



## Neighborhood Guide: Ballantyne

Ballantyne is a great neighborhood in South Charlotte. It has everything you need within a few minutes: grocery, banking, entertainment, spas and golf! Ballantyne sits on what used to be the Morrison Hunting preserve and still maintains beautiful landscapes with wooded areas. Subdivisions in Ballantyne are filled with beautifully crafted homes. And Ballantyne is just a short 15 miles drive from the action of uptown Charlotte.

### Everything within a few miles

Ballantyne is a family-friendly neighborhood. There are plenty of shopping complexes nearby to get all of your errands done plus enjoy a night out without having to drive very far. Each shopping complex has its own unique flair.

#### Ballantyne Commons.

Here you find a **Harris Teeter** for grocery shopping, a **UPS store** for shipping, and a **Rite Aid** to get your prescriptions filled. You can stop in at **McAllister's** for lunch or **Zapata's Mexican Restaurant** for a nice date night. There are over 25 businesses in this complex which can make it a one stop shop.

**Ballantyne Village.** 14825 Ballantyne Village Way. <https://ballantynevillage.com/>

Here you will find unique boutiques, a movie theater, and an **ABC store**. Distinguished by the red-lit crown, Ballantyne Village has a great atmosphere for a date night. **The Regal Ballantyne Village Stadium 5** shows discerning art house films and also serves alcohol and food during the movie. There is live music almost every weekend at one of the fine restaurants, like **Terrace Café** or **Villa Antonios**. And it is the perfect place to find a great gift from its many specialty shops. There's a spa from men and women. And a variety of lunch spots like **Panera Bread** and **Moe's Southwest Grill**.

### Rest and Relaxation

The [Ballantyne Hotel](#) is great for visitors, but is also a wonderful place of retreat for locals. The Spa is luxury at its finest and features salon services as well as spa services. The Golf course is a public, championship PGA course that is open year-round. Ballantyne Hotel is a wonderful escape from the everyday and can be a nice little pick me up.

### Restaurants and Bars

**Stone Mountain Grill.** 15715 Brixham Hill Ave. 980-207-2326. <http://stonemountaingrill.com/>

The Stone Mountain Grill welcomes you into a warm, mountain lodge retreat feel. With tastes that can make everyone happy, it is the place to be! They have a patio with a large fireplace, multiple TV screens, and a great environment to relax.

**OGGI.** 16646 Hawfield Way Dr. 704-716-9400. <http://www.oggicharlotte.com/>

OGGI is a great place for date night! With its modern day Italian focused flavors, their food presentation is anything but dull. Book a table today to experience beautifully crafted cuisine!

**Duckworth's Grill and Taphouse.** 14015 Conlan Cir. 704-752-7284. <http://duckworths.com/>

Do you love draft beer? At Duckworth's Grill and Taphouse, they are redefining the casual dining experience. You can become a member of their "Beer Club" and start receiving points. They have over 80 beers on tap, 5 different locations to visit, and amazing taste to keep you coming back!

## **Schools, Parks and Churches**

[Ballantyne Elementary School](#) is rated amongst the best in Charlotte. It has an above average educational climate and a medium to high technology availability. Ballantyne Corporate Park was designed with green space in mind and welcomes tenants and visitors to enjoy them. There are places for picnics and walking trails. Elon Park is also close by and features a pond and playground. There are also plenty of churches within the neighborhood that really get involved in the local community. Ballantyne is a great neighborhood that is family-oriented, discerning, and has a plethora of dining and entertainment options. Check out the Ballantyne Magazine for more up to date information on the neighborhood.

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