

## Neighborhood Guide: Plaza Midwood

Whether you're moving across town to a new neighborhood in Charlotte, or new to the city, you will want to get to know about our great neighborhoods and the restaurants, retail stores and services they offer. Each neighborhood is unique in its own way. Here is a quick reference

guide to the Plaza Midwood section of Charlotte.

## Plaza Midwood

Plaza Midwood is a great neighborhood for walking. Besides all the locally-owned stores, you will also find places to get all your errands done. The grocery store, **Harris Teeter**, is located at the corner of The Plaza and Central Ave. A **Wells Fargo** bank is across the street and so is a **Post Office**. There is also **Sherwin Williams** paint store near Pecan Ave on Gordon St. For more information on the neighborhood, check out the Plaza Midwood website.

Plaza Midwood is known for its locally owned restaurants, bars and specialty shops. If you have just moved to Plaza Midwood or are just thinking about it, here is a guide to the best places in the neighborhood for food and specialty shops.

## **Restaurants and Bars**

The Diamond. 1901 Commonwealth Ave. 704-375-8959. http://diamondcharlotte.com/

Best fried pickles in town. Not your typical greasy spoon. Great atmosphere, quick service and good people.

Thomas St Tavern. 1218 Thomas Ave. 704-376-1622.

Featured in Esquire Magazine. Voted one of the best 100 bars in America. This bar has great drinks, pool table, ping pong and great outside patio. There cheese fries are great!

Soul Gastrolounge. 1500 Central Ave Upstairs.704-348-1848. https://www.soulgastrolounge.com/

Voted one of the 10 best restaurants in Charlotte by Zagat. Soul features tapas, which are small plates of incredible food. They also have great sushi and cocktails.

Midwood Smokehouse. 1401 Central Ave. 704-295-4227. https://midwoodsmokehouse.com/

With its "Texas-style" barbeque joint feel, Midwood Smokehouse is known as one of the best barbeque places in Charlotte. With five locations in Charlotte, Huntersville, and Columbia, it is a must visit to get your BBQ fix!

Peculiar Rabbit. 1212 Pecan Ave. 704-333-9197. https://therabbitspot.com/

Three places in one! The Rabbit Hole, Jackalope Jacks Sports Bar and The Peculiar Rabbit is Charlotte's #1 spot to be. They host dancing, live bands, and comedy at The Rabbit Hole, fine dining at The Peculiar Rabbit, and all sporting events and trivia at Jackalope Jacks! The Peculiar Rabbit also has some of the best views Charlotte has to offer!

## **Specialty Shops**

Slate Interiors. 1401 Central Ave. 704-930-7890. <a href="https://shopslateinteriors.com/">https://shopslateinteriors.com/</a>

Slate Interiors features unique furniture, lighting and accessories for your home. They display items from local artists and designers.

Common Market. 2007 Commonwealth Ave. 704-334-6209. http://commonmarketisgood.com/

Common Market sells specialty wines and beers. They also have a great deli for sandwiches and soups. But it is also great place to hang out.

Eco-licious. 1916 Commonwealth Ave. 704-966-7030. http://www.eco-licious.com/

Eco-licious features vegetarian and vegan food, and cruelty free home products. It is also a great gift shop with locally handmade dolls, bags, accessories, and furniture.

Boris + Natasha. 1214 Thomas Ave. 704-375-0079.

Boris + Natasha is a clothing boutique where you can find top quality designs for men and women.

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