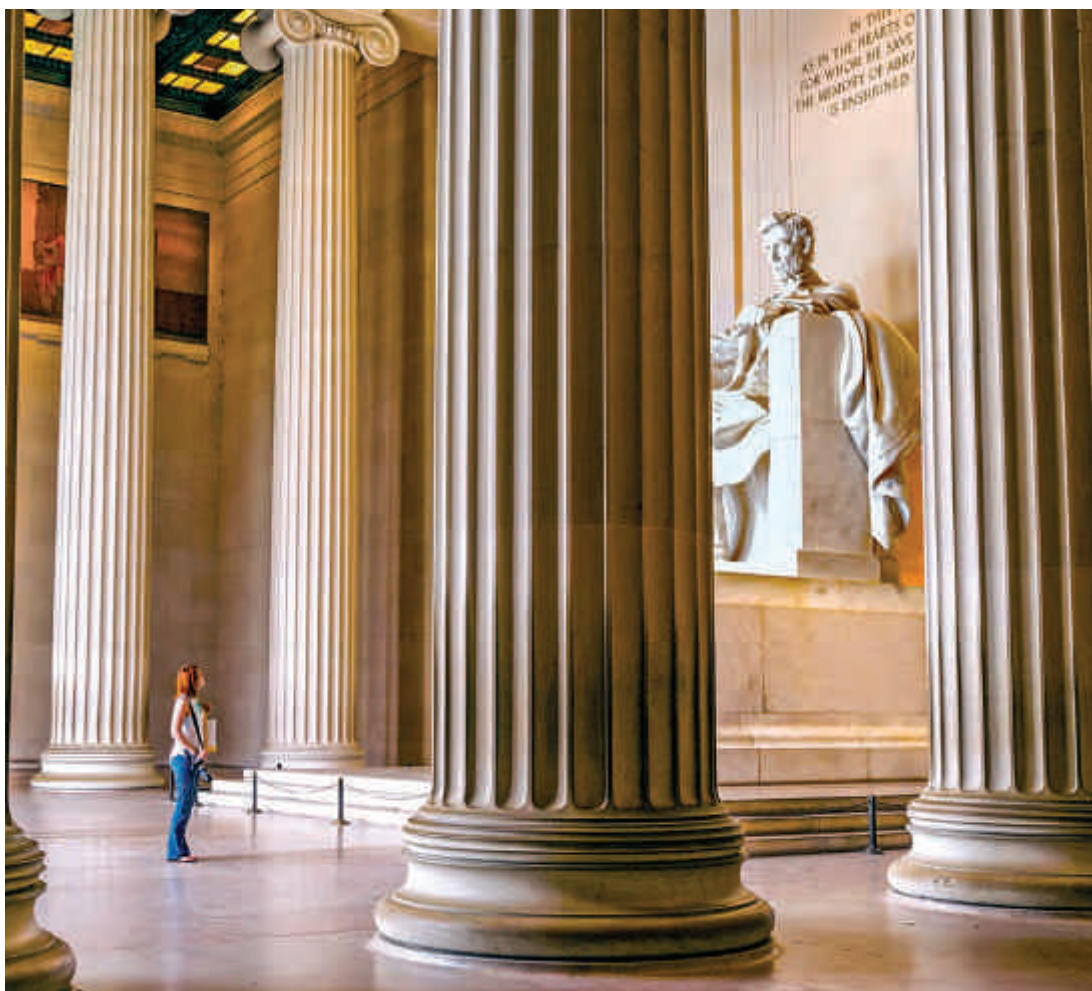
From petite green spaces to larger expanses with free public events (think corn hole and tunes), the District offers a variety of oases for mid-day breaks.

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### Bowled Over

Fitness-crazed Washingtonians go wild for healthy fast food at places like José Andrés' Beefsteak, locally based Sweetgreen, homegrown Shouk and more.

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# CALENDAR

*June at a Glance*

June 7-10

## Focus on the Story International Photo Festival

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June 27-July 1 & 4-8

## Smithsonian Folklife Festival



This year's multi-cultural celebration explores the Armenian and Catalan people through food, crafts, music and more. Free. 11:30 am-6 pm (June 27 till 4 pm). Evening concerts from 6:30 pm. National Mall, between 12th & 14th streets, [festival.si.edu](http://festival.si.edu)

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June 8-17

## D.C. Jazz Festival

The nation's capital may not be top of mind as a hotbed of jazz, but Washington's the birthplace of greats like Duke Ellington, who performed at still-standing venues like The Howard Theatre. This city's storied past meets the present at this fest that brings more than 100 headlining and emerging talent from around the world. High notes include "Hamilton" star Leslie Odom Jr. (above), Chucho Valdés and Regina Carter performing at more than 40 venues across town. Most events free. See website for schedule. [dcjazzfest.org](http://dcjazzfest.org)

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June 27-July 1

## The National

Host Tiger Woods and defending National champ Kyle Stanley tee up at this annual golf tournament. Prices vary. See website for schedule. TPC Potomac, 10000 Oaklyn Drive, Potomac, MD, [nationalgolftournament.com](http://nationalgolftournament.com)



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### Dine-N-Dash

June 6

Diners start at one restaurant, then proceed to chow down at several more for charity. \$150. [dinendash.info](http://dinendash.info)

### Adams Morgan Summer Movie Nights

June 12

Movie buffs enjoy "Hidden Figures" under the stars. Free. [www.adamsmorganonline.com/movie-nights](http://www.adamsmorganonline.com/movie-nights)

### By the People Festival

June 21-24

A roster of leading global artists and performers explore life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Most free. [www.halcynhouse.org](http://www.halcynhouse.org)

### Smithsonian Solstice

June 22-23

The institution's sites keep the doors open from 5:30 pm to midnight. Free. [www.si.edu](http://www.si.edu)

### Giant National Capital Barbecue Battle

June 23-24

Meat masters go head to head, while diners enjoy the results. From \$12. [www.bbqindc.com](http://www.bbqindc.com)

### The Pretenders

June 29

The iconic band takes the stage with their first album in eight years. \$50. [www.fillmoresilverspring.com](http://www.fillmoresilverspring.com)

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DRINK

# HOP TO IT

*Raising a glass (or a boot) to outdoor beer gardens*

**BREW BUFFS** in search of Prost-worthy revelry on a balmy evening—or, heck, middle of the day—have a wealth of spots to choose from. A buzzy favorite? Dupont Circle's Sauf Haus Bier Hall & Garten, which boasts three bars, including one that runs the length of its roomy rooftop, above. The 16 mostly German drafts (think Hofbrau Keller, Spaten Optimator) pair deliciously with the sausages, sauerkraut and locally baked soft pretzels (go for the two-pounder!). On weekdays, a happy hour from 4 to 7 pm means \$2 off bites and brews. *1216 18th St. NW, 202.466.3355*



**Biergarten Haus**  
1355 H St. NE

No matter the time of year, an Oktoberfest vibe permeates this happenin' spot, where thirsty patrons hoist mugs in a huge courtyard.



**Dacha**  
1600 7th St. NW

Yes, that is Liz Taylor casting an elegant eye on this dog-friendly patio. Beer, plus mead and cider, come in a single serving or a boot.



**Takoda**  
715 Florida Ave. NW

This restaurant/bar offers a large selection of whiskeys, but the rooftop makes a great perch for sampling the many local brews.

Toasting the home team with craft brews



Bluejacket

In this dramatic space, once a U.S. Navy factory, find a large restaurant and several levels of gleaming steel tanks. The latter signal the serious brewing operation here, overseen by beer meister Greg Engert. An ever-changing drink menu offers 20 drafts and five cask ales. Just a fly ball away from Nationals Park, Bluejacket is especially popular on game days, when the patio turns beer garden with rotating kegs, plus hot dogs, sausages and burgers.

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ALL AGES

# ANIMAL HOUSE

*Hangin' with some cool critters at the zoo*

**NEW YORK CITY AND LOS ANGELES** may boast their A-listers, but Washington, D.C.'s top celebrities have them beat, by far, on the cuteness scale. Regular headliners, the giant pandas at the National Zoo draw legions of fans in person and via live web cams that share their every move. Tian Tian and Mei Xiang (above), with cub Bao Bao, have shown us how tiny pandas are at birth (think stick of butter) and their preferred position for munching bamboo: sitting, legs akimbo, like some beer-bellied slacker. Nearly 400 species reside on the 163-acre site in Rock Creek Park, including the scary-sounding **Rüppells Griffin Vulture**, which holds the avian altitude record: 37,000 feet, which is jet plane territory. No slouch in the speed category, either, the bird cruises at 22-plus miles per hour. On the other end of the scale, the less-intimidating **Brown Kiwi** is flightless, though chicks emerge from their shells fully feathered. In 1975, the zoo was the first institution outside New Zealand to hatch a chick, and the birds remain rare in captivity. What other creatures await? See right for a few more with intriguing attributes.

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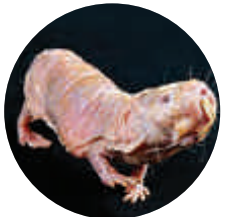
Arapaima

This fresh-water fish is one of the world's largest. It's also air-breathing and must surface every 10 to 20 minutes.



Spider Tortoise

The females of this critically endangered species lay eggs one at a time over months. When the zoo successfully hatched a delicate egg, it was a conservation milestone.



Naked Mole-Rat

The only mammal known to be "eusocial," or live in an ant-like colony, this underground dweller is an expert excavator with jaws strong enough to bite through concrete.

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# IN THE 'HOOD

FIND THE BEST IN **FOGGY BOTTOM**, ONE BLOCK AT A TIME

## Eat

This bustling neighborhood bordering Georgetown offers top-quality tastes, from Blue Duck Tavern's Michelin-starred classic American, to El Chalan's longtime Peruvian, Kaz Sushi's pristine raw fish and Marcel's white-tablecloth haute cuisine by star chef Robert Wiedmaier.

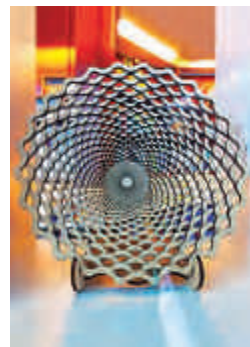
- **Blue Duck Tavern** 1201 24th St. NW, 202.419.6755
- **El Chalan** 1924 I St. NW, 202.293.2765
- **Kaz Sushi** 1915 I St. NW, 202.530.5500
- **Marcel's** 2401 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 202.296.1166

## Shop

This enclave may not be a shopper's paradise, but those itching to spend score at spots, like the AIA Store, where they find beautiful architecture books and design-forward home decor. Tucked inside the Department of the Interior, the Indian Craft Shop stocks handmade treasures by established and emerging Native American artisans. Tip: Bring I.D. to gain entry into the building.

- **AIA Store** 1735 New York Ave. NW, 202.626.7475
- **Indian Craft Shop** 1849 C St. NW, 202.208.4056

(Clockwise from top) The Textile Museum; the AIA Store; The Kennedy Center; The Hive Bar



## Drink

College students from nearby George Washington University mix with an international crowd from the IMF and the World Bank at watering holes like Froggy Bottom. Inside the new micro Hive Hotel, Hive Bar pours craft cocktails using local spirits, while the Watergate's Next Whisky Bar shows off a vast collection of ryes.

- **Froggy Bottom Pub** 2021 K St. NW, 202.338.3000
- **The Hive Bar** 2224 F St. NW, 202.849.8499
- **The Next Whisky Bar** 2650 Virginia Ave. NW, 844.617.1972

## Play

The National Academy of Sciences pays tribute to Albert Einstein with Robert Berks's larger-than-life statue. A few blocks away, the living memorial to John F. Kennedy produces top shows (many free) and offers sweeping river views from the terrace. On the GWU campus, the Textile Museum preserves 20,000 cloth artifacts spanning five millennia across five continents.

- **Albert Einstein Memorial** 2101 Constitution Ave. NW
- **The Kennedy Center** 2700 F St. NW, 202.467.4600
- **The Textile Museum** 701 21st St. NW, 202.994.5200

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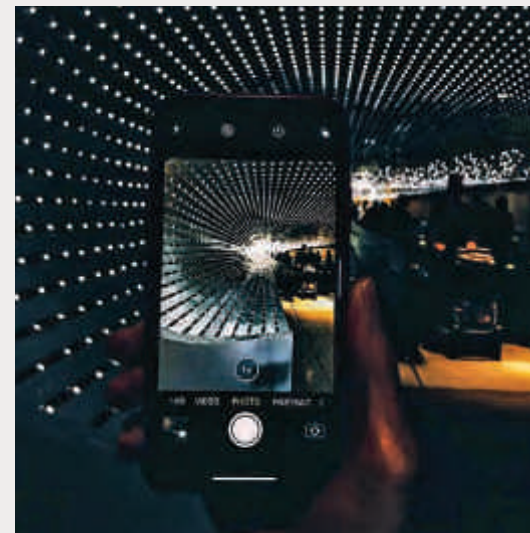
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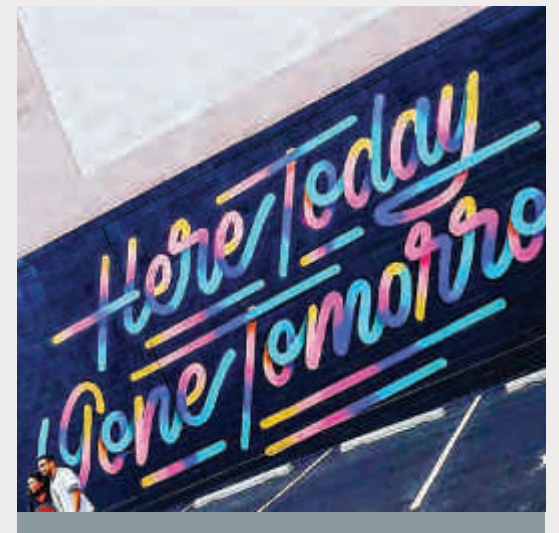
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A COLLAGE OF **INSPIRING IMAGES**, THROUGH OUR LENS AND YOURS

- **@prlilly** At the National Gallery of Art, visitors see double as they take the moving walkway through Leo Villareal's spacey "Multiverse."



- **@wheredc** Luckily for art lovers, murals like this one in NoMa (bordered by Capitol Hill, Shaw, Mt. Vernon and H Street NE) aren't going anywhere.



- **@wheredc** Though named after the Marquis de Lafayette, his namesake park across from the White House highlights Andrew Jackson.



- **@jenmaltba** With buzzy restaurants, a top-notch concert hall and family-friendly activities, The Wharf is a hip new spot for hanging out.



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# Tasting the Trends

Five new spots with savvy, risk-taking chefs

By Jean Lawlor Cohen

NEW YORK CHEFS offer bizarre options—a centerpiece Barbie dressed in rib eye slices! Mystery courses in total darkness! Service by ninjas! But D.C. chefs pursue more worthy directions.

Fabio Trabocchi has built an empire on his native Italian cuisine, but at the District Wharf's **Del Mar** (791 Wharf St. SW, 202.525.1402), he romances the foods of Spain, the home country of wife/partner Maria. That wish to explore reflects a current passion of master chefs, and for Fabio, now 20 years married, "Spanish cuisine is well ingrained in my DNA."

This James Beard winner, known for luxe fare, encourages sharing, whether raw bar platters (one a silver "octopus" basin), tapas or paellas rich with lobster, mussels, calamari and Bomba rice.

Expect treats like gazpacho with passion fruit, Japanese snapper with avocado, peppers stuffed with lump crab or grilled Spanish branzino. From hi-tech cellars come fine cavas, Basque country wines and aromatic Albariños. An interior design team from Barcelona has created a "Spanish villa" with a blue tile mural awash in sea creatures. Servers in Maria-designed jackets oversee the main room, alfresco cafe in the piazza and cabanas by the water.

At **Maydan** (1346 Florida Ave. NW, 202.370.3696), cred-rich chefs Gerald Addison and Chris Morgan play with fire. In the center of their 100-seat gathering spot, a vast former laundry, they've placed a rare Georgian bread oven and blazing hearth. Grilling (a trend!) sparks

recipes scored during their travels "from Tangier to Tehran and Batumi to Beirut."

Re-discovered "grandmother" fare emerges as small plates and to-share entrées like turmeric-rubbed whole chicken, chermoula-crusted barra-mundi kebabs of tenderloin and (a Syrian refugee's dish) pistachio-crusted lamb. Mediterranean wines enhance these options plus exotic condiments, blackened carrots, flatbread-ready dips like Armenian "Itch" (bulger and pomegranate molasses) and a creamy pudding with nuts and apricots.

Down a well-lit alley, a door opens into a foyer and bustling bar, and a dramatic staircase leads to a mezzanine that overlooks the rightly named scene. "Maydan," after all, means a plaza for enjoying food and friends.

Tasting his way through Tel Aviv and Jerusalem, Ashok Bajaj found the name for his "modern Israeli" restaurant—"Sababa" (3309 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.244.6750), slang for "cool." Indeed, the 86-seat space offers desert respite with its billowing "tent" ceiling, pillows and ottomans, antique tiles, backlit screens and lanterns. Twelve can sit beneath a lattice "grape arbor" at the bar sipping cocktails like the mezcal-laced Gardens of Haifa and the Phoenician Frappe of Green Hat gin, Etrog liqueur, arak and lavender.

Mediterranean wines pair well with meats and fish as well as vegan and vegetarian dishes. Stars of a recent meal: roasted halloumi, charred eggplant, fried cauliflower with golden raisins, shakshuka (poached egg on tomato-chili broth), beets with pistachios and lamb shank with dates and citrus. Chef Ryan Moore brings to this an impressive resume—stints with chefs José Andrés and Yannick Cam plus time in Dubai and Egypt.

Robert Wiedmaier owns eight eateries but spends time, when he can, with fellow fishermen. For **Siren** (1515 Rhode Island Ave. NW, 202.779.9957), his first fine seafood spot, he asks international and local sources for catches unusual,

lesser-known and, of course, "fresh caught." The result: a menu and raw bar starring Australian prawns, Japanese sea urchin and Spanish barnacles as well as Chesapeake Bay eels and Alaskan white ivory salmon.

The setting's whimsical—a nautical vibe with 3-D mermaids, cozy booths with optional curtains and a bar with a colorful mural. But Beard-winner Wiedmaier and chef-de-cuisine John Critchley bring serious focus to yellow-tail crudo with citrus-pickled wood-ear mushrooms, caramelized black cod, salt-crusted branzino and sides like Vidalia onion brûlée with crispy kale, country ham, pecans and peppers.

The mythical Siren lured sailors onto the rocks with her songs. This Siren lures seafood lovers with Wiedmaier's James Beard cred, beautifully plated fish and (late Thursday to Sunday) live jazz.

The name of the city's newest steakhouse, **Rare** (1595 I St. NW, 202.800.9994), signals "meat" but also the restaurant's uniqueness on two counts. First, Rare hails from Wisconsin (not New York or Texas), and its owners tout their in-house butchering and climate-controlled aging rooms. Second, the site is a dual-concept haven. At street level, a tavern serves burgers, brats, beer and oysters, its long bar already a downtown happy-hour hub. Upstairs, however, with chandeliers, white tablecloths and leather banquettes, classic service prevails, as in Caesar salad and bananas Foster prepped tableside.

Highlights: blue crab cake with avocado remoulade, lobster with black trumpets, tender filet mignon, puffy potatoes Dauphinoise and carrots with pistachios. Many nice wines come by the glass, but inventive cocktails like "Of All the Gin Joints" rule.

True to its original outposts in another capital (Madison), Rare knows how to cater to power brokers, even as it warms to regular folks. Lodged within a trade union HQ near Farragut Square, it aims for "a Midwest welcome."



## DINING DELIGHTS

(From top) Key lime cream at Siren; central oven at Maydan; 9-oz. filet at Rare; shakshuka at Sababa; [Opposite] the main dining room at Del Mar

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COURTESY DEL MAR

# Child's Play

From seasonal outdoor stages to year-round theaters, D.C. has tons of kid-friendly venues for storytelling.

By Amy Alipio

KIDS, STEP AWAY from those electronic screens. You, too, parents. If you're looking for action, laughs, games, stories, music and dance, theaters here offer all that and—even better—it's live.

Five Washington, D.C.-area stages are dedicated to young audiences, and many of the city's 90-plus other theaters present kid-friendly shows. "We have more children's theater programming than any other city except perhaps New York," says Michael Bobbitt, artistic director of Adventure Theatre.

With this profusion of plays, there's bound to be something that everyone in the family will enjoy. Roberta Gasbarre, artistic director of the Smithsonian's Discovery Theater, says, "I think of this city as one huge education and entertainment center for young people."

Travelers often begin their D.C. exploration at the museums along the National Mall. But the vast collections can be overwhelming for little kids. A good place to get oriented is the Smithsonian's intimate Discovery Theater. "We are a gateway experience to the stories told here at the Mall," says director Gasbarre. That could mean plays about the wonder of science or the fun of percussion, all of them interactive.

The largest children's theater organization in the Mid-Atlantic, Imagination Stage is worth the trip from downtown D.C. to Bethesda, Maryland, for its year-round high-quality productions on two stages. Shows include adaptations of cherished books, premieres and new spins on traditional stories, like "Cinderella: The Remix," which gave the princess some hip-hop grooves. Imagination Stage caters to the youngest audiences, too, with interactive shows for ages 1-5 that brim with theater magic.

Located in a former amusement park with a historic carousel, Adventure Theatre presents takes on popular books, as well as new commissioned work, such as "Bob Marley's Three Little Birds," adapted by director Bobbitt. "We want kids to have such an amazing experience," he says, "that, when they're 45, they remember it and take their own children to a show."



The "nation's stage," the Kennedy Center offers a full slate of programming that includes family-friendly musicals, free nightly shows on the Millennium Stage and kids' concerts with the National Symphony Orchestra. But the center also has a dedicated Family Theater presenting a season of both new commissioned plays and touring productions.

Just steps from the White House, the historic National Theatre presents Broadway productions, such as "Jersey Boys" and "The Wizard of Oz," and most Saturday mornings, special family-friendly shows that range from plays and concerts to ballet and cultural dance. Best of all, they're free! (But reserve tickets ahead of time.)

In North Bethesda, Maryland, Strathmore presents world-class musical acts, such as Kristin Chenoweth and the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra. Thursdays in July, Backyard Theater for Children brings kids' concerts to an outdoor stage (along with free snow cones).

At Wolf Trap, America's only national park for the performing arts, Children's Theatre-in-the-Woods brings a packed roster of summer performances to its amphitheater stage nestled amid trees. Shows range from music to puppets, plays and dance.

**MAKE-BELIEVE MAGIC**  
A past production at Imagination Stage; (Opposite) Wolf Trap's Children's Theatre-in-the-Woods

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## Labyrinth Game Shop

Big-box chain toy stores may stock everything a kid could desire, but local shops like this Capitol Hill gem add that special touch. As its name implies, this cavernous spot won't satisfy your child's desire for stuffed animals. Instead, find all manner of geek-out diversions, from hand-made wooden puzzles to role-playing matches, brainteasers, marble mazes and collectible card games. And about that special touch? Labyrinth's monthly "Kids' Night Out" offers babysitting for children ages 7 and older and includes games and pizza, while parents take a much-deserved Saturday night off.

645 Pennsylvania Ave SE, 202.544.1059, [labyrinthgameshop.com](http://labyrinthgameshop.com)

## SHOPPING CENTERS

**CHEVY CHASE PAVILION**  
Upscale shopping center in northern D.C. with H&M plus J. Crew, Richey & Co. Shoes and World Market. Civil Cigar Lounge. M-Sa 7 am-11 pm, Su 7 am-9 pm. 5335 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.686.5335 Metro: Friendship Heights

## CITYCENTERDC

Luxury complex for coveted labels including Hermes, Louis Vuitton, Dior, Vince, plus restaurants Daniel Boulud's DBGB Kitchen and Bar, Momofuku, Centrolina and Fig & Olive. Tesla dealership. Hours vary. 10th St. NW (Between H and I), 202.289.9000 Metro: Metro Center or Gallery PL-Chinatown

## THE COLLECTION AT CHEVY CHASE

High-end boutiques just north of the D.C. line. Jimmy Choo, Cartier, Tiffany & Co., Saks Fifth Avenue. Hours vary. 5471-5481 Wisconsin Ave. NW 301.654.2690 Metro: Friendship Heights

## FASHION CENTRE AT PENTAGON CITY

Airy, light-filled mall anchored by Nordstrom and Macy's with 170-plus shops (Kate Spade, Apple, Coach, Aveda, J. Crew, Stuart Weitzman). Large food court. M-Sa 10 am-9:30 pm, Su 11 am-6 pm. 1100 S. Hayes St., Arlington, Va., 703.415.2401 Metro: Pentagon City

**SHOPS AT WISCONSIN PLACE**  
Bloomingdale's and LED sculpture anchoring row of stores like Anthropologie, Cole Haan, Sephora and Talbots plus Nina McLemore's flagship. Four restaurants including P.F. Chang's, The Capital Grille. M-Sa 10 am-8 pm, Su noon-7 pm. 5310 Western Ave., Chevy Chase, Md., 202.966.6114 301.841.4000 Metro: Friendship Heights

## TYSONS CORNER CENTER

Largest mall in the metropolitan area has 300-plus shops, restaurants and a cineplex. Bloomingdale's, Nordstrom, L.L. Bean, Lego, West Elm and Zara. M-Sa 10 am-9:30 pm, Su 11 am-

7 pm 1961 Chain Bridge Road, Tysons Corner, Va., 703.893.9400 Metro: Tysons Corner

## TYSONS GALLERIA

Neiman Marcus, Macy's, Saks Fifth Avenue plus 100 other upscale shops (Chanel, Gucci, Louis Vuitton, Michael Kors) in addition to restaurants (Legal Sea Foods) and Isabella Eatery upscale food court (third floor). M-Sa 10 am-9 pm, Su noon-6 pm. Exit I-495 at 46A. 2001 International Drive, McLean, Va., 703.827.7730

## ANTIQUES

**THE BRASS KNOB ARCHITECTURAL ANTIQUES**  
Since 1981, a source for antique hardware (door knobs, lighting fixtures, ironwork, glasswork) dating from 1870 to 1940. M-Sa 10:30 am-6 pm, Su noon-5 pm 2311 18th St. NW, 202.332.3370

## GOODWOOD

American vintage, specialty goods and antiques since 1994. Wood dressers, animal

skulls, shaving supplies, jewelry. M-Sa noon-7 pm, Su noon-5 pm 1428 U St. NW, 202.986.3640 Metro: U St.-Cardozo

## APPAREL-MEN DURKL

Hip streetwear (hoodies, baseball caps, workshirts, T-shirts. M-Th 7 am-10 pm, F till 11 pm, Su till 5 pm. Maketto, 1351 H St. NE, 202.838.9972

## HUGH & CRYE

Shirts (dress, casual) and blazers designed to fit 12 body types from slim to athletic. Pocket squares, ties and vintage pins. M-F 10 am-7 pm, Sa-Su noon-6 pm. 3212 O St. NW, Suite 5, 202.250.3807

## ONWARD RESERVE

Georgia-based designer's store for the outdoorsy Southern gentlemen. Glam hunting lodge-like digs for polos, tees, khakis, sweaters by namesake line, Barbour, Peter Millar, Canada Goose, Filson, Shinola. Accessories,

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## Shop

decor, gifts. Bar. M-Sa 10 am-8 pm, Su noon-6 pm. 1063 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.838.9365

## WHISKEY GINGER

Industrial-style digs with casual clothing by Bellfield and Astronomy. Accessories (iPhone cases), Brooklyn Grooming personal care products. Tu-Th 6-9 pm, F 4-7 pm, Sa 11 am-7 pm, Su noon-6 pm. 1603 U St. NW, 202.791.0851

## APPAREL-MEN & WOMEN

### BILLY REID

Renowned designer's collection with a Southern touch. Rugged button-ups, derby-ready suits, loose-fitting linens, K Swiss shoes and distressed leather handbags. M-Th 11 am-7 pm, F-Sa 11 am-8 pm, Su noon-6 pm. 3211 M St. NW, 202.499.6765

Elliott, Veronica Beard, Jenni Kayne, Equipment). M-Sa 10 am-7 pm, Su noon-5 pm. 127 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va., 703.548.7110

## NUBIAN HUEMAN

Socially responsible fashion, art and beauty from independent global designers reflecting the African Diaspora and black culture. Traditional patterns and ingredients used in modern ways. Tu-Sa noon-7 pm, Su 11 am-3 pm. 1231 Good Hope Road SE, 202.394.3386 Metro: Anacostia

## THE PHOENIX

Upscale boutique with designer clothing by Eileen Fisher, White + Warren, Yansi Fugel and Lilla P. Jewelry plus fine art and decor from Mexico. M-Sa 10 am-6 pm, Su 11 am-5 pm. 1514 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.338.4404

## RELISH

Minimal, contemporary styles handpicked by owner Nancy Pearlstein. Dries van Noten, Marni, Jil Sander, Marc Jacobs. M-Sa 10 am-6 pm. 3312 Cady's Alley NW, 202.333.5343

## SECONDI

Sunny upstairs shop reselling contemporary labels (Diane von Furstenberg, Burberry, Theory, Milly and Chloe) with items arriving daily (discounts vary by tag dates). M-Tu, Sa 11 am-6 pm, W-F 11 am-7 pm, Su 1-5 pm. 1702 Connecticut Ave. NW, 2nd floor, 202.667.1122 Metro: Dupont Circle (North)

## BEAUTY

### BELLACARA

Angela Sitalides' spot for luxury skincare, beauty and haircare. Bumble and Bumble, Butter London, Dermalogica, Kai, SkinCeuticals, all tested by Sitalides herself. M-F 11 am-6 pm, Sa 10 am-6 pm, Su noon-5 pm. 1000 King St., Alexandria, Va., 703.299.9652

## APPAREL-WOMEN

### ELLA RUE

Georgetown boutique for high-end consignment from Palm Beach to Paris. Chanel, Louis Vuitton, Saint Laurent, J. Brand. Accessories, shoes. 3231 P St. NW, 202.333.1598

## THE HIVE

From hip founder of The Shoe Hive, an Old Town boutique featuring clothing by trend-setting brands (Rebecca Taylor, Current

## Shop

### CAUDALIE

Local outpost of high-end French skincare line, drawing from the grapevines on the founders' family estate in Bordeaux. "Beauty Barrel Bar" for mini facials, hand massages; treatment room for full services. M-Sa 10 am-8 pm, Su 11 am-6 pm. *953 Palmer Alley NW, 202.898.0804 Metro: Metro Center or Gallery Pl-Chinatown*

### TAKE CARE SHOP

Bright studio for all-natural beauty brands (women and men), made locally in small batches. Daily 11 am-7 pm. *1338 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.717.2600*

### BOOKS

#### KRAMERBOOKS & AFTERWORDS CAFE

Newly expanded indie bookstore with full-service restaurant and bar since 1976. Events, live music, patio. Su-Th 7:30 am-1 am, F-Sa till 3 am. *1517 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.387.1400 Metro: Dupont Circle (North)*

### POLITICS AND PROSE

Since 1984, niche selections and popular book signings. In-store OPUS book machine prints and binds books for authors in minutes. Coffee shop downstairs (daily from 8 am). M-Sa 9 am-10 pm, Su 10 am-8 pm. *5015 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.364.1919*

### SACRED CIRCLE

Shop dedicated to spirituality, metaphysics, holistic healing and the environment. Books, music, crystals and gifts. Readings (tarot, palm) upstairs. Free parking. Tu-Sa 11 am-7 pm, Su 1-5 pm. *919 King St., Alexandria, Va., 703.299.9309 Metro: King St.*

### CRAFTS & COLLECTIBLES

#### BEADAZZLED

Bead and jewelry for DIY inspiration (African beads, gemstones, seeds, metals, organics) and huge selection of cords, wires, chains in a welcoming environment. Also finished jewelry by local de-

signers. M-Sa 10 am-8 pm, Su 11 am-6 pm. *1507 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.265.2323 Metro: Dupont Circle; 444 W. Broad St., Falls Church, Va., 703.848.2323; 501 N. Charles St., Baltimore, Md., 410.837.2323*

### THE INDIAN CRAFT SHOP

At Department of the Interior since 1938, outlet for American Indian artists to market their crafts. Basketry, weavings, carvings, kachinas, beadwork plus outdoor sculpture garden. Present ID to enter building. M-F 8:30 am-4:30 pm and the third Sa of each month 10 am-4 pm. *1849 C St. NW, 202.208.4056*

### SHOP MADE IN DC

Boutique solely stocking locally made goods, from gourmet foods to jewelry, stationery and even furniture. Cafe. M-F 7 am-8 pm, Sa-Su 11 am-6 pm. *1330 19th St. NW, no phone Metro: Dupont Circle (South)*

### HOME DECOR & GIFTS

#### COCO BLANCA

Beachy glam furniture and accessories for the home, plus chic casual clothing for women in an airy spot near the waterfront. M-Sa 10 am-6 pm, Su noon-5 pm. *210 S. Union St., Alexandria, Va., 703.535.8002; 10241 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, Md., 301.493.9000*

### HOME RULE

Tiny but expertly curated den of kitchen and bath gear in bright hues. Essentials and fun accessories. M-Sa 11 am-7 pm, Su noon-5:30 pm. *1807 14th St. NW, 202.797.5544*

### ICONSDC

Online merchant of unique D.C.-themed gifts and collectibles. Housewares, architectural models, art posters, limited editions by Tiffany, Steuben, Limoges and Waterford. Corporate gifts and awards. *844.426.6732*



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### WHITE HOUSE HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

Books, Christmas ornaments, jewelry and items inspired by the history of the White House. Hours vary by location. *1450 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 202.208.7031 Metro: Federal Triangle; 1610 H St. NW, 202.218.4337 Metro: Farragut North or Farragut West*

### JEWELRY

#### KING'S JEWELRY

Family-owned shop with fine jewelry (diamonds, pearls, gemstones), Swiss watches and gifts in a wide range of prices. Also antique jewelry and consultations. M-F 10 am-8 pm, Sa 10 am-6 pm. *609 King St., Alexandria, Va., 703.549.0011*

### LENKERSDORFER

Sister store to Liljenquist & Beckstead since 1993. Fine wristwatches by Patek Philippe, Breitling, Cartier, Panerai as well as fine jewelry from Roberto Coin, Chopard, Bulgari. Skilled technicians for repairs. M-Th 10 am-9 pm, F-Sa 10 am-9:30 pm, Su 11 am-7 pm. *1961 Chain Bridge Road, Tysons Corner, Va., 703.506.6712 Metro: Tysons Corner*

### LILJENQUIST & BECKSTEAD

Since 1979 watches by Bulgari, Cartier, Rolex, Chopard. Bell & Ross timepieces "designed for professionals," Tacori diamond rings and David Yurman bracelets. Hours vary by location. *Tysons Galleria (watch store), 2001 International Drive, McLean, Va., 703.448.6731; Westfield Montgomery, 2412 Montgomery Mall, Bethesda, Md., 301.469.7575; Fairfax Square, 8075 Leesburg Pike, Vienna, Va., 703.749.1200; Westfield Annapolis, 1660 Annapolis Mall, Annapolis, Md., 410.224.4787*

### MALLORY SHELTER JEWELRY

Handmade jewelry in 14-karat gold, vermeil, sterling silver, semi-precious gemstones. Custom orders (engagement/wedding, platinum, dia-

monds). By appointment only and online. *1921 Sunderland Place NW, 202.455.5314 Metro: Dupont Circle (South)*

### THE SILVER PARROT

Silver and gold contemporary jewelry and Native American pieces. Repairs. M-Th 10 am-9 pm, F-Sa 10 am-10 pm, Su 11 am-7 pm. *113 King St., Alexandria, Va., 703.549.8530 Metro: King Street*

### KIDS

#### AMERICAN GIRL

Historical and modern-day dolls plus glam outfits, accessories, furniture. American Girl Bistro for casual dining and treats, salon with stylists for doll pampering. M-F 10 am-8 pm, Sa 10 am-9:30 pm, Su 11 am-7 pm. *Tysons Corner Center, 1961 Chain Bridge Road, Tysons Corner, Va., 877.247.5223 Metro: Tysons Corner*

### LITTLE BIRDIES BOUTIQUE

High-end children's clothing store for newborns to size 14, plus organic products, gifts, fine art and bedroom decor. Brands including Bella Bliss, Candy Lab, Milkbar Kids, Young Versace and local designers. Tu-Sa 10 am-6 pm, Su noon-5 pm. *1526 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.333.1059*

### SHOES

#### ALDEN

Family-owned manufacturer since 1884. Men's styles from tassel moccasins to dress Oxfords and Indiana Jones-style work boots, belts, fine leather goods. M-F 10 am-6 pm, Sa 11 am-5 pm. *921 F St. NW, 202.347.2308 Metro: Metro Center*

### THE SHOE HIVE

Elegant and casual shoes plus bags and accessories. Designers: Tory Burch, Kate Spade, Sam Edelman. M-Sa 10 am-7 pm, Su noon-5 pm. *127 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va., 703.548.7105 Metro: King Street*

### SJP BY SARAH JESSICA PARKER

The actress and "Sex and the City" star's first boutique offering colorful shoes, "LBD" little black dresses, handbags, perfume, etc. from the celebrity's retail line. Inside luxe MGM National Harbor. Daily 10 am-11 pm. *7200 MGM National Ave., Oxon Hill, Md., 301.971.6094*

### SPECIALTY

#### HILL & DALE

Local musician's record parlor in Canal Square (beside Sea Catch) with all-new vinyl plus posters and photos by photojournalist Peter Simon. See website for upcoming acoustic in-store sessions. Tu 1-7 pm, W-Su noon-7 pm. *1054 31st St. NW, 202.333.5012*

### ICE CREAM JUBILEE

Victoria Lai's frozen treats made from all-natural ingredients and milk from a local creamery. Inventive flavors like sweet potato molasses candy, banana bourbon caramel and honey lemon lavender. Hours vary by location. *301 Water St. SE, 202.863.0727 Metro: Navy Yard; 1407 T St. NW, 202.299.9042*

### LE BUSTIERE

European-inspired boutique for lingerie in wide range of styles, sizes and brands, plus bra fittings and swimsuits. Accessories (hosiery, lingerie detergent). M noon-7:30 pm, Tu-Sa 11 am-8:30 pm, Su noon-6 pm. *1744 Columbia Road NW, 2nd floor, 202.745.8080*

### LEICA

The German camera manufacturer's first U.S. outpost. Knowledgeable staff. On-site gallery features lectures, workshops and rotating photography exhibitions. M-W 10 am-6 pm, Th-Sa till 7 pm, Su 11 am-5 pm. *977 F St. NW, 202.787.5900 202.787.5900 Metro: Metro Center*

### MILK BAR

D.C. arm of Christina Tosi's whimsical NYC bakery, fea-

turing "crack pies," "compost cookies," "cereal milk" and "b'day truffles." Special to this location: parfaits. Cookie mixes, tote bags, cookbooks. M-Th 9 am-11 pm, F-Sa till midnight, Su 9 am-10 pm. *1090 I St. NW, 855.333.6455*

### PENNY POST

From founder of nearby Red Barn Mercantile, light-filled corner shop stocking pretty paper products from greeting cards to personalized stationery. Wrapping paper, whimsical office products, desk accessories, fine/imported writing instruments. M-Th 10 am-6 pm, F-Sa 10 am-7 pm, Su noon-5 pm. *1201 King St., Alexandria, Va., 703.838.1515*

### REI

Outdoor gear retailer's D.C. flagship in historic Uline Arena (site of the Beatles' first U.S. show). More than 50,000 square feet of equipment for cycling, hiking, kayaking, camping, etc., plus "adventure station" with guidebooks, maps. La Colombe coffee, courtyard with fire pit. In-store classes. M-Sa 10 am-9 pm, Su 11 am-7 pm. *201 M St. NE, 202.543.2040 Metro: NoMa-Gallaudet U*

### SEYLOU BAKERY & MILL

San Francisco couple's first venture in Blagden Alley with name referencing the word for "eagle" in the Mandika language in West Africa. Whole-grain breads, croissants, sourdough. Coffee, but also tea inspired by Ayurvedic practices. W-Su 8 am-4 pm. *926 N St. NW, Suite A, 202.842.1122 Metro: Mt. Vernon Sq*

### UNION MARKET

Culinary marketplace with local "artisan" vendors including Follain natural cosmetics, Peregrine Espresso, Righteous Cheese Co. and Rappahannock Oyster Co., plus John Mooney's Bidwell restaurant. Wines, fresh bread, empanadas. Tu-F 11 am-8 pm, Sa-Su 8 am-8 pm. *6th St. and Neal Place NE 301.347.3998*

## THE GUIDE | Food



### 14TH & U CORRIDOR BEN'S CHILI BOWL

*Southern* Former pool hall serving chili half-smokes, burgers, cakes to Obama et. al., since 1958. B (M-F); L, D (daily). 1213 U St. NW, 202.667.0909 Metro: U St.-Cardozo; 1001 H St. NE, 202.733.1895; 1725 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, Va., 571.312.1091

### COMPASS ROSE

*Global* Colorful rowhouse for international street food favorites. Georgian khachapuri, Lebanese lamb kefta. Private dinners for up to eight in glam Bedouin-style tent. D (daily), Br (Su). 1346 T St. NW, 202.506.4765

### DUKEM

*Ethiopian* Expat haven for communal-style, spice-rich kitfo, tibs, vegetarian dishes to scoop with spongy injera. VIP Bar with Ethiopian art. NFL on big-screen TVs. Live jazz. L, D (daily). 1114-1118 U St. NW, 202.667.8735

### IZAKAYA SEKI

*Japanese* Warm and welcoming two-level spot for raw, grilled and fried Japanese small plates. Sashimi, grilled whole squid, vegetables, noodles. Sakes, shochu (glass or bottle). D (Tu-Su). 1117 V St. NW, 202.588.5841

### LE DIPLOMATE

*French* Stephen Starr's red banquettes, zinc-topped bar and a "garden room" for steak frites, foie gras "parfait," lamb stew with fennel and oranges, sorbets. D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 1601 14th St. NW, 202.332.3333

### ADAMS MORGAN, D.C. BROTHERS AND SISTERS

*American/Asian* James Beard-nominated Erik Bruner-Yang's newest all-day restaurant inside chic The Line Hotel. Western-style food as seen through the lens of Japan and Taiwan (milk bread with eggs and potato rosti, octopus hot dog, knife-cut noodles). Luxuries like an uni tray service with multiple toppings. B, L & D (daily). 1770 Euclid St. NW, 202.864.4180

### GRILL FROM IPANEMA

*Brazilian* Alcy De Souza's authentic seafood stews, Brazilian paella and pastas, spiced shrimp, filet with Madeira wine sauce, chicken Copacabana, feijoada and caipirinhas served beneath "palm trees." D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 1858 Columbia Road NW, 202.986.0757

### MADAM'S ORGAN

*Soul Food* Live music nightly at this rowdy bar where red-heads get a half-price drink special. Comfort foods like fried chicken, meatloaf, mac

and cheese. Pool tables, karaoke, rooftop bar. D (daily). 2461 18th St. NW, 202.667.5370

### MINTWOOD PLACE

*American* Cedric Maupillier's classy comfort food (sustainable and local): deviled pickled eggs, duck and pork cassoulet, parmesan leek risotto, key lime pie. Kids menu. Cocktails, beers on tap. Green-friendly interior with wood from an Amish barn. D (Tu-Su), Br (Sa-Su). 1813 Columbia Road NW, 202.234.6732

### ALEXANDRIA, VA. CHART HOUSE

*Seafood* On Old Town waterfront with fresh seafood and capital views. Crab soup, spiced ahi, snapper Hemingway, prime rib, "hot chocolate" lava cake. Beer, wine, whiskeys. Happy hour weekdays. L (M-Sa), D (daily), Br (Su). 1 Cameron St. 703.684.5080

### FISH MARKET

*American* Housed in a two-century-old ship warehouse serving seafood favorites including Atlantic salmon, snow crab legs, oysters and whole Maine lobster, plus pasta, jambalaya, burgers, tacos. Festive Anchor Bar with 16 high-definition TVs for sports, happy hour specials. L, D (M-F), Br (Sa-Su). 105 King St., 703.836.5676

## Mastro's Steakhouse

In this red meat-obsessed town, options for top-notch steaks abound. This West Coast transplant offers elegant surroundings accented by a marble- and granite bar and an 8-foot-wide glass chandelier. But naturally the menu is the real star. Wet-aged cuts satisfy cravings, while indulgent sides like lobster-topped mashed potatoes (pictured) take power dining to another level. Live music channels that Cali vibe—just the right note for lingering over sweet butter cake.

600 13th St. NW, 202.347.1500, mastrosrestaurants.com

### MOUNT VERNON INN

*Southern* Candlelit dining with George and Martha favorites like hoecakes, peanut and chestnut soup, plus cheddar burger, duck with apricot sauce, crab cakes, fried chicken, steaks. Children's menu. Fireplace. Live music some nights. L (M-F), D (Tu-Sa), Br (Sa-Su). 3200 Mount Vernon Memorial Parkway, 703.799.6800

### NASIME

*Japanese* Cozy modern dining room on bustling main drag in Old Town, pampering with high-end tasting menu highlighting from-scratch Japanese dishes at an affordable price. D (daily). 1209 King St., 703.457.0146

### RT'S RESTAURANT

*Cajun/Creole* Neighborhood spot with character and sounds from zydeco to blues. Known for Jack Daniels shrimp, alligator stew, gumbos, po-boys, seafood, she-crab soup and crawfish étouffée. Cocktails, beers. L (M-Sa), D (daily). 3804 Mount Vernon Ave., 703.684.6010

### TRADEMARK

*American* In the Westin, sophisticated gastropub named for nearby patent office (see famous inventor photos). British spins on Bass Ale fish and chips, beer can chick-

en and mac and cheese. Inventive cocktails. Happy hour punch specials, bar late. B, D (daily), Br (Su). 2080 Jamieson Ave., Alexandria, Va., 703.253.8640

### VIRTUE FEED & GRAIN

*Irish* In a two-level, 1800s former feed house near the waterfront, upscale tavern fare (duck meatloaf, jerk chicken, crab dip, steak frites, lobster pot pie). Specialty beers. L, D (daily), Br (Su). Bar till late. 106 S. Union St. (at King St.) 571.970.3669

### ARLINGTON, VA. RAY'S THE STEAKS

*Steaks* Local institution with spare ambiance but lauded, high-quality steaks. From steak tartare served deviled eggs-style to NY strip and seafood. D (daily). 2300 Wilson Blvd., 703.841.7297 Metro: Court House

### TEXAS JACK'S BARBECUE

*Barbecue* Airy, industrial space named for a legendary Virginia cowboy dishes up smoky Texas-style barbecue. Mexican flavors in sides such as esquites (elote corn salad) and coleslaw. Pumpkin pie to banana pudding and full bar for "Smoked Whiskey Sour," "Jack's Mule." Beer and wine. L (M-F) D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 2761 Washington Blvd., 703.875.0477

### YONA

*Japanese, Korean* Full-service restaurant from Mike Isabella mixing contemporary with traditional fare. Craft beers, sake, specialty cocktails. L, D (daily). 4000 Wilson Blvd., Suite C, 703.465.1100 Metro: Ballston

### CAPITOL HILL AMBAR

*Balkan* A Belgrade original in D.C. with communal tables, copper-top bar and Mediterranean decor. Serbia meets New World in slow-cooked meats and

mezze, white veal soup and cheese pie. Balkan wines and beers, 30 varieties of Serbian Rakia. Bar late. Hours vary by location. 523 Eighth St. SE, 202.813.3039 Metro: Eastern Market; 2901 Wilson Blvd., 703.875.9663 Metro: Clarendon

### CAFE BERLIN

*German & European* In three former town houses, traditional and light fare: schnitzels, pork medallions, goulasch. Housemade traditional cakes and tarts. German wines and beers. Popular sidewalk tables in good weather. L (M-F), D (daily), Br (Su). 322 Massachusetts Ave. NE, 202.543.7656 Metro: Union Station

### GARRISON

*American* Culinary Institute of America-trained Robert Weland working with local farms to produce seasonal dishes in a warm, wood-accented space. Whole-roasted vegetables, housemade pastas, locally sourced fish and meat. Cocktail menu, Euro-focused wines. D (Tu-Su), Br (Sa-Su). 524 Eighth St. SE, 202.506.2445

### GOOD STUFF EATERY

*American* "Top Chef" contestant Spike Mendelsohn's specialty burgers, hand-cut fries, old-fashioned shakes. Modern-rustic counter service, communal table, cell phone charging stations. L, D (M-Sa); Airport B, L, D (daily). 303 Pennsylvania Ave. SE, 202.543.8222 Metro: Capitol South; 2110 Crystal Drive, Arlington, Va., 703.415.4663 Metro: Crystal City

### PINEAPPLE AND PEARLS

*American* James Beard Award-winner Aaron Silverman's elegant Michelin-starred follow-up to next door's Rose's Luxury. Changing tasting menu in dining room or chef's counter. Same menu in bar for

less. Reservations required via website, five weeks in advance. D (Tu-F). 715 Eighth St. SE, 202.595.7375

### ROSE'S LUXURY

*American* In a Barracks Row "farmhouse," Michelin-starred, no-reservations spot for small plates (pork and lychee salad, clams and white wine) or family-style meals (fried chicken). Upstairs bar (same food). D (M-Sa). 717 Eighth St. SE, 202.580.8889

### TED'S BULLETIN

*American* Lively spot with vintage decor and leather booths. All-day breakfast, barbecue, chili, "supper" dishes. Pastries like pies and "pop tarts." Bar with milkshakes, malts and cocktails. B, L, D (daily). 505 8th St. SE, 202.544.8337 Metro: Eastern Market; 1818 14th St. NW, 202.265.8337; 11948 Market St., Reston, Va.; 2911 District Ave., Fairfax, Va., 571.830.6680

### DOWNTOWN CASA LUCA

*Italian* Fabio Trabocchi's newly redesigned osteria named for his son. Piedmont-style beef tartare, lobster gnocchi fra diavolo, grilled beef rib eye cacciatore, Parmesan churros. 16 wines by the glass, cocktails/mocktails. L (M-F), D (daily). Enter 11th St. 1099 New York Ave. NW, 202.628.1099

### EQUINOX RESTAURANT

*American* Conscientious, prize-winning Todd Gray pairing wines to crab cakes with grits, grass-fed veal, Muscovy duck, vegan options. A la carte or multicourse tastings. Prix-fixe menus (regular and vegan) four or six courses, wine extra. L (M-F), D (M-Sa), Br (Su). 818 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.331.8118

### MIRABELLE

*French* James Beard Award winner and former White House chef Frank Ruta in his own kitchen blocks from the executive mansion. Beef tartare, boudin blanc, bouillabaisse, caviar. Aggie Chin turning out stellar sweets: citrus pavlova. Extensive, France-heavy wine list. Valet parking at dinner. L (M-F), D (daily). 900 16th St. NW, 202.506.3833

### MCCORMICK & SCHMICK'S

*Seafood* Famed West Coast restaurant with clubby quarters for fresh catches, bass, oysters, draft beers, single malts. Hours vary by site. 1652 K St. NW, 202.861.2233 Metro: Farragut North; 145 National Harbor Blvd., Oxon Hill, Md., 301.567.6224; Reston Town Center, Reston, Va., 703.481.6600; 8484 Westpark Drive, McLean, Va., 703.848.8000; 2010 Crystal Drive, Arlington, Va., 703.413.6400 Metro: Crystal City

### MORTON'S

*Steaks* Handsome spaces for locals and power lunchers digging into porterhouse, New York strip, filet mignon, lobster. L (M-F), D (daily). 1050 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.955.5997 Metro: Farragut North; 1750 Crystal Drive, 703.418.1444 Metro: Crystal City; 3251 Prospect St. NW, 202.342.6258

### PLUME

*American* Ralf Schlegel's Michelin-starred restaurant with luxe dishes à la Monticello's gardens inside elegant Jefferson Hotel. Prix fixe, chef's tasting. Foie gras terrine, lobster gratin, risotto, Angus prime filet, bison with blueberry barbecue sauce. Cozy nooks, 1,300-label wine cellar, landscape murals on silk and fireplace. Free parking. The Greenhouse for light fare, Quill for cocktails. D (Tu-Sa). 1200 16th St. NW, 202.448.3227

COURTESY MASTRO'S RESTAURANTS

## Food

### DUPONT CIRCLE

#### ASIA 54

*Asian* Across from Hotel Palomar, sleek spot with temple-style art for Vietnamese, Japanese, Chinese and Thai faves. Sushi bar and happy hour specials. L, D (daily). 2122 P St. NW, 202.296.1950 Metro: Dupont Circle

#### BOQUERIA

*Spanish* Inspired by tapas bars of Barcelona, lively spot for zesty bites like Colorado lamb skewers with pickled shallots, quail eggs and chorizo, bacon-wrapped dates, Ibérico ham, artisanal cheeses, churros. Sangria, cava cocktail, sherries, wines. L, D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 1837 M St. NW, 202.558.9545 Metro: Dupont Circle (South)

#### SUSHI TARO

*Japanese* Michelin-starred second-story spot with cherry wood walls and tatami rooms, kimonoed hostess and exotic sushi (flute fish, live scallops) by master chef Nobu Yamazaki and team. L (M-F), D (M-Sa). 1503 17th St. NW, 202.462.8999 Metro: Dupont Circle

### FOGGY BOTTOM/ WEST END

#### BEEFSTEAK

*American/Vegetarian* From José Andrés, fast-casual serving veggie-heavy menu of bowls (some meat, too). Fresh-pressed juices, wine and local craft beer, plus Spindrift sodas. B, L, D (daily). 800 22nd St. NW, 202.296.1439 Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU; 1528 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.986.7597 Metro: Dupont Circle (North); 4531 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.244.2529

#### CHALIN'S

*Chinese* Mandarin, Szechuan and Cantonese dishes by chefs with a "century of experience." Contemporary takes on traditional cuisine: soups, dumplings, seafood pork, duck, beef, noodles. Vegetarian, low-sodium and low-fat items. Carryout and

delivery. L, D (daily). 1912 I St. NW, 202.293.6000 Metro: Farragut West

#### EL CHALAN

*Peruvian* D.C.'s oldest Peruvian cafe with lomo saltado (filet strips with fried potato), South American-style paella drawing World Bank crowd. Touted by Hispanic Magazine as among top 50 U.S. Latin restaurants. L, D (M-Sa). 1924 I St. NW, 202.293.2765 Metro: Farragut West

#### KAZSUSHI BISTRO

*Japanese* Prized chef Kazuhiro Okochi's intimate spot for seared albacore tuna, pork belly lettuce wrap, grilled baby octopus. Tasting menu, bento boxes, sakes. Counter seats near the knife work. L (M-F), D (M-Sa). 1915 I St. NW, 202.530.5500

### GEORGETOWN

#### CHEZ BILLY SUD

*French* Brothers Eric Hilton and Ian Hilton's classic bistro. Boeuf Bourguignon, steak frites, roasted butternut squash soup served in a cozy residence-like space. L (Tu-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 1039 31st St. NW, 202.965.2606

#### FIOLA MARE

*Seafood* James Beard Award-winner Fabio Trabocchi's venture by the river. Brinn Sinnott sending out oysters, smoked cod, Maine lobster, yellowfin tuna carpaccio, appetart, Sardinian ricotta doughnuts. Cocktails to mocktails. L (Tu-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). Valet (day only) \$16. 3050 K St. NW, 202.628.0065

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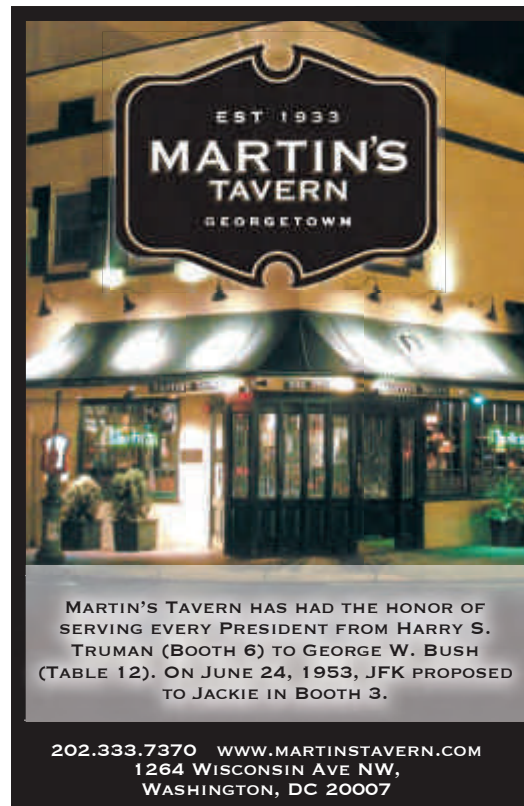
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## Food

Br (Sa-Su). 1264 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.333.7370

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#### SUCCOTASH

*Southern* Georgia by way of D.C. for modern Southern fare by star chef Edward Lee. Shrimp and grits, "dirty" fried chicken with Korean gochujang sauce. Chocolate bourbon pecan pie but also hummingbird cake. Bar heavy on whiskey, rye and bourbon (Pappy Van Winkle). Generous portions. L (M-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 186 Waterfront St., Oxon Hill, Md., 301.567.8900

### VOLTAGGIO BROTHERS STEAK HOUSE

*Steakhouse* Celebrity chef brothers Michael and Bryan Voltaggio's joint effort in ritzy MGM National Harbor resort. Residence-like digs with "rooms" for dining and imbibing. Dry-aged USDA prime, American wagyu plus classics with a modern twist wedge salad dusted with gorgonzola "snow," tuna "steak tartare." Extensive wine list; Timeline of cocktails from 1670's "Clarified Milk Punch" to 2005's "5-Spice Penicillin." D (Tu-Su). 101 MGM National Ave., Oxon Hill, Md., 301.971.6060

### NORTHEAST D.C.

#### LE GRENIER

*French* Homey, yet romantic bi-level bistro with an antique attic setting. Classic fare elegantly presented: braised beef stew, snails in parley-garlic butter, duck breast, salads,

cheeses, desserts. D (Tu-Su), Br (Sa-Su). 502 H St. NE, 202.544.4999

### THE TAVERN AT IVY CITY SMOKEHOUSE

*American* Restaurant with next-door market for smoked fish (honey hot-smoked salmon "candy," pastrami smoked salmon tacos), meats (grilled rib-eye), fried chicken, burgers. Steamed crabs. Beer (11 on tap), wine (mostly West Coast, 15 by the glass), cocktails. L (Tu-Su) D (daily). 1356 Okie St. NE, 202.529.3300

### PENN QUARTER/ CHINATOWN

#### CHINA CHILCANO

*Asian-Latin* Celeb chef José Andrés's colorful spot mixing Peru's Criollo, Chinese and Japanese. Pork dumplings, yellow potatoes in spicy, cream sauce. Shaved ice, sweet custard plus one of the largest pisco collections in the U.S. L, D (daily). 418 Seventh St. NW, 202.783.0941 Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial

#### CRIMSON DINER

*Southern* The Hilton brothers' attractive eatery inside modern Pod Hotel. Bright space for all-day breakfast and Southern classics (biscuits with sausage gravy, fried green tomato BLT, gumbo, shrimp and grits). Coffee bar pouring Blanchard's. Homemade desserts. B, L, D (daily). 627 H St. NW, 202.847.4459 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown

#### DBGB KITCHEN AND BAR

*French* Daniel Boulud's bustling bistro in CityCenter. Exec chef Nicholas Tang putting American accents to house-cured meats, seafood, burgers, regional produce, even a suckling pig. Glass walls, casual seats in Bar Room, china plates signed by celeb chef pals. Good spirits, French-focus wine list, unique beers. L (M-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 931 H St. NW, 202.695.7660 Metro: Metro Center or Gallery Pl-Chinatown

## Food

### FIG & OLIVE

**Mediterranean** California cool meets the South of France at chic CityCenterDC. Two-story space (plus two bars) serving dishes like crostini, housemade pasta, grilled scallop bouillabaisse, whole branzino, beef carpaccio. L (M-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 934 Palmer Alley NW, 202.559.5004 Metro: Metro Center or Gallery Pl-Chinatown

### FIOLA

**Italian** James Beard Award-winning Fabio Trabocchi in his own Michelin-starred "villa" with executive chef Ed Scarpone sending out lobster ravioli, rib-eye, seafood. Themed tastings. Across from National Gallery of Art. L (M-F), D (daily). 678 Indiana Ave. NW, 202.628.2888 Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial

### LEGAL SEA FOODS

**Seafood** Famed for its lobster, raw bar, clam chowder and an award-winning wine list. Most locations L & D (daily). 704 7th St. NW, 202.347.0007 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown; 2301 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Va., 703.415.1200 Metro: Crystal City; Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport, Terminal C, Arlington, Va., 703.413.9810 Metro: Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport; Tysons Galleria, 2001 International Drive, McLean, Va., 703.827.8900

### MASTRO'S

**Steakhouse** Local outpost of popular West Coast altar to beef in a sophisticated setting—marble and granite bar and chandelier—with servers in white jackets. Wet-aged steaks and chops, plus seafood and sushi with decadent sides like lobster mashed potatoes. Signature Warm Butter Cake. Live music nightly. L (M-F), D (daily). 600 13th St. NW, 202.347.1500 Metro: Metro Center

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**Seafood** Swank "oceanliner" where celebs, power lunchers go for fresh catches. Alaskan King crab, Coho salmon, Dover sole. Also crab cakes, steaks, oyster bar. Valet \$12. L (M-F), D (daily). 1201 F St. NW, 202.347.2277 Metro: Metro Center

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**Indian** James Beard Award-winner Vikram Sunderam in an open kitchen with griddle, barbecue, tandoori, curries. (Pre-theater), 100 wines, bar with exotic cocktails. L (M-F), D (M-Sa). 633 D St. NW, 202.637.1222 Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial

### ZAYTINYA

**Mediterranean** José Andrés's Santorini-esque spot with a mezze offerings inspired by Greek, Lebanese and Turkish cuisines. Go for the small plates, innovative cocktails and the selection of Mediterranean wines. L (daily); D (M-Sa); Br (Sa-Su) 701 9th St. NW, 202.638.0800 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown

### SHAW

#### CALICO

**American** Venture by team behind popular Tiger Fork, a casual eatery channeling a backyard party decorated with string lights for crab feasts, tomato pie, steamed shrimp, burgers. Accessible beer and wine list, plus cocktails (hot and adult "juice boxes"). L (Sa-Su), D (Tu-Su). 50 Blagden Alley NW, 202.791.0134

### THE CAPITAL BURGER

**American** The Capital Grille's new sister spot serving up gourmet burgers (blue

cheese and truffle, French onion-style) plus snacks (kung pao brussels sprouts, house-made ancho barbecue chips). Also salads, desserts, children's menu. L, D (daily). 1005 7th St. NW, 202.638.0414

#### CHERCHER

**Ethiopian** A friendly, casual restaurant serving popular and authentic dishes like doro we't (chicken stew) and yebeg we't (lamb stew). Vegetarian options, Ethiopian coffee. Spices for sale. L, D (daily). 1334 Ninth St. NW, 202.299.9703; 4921 Bethesda Ave., Bethesda, Md., 301.652.6500

#### CORTEZ

**Mexican** Color-soaked, casual taco restaurant and rooftop bar channeling California's Baja Peninsula with fish tacos, elotes (street corn) and tropical drinks (think slushy Margaritas). D (W-Su). Br (Sa-Su). 1905 9th St. NW, 202.299.0381 Metro: Shaw-Howard U

#### THE DABNEY

**American** Jeremiah Langhorne's Michelin-starred rustic digs in hip Blagden Alley for open-hearth cooking, using ingredients from a rooftop garden. Menu changes daily. D (Tu-Su). Downstairs, Dabney Cellar pouring wines by the glass paired with charcuterie in a cozy, low-light setting. No reservations. 122 Blagden Alley, 202.450.1015 Metro: Mt. Vernon Sq

#### ESPIA MEZCALERIA

**Mexican** Lively space with murals for Oaxacan fare. Handmade tortillas for tacos and tlayuda (crisp tortillas topped with beans and other ingredients), a variety of salsas, intriguing desserts. Extensive mezcal list, plus horchata. D (daily), Br (Sa-Su), bar later. 1250 Ninth St. NW, 202.621.9695 Metro: Mt. Vernon Sq

#### GASLIGHT TAVERN

**American** Ian Hilton's newest 1920s tavern and watering hole. Dimly lit space with two

bars plus small-bites menu of poutine, mushroom toast, chicken leg confit, cheese-burger. Brownie ice cream sandwich. D (daily). 2012 9th St. NW, 202.864.6272 Metro: U Street-Cardozo or Shaw-Howard U

#### HAZEL

**American** Chef Rob Rubba's global-inspired "medium" plates in festive digs. Steak tartare, "gnocchi bokki" pork and kimchi ragu. Tasting-style menus, Peking duck revamped. Eclectic wines, inventive desserts. D (daily), Br (Su). 808 V St. NW, 202.847.4980

#### KINSHIP

**American** Chef Eric Ziebold's Michelin-starred counterpart to sister Metier. Lobster French toast, grilled Japanese Kuroge beef (\$\$\$\$), plus whole-roasted meat, poultry, fish. Extensive wine list. D (daily). 1015 Seventh St. NW, 202.737.7700 Metro: Mt. Vernon Sq

#### METIER

**American** In a historic 1907 building, Eric Ziebold's exclusive counterpoint to sister Kinship, accessible via private elevator. Seven-course tasting menu preceded by hors d'oeuvres in a salon with fireplace. Jackets for men/reservations required. D (W-Sa). 1015 Seventh St. NW, 202.737.7500 Metro: Mt. Vernon Sq

#### WATERFRONT

##### DEL MAR

**Seafood** James Beard Award-winner Fabio Trabocchi's soaring digs paying homage to his wife's Spanish coastal heritage. Wide-ranging menu from tapas with a seaside spin to caviar, grilled seafood and family-style paella. Classic cocktails, mocktails, ciders. Wine list focused on Spain, but also France and California. L (Tu-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 791 Wharf St. SW, 202.525.1402 Metro: Waterfront

#### KITH AND KIN

**Caribbean** "Top Chef" alum and CIA/Hyde Park grad

Kwame Onwuachi's spot for African-accented flavors. "Torched" mackerel with jollof rice, burger with house-ground patties and jerk-spiced bacon. B, L, D (daily). The Wharf, 801 Wharf St. SW, 202.878.8566 Metro: Waterfront

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#### OSTERIA MORINI

**Italian** From Michael White, rustic cuisine of the Emilia-Romagna with patio and water views. Grilled meats, octopus, housemade pastas. Small-batch and sparkling wines, excellent cocktails.

L (M-F), D (daily), Br (Sa-Su). 301 Water St. SE, 202.484.0660 Metro: Navy Yard

#### REQUIN

**French** "Top Chef" celeb Mike Isabella's classic bistro fare (steak frites, roasted chicken), plus small plates (foie gras, steak tartare). Crème brûlée. Bottomless brunch. Mostly French wine list. D (daily), Br (Sa-Su) at Fairfax location. The Wharf, 100 District Square SW, 202.827.8380 Metro: Waterfront

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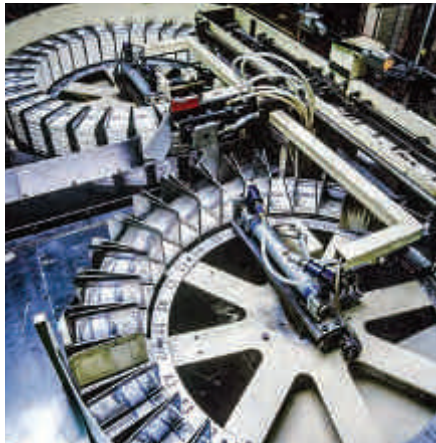
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## Bureau of Engraving and Printing

This government agency offers an eye-opening look at the money-making process, from design to print and final cut. An exhibition floor provides a history lesson and intriguing displays like a stack of \$10 bills worth a million, safely enclosed behind glass. A catwalk over the production floor lets visitors watch state-of-the-art machines (pictured) along with human helpers print billions each year. In the gift shop, find off-the-wall mementos like bags of shredded bank notes and sheets of actual, though flawed, money. Free tickets for tours are available (M-F) on a first-come, first-served basis, starting at 8 am at the ticket booth (Raoul Wallenberg Place).

Entrance at 14th and C sts. NW, 202.874.2330, [moneyfactory.gov](http://moneyfactory.gov)

## HISTORIC HOMES

### DUMBARTON OAKS MUSEUM AND GARDENS

Site of the United Nations 1944 beginnings, a 19th-century manse plus Philip Johnson-designed pavilion. Library for Byzantine, pre-Columbian and garden studies. Gift shop. Museum: Tu-Su 11:30 am-5:30 pm. Ten-acre formal gardens: Tu-Su 2-6 pm. Museum free. Gardens \$10, seniors \$8, students/children (12 and under) \$5. Arrange in advance for guided tours. 1703 32nd St. NW, 202.339.6400

### FREDERICK DOUGLASS NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Hilltop residence of the 19th-century orator and abolitionist, restored to its 1895 appearance with original objects. By guided tour only. Reserve in advance by calling or visiting website. Daily 9 am-5 pm (April-October); till 4:30 pm (November-March). 1411 W St. SE, 202.426.5961 Metro: Anacostia

## THE L. RON HUBBARD HOUSE

Free tours of the Founding Church of Scientology as it looked when the author, explorer, aviator and humanitarian lived and worked here. Daily 10 am-6 pm. 1812 19th St. NW, 202.234.7490 Metro: Dupont Circle

## MOUNT VERNON

George Washington's riverside estate, with 14 rooms furnished per a 1799 inventory. The first couple's tomb, gardens, a blacksmith shop, reconstructed slave cabin. High-tech Ford Orientation Center and Donald W. Reynolds Museum and Education Center, featuring "Be Washington" interactive experience, plus new film with 4-D effects. Check website for seasonal hours. \$20, seniors \$16, children (6-11) \$9, under 6 free. Discount packages available. Free parking. 3200 Mount Vernon Memorial Highway, Alexandria, Va., 703.780.2000

## PRESIDENT LINCOLN'S COTTAGE

Restored retreat where Lincoln drafted the Emancipation Proclamation, site deemed a national monument by Bill Clinton in 2000. Tour guides with interactive tablet technology leading hour-long tours. Education center with ongoing free exhibits. Guided tours only, reservations online. M-Sa first tour 10 am, last tour 3 pm. Visitor Center M-Sa 9:30 am-4:30 pm; Su 10:30 am-4:30 pm. \$15, military \$12, children (6-12) \$5. 140 Rock Creek Church Road NW, 202.829.0436

## TUDOR PLACE

Neoclassical (1816) Georgetown mansion, home of Martha Washington's granddaughter, and 5.5-acre gardens. National Historic Landmark with largest collection of George Washington's personal items other than at Mount Vernon. Garden tours (\$3). Guided tours on the hour. Tu-Sa 10 am-4 pm, Su noon-

4 pm. \$10, seniors/college students/military \$8, students (5-17) \$3, under 5 free. Self-guided garden-only tour \$3. 1644 31st St. NW, 202.965.0400

## NATIONAL LANDMARKS

### ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY

Interred here, thousands of veterans and government personnel. Changing of the guards every half hour. Kennedy gravesites, Tomb of the Unknowns, Iwo Jima Memorial, Women in Military Service for America memorial, Arlington House. Daily 8 am-5 pm. Self-guided tours free; bus tour \$13.50, seniors (65+) \$10, military/veterans with ID/children (4-12) \$6.75, children with military \$3.75, military in uniform free. 214 McNair Road, Arlington, Va., 877.907.8585 Metro: Arlington Cemetery

### FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL

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## Sights

paying homage to the 32nd president. Bronze sculptures (some by George Segal) and bas-reliefs depicting Roosevelt, wife Eleanor and dog Fala plus scenes from the Depression through WWII. West Potomac Park along Basin Drive SW, 202.426.6841 Metro: Smithsonian (half a mile)

## JAPANESE AMERICAN MEMORIAL TO PATRIOTISM DURING WORLD WAR II

Sculpture of entrapped cranes honors Japanese-Americans interned during WWII and Japanese-American soldiers who died during that war. Accessible 24 hours. Intersection of New Jersey Ave., Louisiana Ave. and D St. NW, 202.643.8204 Metro: Union Station

## JEFFERSON MEMORIAL

At the Tidal Basin, John Russell Pope's neoclassical marble monument for the third U.S. president and main author of the Declaration of Independence. Rangers every hour daily 9:30 am-10 pm. Bookstore. Parking (south side). South end of 15th St. SW, 202.426.6841

## LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

World's largest library with more than 130 million books, manuscripts, objects. Gutenberg Bible, Thomas Jefferson's founding collection. "Echoes of the Great War: American Experiences of World War I," artifacts delving into a conflict that forever changed the world, ongoing. M-Sa 8:30 am-4:30 pm. Tours. Free. Jefferson Building, 10 First St. SE, 202.707.8000; James Madison Memorial Building, 101 Independence Ave. SE, 202.707.9779 Metro: Capitol South

## MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. NATIONAL MEMORIAL

Commemorating the life and work of the civil rights leader. A nearly 30-foot-high statue of King emerging from a granite block, the Stone of Hope, and inscription walls

bearing his eloquent words. Northwest corner of Tidal Basin at the intersection of West Basin Drive SW & Independence Ave. SW, 888.484.3373

#### NATIONAL ARCHIVES

The "Charters of Freedom"—Bill of Rights, U.S. Constitution, Declaration of Independence. Theater with free films. David M. Rubenstein Gallery, Visitor Orientation Plaza. "Remembering Vietnam," iconic and recently discovered records relating to 12 critical episodes in the Vietnam War; "Record of Rights," documents and interactive exhibit illustrating how Americans have debated citizenship, free speech, voting rights and equal opportunity, **both ongoing**. Daily 10 am-5:30 pm (Last admission at 5 pm) Gift shop. Free. 700 Pennsylvania Ave. NW (enter rotunda on Constitution

Ave. NW), 877.874.7616 Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial

#### NATIONAL MALL

Planner Pierre L'Enfant's grand landscape. All memorials free, 24 hours.

**U.S. Capitol**—Home of the U.S. Congress since 1800 (M-Sa 8:30 am-4:30 pm). See Visitor Centers listings for more info. 202.226.8000 Metro: Capitol South  
**Washington Monument**—World's tallest freestanding masonry structure with elevator (**closed until 2019**). 15th St. NW, 202.426.6841 Metro: Smithsonian  
**Lincoln Memorial**—Greek-style temple with statue by Daniel Chester French. Visitors center. Gift shop. South of Constitution Ave. NW at 23rd St., 202.426.6841 Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU (1 mile)  
**Korean War Veterans Memorial**—The Pool of Remembrance, steel soldiers, granite relief. Independence Ave. & Daniel French Drive SW,

202.426.6841 Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU (1 mile)  
**World War II Memorial**—Neoclassical plaza dedicated to 400,000 American lives lost. 17th St. NW between Constitution & Independence Aves., 202.426.6841 Metro: Smithsonian (five blocks)  
**Vietnam Veterans Memorial**—Maya Lin's memorial with more than 58,000 names of dead or missing soldiers. Sculptures honoring soldiers, nurses. Constitution Ave. NW between 21st & 22nd sts., 202.426.6841 Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU (1 mile)

#### PENTAGON

U.S. Dept. of Defense HQ and nerve center for command and control. On-site memorial (accessible 24 hours) dedicated to 184 lives lost there in the 9/11 attack. Tours M-Th 10 am-4 pm, F noon-4 pm. (No tours on federal holidays). Reserve online at least two

weeks prior. Group tours. Free. Army Navy Drive & Fern St., Arlington, Va., 703.697.1776 Metro: Pentagon

#### SUPREME COURT

The nation's highest tribunal. Justices convene October through June in public sessions. Lines form to hear whole arguments (seating starts at 9:30 am) or three-minute portions (seating starts at 10 am). Lines re-form after lunch. M-F 9 am-4:30 pm. Free. When court isn't sitting, lectures on the half-hour from 9:30 am-3:30 pm. Cafeteria, gift shop. Plaza-level entrance facilitates security checks for entry. First St. NE between Maryland Ave. & E. Capitol St., 202.479.3030 Metro: Capitol South

#### U.S. HOLOCAUST

**MEMORIAL MUSEUM**  
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morial to genocide. More than 900 artifacts, 70 video monitors, four theaters, contemporary art and room for reflection. Daily 10 am-5:20 pm. Gift shop, cafe and library (M-F 10 am-5 pm) Free. 100 Raoul Wallenberg Place SW (14th St. main entry), 202.488.0400 Metro: Smithsonian

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

Presidential residence from the time of John Adams. Photo opps from north and south gates. Self-guided public tour requests must be submitted through a member of Congress at least 21 days ahead. Tours Tu-Th 7:30 am-11:30 am, F-Sa 7:30 am-1:30 pm. See Visitor Centers listing for more information. 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 202.456.7041 Metro: McPherson Sq or Farragut West

#### POINTS OF INTEREST AMERICAN VETERANS DISABLED FOR LIFE MEMORIAL

Landscape architect Michael Vergason's star-shaped fountain with eternal flame book-ended by a grove of trees honoring men and women injured in combat. Inspirational quotes and profiles etched in glass and granite with bronze sculptures depicting the pain and courage of more than four million disabled veterans. Accessible 24 hours. 150 Washington Ave. SW, at 2nd and C sts. Metro: Federal Center SW

#### BASILICA OF THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Dedicated to the Virgin Mary, the largest Roman Catholic basilica in North America and one of 10 largest churches in the world. Largest collection of contemporary ecclesiastical art

in the world. Newly completed Trinity Dome Mosaic, with parts blessed by Pope Francis. Daily 7 am-6 pm. Tours: free audio or guided M-Sa 9-11 am and 1-3 pm, Su 1:30, 2:30 and 3:30 pm. Cafeteria, gift store, book shop, undercroft of more than 70 chapels and oratories. 400 Michigan Ave. NE, 202.526.8300 Metro: Brookland-CUA

#### CONGRESSIONAL CEMETERY

Since 1807, bucolic graveyard sheltering the remains of John Philip Sousa, J. Edgar Hoover and Civil War photographer Mathew Brady. Today, popular spot for dog-walkers. Map available online or at cemetery gates. See website for available walking tours. Grounds open dawn-dusk. 1801 E St. SE 202.543.0539 Metro: Potomac Avenue or Stadium Armory

#### FOLGER SHAKESPEARE LIBRARY

World's largest collection of Shakespeariana (including 82 First Folios), a multimedia exhibit hall with film, an active theater (see Entertainment), concerts and an Elizabethan-style garden. M-Sa 10 am-5 pm, Su noon-5 pm. Free. Walk-in guided tours M-Sa 11 am, 1 pm, 3 pm; Su noon, 3 pm. Reading room tours (by reservation) Su at noon. Library for scholars only. Gift shop. 201 E. Capitol St. SE, 202.544.4600 Metro: Capitol South

#### FRANCISCAN MONASTERY

Founded in 1899 by Franciscan friars, 42 acres of woods and landscaped gardens surrounding turn-of-the-century, Byzantine-style church modeled after Istanbul's Hagia Sophia. Guided tours showing replicas of the shrines of the Holy Land and Roman-style cata-

combs: M-Sa 10 am-noon and 1-3 pm, Su 1-3 pm. Seasonal garden tours. Free. Virtual tour online. Gift shop. *1400 Quincy St. NE, 202.526.6800*

#### INTERNATIONAL SPY MUSEUM

Artifacts like a WWII German Enigma cipher and an East German camera for seeing through walls. Exhibits on spy rings of World War II, Cold War spy games, intel training. "Operation Spy," guests assuming the role of an agent in a one-hour mission inside the museum. "Spy in the City," guests using a GPS-enabled tablet to uncover espionage-related secrets outside the museum. Hours vary. Check website for current schedule. \$21.95, seniors/military/intelligence (with ID) \$15.95, children 7-11 \$14.95, under 6 free. Spy store. *800 F St. NW, 202.393.7798 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown*

#### MADAME TUSSAUDS

Touchable wax figures and photo opps with The Beatles, Madonna, Babe Ruth, Stephen Colbert, the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge, Marilyn Monroe, Justin Bieber, Taylor Swift. Presidents Gallery with all U.S. presidents plus first ladies. Hours vary. Check website for updated schedule. \$22, children (4-12) \$17.50. *1025 F St. NW (corner of 10th & F sts.), 866.823.9565 Metro: Metro Center*

#### NATIONAL BUILDING MUSEUM

Former U.S. Pension Building (1887) showcases architecture, engineering, construction trades and design. "PLAY WORK BUILD," a hands-on block play area with digital interaction allowing visitors to move an entire wall of virtual blocks, **ongoing**. M-Sa 10 am-5 pm, Su 11 am-5 pm. \$10, seniors/students/youth \$7. Building tours daily at 11:30 am, 12:30 pm, 1:30 pm. Cafe and gift shop. *401 F St. NW, 202.272.2448 Metro: Judiciary Square*

#### NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC MUSEUM

At the Society's HQ, galleries plus Explorers Hall for exhibits, lectures. "Titanic: The Untold Story," the recently declassified tale about a secret Cold War mission and the 1985 discovery of the famous ship, **ongoing**. Daily 10 am-6 pm. \$15, seniors/military/students \$12, kids (5-12) \$10, under 5 free. 3-D movie \$7. Gift shop. *1145 17th St. NW, 202.857.7700 Metro: Farragut North or Farragut West*

#### NATIONAL INVENTORS HALL OF FAME AND MUSEUM

In the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, museum capturing America's imaginative spirit through exhibits on patent and trademark systems. Interactive gallery displaying 500-plus inventors and their stories, plus a 1965 Ford Mustang merged with a 2015 model showing how inventions drive technology. Group tours upon request. Gift shop. M-F 10 am-5 pm, Sa 11 am-3 pm. Free. *600 Dulany St., Alexandria, Va., 571.272.0095*

#### NEWSEUM

Venue lauding the First Amendment. Sections of the Berlin Wall and historic front pages from the Civil War, plus 15 theaters and galleries and 130 interactive stations. Pulitzer-Prize photo winners, 9/11 memorial gallery, daily displays of front pages from every U.S. state. New media gallery tracing the digital news revolution. "Pictures of the Year," decades of award-winning photos, **ongoing**. M-Sa 9 am-5pm, Su 10 am-5 pm. \$24.95, seniors/students \$19.95, children (7-18) \$14.95, 6 and under free. Discounts online for families, military, advance tickets. *555 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 888.639.7386 Metro: Archives-Navy Memorial*

#### ROCK CREEK PARK

One of the country's earliest, urban national parks, a 2,000-acre wooded oasis following

its namesake waterway through the heart of the city. Shady paved trails drawing bikers, jogger, skaters. Also tennis courts, golf course, stables and planetarium/nature center (W-Su, 9 am-5 pm) with ranger-led tours. Free (fees for some activities). *Nature Center and Planetarium, 5200 Glover Road NW, 202.895.6070*

#### UNION STATION

Daniel Burnham-designed Beaux Arts landmark, bustling Amtrak hub and bus depot with cafes, shops. Retail hours: M-Sa 10 am-9 pm, Su noon-6 pm. *50 Massachusetts Ave. NE, 202.289.1908 Metro: Union Station*

#### U.S. BOTANIC GARDEN

Just west of the Capitol, North America's oldest botanical garden. Art Deco-era conservatory, jungle area, orchid house. Rotating exhibitions. Daily 10 am-5 pm. Free. *100 Maryland Ave. SW, 202.225.8333 Metro: Federal Center SW*

#### U.S. NATIONAL ARBORETUM

A 446-acre site with specialty gardens, the former U.S. Capitol columns, Arbor House Gift Shop and the National Bonsai & Penjing Museum (F-M 10 am-4 pm). Visitor Center F-M 8 am-4:30 pm. Grounds F-M 8 am-5 pm. Free. Visit by car recommended. *3501 New York Ave. NE, 202.245.2726*

#### WASHINGTON HARBOUR

At the south end of Georgetown, a bustling waterfront zone with a boardwalk, restaurants, D.C.'s largest outdoor ice skating rink in winter and views of Key Bridge and the Kennedy Center. *202.295.5007*

#### SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

#### AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY AND CULTURE MUSEUM

LEED edifice wrapped in metal panels evoking a Yoruban crown and ironwork crafted by "invisible"

slaves. Harriet Tubman's hymnal, Emmett Till's casket, Chuck Berry's Cadillac. Oprah Winfrey Theater, Contemplative Court with waterfall. Cafe. Timed-entry passes required, released online the first Wednesday of the month, three months in advance. Some same-day passes available daily at 1 pm (Madison Drive entrance). Daily 10 am-5:30 pm. Free. *1400 Constitution Ave. NW, 844.750.3012*

#### AIR AND SPACE MUSEUM

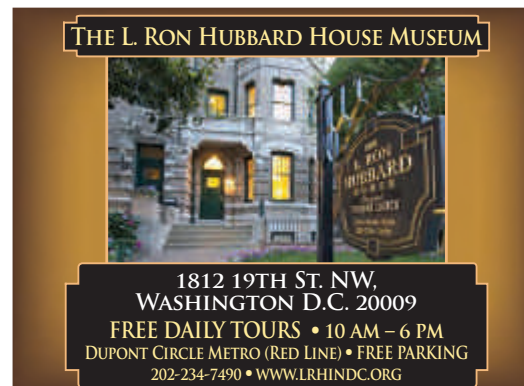
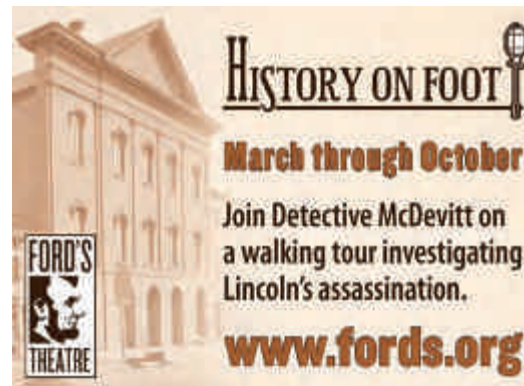
World's largest collection of aircraft and space vehicles (Lindbergh's Spirit of St. Louis, Bell X-1). Apollo Lunar Module and Enterprise studio model from "Star Trek" TV series. Lockheed Martin IMAX Theater and Albert Einstein Planetarium daily from 10:30 am. Pulseworks VR Transporter (\$), virtual reality ride. Daily 10 am-5:30 pm. Tours 10:30 am and 1 pm. Free. IMAX and planetarium shows: \$9, seniors \$8, children \$7.50. Gift shop. Food court. *6th St. & Independence Ave. SW, 202.633.2214 Metro: L'Enfant Plaza*

#### AIR AND SPACE MUSEUM UDVAR-HAZY CENTER

National Air and Space Museum's hangar-like facility displaying 160-plus aircraft. The Enola Gay (first to drop an atomic bomb) and space shuttle Discovery. IMAX theater, flight simulations (fee). Daily 10 am-5:30 pm. Free. IMAX tickets: \$9, seniors \$8, children (2-12) \$7.50. Theater info: 866.868.7774. Parking (\$15) or Fairfax Connector No. 983 between Dulles Airport and museum. *14390 Air and Space Museum Parkway, Chantilly, Va., 202.633.1000*

#### AMERICAN HISTORY MUSEUM

National repository of cultural, scientific and technological heritage. Thomas Jefferson's desk, Julia Child's kitchen. The Star-Spangled Banner gallery holding the restored flag. **Ongoing:** "The First Ladies," gowns and memorabilia from presidencies past. Daily



10 am-5:30 pm. Free. Gift shops, ice cream parlor, cafeteria. *14th St. & Constitution Ave. NW, 202.633.1000 Metro: Smithsonian*

#### AMERICAN INDIAN MUSEUM

Curvilinear building of golden-hued limestone facing the rising sun in keeping with Native American traditions. Tribal exhibitions. Interactive imagiNATIONS Activity Center with hands-on projects like weaving a giant basket. "Americans," exploring how American Indians are woven into the nation's identity from popular culture to street names and beyond, **ongoing**. Daily 10 am-5:30 pm. Free. Groups reserve timed entry. Gift shops, two theaters, Mitsitam Cafe. *4th St. & Independence Ave. SW, 202.633.1000 Metro: L'Enfant Plaza*

#### ANACOSTIA COMMUNITY MUSEUM

Devoted to activism, urban communities and African-American heritage. "Your Community, Your Story: Celebrating Five Decades of the Anacostia Community Museum, 1967-2017," signature projects from past displays; "A Right to the City," exploring the history of D.C.'s changing neighborhoods, **both ongoing**. Daily 10 am-5 pm. *1901 Fort Place SE, 202.633.4820*

#### THE CASTLE

The first Smithsonian building with info center, cafe, James Smithson's crypt and samples from the collection and exhibits. Daily 8:30 am-5:30 pm, Haupt Garden (south side) daily 6:30 am-dusk. Free. *1000 Jefferson Drive SW, 202.633.1000 Metro: Smithsonian*

#### NATIONAL POSTAL MUSEUM

Former main post office, now museum of artifacts multimedia stations and exhibits. Daily 10 am-5:30 pm. Free. Special workshops, welcome center, gift shop and post office. *2 Massachusetts Ave. NE, 202.633.1000 Metro: Union Station*

#### NATIONAL ZOO

Founded in 1889, a 163-acre zoo with more than 2,000 animals including giant pandas Tian Tian and Mei Xiang and their cub Bei Bei. Asia Trail with giant sloths. American Trail with sea otters. Solar-powered carousel (\$3). Check website for seasonal hours. Free entry; parking \$22. *3001 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.673.4888 Metro: Cleveland Park (downhill to zoo) or Woodley Park-Zoo (uphill to zoo)*

#### NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM

Exhibits tracking the natural world since prehistoric time. In the Rotunda, taxidermic African elephant in a replica Angolan habitat. Hall of Geology, Gems and Minerals (Hope Diamond). Butterfly Pavilion (\$6, \$5.50 seniors, \$5 children; free, tickets required). Daily 10 am-5:30 pm. Free. IMAX theater (\$8, seniors/children \$6.50). Cafe and gift shop. *Constitution Ave. at 10th St. NW, 202.633.1000 Metro: Federal Triangle or Smithsonian*

#### VISITOR CENTERS

#### U.S. CAPITOL VISITOR CENTER

Entry to the U.S. Capitol with exhibits, artifacts, interactive kiosks. M-Sa 8:30 am-4:30 pm. Guided one-hour Capitol tours (M-Sa 8:50 am-3:20 pm) begin with a 13-minute film. Free. Admission to the House or Senate galleries issued by a constituent's representative or senator. Limited number of same-day passes at the CVC information desks. *Below the East Plaza of the Capitol between Constitution & Independence aves., 202.226.8000 Metro: Capitol South*

#### WHITE HOUSE VISITOR CENTER

Interactive exhibits, photos and videos about the famed residence and its occupants. Free. Gift shop. Daily 7:30 am-4 pm. *1450 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 202.208.1631 Metro: Farragut West*

## SUMMER GUIDE | Scene



### Washington Nationals

Root, root, root for the home team at its state-of-the-art, LEED-certified riverside stadium. Fan favorites like Gio Gonzalez, Bryce Harper and Stephen Strasburg take the field against the Rays June 5-6, the Giants June 8-10, the Orioles June 19-21 and the Phillies June 22-24. Other fan favorites? The Racing Presidents (pictured), tow-ering mascots with a tendency to cheat (even Honest Abe) during their mishap-prone sprint in the fourth inning. Ticket prices vary. *Nationals Park, 1500 S. Capitol St. SE, mlb.com/nationals*

### BARS & LOUNGES

#### BARMINI

Adjoining his experimental Minibar, celeb chef José Andrés' sleek cocktail spot with 100-plus original creations and fresh takes on classics. Reservations recommended. Tu-Sa from 5:30 pm. *501 9th St. NW, 202.393.4451 Metro: Archives or Gallery Pl-Chinatown*

#### COLUMBIA ROOM

Spirits guru Derek Brown's acclaimed mixology den. Tasting room (by reservation) with seasonal drinks and amuse-bouches, spirits library (a la carte menu) and terrace. Tu-Th 5 pm-12:30 am, F-Sa till 1:30 am. *124 Blagden Alley NW, 202.316.9396. Metro: Mt. Vernon Sq-Convention Center*

#### CRIMSON VIEW

Rooftop bar inside hip Pod Hotel with sweeping views. Hanging gardens serving as backdrop for prosecco, rosé, cider, beer and cocktails. Su-Th 5 pm-midnight, F-Sa till 1 am. *627 H St. NW, 202.847.4444*

#### CRIMSON WHISKEY BAR

Handsome spot inside Pod hotel for drinks and bites toasting the American South. Moonshine cocktails along with wine, beer, cider. Plus chicken liver parfait, jalapeno hushpuppies, burgers,

raw bar. Su-Th 5 pm-2 am, F-Sa till 3 am. *627 H St. NW, 202.847.4444*

#### DACHA BEER GARDEN

Under a Liz Taylor mural, a lively patio serving European and local brews in single servings or glass boots. Also mead, cider, brats and skewers. Dogs welcome. M-Th 4-10:30 pm, F, noon-midnight, Sa 11 am-midnight, Su 11 am-10:30 pm. *1600 7th St. NW, 202.350.9888 Metro: Shaw-Howard U*

#### MORRIS

Whimsical new bar from lauded cocktail crew (Sheppard, minibar) pouring drinks like "Caipirita" adding tequila to the Brazilian classic, "Old Pepper" with hot sauce and "Coffee Cobbler" blending cognac and port. Also, beer, wine, whiskeys. Su, Tu-Th 6 pm-midnight, F-Sa till 2 am. *1020 7th St. NW, 202.962.0400*

#### THE PASSENGER

Tom Brown's popular cocktail bar in Shaw with a mural inspired by the namesake Iggy Pop tune and experts mixing drinks. M-Th 5 pm-2 am, F 5 pm-3 am, Sa 3 pm-3 am, Su 2 pm-midnight. *1539 Seventh St. NW, 202.853.3588 Metro: Shaw-Howard U*

#### SHELLY'S BACK ROOM

For cigar aficionados, a casual but elegant tavern with air-ventilation system. Lunch, dinner and late-night menus plus premium cigars and rare whiskeys. M-Th 11:30 am-2 am, F 11:30 am-3 am, Sa noon-3 am, Su noon-1 am. *1331 F St. NW, 202.737.3003 Metro: Metro Center*

### CASINO

#### MGM NATIONAL HARBOR CASINO

At the MGM National Harbor Resort, a luxe 125,000-sq.-ft. casino featuring Vegas-style gambling. Asian gaming pit, 3,300 slot machines, 124 table games, 39-table poker room and high-limit room, plus Blossom Cocktail Lounge with views on the action. *7100 Oxon Hill Road, Oxon Hill, Md., 844.346.4664*

### CONCERTS & OPERA

Select shows listed; see venue websites for full schedules.

#### KENNEDY CENTER

A living memorial to John F. Kennedy. National Symphony Orchestra Pops: "Space, the Next Frontier," **June 1-2**; Ballet Nacional de Cuba: "Giselle," **June 1-3**; NSO: Eschenbach conducts Mendelssohn's "Italian" Symphony/Walton's Viola Concerto, **June 7-9**; DC Jazz Festival Chucho Valdes and Gonzalo Rubalcaba,

**June 15**; NSO Pops: Audra McDonald, **June 19**; NSO Pops: Melissa Etheridge, **June 22-23**; Stephen Stills & Judy Collins, **June 30**. Free shows daily (6 pm) on Millennium Stage. Also cafe, restaurant, gift shops, free tours and roof terrace. *2700 F St. NW, 202.467.4600 Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU (free shuttle to/from venue)*

#### STRATHMORE

Scenic acres in Maryland, base of National Philharmonic and second home of Baltimore Symphony Orchestra. National Philharmonic: 100th Anniversary of Poland's Independence, **June 2**; BSO: Shostakovich's Hidden Themes, **June 9**; Boz Scaggs, **June 13**; Herbie Hancock, **June 24**; Kristin Chenoweth, **June 27**; Sarah McLachlan, **June 29**. *5301 Tuckerman Lane, N. Bethesda, Md., 301.581.5100 Metro: Grosvenor*

### MUSIC CLUBS

Select shows listed; see venue websites for full schedules.

#### 9:30 CLUB

Frequent winner of nightclub of the year. Visit the Back Bar early for first entry into shows. The Glitch Mob, **June 2**; Francis and the Light, **June 6**; Chromeo, **June 11-12**; Ben Harper & Charlie Musselwhite, **June 13**; M. Ward, **June 16**;

The Feelies, **June 22**. *815 V St. NW, 202.265.0930 Metro: U St-Cardozo*

#### THE ANTHEM

Concert venue on The Wharf waterfront redevelopment for big-name rock/pop and indie stars. State-of-the-art sound system, multilevel tiers, bars. Belle & Sebastian, **June 9**; Vance Joy, **June 12**; DC Jazzfest at The Wharf, Leslie Odom Jr., R+R=Now, Maceo Parker, **June 16**. *901 Wharf St. SW, 202.888.0020 Metro: Waterfront*

#### BLACK CAT

Booking indie rockers for the upstairs Mainstage and the smaller downstairs Backstage (often local bands). Also DJ and theme nights, pinball machines, a bar and a cafe with vegan options. The Regrettes, **June 6**; Ted Leo & The Pharmacists, **June 8-9**; Parker Millsap, **June 13**; Stephen Malkmus & The Jicks, **June 17**; Mystery Friends, **June 21**; TV Girl, **June 27**. *1811 14th St. NW, 202.667.4490 Metro: U St-Cardozo*

#### BLUES ALLEY

Tucked in a Georgetown alley, legendary jazz supper club showcasing artists like Dizzy Gillespie and Charlie Byrd since 1965. Roberta Gambarini, **June 1**; Kinsley Flood, **June 9**; Ben Caplan, **June 14**; Roosevelt Collier Trio, **June 16**; Mike and The Moonpies, **June 17**; The Iguanas, **June 22**; The Calling, **June 29**, Seth Glier, **June 30**. *The Wharf, 33 Pearl St. SW, 202.380.9620 Metro: Waterfront*

#### TWILIGHT TATTOO

Military pageant Wednesday nights with the 3rd U.S. Infantry Regiment (The Old Guard) and The U.S. Army Band "Pershing's Own." Pre-ceremony festivities at 6:30 pm; show at 7 pm. Free; first-come, first-served bleacher seating. *Joint Base Myer-Henderson Hall, Arlington, Va., 202.685.2888*

#### THE HAMILTON LIVE

Named for the first treasury secretary, spacious restaurant with a live-music venue downstairs, within earshot of the White House. Regina Carter, **June 9**; Terence Blanchard Featuring the E Collective, **June 10**; The Posies, **June 16**; Dustbowl Revival, **June 21**; Big Sam's Funky Nation, **June 23**. *600 14th St. NW, 202.787.1000 Metro: Metro Center*

#### THE HOWARD THEATRE

A 1910 landmark that helped launch the careers of Ella Fitzgerald, Marvin Gaye and The Supremes. Su gospel brunch. Seated (supper club-style) or standing-room shows. PRhyme, **June 2**; All-Star Purple Party: Prince Tribute Show, **June 7**; Dru Hill, **June 9**; Monsieur Periné, **June 13**; Capleton, **June 27**. *620 T St. NW, 202.803.2899 Metro: Shaw-Howard U*

#### MADAM'S ORGAN

Find live music nightly at this rowdy Adams Morgan bar where redheads get a half-price drink special. Pool tables, karaoke and rooftop bar. One Nite Stand (reggae, funk, R&B) every Monday, Clusterfunk Tuesday, The Human Country Jukebox country music Wednesday, The Johnny Artis Band Thursday. M-Th, Su 5 pm-2 am, F-Sa till 3 am. *2461 18th St. NW, 202.667.5370*

#### PEARL STREET WAREHOUSE

Lively, intimate space for established and emerging rock, country, folk, soul, bluegrass and R&B acts from Austin to Nashville and beyond. American diner fare (biscuits and gravy, sandwiches, salads, tater tots). Booker T. Jones, **June 1**; Kinsley Flood, **June 9**; Ben Caplan, **June 14**; Roosevelt Collier Trio, **June 16**; Mike and The Moonpies, **June 17**; The Iguanas, **June 22**; The Calling, **June 29**, Seth Glier, **June 30**. *The Wharf, 33 Pearl St. SW, 202.380.9620 Metro: Waterfront*

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### RECREATION

#### ESCAPE ROOM LIVE

Teams of players testing their wits to escape locked

rooms filled with clues, riddles and red herrings (in 45 minutes). Themes from Sherlock Holmes and Edgar Allan Poe to spies and mummies. \$28. Reservations required. *2300 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 800.616.4880; 814 King St., 2nd floor, Alexandria, Va., 800.616.4880; 3345 M St. NW, 800.616.4880*

### SPORTS

#### WASHINGTON NATIONALS

D.C.'s MLB team at bat. Tampa Bay Rays **June 5-6**; San Francisco Giants **June 8-10**; Baltimore Orioles **June 19-21**; Philadelphia Phillies **June 22-24**. *Nationals Park, 1500 S. Capitol St. SE, 202.675.6287 Metro: Navy Yard*

### THEATER & DANCE

#### KENNEDY CENTER

A living memorial to John F. Kennedy. Ballet Nacional de Cuba: "Giselle," **June 1-3**; Broadway Center Stage: "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," semi-staged concert of the popular musical about climbing the corporate ladder, **June 6-10**; "Hamilton," the blockbuster musical about the founding father set to hip-hop, **June 12-30**; Dana Tai Soon Burgess Dance Company "Portraits," **June 15-16**; "Ain't Too Proud: The Life and Times of The Temptations," toe-tapping new musical about the R&B group behind hits "My Girl" and "Papa Was a Rolling Stone," **June 19-22**; "Shear Madness," long-running ho-dunit comedy with audience playing detective, **ongoing**. Free shows daily (6 pm) on Millennium Stage. Also cafe, restaurant, gift shops, free tours and roof terrace. *2700 F St. NW, 202.467.4600 Metro: Foggy Bottom-GWU (free shuttle to/from venue)*

#### MOSAIC THEATER COMPANY

Presenting thought-provoking works that grapple with social and political issues. Based at the Atlas Performing Arts Center. "Hooded, Or Being Black for Dummies,"

Tearrance Arvelle Chisholm's popular comedy about growing up as an African-American in America, **through June 3**. *1333 H St. NE, 202.399.7993*

#### SHAKESPEARE THEATRE COMPANY

Led by artistic director Michael Kahn, this company has two stages for works by the Bard and other playwrights. Lerner & Loewe's "Camelot," the classic musical centered on the legendary story of the King Arthur's Knights of the Round Table, **through July 1**. *Harman, 610 F St. NW, 202.547.1122 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown; Lansburgh, 450 Seventh St. NW, 202.547.1122 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown*

#### SIGNATURE THEATRE

Contemporary plays and musicals; winner of the 2009 Regional Theater Tony Award. "Girlfriend," a coming-of-age story set to the music of Michael Sweet about two gay high-schoolers falling in love, **through June 10**; "The Scottsboro Boys," the Tony Award-nominated musical about nine African-American teenagers sentenced to death for a crime they didn't commit, **through July 1**. *4200 Campbell Ave., Arlington, Va., 703.820.9771*

#### STUDIO THEATRE

Acclaimed venue for bold plays. "The Remains," about a gay couple's true lives, 10 years after their historic wedding, **through June 17**. *1501 14th St. NW, 202.332.3300 Metro: Dupont Circle (five blocks)*

#### THEATER J

Plays responding to the Jewish cultural legacy. "Trayf," the heartwarming story about Zalmy, who leads an Orthodox life by day and a dance club and rock and roll-infused life by night, **through June 24**. *1529 16th St. NW, 800.494.8497 Metro: Dupont Circle (six blocks)*



## Squash on Fire

This new West End spot takes a different approach to a normally members-only game. At the country's first pay-as-you-go squash facility, players book one of the eight high-tech courts or schedule a lesson. After getting tips from the training program designed by world-titled coach Amir Wagih, you may just be bold enough to exhibit your skills in an all-glass "showcase" court. The 19,700 square feet also hold a bar/restaurant and pro shop.

2233 M St. NW, 202.241.2233, [squashonfire.com](http://squashonfire.com)

## FITNESS CENTERS

### THE BAR METHOD

"Targeted" body sculpting workout classes combining elements of dance conditioning and physical therapy with the pace of interval training. See website for schedule. Drop-in class \$27. 750 9th St. NW, 202.347.7999 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown

### BIKER BARRE

High-energy spin and barre classes driven by upbeat music and instructors. All levels. Single class \$25. 738 7th St. SE, 202.733.1009 Metro: Eastern Market

### EQUINOX

High-end gym and spa chain. Tag line: "sustainable luxury" (think grass roof, cork flooring). No mani/pedis per LEED guidelines. Hours vary by location. 4905 Elm St., Bethesda, Md., 301.652.1078 Metro: Bethesda; 1170 22nd St. NW, 202.974.6600; 8065 Leesburg Pike, Vienna, Va., 703.790.6193

### FLYWHEEL

Theater-style studio for stationary cycling on custom-made, high-tech bikes, plus "Torqboard" for performance monitoring. Drop-in class \$30 (includes shoes). Also FlyBarre body sculpting. 1927 Florida Ave. NW, 202.830.0755; 824 9th St. NW, 202.684.7208

### JOY OF MOTION

Founded in 1976, a dance center that welcomes all levels and ages for a wide variety of classes, including ballet, jazz, modern, tap, hip hop and zumba. Drop-class \$19. 1333 H St. NE, 202.399.6763; 5207 Wisconsin Ave. NW, second floor, 202.362.3042 Metro: Friendship Heights; 7315 Wisconsin Ave., Suite 180E, Bethesda, Md., 301.986.0016 Metro: Bethesda

### PURE BARRE

Fifty-five minute sessions that use the ballet barre to perform small, isometric movements with the aim of creating long, lean physiques. Nine area locations (see all on the website). Drop-in class \$29. 407 8th St. SE, 202.847.3708. Metro: Eastern Market; 3308 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.244.7500; 2130 P St. NW, 202.870.1799 Metro: Dupont Circle

### SOULCYCLE

Indoor stationary cycling classes with a nightclub vibe (dim lighting, turned-up music). 45-, 60- and 90-minute sessions. Drop-in class \$30. 1935 14th St. NW, 202.332.7685; 601 Massachusetts Ave. NW, 202.293.7685; 1042 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.328.7685; 2301 M St. NW, 202.659.7685

### VIDA FITNESS

Hip local chain with classes, spa and two rooftop pool/lounges. Multiple locations; see all on website. Hours vary. 601 F St. NW, 866.382.8431 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown; 1517 15th St. NW, 202.588.5559 Metro: McPherson Sq; 999 9th St. NW, 202.742.1940 Metro: Gallery Pl-Chinatown

## SALONS

### BARBER OF HELL'S BOTTOM

Old-school barbershop in an industrial-style space made hip by tattooed stylists and barbers practicing straight-razor shaves (hot and cold towels, essential oils, face massage). Hair cuts, beard trimming, color and gray blending. M noon-5 pm, Tu-F 10 am-7 pm, Sa 9 am-6 pm 202.332.0200

### CELADON

Luxury day spa offering hair, skin, nail, body and medspa treatments. Stone massage, coconut sugar scrub, seaweed body masque. Gift brands like Tocca, Agraria, Anthousa. M, W, F 8:30 am-6 pm; Tu, Th 8:30 am-7 pm; Sa 8:30 am-4:30 pm. 1180 F St. NW, 202.347.3333 Metro: Metro Center

### COATROOM

Hip salon for manicures and pedicures (standard or "step up" with spa extras), nail art

(fee). Gel, shellac, non-toxic polishes. Waxing services. M-Sa 9 am-8 pm, Su 10 am-6 pm. 850 N. Randolph St., 703.717.5007 Metro: Ballston

### DRYBAR

"Blow dry bar" (no cuts or color) offering \$45 blowouts in a chic white salon. Styles from Cosmo (loose curls) to Manhattan (sleek and shiny). Hours vary by location, but generally M-W 7 am-8 pm, Th-F 7 am-10 pm, Sa 8 am-10 pm, Su 9 am-7 pm. 1825 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.609.8644; 4840 Bethesda Ave., Bethesda, Md., 240.483.4277 Metro: Bethesda; 1635 Connecticut Ave. NW, 202.719.3809 Metro: Dupont Circle (North)

### THE GENTLEMEN'S QUARTERS

Cuts, shoe shines and hot shaves for gentlemen in a traditional dark wood setting. Lounge with three flat-screen TVs, the daily paper, minibar, plus spa for massages, facials, etc. M 11 am-7 pm, Tu-F 9 am-8 pm, Sa 9 am-5 pm, Su 10 am-4 pm 105 S. Union St., Alexandria, Va., 703.836.7330

### GROOMING LOUNGE

Upscale spot for men's shaving and hair care products with brands like Jack Black and Acqua di Parma, plus salon's own line. Services include hot lather shaves, nail treatments and facials. Hours

vary by location. 1745 L St. NW, 202.466.8900 Metro: Farragut North; Tysons Galleria, 1001 International Drive, McLean, Va., 703.288.0355

### LUIGI PARASMO SALON

The first namesake salon from the Italian stylist. Hair color, extensions, treatments and cuts, plus products like Kerastase and Moroccan Oil. High-tech spa on second floor for massages, peels, masks and mani-pedis at cushy seats equipped with iPads. Tu 10 am-7 pm, W-F till 8 pm, Sa 9 am-7 pm. 1510 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.333.2244

### YARNISH LANE

Well-appointed, environmentally conscious salon in a townhouse setting for waterless manicures and pedicures. Non-toxic brands like RGB, Smith & Cult, Lauren B, along with designer lines Chanel, YSL. Local natural products and some jewelry. Tu-F 10 am-7 pm, Sa 9 am-5 pm, Su 10 am-4 pm. 5236 44th St. NW, 202.506.5308 Metro: Friendship Heights

## SPAS

### ARGENTTA SPA

Inside The Watergate Hotel, a luxurious retreat featuring the original 1960s-era indoor pool, plus a sauna, gym,

steam room, nail salon and treatment areas for massages, scrubs and facials. Natural skin-care lines include Red Flower and Caudalie. M-Su 7 am-9 pm. 2650 Virginia Ave. NW, 202.838.5000. Metro: Foggy Bottom

### AURA SPA

Housed in massive umbrella wellness center that includes Vida Fitness, this modern day spa offers body wraps, scrubs, facials, waxing and massages (warm stone, prenatal, aromatherapy). M-F 10 am-9 pm, Sa-Su 10 am-7 pm. 202.232.6620 Metro: U St-Cardozo; 1517 15th St. NW, 202.588.5557; 445 K St. NW, 202.289.8432

### BLISS

At the area's first W Hotel, a spa and retail boutique. Skin and nail care, massages and waxing plus customer faves like the "triple oxygen treatment" and ginger rub. Also luxurious lounges, a brownie buffet and R & B background music. Daily 9 am-9 pm. 515 15th St. NW, 877.862.5477, 202.661.2418, Metro: Metro Center

### DUPONT NAILS & SPA

Multi-service spa with manicures, pedicures, massages, facials and waxing for women and men. Polishes like OPI, Gelish and Essie, plus organic brands for skin care. Hair: cut, style and color. M-F 10 am-11 pm, Sa 9 am-7:30 pm, Su 10 am-7 pm. 1718 20th St. NW, 202.232.6473 Metro: Dupont Circle (North)

### FOUNTAINS DAY SPA

Self-dubbed the "Home of Healers and Angels," a quiet and peaceful setting for massages (like the "Four Hands Massage"), facials and skincare services. Also waxing and reflexology of the relaxing, ancient Chinese art. M-Tu 9 am-6 pm, W-F 9 am-6 pm, Su 11 am-6 pm. 422 South Washington St., Alexandria, Va., 703.549.1990 Metro: King Street

### GEORGETOWN SALON & SPA

From accomplished D.C. massage therapist Linda Hardiman, a serene spot for stress-reducing therapies including Swedish, deep-tissue massage and Myofascial release customized to individual needs. Also, hair cutting/styling, mani-pedis. M-Sa 7 am-7 pm. 2715 M St. NW, 202.333.8099

### NUSTA

Claiming the U.S.'s first LEED Gold-certified day spa with massages like stone, couples, reflexology. Body scrubs, water therapies, facial treatments, nail care, waxing and bridal packages. M-F 10 am-8 pm, Sa 9 am-8 pm, Su 10 am-6 pm. 1129 20th St. NW,

202.530.5700 Metro: Dupont Circle

### THE RED DOOR BY ELIZABETH ARDEN

Express facials, massage, aqua and aromatherapy, makeup services. Hours vary by location. Willard InterContinental Hotel, 1401 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, 202.942.2700 Metro: Metro Center; 5225 Wisconsin Ave. NW, 202.362.9890 Metro: Friendship Heights

### THE RITZ-CARLTON SPA, GEORGETOWN

Newly remodeled luxury oasis offering facials, massage therapy, hair removal/tinting and maternity treatments using ESPA products. Two couples rooms, plus steam room, sauna and fitness center. M-F 11 am-7 pm, Sa-Su 9 am-7 pm. 3100 South St. NW, 202.912.4175 Metro: Foggy Bottom

### SOOTHE

On-demand service for massages (Swedish, deep tissue, couples) in 60-, 90- and 120-minute increments ordered via cellphone app, website or phone. Daily 8 am-midnight. 800.960.7668

### THE SPA AND SALON AT MGM NATIONAL HARBOR

Inside the luxury resort, 27,000-sq.-ft. glam spa on two levels with salon and barber shop. Eleven treatment rooms (hydro therapy, Vichy) using Clarins products, plus mani/pedis, couples treatment room, lounge. Daily 9 am-9 pm. 101 MGM National Ave., Oxon Hill, Md., 301.971.6115

### THE SPA AT THE JEFFERSON

Massages, facials and treatments that use herbs and botanicals grown in Monticello's gardens plus vinotherapy that reflect Thomas Jefferson's passion for wine. Daily 9 am-8 pm. 1200 16th St. NW, 202.448.3270 Metro: Farragut North

### SPA AT THE MANDARIN ORIENTAL

Silk-draped walls, hot and cold plunge pools and minimalist Asian decor. Ayurvedic massages, sesame body scrubs, facials. Daily 9 am-9 pm. 1330 Maryland Ave. SW, 202.787.6100

### TUSUVA BODY AND SKIN CARE

Standard massages plus reiki, craniosacral, Reflexology. Twenty-four-karat-gold facial topping list of luxurious complexion treatments, including microdermabrasion, and glycolic and salicylic peels. M-F 11 am-8 pm, Sa-Su 0 am-6:30 pm. 2701 Ontario Road NW, 202.299.9005

## YOGA & MEDITATION

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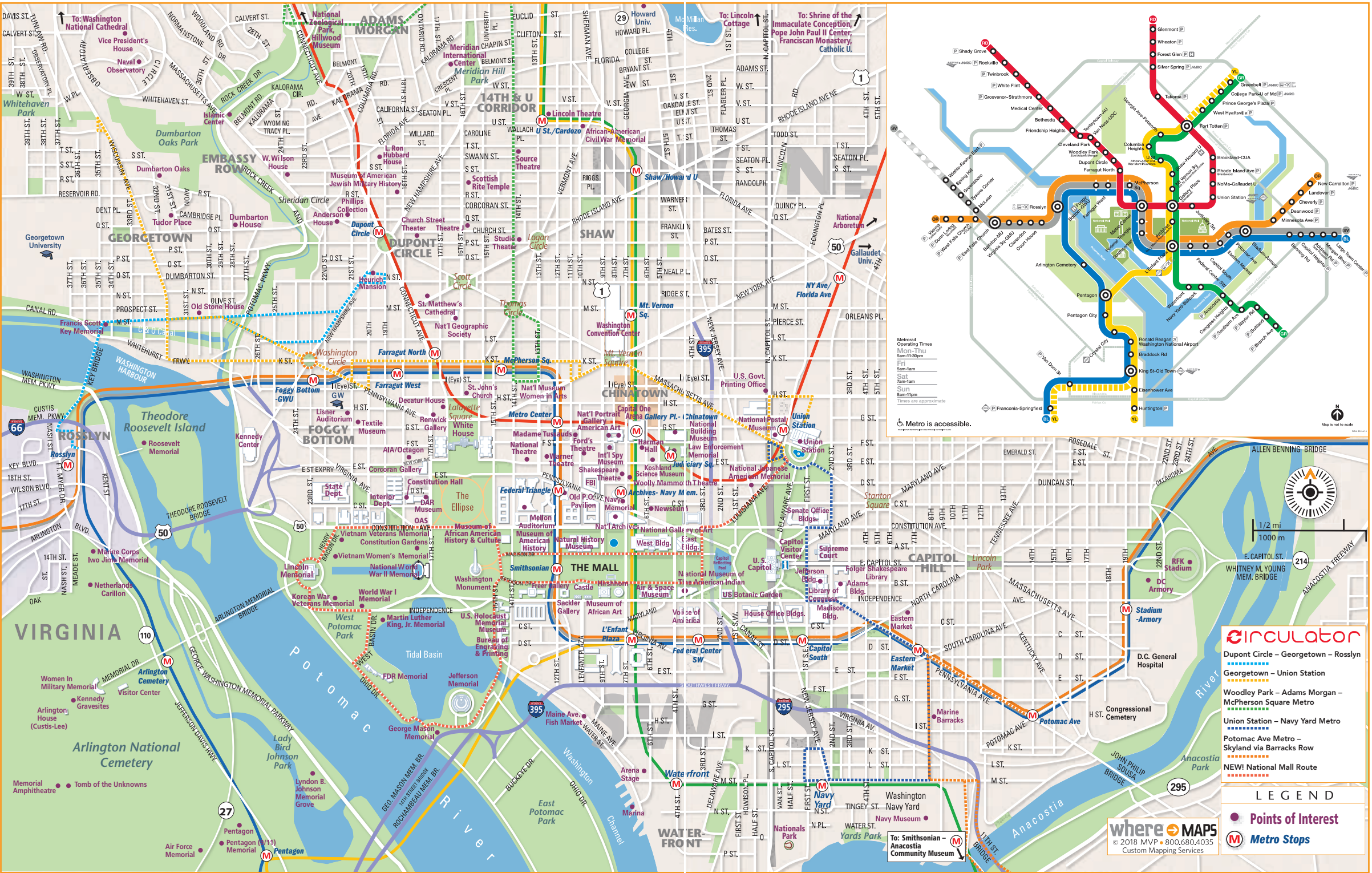
Modern space for meditation (guided, self) and power napping. Drop-in and membership-based classes ranging from 35 to 45 minutes, plus an hour-long "sound immersion" session. One-on-ones available. Drop-in meditation \$18, power nap \$9. 1445 New York Ave. NW #130, 202.347.4595 McPherson Sq; 6430 Rockledge Drive, Suite 400, 301.881.9464

### TAKE 5 MEDITATION

D.C.'s first meditation-only studio offering drop-in and membership-based classes ranging from 30 to 45 minutes, plus 75-minute Mindfulness Games session. Drop-in \$20-\$30. 1803 Connecticut Ave. NW, 2nd Floor, 202.588.5198 Metro: Dupont Circle (North, about four blocks)

### YOGA DISTRICT

An eco-friendly, community-run nonprofit with seven studios (see all on the website) and a wide selection of classes, from flow and restorative to Ashtanga and yoga-lates. Drop-in class \$11.35, mat rental \$2. 1635 Connecticut Ave. NW, Metro: Dupont Circle (North); 1910 14th St. NW; 2201 Wisconsin Ave. NW





WHERE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

# THE FIX

*We're addicted to strollin'*



■ This month, we're tooling around town. Here are a few of our favorite places to go for a walk.

For more great places to **walk** in the city, visit [wheretraveler.com](http://wheretraveler.com)

## Capitol Hill

Colorful row houses and mature trees line the leafy neighborhood located in the shadow of the Capitol Building, offering a lovely setting for ambling. The area around Eastern Market and Barracks Row makes for great people-watching to boot.

## C&O Canal

The historic waterway winds through Maryland, D.C. and Virginia. In the District, the Georgetown portion is particularly popular with locals, who enjoy strolling and jogging along the banks.

## Congressional Cemetery

A cemetery may not be top of mind for a leisurely walk, but this historic site counts among its residents patriotic composer John Philip Sousa, FBI director J. Edgar Hoover and colorful D.C. mayor Marion Barry. A downloadable self-guided tour map reveals the lives of these famous personalities.

## Constitutional Gardens

Nestled among the monuments and memorials on the National Mall, this park (above) was dedicated in

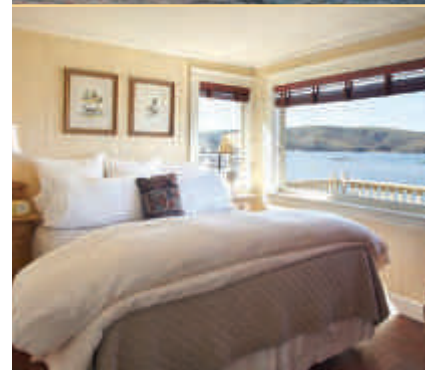
1976 and includes a little-known memorial to the 56 signers of the Declaration of Independence. In 1986, then-President Ronald Reagan officially proclaimed the gardens a living tribute to the U.S. Constitution.

## Mount Vernon Trail

This 18-mile-long pathway stretching from George Washington's riverside estate to Theodore Roosevelt Island offers a view of D.C. from the other side of the Potomac. Walk along the river and snap pics of iconic sights including the Washington Monument.

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