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Widely recognized as a city with a booming tourist industry and an international theme park destination, Orlando is all that and much more for the savvy traveler. With shopping deals, boutique hotels that cater to your every whim, and restaurants catering to every taste imaginable, Orlando is just as much a city for grown-ups to come and play as it is for the children. As the city's motto goes, "Say Yes to Orlando."

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## THE CITY



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In 1857, the city of Orlando officially adopted its name. Though there are many stories about how the name Orlando was chosen, one of the most prominent explanations is that then-judge James Speer named it after a character from Shakespeare's "As You Like It."

Major events in Orlando history include 1965, when Walt Disney announced his plans to build Walt Disney World—one reason why the masses still flock to Orlando today. The other major event happened when the original airport was built in 1962.

Metro Orlando has a rapidly growing \$13.4 billion technology industry that employs 53,000 people. It is recognized nationally for the industries of digital media, aviation, software and aerospace. More than 150 international companies have facilities in Orlando.

Orlando's climate is humid and subtropical with two major seasons a year. From June to September, the weather is hot and rainy, while the dry season lasts from October through May.

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## DO & SEE



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From theme parks to natural parks on the lakes, there is much to see and experience in the greater Orlando area. Today, this city has more theme parks and entertainment attractions than anywhere else in the world. Add these selections to your itinerary!

### The Magic Kingdom

This is where all the magic happens! The Magic Kingdom—one of four theme parks in the Walt Disney World family—is the home of the Cinderella Castle. Designed like a giant wheel, the paths of the spokes lead to the seven different themed areas: Main Street USA, Tomorrowland, Mickey's Toontown Fair, Fantasyland, Liberty Square, Frontierland, and Adventureland. See your favorite Disney characters, attractions, and behind-the-scenes tours. It is best to go in the off-season.

Address: 1180 Seven Seas Drive, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830  
Phone: +1 407 939 5277  
Tickets: (Example) Disney 4-Day Ticket: \$149 + tax/day  
Internet: [www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/parks/magic-kingdom](http://www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/parks/magic-kingdom)  
More Info: Park hours vary by month and season. Be sure to review this month's calendar at: [www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/calendars/magic-kingdom/2014-02-16/#timeofday=allday](http://www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/calendars/magic-kingdom/2014-02-16/#timeofday=allday).

### Orlando Science Museum and Dr. Phillips Cinedome

When theme parks just won't do, check out the educational yet fun alternative: The Orlando Science Center. This huge 5-story building is chock full of exhibits and activities on each level. Don't miss the Dr. Phillips Cinedome, which is an 8-story mega-screen theatre. The

OSC also has a planetarium on the top floor that opens every Friday and Saturday night. The fun Adventures with Clifford exhibit allows children to learn valuable life lessons while everyone's favorite red dog teaches. Also at OSC is the Blue Man Group exhibit, which explores the science of sound waves!

Address: 777 East Princeton Street, Orlando, FL 32803  
Opening hours: Sunday - Tuesday, Thursday - Saturday: 10am - 5pm  
Phone: +1 407 514 2000  
Tickets: (General Admission) Adult: \$19.00; Youth 3-11: \$13.00; Senior 55-Up: \$17.00 ; Student With ID: \$17.00; 2 and under: FREE.  
Internet: [www.osc.org](http://www.osc.org)  
Email: [gservices@osc.org](mailto:gservices@osc.org)

### Sea World

If the aquatic life is for you, Sea World is a fun day in the sun. The famous whale Shamu does multiple shows a day that children and adults both enjoy. Other shows to see include the Dolphin Horizons show and Clyde & Seamore. Visitors can feed dolphins and stingrays if they are brave enough! Try the Underwater Grill at the Shark Encounter for a good, sit-down meal. Don't leave the park early—the last ten minutes before closing every night is a fireworks show.

Address: 7007 Sea World Drive, Orlando, FL 32821  
Phone: +1 888 800 5447  
Tickets: Buy tickets and passes through: [www.seaworldparks.com/en/seaworld-orlando/book-online/buy-tickets-and-passes/?from=Top\\_Nav](http://www.seaworldparks.com/en/seaworld-orlando/book-online/buy-tickets-and-passes/?from=Top_Nav).  
Internet: [www.seaworld.com](http://www.seaworld.com)  
More Info: Park hours and show schedules may be found at: [www.seaworldparks.com/en/seaworld-orlando/park-info/park-hours/?from=Top\\_Nav](http://www.seaworldparks.com/en/seaworld-orlando/park-info/park-hours/?from=Top_Nav).

### Winter Park

Winter Park is a suburb just outside of Orlando and if traveling time permits, it is certainly worth spending a day there. With 26 beautiful public parks, many lakes, and with the downtown shopping and dining, this quaint little town will win you over with its romance and charm. Many people marry and hold special events in this sophisticated city. Winter Park is also home to Rollins College and four different theaters.

Address: 401 South Park Avenue, Winter Park, FL 32789  
Phone: +1 407 599 3399  
Internet: [www.cityofwinterpark.org](http://www.cityofwinterpark.org)

### Universal's Islands of Adventure

True thrills only live at one place: Universal's Islands of Adventure. Pick up your wand from "Ollivanders" and cast spells with "The Wizarding World of Harry Potter," where magic glitters on every corner, shop, and ride. Next, swing into action and join "Spider-Man" in his timeless battles against familiar foes on "Marvel Super Hero Island." But it doesn't end there—you can enjoy rides and adventures with the likes of "Toon Lagoon," the fearsome dinosaurs of "The Lost Continent," and the whimsical world of Dr. Seuss!

Address: 6000 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Daily: 9am - Closing  
Phone: +1 407 363 8000  
Internet:  
[www.universalorlando.com/Theme-Parks/Islands-of-Adventure.aspx](http://www.universalorlando.com/Theme-Parks/Islands-of-Adventure.aspx)  
More Info: Purchase tickets through:  
[www.universalorlando.com/Theme-Park-Tickets/General-Admission.aspx](http://www.universalorlando.com/Theme-Park-Tickets/General-Admission.aspx)

### ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex

220 acres of pure, sporting adrenaline awaits visitors at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex. The complex's facilities are all professionally managed and maintained, hosting thousands of athletic events each year and over 60 sports. You can catch games or training sessions of your favorites teams, or even join in the excitement. Located on the Walt Disney World Resort.

Address: 700 South Victory Way, Kissimmee, FL 34747  
Phone: +1 407 939 5277  
Internet: [espnwwos.disney.go.com](http://espnwwos.disney.go.com)  
More Info: Find a listing of upcoming events at:  
[www.espnwwos.disney.go.com/events/find](http://www.espnwwos.disney.go.com/events/find)

### Ritz Carlton Golf Club

Golf comes standard in Orlando, with the Ritz Carlton Golf Club certainly raising the bar. Designed by golf legend Greg Norman, the course at Grande Lakes has a diverse array of greens and hazards to challenge and improve your game. The ambiance is unparalleled and the experience

cannot be duplicated. Family golf is available: children and adolescents up to age 17 can play for free with each paid adult round.

Address: 4012 Central Florida Parkway, Orlando, FL 32837  
Phone: +1 407 206 2400  
Internet: [www.ritzcarlton.com/en/Properties/Orlando/Golf/Default.htm](http://www.ritzcarlton.com/en/Properties/Orlando/Golf/Default.htm)  
More Info: Reserve tee times online or call +1 407 393 4900.

### Epcot

Residing in the Walt Disney World Resort Area is the famed Epcot Center. As a beautiful feat of architecture, the Epcot has two features. Future World is a dedication to the innovative and progressive efforts of the human spirit. The World Showcase is a melting pot of culture and foods from across the United States, the United Kingdom, Canada, Mexico, China, Germany, Italy, Japan, France, Morocco, and Norway. Spanning 300 acres in total, Epcot is a must see for Orlando visitors.

Address: 200 Epcot Center Drive, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32821  
Phone: +1 407 824 4321  
Tickets: (Example) Disney Resort reservations: \$90.00/night  
Internet: [www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/destinations/epcot](http://www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/destinations/epcot)  
More Info: Epcot hours vary by month and season. Be sure to review this month's calendar at: [www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/calendars](http://www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/calendars).

### Lego Imagination Center

A horizon of creativity covers the Lego Imagination Center, providing fun and entertainment for all ages. Colorful, otherworldly landscapes line the 4,000-square-foot center, so there's plenty of room for the whole family!

Address: Marketplace Boat Dock, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830  
Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 9:30am - 11pm. Friday - Saturday: 9:30am - 11:30pm.  
Phone: +1 407 828 0065  
Internet: [stores.lego.com/en-us/stores/us/orlando](http://stores.lego.com/en-us/stores/us/orlando)

### John F. Kennedy Space Center

For decades, space has been our final frontier. The Kennedy Space Center is dedicated entirely to expanding our scientific knowledge and the borders of our galaxy. Serving as the gateway for American space exploration

since 1968, the Center is open for your exploration as well. Come be apart of past, present and future history.

Address: Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex, SR 405, Kennedy Space Center, FL 32899

Phone: +1 321 867 5000

Tickets: Passport holders: \$5 off regular adult and child admission, 10% off Lunch With an Astronaut and 10% off merchandise.

Internet: [www.nasa.gov/centers/kennedy/home/index.html](http://www.nasa.gov/centers/kennedy/home/index.html)

More Info: Information about touring the Kennedy Space Center can be found through: [www.visitnasa.com](http://www.visitnasa.com).

### **Typhoon Lagoon**

Take a break from the rides and soak up the sun and fun at the Typhoon Lagoon water park. Snorkling, sunbathing, swimming, and the Mount Mayday wave pool are all waiting! Bring your towels and head to the Lagoon.

Address: 1145 Buena Vista Drive, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830

Phone: +1 407 939 5277

Tickets: (Example) 1-day Ticket: \$53.00

Internet: [www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/destinations/typhoon-lagoon](http://www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/destinations/typhoon-lagoon)

More Info: Waterpark hours vary by month and season. Be sure to review this month's calender at: [www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/calendars/typhoon-lagoon/2014-02-16/#timeofday=allday](http://www.disneyworld.disney.go.com/calendars/typhoon-lagoon/2014-02-16/#timeofday=allday).

### **Orlando Grand Prix**

Orlando gives visitors a chance to burn rubber like the pros at the Grand Prix tracks. You can get speeds up to 50 mph on the electric Italian Pro-Karts, or opt to grapple with your reflexes in the off-camber corners. The two tracks can be rented by the hour and even hosts group events.

Address: 9550 Parksouth Court #400, Orlando, FL 3283

Opening hours: Sunay - Thursday: 11am - 12am. Friday - Saturday: 11am - 1am.

Phone: +1 407 434 7500

Internet: [www.orlandogp.com](http://www.orlandogp.com)

Email: [Info@orlandogp.com](mailto:Info@orlandogp.com)

More Info: Ticket prices and schedules are available at: [www.orlandogp.com/pricing-specials.aspx](http://www.orlandogp.com/pricing-specials.aspx).

### **Hard Rock Live**

Hard Rock Live is a venue for great live concerts, all with the wonderful vista of palm trees and Orlando sunlight.

Music and comedy events are both held. The establishment suggests arriving 1 hr prior to performances due to security measures, and cameras and recording devices are not allowed.

Address: 6050 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819

Opening hours: (Restaurant) Daily: 11am - 12am

Phone: +1 407 351 5483

Tickets: Call +1 407 351 5483, or visit Ticketmaster.com.

Internet: [www.hardrock.com/live/locations/orlando](http://www.hardrock.com/live/locations/orlando)

Email: [orlando\\_sales@hardrock.com](mailto:orlando_sales@hardrock.com)

More Info: Review the schedule of upcoming events at: [www.hardrock.com/live/locations/orlando/calendar.aspx](http://www.hardrock.com/live/locations/orlando/calendar.aspx).

### **Orlando Wetlands Park**

The majestic Orlando Wetlands Park was the world's first large-scale, man-made wetland. Designed for the purpose of filtering pollutants from reclaimed water, the Park has given way to an impressive array of plants and wildlife in a "mini-everglades." Come and enjoy nature at its finest, most untouched self. Popular activities span bird-watching, nature photography, jogging, and bicycling..

Address: 25155 Wheeler Road, Christmas, FL 32709

Opening hours: February 1 - November 14: Sunrise - Sunset

Phone: +1 407 568 1706

Internet: [www.cityoforlando.net/public\\_works/wetlands/index.htm](http://www.cityoforlando.net/public_works/wetlands/index.htm)

### **Harry P. Leu Gardens**

The Harry P. Leu Gardens was founded in 1961 following the donation of its historical home and gardens to the City of Orlando. Now visitors are given an opportunity to explore the 50 acres of pure, natural bliss. Stroll along paths that lead to over 40 plant collections, including a butterfly garden and Florida's largest rose garden.

Address: 1920 North Forest Avenue, Orlando, FL 32803

Opening hours: Daily: 9am - 5pm

Phone: +1 407 246 2620

Tickets: Adult: \$10. Child (Grades k-12): \$3.

Internet: [www.leugardens.org](http://www.leugardens.org)

Email: [Robert.Bowden@cityoforlando.net](mailto:Robert.Bowden@cityoforlando.net)

## DINING



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Since Orlando is one of the best service-industry cities in the world, the restaurants and cuisine choices will not disappoint. The real problem will be choosing where to dine. From fine to casual, choose from a selection below.

### Victoria & Albert's

This 5-star special occasion restaurant offers a once-in-lifetime dining experience from inside Disney's Grand Floridian Resort. Dinner is 7-course and will take up to 3 hours to savor. Expect to be catered to every single minute of these 3 hours! Also, best enjoyed without the little ones. Each course is served with wine pairings. Make reservations at least 3 months in advance.

Address: 4401 Disney's Grand Floridian, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830  
Opening hours: (September - June): Daily: 5:45pm - 6:30pm, 9pm - 9:45pm. 2 dinner seatings daily Sept-June 5:45-6:30pm and 9-9:45pm; (July - August) Daily: 6:45pm - 8pm.  
Phone: +1 407 939 3463  
Internet: [www.victoria-alberts.com](http://www.victoria-alberts.com)  
More Info: Men must wear dinner jackets with dress pants or slacks and shoes. Ties are optional. Women may wear a cocktail dress, nice dress, dressy pant suit or a skirt with a blouse.

### Hemingway's

This restaurant, hidden behind the Hyatt Grand Cypress hotel, is a love letter to the author with photographs and fishing trophies everywhere you look. The décor is quintessential Key West with hurricane lamps, smaller intimate rooms, and a wooden deck that overlooks a waterfall. Must-tries include the blackened Mahi Mahi, beer-battered coconut shrimp, and lobster-crusted sea

bass. Skip the wine and have a Papa Dobles, a rum delight true to Hemingway's original recipe.

Address: 1 Grand Cypress Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32836  
Opening hours: Daily: 6pm - 10pm  
Phone: +1 407 239 3854  
Internet: [www.grandcypress.hyatt.com/en/hotel/dining/Hemingways.html](http://www.grandcypress.hyatt.com/en/hotel/dining/Hemingways.html)  
Email: [lindsay.taylor@hyatt.com](mailto:lindsay.taylor@hyatt.com)  
More Info: Attire is resort casual.

### Emeril's Orlando

Emeril's menu reflects the celebrity chef perfectly influenced by Cajun and Creole cuisine and always creative. Expect the unexpected like crabmeat strudel and lobster cheesecake. The wine cellar has more than 12,000 selections. Make a reservation in advance and keep in mind that jackets are required.

Address: 6000 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 5pm - 10pm. Friday - Saturday: 5pm - 10:30pm.  
Phone: +1 407 224 2424  
Internet: [www.emerilsrestaurants.com/emerils-orlando](http://www.emerilsrestaurants.com/emerils-orlando)  
More Info: Universal Studios Escape's CityWalk

### Café Tu Tu Tango

This arty spot offers international cuisine in small appetizer portions so you can enjoy a variety of tastes. The fire-eating belly dancers, artists painting in various rooms, hoola-hoop girl, and tarot card reader add to the funky and spontaneous vibe. Café Tu Tu Tango is close to many big hotels and easily accessible.

Address: 8625 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Sunday, Monday, Wednesday & Thursday: 11:30am - 11pm. Tuesday, Friday & Saturday: 11:30am - 12am.  
Phone: +1 407 248 2222  
Internet: [www.cafetututango.com](http://www.cafetututango.com)

### Texas de Brasil

Gauchos travel table to table delivering delicious meats on skewers. Turn your table card to green if you want to continue to be served. The amount of meat and the salad bar is unlimited, and the service is impeccable. Plan to

spend a few hours basking in all the attentiveness.

Address: 5259 International Drive, Suite F-1, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 5pm - 10pm. Friday: 5pm - 10:30pm.  
Saturday: 4pm - 10:30pm. Sunday: 4pm - 9:30pm.  
Phone: +1 407 355 0355  
Internet: [www.texasdebrazil.com/Orlando](http://www.texasdebrazil.com/Orlando)  
More Info: Hours of operation and pricing may vary by location on holidays.

### Seasons 52

Healthy, fresh and delectable food is the cornerstone of the Seasons 52 menu. Highlights include the smoked salmon flatbread, pork medallions, and shrimp risotto. Professional wait staff are good at wine pairings and don't miss the tiny dessert bites for a little guiltless fun.

Address: 7700 Sand Lake Road, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 4pm - 10pm. Friday: 4pm - 11pm.  
Saturday - Sunday: 11:30am - 11pm.  
Phone: +1 407 354 5212  
Internet: [www.seasons52.com](http://www.seasons52.com)

### Yellow Dog Eats

This old country store converted to a restaurant yells fun the minute you enter, decorated with dog pictures and their owners everywhere. Try sandwiches like the Johnny Rocket or the Puppy Love. Chef Fish is known for making a legendary pulled pork sandwich. Though this restaurant is a little out of the way, it is completely worth the drive.

Address: 1236 Hempel Avenue, Windermere, FL 34786  
Opening hours: Daily: 11am - 9pm  
Phone: +1 407 296 0609  
Internet: [www.yellowdogeats.com](http://www.yellowdogeats.com)  
Email: [yellowdogeats@gmail.com](mailto:yellowdogeats@gmail.com)

### Jimmy Buffett's Margaritaville

Following in the carefree attitude of its namesake, Margaritaville is a swift escape from the pavement and bustle of modern life. The cuisine is island-inspired and the drinks are delightfully tropical. Live music accompanies your meal, which can be enjoyed at one of the four bars, or on the outdoor patio. Plus, the live music continues into the night when dancing ensues. Oh, and while island shirts

aren't required, stress is checked at the doors.

Address: 6000 Universal Boulevard, Suite 704, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 11am - 10pm. Friday - Saturday: 11am - 12am.  
Phone: +1 407 224 2155  
Internet: [www.margaritavilleorlando.com](http://www.margaritavilleorlando.com)

### Anthony's Pizza

Anthony's is Thornton Park's own family pizzeria. As a staple of family-oriented Italian cuisine in Orlando, Anthony's uses the freshest ingredients in its homemade dough and sauces. Come see what makes Anthony's pizza Orlando's best!

Address: 100 North Summerlin Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801  
Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 11am - 10pm. Friday - Saturday: 11am - 11pm.  
Phone: +1 407 648 0009  
Internet: [www.anthonypizza.com](http://www.anthonypizza.com)

### Pio Pio Restaurant

Priding itself on the "best the rotisserie chicken in Orlando," Pio Pio is a combination of Peruvian and Colombian cuisine and culture. The menu includes Latin dishes of meats, seafoods, vegetables, and delectable desserts like the Guava Cheesecake!

Address: 5752 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Sunday - Monday: 11am - 9pm. Tuesday - Saturday: 11am - 10pm.  
Phone: +1 407 248 6424  
Internet: [www.mypiopio.com](http://www.mypiopio.com)  
Email: [info@mypiopio.com](mailto:info@mypiopio.com)

### Hanamizuki Japanese Restaurant

Enjoy an authentic Japanese dining experience while in Orlando! Hanamizuki serves dishes in Kyoto tradition, gracing patrons with sushi, steaks, tempura shrimp, sukiyaki, and even Ramen noodles at lunch time. The atmosphere is soothing to ensure a peaceful experience that mirrors the cuisine.

Address: 8255 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Tuesday - Sunday: 5pm - 10:30pm



Phone: +1 407 363 7200  
Internet: [www.hanamizuki.us](http://www.hanamizuki.us)

### **Stonewood Grill & Tavern**

Found only in Florida, the Stonewood in Orlando was forged from the community to create a new and exceptional experience different from its other Floridian locations. As a grill and tavern, the restaurant serves exquisite steakhouse-quality cuts and fresh seafood. Their happy hour for fine wines and signature cocktails lasts until 7pm daily. Private dining is available by phone.

Address: 5078 Dr. Phillips Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Sunday: 4pm - 9pm. Monday - Thursday: 4pm - 10pm.  
Friday - Saturday: 4pm - 10:30pm.  
Phone: +1 407 297 8682  
Internet: [www.stonewoodgrill.com/orlando.php](http://www.stonewoodgrill.com/orlando.php)

### **Fiorenzo Italian Steakhouse**

Fiorenzo Italian Steakhouse invites guests to an authentic Italian experience while in Orlando. Interestingly, it serves in the tradition of a great American steakhouse, with an open kitchen and pizza oven. Enjoy a menu of contemporary and traditional Italian dishes, fish, premium steaks, and chops.

Address: 9801 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Daily: 6pm - 10pm  
Phone: +1 407 345 4570  
Internet: [www.orlando.regency.hyatt.com/en/hotel/dining/fiorenzo-italian-steakhouse.html?utm\\_medium=online&utm\\_campaign=z-cn-137646-cc-HRO-cp-2014-ca-Consumer-cm-Food%20and%20Beverage-ct-Online-cg-US-x&utm\\_source=Visit%20Orlando&utm\\_term=z-vs-annual%20listing-st-content-ss-fiorenzo-vt-site-xz-ps-1x1-pf-listing-pt-link-pg-desktop-pv-reservation-x&utm\\_content=z-as-1x1-af-listing-at-link-aa-reservation-x](http://www.orlando.regency.hyatt.com/en/hotel/dining/fiorenzo-italian-steakhouse.html?utm_medium=online&utm_campaign=z-cn-137646-cc-HRO-cp-2014-ca-Consumer-cm-Food%20and%20Beverage-ct-Online-cg-US-x&utm_source=Visit%20Orlando&utm_term=z-vs-annual%20listing-st-content-ss-fiorenzo-vt-site-xz-ps-1x1-pf-listing-pt-link-pg-desktop-pv-reservation-x&utm_content=z-as-1x1-af-listing-at-link-aa-reservation-x)  
Email: [Orlando.Regency.Dining@hyatt.com](mailto:Orlando.Regency.Dining@hyatt.com)

### **A Land Remembered**

Located in the Golf Clubhouse at Rosen Shingle Creek, the legendary Orlando steakhouse was named after Patrick Smith's novel showcasing Florida's historical moments and landscapes. A Land Remembered serves a rich variety of cuisine and fine wines. They also proudly serve Harris Ranch all-natural Prime Black Angus Beef.

Address: 9939 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Daily: 5:30pm - 10pm  
Phone: +1 407 996 3663  
Internet: [www.landrememberedrestaurant.com](http://www.landrememberedrestaurant.com)  
Email: [LCortes@rosenshinglecreek.com](mailto:LCortes@rosenshinglecreek.com)

## **CAFES**



*Photo: Daniel Lobo*

When only a quick bite will do, check out these cafés. From fancy to casual, they will hit the spot. Orlando offers more than just coffee and espresso!

### **Lil Anthony's**

Far better than any pizza chains, Lil Anthony's is the real deal run by New Yorkers. This has been voted the best Orlando pizza has to offer. New York Style pies, calzones, stromboli, and huge Greek salads are in store. Get your order in early at lunchtime since mobs of hungry locals take to Lil Anthony's!

Address: 425 South Avalon Park Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32828  
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11am - 10pm. Friday - Saturday: 11am - 11pm. Sunday: 12pm - 10pm.  
Phone: +1 407 737 7499  
Internet: [orlando.lilanthony.com/zgrid/proc/site/sitep.jsp](http://orlando.lilanthony.com/zgrid/proc/site/sitep.jsp)

### **Izziban Sushi**

Izziban Sushi is a big contender in the quest for the freshest and most creative sushi. With so many choices it becomes hard to order. Izziban serves up such wonders as the mango roll, Izziban roll, wasabi shumai, and cream cheese dumplings with pineapple sake. The bento boxes are also a huge hit. Located across from the Florida mall, it has the best Happy Hour deals in town. The Early bird



lunch, from 11:00-noon, is also a perfect time to go.

Address: 1700 West Sand Lake Road, Suite D124, Orlando, FL 32809  
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 11am - 10pm. Friday: 11am - 10:30pm. Saturday: 12pm - 10:30pm. Sunday: 12pm - 10pm.  
Phone: +1 407 850 5088  
Internet: [www.izzibansushi.com](http://www.izzibansushi.com)  
Email: [info@izzibansushi.com](mailto:info@izzibansushi.com)

### **Royal Thai Restaurant**

This unassuming little restaurant serves up excellent Thai. Those who are "in-the-know" frequent Royal Thai. Along with the cucumber salad, other favorites include the jasmine rice, Wonton soup Thai-style, Chicken Satay, Yellow Curry, and Cashew Chicken.

Address: 1202 North Semoran Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32807  
Opening hours: (Lunch) Tuesday - Friday: 11:30am - 3pm. Saturday - Sunday: 12pm - 3pm.  
Phone: +1 407 275 0776  
Internet: [www.royalthai-orlando.com](http://www.royalthai-orlando.com)

### **Infusion Tea**

Infusion Tea is an organic tea café and an extremely popular one, at that. They have a wide variety of different teas and a menu full of tasty food. The atmosphere is inviting and well suited for a casual lunch as well as a business meeting.

Address: 1600 Edgewater Drive, Orlando, FL 32804  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 9am - 9pm. Sunday: 12pm - 6pm.  
Phone: +1 407 999 5255  
Internet: [www.infusionorlando.com](http://www.infusionorlando.com)

### **White Wolf Café**

The White Wolf Café was originally owned after the owner's beloved white German shepherd. When the café first opened, he would greet people at the door. The area in which this place is located has many unique boutiques that emphasizes the true colorful soul of Orlando.

Address: 1829 North Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32804  
Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 8am - 9pm. Friday - Saturday: 8am - 10pm. Sunday: 8am - 3pm.  
Phone: +1 407 895 9911

Internet: [www.whitewolfcafe.com](http://www.whitewolfcafe.com)  
Email: [info@whitewolfcafe.com](mailto:info@whitewolfcafe.com)

### **The Boheme**

Residing within the luxurious Grand Bohemian Hotel is The Boheme. It seems to have its own energy entirely, with an ambiance that reads like an old friendship rather than simply a restaurant. The Imperial Grand Bösendorfer Piano adds a touch of timeless class in accompaniment to their diverse cuisine. Slip into the Bösendorfer Lounge to indulge in your choice of wine and treat yourself to the essentials of a good time.

Address: 325 South Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801  
Phone: +1 407 313 9000  
Internet: [www.grandbohemian.com/dining/restaurant](http://www.grandbohemian.com/dining/restaurant)  
More Info: Hours vary according to breakfast, lunch, dinner, and brunch.  
For more information, see:  
[www.grandbohemian.com/dining/hours-directions](http://www.grandbohemian.com/dining/hours-directions).

### **Le Cafe de Paris**

Coffee runs through the veins of French owners Claude and Chantal, who brought their roasting expertise to Orlando when they established Le Cafe de Paris. Now visitors and locals are invited to partake in Claude's signature blend of coffee, the homemade gelato, assortment of French pastries, and always fresh French sandwiches and salads. The venue is quiet and cozy and reminiscent of their beautiful Fleury village, especially when Claude and Chantal extend you a friendly "Bienvenue!"

Address: 5078 Dr. Phillips Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 8am - 8pm. Saturday: 9am - 8pm.  
Phone: +1 407 293 2326  
Internet: [www.cafedeparisorlando.com](http://www.cafedeparisorlando.com)  
Email: [contactus@cafedeparisorlando.com](mailto:contactus@cafedeparisorlando.com)

### **Jellyrolls**

Dueling pianos are signature to Jellyrolls bar, drawing people who want to kick back and relax for a night of good times and good music. The piano bar is all-request and 100% sing-a-long. Come request your favorites and get ready to become a part of the musical cascade! The

establishment is now non-smoking, moreover.

Address: 2101 North EPCOT Resorts Boulevard, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830

Opening hours: Daily: 7pm - Closing

Phone: +1 407 560 8770

Internet: [www.jellyrolls.us](http://www.jellyrolls.us)

Email: [jellyrollsg82ns@gmail.com](mailto:jellyrollsg82ns@gmail.com)

More Info: Show schedules may be found at:

[www.facebook.com/jellyrollswdw](http://www.facebook.com/jellyrollswdw).

### **Pom Pom Tea**

Namaste! Owned and founded by Chef Pom

Moongauklang, this eclectic teahouse offers a selection of teas, coffees, gourmet sandwiches, and salads. Tantalizing artwork adorns the walls, and the energy is warm and charmingly meditative. So take a seat on the friendly sofa and enjoy!

Address: 67 North Bumby Avenue, Orlando, FL 32803

Opening hours: Monday - Wednesday: 11am - 10pm. Thursday: 11am - 5am. Friday: 11am - 11:59pm. Saturday: 12am - 11:59pm. Sunday: 12am - 6pm.

Phone: +1 407 894 0865

Internet: [www.pompomsteahouse.com](http://www.pompomsteahouse.com)

Email: [info@pompomsteahouse.com](mailto:info@pompomsteahouse.com)

### **Java Lava Coffee Shop**

Java Lava expanded its original identity as a coffee house to become one of Orlando's favorite cafes for breakfast and gourmet lunch. Takeout and delivery is available, and group events can be scheduled.

Address: 47 East Robinson Street, Suite 100, Orlando, FL 32801

Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 7:30am - 3pm

Phone: +1 407 770 1888

Internet: [www.javalavacoffeshops.com](http://www.javalavacoffeshops.com)

Email: [info@javalavaonline.com](mailto:info@javalavaonline.com)

### **Drunken Monkey Coffee Bar**

The Drunken Monkey (caffeinated monkey more so) is Orlando's own college-town-esque coffeehouse. They only serve top shelf coffee that is fair trade and organic or rain forest alliance grown, and it's roasted and brewed in house. Breakfast and lunch dishes are served all day, and

the Anzac cookies are a local favorite!

Address: 444 North Bumby Avenue, Orlando, FL 32803

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 7am - 10pm. Friday: 7am - 11pm.

Saturday: 8am - 11pm. Sunday: 9am - 10pm.

Phone: +1 407 893 4994

Internet: [www.drunkenmonkeycoffee.com](http://www.drunkenmonkeycoffee.com)

Email: [DrunkenMonkeyCoffee@gmail.com](mailto:DrunkenMonkeyCoffee@gmail.com)

### **Achilles' Art Cafe**

Vibrant greens and reds, warm wooded accenting, and an fun menu all give Achilles' Art Cafe a unique edge over fellow Orlando cafes. Coffee, iced coffee, smoothies, beer (including German beer), and wines are available for drinks. Homemade pastries and house sandwiches are available for breakfast and lunch.

Address: 2869 Wilshire Drive Unit 103, Orlando FL, 32835

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday: 10am - 10pm. Friday: 10am - 12am.

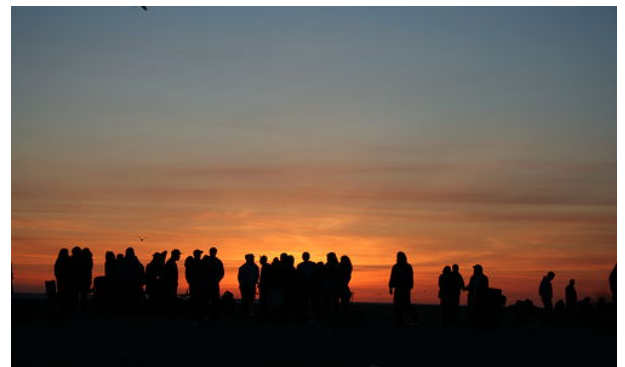
Saturday: 10am - 8pm.

Phone: +1 407 704 7860

Internet: [www.achillesartcafe.com/node/2](http://www.achillesartcafe.com/node/2)

Email: [coffeeshop103@gmail.com](mailto:coffeeshop103@gmail.com)

## **BARS & NIGHTLIFE**



*Photo: John Morgan*

The adult playground that Orlando nightlife has become could fill every night of your trip. Whatever type of music you can imagine, there is a bar or club to follow. Theme parks may be abound for children, but there are plenty of venues for adults at night!

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### **Vintage Lounge**

Vintage is filled with the 20's and early-30's crowd. With the dark wood paneling and huge chandeliers, this is a sexy and alluring bar with attentive bartenders. The VIP room is known to host NBA players as well!

Address: 114 South Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801

Opening hours: Tuesday - Thursday: 10pm - 2:30am. Friday: 7pm - 2:30am. Saturday: 9pm - 2:30am.

Phone: +1 407 649 0000

Internet: [www.vintagelounge.biz](http://www.vintagelounge.biz)

Email: [info@thevintagelounge.com](mailto:info@thevintagelounge.com)

### **The Beacham**

The Beacham is most likely Downtown Orlando's best music venue. Super star artists like Lauryn Hill, 50 Cent, and The Police have all performed here. Famous dance DJ's David Guetta, Tiesto, and Benny Benassi have also made appearances.

Address: 46 North Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801

Opening hours: Friday - Sunday: 10pm - 2:30am

Phone: +1 407 648 8363

Internet: [www.beachamorlando.com](http://www.beachamorlando.com)

Email: [info@thebeacham.com](mailto:info@thebeacham.com)

### **Latitudes**

Latitudes is a scintillating roof top bar experience in downtown Orlando! A relaxing, tropical atmosphere, wooden plank flooring, and tropical plants make Latitudes the quintessential Orlando nightlife venue. They are well known as Orlando's destination for classic alternative, Top 40, and party songs!

Address: 41 West Church Street, Orlando, FL 32801

Phone: +1 407 649 4270

Internet: [www.churchstreetbars.com](http://www.churchstreetbars.com)

Email: [info@churchstreetbars.com](mailto:info@churchstreetbars.com)

### **Chillers**

Chillers is a favorite of locals due to its consistent, quality entertainment. Since 1992 Chillers has impressed with great drinks specials and beverage lists. Take to the unique frozen daiquiri party bar. Or choose from a selection of craft beers, premium liquors, and more.

Address: 33 West Church Street, Orlando, FL 32801

Opening hours: Daily: 4:30pm - 2am

Phone: +1 407 649 4270

Internet: [www.churchstreetbars.com](http://www.churchstreetbars.com)

Email: [info@churchstreetbars.com](mailto:info@churchstreetbars.com)

### **Cowboys Orlando**

If you are searching for country music or a chance to polish up your line-dancing moves, then Cowboys Orlando is your place. Boots and bikini contests for the guys and boots and boxer contests for the girls are very popular. There are also tattoo contests and even live bull riding on special occasions.

Address: 1108 South Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando, FL 32805

Opening hours: Thursday - Saturday: 8pm - 2am

Phone: +1 407 422 7115

Internet: [www.cowboysorlando.com](http://www.cowboysorlando.com)

### **Icebar**

The name does not betray you, for this bar was quite literally made from over 50 tons of carved ice! Icebar is kept at 27 degrees to ensure that everything is chill in both temperature and ambiance. All of the lights, frozen sculptures and music would make even Antarctica proud, along with world famous drinks like the Penguin Pizz. While small children are not allowed to enter, guests ages 8-20 may enter between 7pm - 9pm.

Address: 8255 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819

Opening hours: Sunday - Thursday: 7pm - 12am. Friday - Saturday: 7pm - 2am.

Phone: +1 407 426 7555



Internet: [www.icebarorlando.com](http://www.icebarorlando.com)  
Email: [sales@icebarorlando.com](mailto:sales@icebarorlando.com)

### **The Groove**

Part of the string of clubs on the CityWalk at Universal Orlando, The Groove has multiple levels designed for hours of dancing. The club has a classic theater feel and premium sound systems and special effects. Three themed lounges and numerous bars are available for those seeking reprieve from dancing. Deejays spin away hits from the Top 40, Hip-Hop, R&B, and Top Pop Hits.

Address: 6000 Universal Boulevard, Suite 700, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Daily: 9pm - 2am  
Phone: +1 407 224 2166  
Internet: [www.universalorlando.com/Nightlife/CityWalk/The-Groove-Dance-Club.aspx](http://www.universalorlando.com/Nightlife/CityWalk/The-Groove-Dance-Club.aspx)

### **Pat O'Brien's**

Modeled after its first location in New Orleans, Pat O'Brien's in Orlando serves Cajun with a Floridian twist. It is known for several things, the first of which being the famous flaming fountain patio. Guests are encouraged to taste the specialty "Hurricane" drink on the patio or at the Main Bar, where you can watch a game from one of the local teams. The Piano Lounge adds the finishing touches with the dueling pianos and sing-a-longs.

Address: 6000 Universal Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Daily: 4pm - 2am  
Phone: +1 407 224 2102  
Internet: [www.patobriens.com/patobriens/orlando](http://www.patobriens.com/patobriens/orlando)  
Email: [patobriens@universalorlando.com](mailto:patobriens@universalorlando.com)

### **Redlight Redlight**

Redlight Redlight is Orlando's beer parlor and destination for craft beer education! There are 23 rotating draft beers, and the cask-conditioned ales are made in the 2 beer engines. The beer list overall is impressive with over 250 bottles, from vintage selections to sour beers.

Address: 2810 Corrine Drive, Orlando, FL 32803  
Opening hours: Daily: 5pm - 2am  
Phone: +1 407 893 9832  
Internet: [www.redlightredlightbeerparlour.com](http://www.redlightredlightbeerparlour.com)

Email: [redlight.redlight@gmail.com](mailto:redlight.redlight@gmail.com)

### **Murphy's Arm Pub**

Murphy's Arms Pub is British owned and operated, providing Orlando residents and visitors with an authentic pub experience. Beer pong is played every Friday, and the widescreen televisions are always aglow with games from the English Premier League, Coca-Cola Championship, Euro 2012, Champions League, and World Cup. Bucket and pitcher specials are offered daily.

Address: 6582 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Daily: 12pm - 2am  
Phone: +1 407 352 0734  
Internet: [www.murphysarmspub.com](http://www.murphysarmspub.com)  
Email: [Info@MurphysArmsPub.com](mailto:Info@MurphysArmsPub.com)

### **Fuego Cigar Lounge by Sosa Family Cigars**

Fuego's is both a cigar lounge and full-service liquor bar. Guests may choose to sit inside or outside on the patio, with a mojito or espresso and a signature cigar. The cigars are of the Sosa family's own brand; they are hand-rolled and of premium tobacco.

Address: 1590 East Buena Vista Drive, Orlando, FL 32836  
Opening hours: Daily: 11am - 2am  
Phone: +1 407 827 0091  
Internet: [www.fuegobysosacigars.com](http://www.fuegobysosacigars.com)  
Email: [info@sosacigars.com](mailto:info@sosacigars.com)

### **The Improv**

For over 40 years, The Improv comedy club has produced world comedic talents at its various national locations. Adam Sandler, Bette Midler, Robin Williams, and Jerry Seinfeld are just a few household names that had beginnings at The Improv. Now with a location in Orlando, the comedy club features local talents from Central Florida. So come for the laughs, and maybe you'll see the next big comedian!

Address: 9101 International Drive, Suite 2310, Orlando, FL 32819  
Phone: +1 407 480 5233  
Internet: [www.theimprovorlando.com](http://www.theimprovorlando.com)  
More Info: Normal show times are subject to change. Check the website for upcoming events.

## SHOPPING



Photo: John Henderson

From extreme luxury to shopping deals, carve out at least one day to practice retail therapy. Orlando has a healthy supply of outlet malls and shoppingcenters. Smaller, local boutiques are common as well.

### The Florida Mall

This popular shopping spot has all the major department stores you need: Sears, Saks, Burdines, Dillard's, Nordstrom, and JCPenney. It also has an attached hotel, the Adam's Mark, and a huge selection of restaurants including Salsa Taqueria & Tequila Bar, Buca di Beppo, and Le Jardin.

Address: 8001 South Orange Blossom, Orlando, FL 32809  
Opening hours: Saturday - Friday: 10am - 10pm. Sunday: 12pm - 8pm.  
Phone: +1 407 851 7234  
Internet: [www.simon.com/mall/the-florida-mall](http://www.simon.com/mall/the-florida-mall)  
Email: [abjornlie@simon.com](mailto:abjornlie@simon.com)

### The Mall at Millenia

This mall is the finest of the finest, only 5 miles from downtown Orlando. Gucci, Chanel, Louis Vuitton, Burberry, Dior, Tiffany & Co., and Juicy Couture are only a few of the offerings. This 1.3 million-square-foot center also includes fine department stores like Bloomingdale's, Neiman Marcus, and Macy's. After a long day of shopping, stop at The Blue Martini for a cocktail and live music.

Address: 4200 Conroy Road, Orlando, FL 32839  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm. Sunday: 11am - 7pm.  
Phone: +1 407 363 3555  
Internet: [www.mallatmillenia.com](http://www.mallatmillenia.com)

Email: [info@mallatmillenia.com](mailto:info@mallatmillenia.com)

### Orlando Premium Outlets

This upscale outlet center is among the best choices for shopping in Orlando. The beautiful outdoor mall is landscaped beautifully and lit with natural light, making the ambience feel like much more than the typical outlet mall. With 110 shops, including Coach, Kenneth Cole, Nike, Ralph Lauren, Fendi, DKNY, Banana Republic, Nautica, Hugo Boss, and Tommy Hilfiger, the center recently added a "Personal Stylist Service" package to its services for shoppers yearning for their own personal shopper.

Address: 8200 Vineland Avenue, Orlando, FL 32821  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 11pm. Sunday: 10am - 9pm.  
Phone: +1 407 238 7787  
Internet: [www.premiumoutlets.com/outlets/outlet.asp?id=17](http://www.premiumoutlets.com/outlets/outlet.asp?id=17)

### Mount Dora

About a 20-minute drive out of Orlando is the quaint, antique-heaven of a town, Mount Dora. Mount Dora has gift shops, boutiques, cafés, and art galleries. Most are also within walking distance of Lake Dora.

Address: 341 Alexander Street, Mount Dora, FL 32757  
Phone: +1 352 383 2165  
Internet: [www.mountdora.com](http://www.mountdora.com)  
Email: [chamber@mountdora.com](mailto:chamber@mountdora.com)  
More Info: Take I-4 exit 92, Hwy. 436, go west to U.S. 441, then north, and follow the signs to Mount Dora and its "business district."

### Winter Garden Village

14 miles west of downtown Orlando lies Winter Garden Village and all you're shopping needs. The Village features an array of themes: discount department stores, home improvement, restaurants, home furnishings, health & wellness, financial institutions, services, sports, electronics, apparel & accessories, and lastly miscellaneous (books, pets, etc.). After shopping, take a stroll to admire the outstanding architecture.

Address: 3251 Daniels Road, Winter Garden, FL 34787  
Phone: +1 407 477 4851  
Internet: [www.wintergardenvillage.com](http://www.wintergardenvillage.com)

Email: [cstewart@ddr.com](mailto:cstewart@ddr.com)

### Lake Buena Vista Factory Stores

Only minutes from Disney and the Lake Buena Vista Resort Village & Spa, the Factory Stores offer premium merchandise with daily savings. Convenient store front parking is a plus, and coupons are available online.

Address: 15657 State Road 535, Orlando, FL 32821  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm. Sunday: 10am - 7pm.  
Phone: +1 407 238 9301  
Internet: [www.lbvfs.com](http://www.lbvfs.com)

### Festival Bay Mall

Festival Bay is an eclectic mix of style and flair, with selections varying from Bass Pro Shops Outdoor World to Ron Jon Surf Shop. Also in store are the Cinemark 20 Theatres and glow-in-the-dark miniature golf at Putting Edge Fun Center. Be sure to refuel at restaurants like Fuddrucker's.

Address: 5250 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm. Sunday: 11am - 7pm.  
Phone: +1 407 351 7718  
Internet: [www.internationaldriveorlando.com/thingsToDo/Shopping/Festival\\_Bay\\_Mall\\_at\\_International\\_Drive/100143.html](http://www.internationaldriveorlando.com/thingsToDo/Shopping/Festival_Bay_Mall_at_International_Drive/100143.html)

### Lauren Nicole

With two Florida locations, Lauren Nicole boutique in Orlando sells both trendy looks and chic classics for young women. The prices are reasonable for top apparel, but quantities are limited. The staff is always eager to help find the perfect style for you.

Address: 426 East Central Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32801  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 11am - 8pm. Sunday: 11am - 5pm.  
Phone: +1 407 730 3836  
Internet: [www.shoplaurennicole.com](http://www.shoplaurennicole.com)  
Email: [Hello@laurennicole.com](mailto:Hello@laurennicole.com)

### St. John Outlet

It's your choice of classy apparel at its finest. Patterns range from fluorescents, to neutrals, to monochromatics, to alluring prints, all offered in vibrant colors. Get the hottest, refined styles at St. John's and make the street

your own runway.

Address: 4951 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 11pm. Sunday: 10am - 9pm.  
Phone: +1 407 352 5644  
Internet: [www.discoverstjohn.com](http://www.discoverstjohn.com)

### Altamonte Mall

In addition to a robust selection of apparel and accessory stores, Altamonte also has dining and entertainment. Eat at the Orlando Ale House or the Elephant Bar & Restaurant before heading to a movie at the AMC Theaters. The mall is incredibly child and family friendly with a child play area located in the lower level near Sears.

Address: 451 East Altamonte Drive, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm. Sunday: 12pm - 6pm.  
Phone: +1 407 830 4422  
Internet: [www.altamontemall.com](http://www.altamontemall.com)

### Zou Zou Boutique

Zou Zou Boutiques has two Orlando locations, Dellagio and Thornton Park. Both locations offer chic designer apparel and accessories for the fashion-forward female. The Dellagio location is at 7988 Via Dellagio Way Orlando Suite 100.

Address: 2 North Summerlin Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801  
Opening hours: Monday: 10am - 6pm. Tuesday - Saturday: 10am - 7pm.  
Phone: Dellagio: +1 407 601 7727; Thornton Park: +1 407 843 3373  
Internet: [www.zouzouboutique.com](http://www.zouzouboutique.com)

### Oviedo Mall

Asking visitors, "What brings you today?" the Oviedo Mall is a lux combination of shopping and entertainment. Choose from a category of stores featuring the likes of Express, Joseph A. Banks, Champ's Sporting Goods, and more. Catch a movie at the Regal Cinema and a bite to eat at Sarku Japan.

Address: 1700 Oviedo Mall Boulevard, Oviedo, FL 32765  
Opening hours: Monday - Saturday: 10am - 9pm. Sunday: 12pm - 6pm.  
Phone: +1 407 977 2400  
Internet: [www.myoviedomall.com](http://www.myoviedomall.com)  
Email: [montuoris@urbanretail.com](mailto:montuoris@urbanretail.com)



## ACCOMMODATIONS



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Address: 8545 Commodity Cr., Orlando, FL

Opening hours: Daily 9 am-9 pm

Phone: +1 877 815 4227

Internet: [www.sellmytimesharenow.com/Orlando\\_timeshare.html](http://www.sellmytimesharenow.com/Orlando_timeshare.html)

Email: [info@sellmytimesharenow.com](mailto:info@sellmytimesharenow.com)

### **Grand Beach Resort**

When vacationing as a family, accommodations should be considered with the utmost diligence. Diamond Resorts' Grand Beach in Orlando markets itself as the accommodation standard for families. It's positioned only minutes away from Orlando's premier attractions: Walt Disney World, Universal Studios, SeaWorld, and the outlet malls. Amenities include outdoor pools, a whirlpool and fun in Little Lake Bryan—where families are welcome to fish, canoe, and partake in water sports. The guestrooms provide fully-equipped kitchens and oversized baths.

Address: 8317 Lake Bryan Beach Boulevard, Orlando, FL 32821

Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 10am

Phone: +1 407 238 2500

Internet: [www.diamondresorts.com/Grand-Beach](http://www.diamondresorts.com/Grand-Beach)

Email: [GrandBeachResort@diamondresorts.com](mailto:GrandBeachResort@diamondresorts.com)

### **Grande Villas Resort**

Formerly called Cypress Pointe Grande Villas, Diamond Resorts' Grande Villas Resort placed guests within quick vicinity of Orlando's finest attractions. Find yourself merely minutes from Walt Disney World Theme Parks, Universal's Islands of Adventure, Universal Studios, and SeaWorld. Sightseeing and adventuring is sure to call for relaxation at the day's end, so enjoy the Resort's two outdoor swimming pools, spa pools, children's pool, playgrounds, and mini golf. There are 1 and 2-bedroom units from which to choose, one of which is a compact room where the bathroom is an en-suite situated off of the main bedroom.

Address: 12118 Turtle Cay Circle, Orlando, FL 32836

Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 10am

Phone: +1 407 238 2300

Internet: [www.diamondresorts.com/Grande-Villas-Resort](http://www.diamondresorts.com/Grande-Villas-Resort)

### **Bryan's Spanish Cove**

Diamond Resort's Bryan's Spanish Cove is reminiscent of Florida's original, primordial perfection. The idyllic colors and natural setting drapes guests in sunlight and simplicity. The Mediterranean-style fishing village situated around Lake Bryan makes for the ideal backdrop for your Orlando vacation. With a pool, hot tub, putting greens and mini golf, a game room, and more, Spanish Cove is a memorable stay. The resort is also accredited in the Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Florida Green Lodging program, through which Spanish Cove assists in conserving and protecting Florida's natural resources.

Address: 13875 State Road 535, Orlando, FL 32821

Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 10am

Phone: +1 407 239 4222

Internet: [www.diamondresorts.com/Bryans-Spanish-Cove-Orlando](http://www.diamondresorts.com/Bryans-Spanish-Cove-Orlando)

### **Cypress Pointe Resort**

Cypress Pointe Resort is another of Diamond Resort's luxury accommodations in Orlando. Modeled in true Floridian style, the Resort features an outdoor swimming pool, water volcano, slide, children's pools, playgrounds, and so much more. The guestrooms are 3-bedroom lockoffs and boast the following amenities: Air Conditioning, a Balcony, Patio, or Terrace, Ceiling Fans, King and Queen Beds, a Screened Porch, Sleeper Sofa, Telephone, Twin/Single Beds, Voicemail, and a Washer/Dryer. Also includes a full bath and in-room entertainment centers.

Address: 8651 Treasure Cay Lane, Orlando, FL 32836  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 10am  
Phone: +1 407 597 2700  
Internet: [www.diamondresorts.com/Cypress-Pointe-Resort](http://www.diamondresorts.com/Cypress-Pointe-Resort)

### **Hilton Orlando Lake Buena Vista**

Hilton Orlando Lake Buena Vista is located in the Walt Disney World Resort. As Hilton's only hotel with Extended Theme Park Hours, the exceptional hotel is therefore ideally situated alongside the Downtown Disney Marketplace, Downtown Disney West Side, and Cirque du Soleil. Enjoy complimentary transportation to and from Disney theme parks, a buffet breakfast or à la carte choices at Covington Mill, the 1,000-year-old style at Benihana Steakhouse and Sushi, the Rum Largo Poolside Bar and Café, as well as authentic Italian cuisine at Andiamo Italian Bistro. Watch 7 HDTVs while partaking in libations at John T's. Other highlights include the 24-hour fitness center, trails, and two outdoor pools.

Address: 1751 Hotel Plaza Boulevard, Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 11am  
Phone: +1 407 827 4000  
Internet: [www.hiltonorlandolakebuenavistahotel.com](http://www.hiltonorlandolakebuenavistahotel.com)  
Email: [ORLDW-SALESADM@hilton.com](mailto:ORLDW-SALESADM@hilton.com)

### **The Ritz-Carlton Orlando, Grande Lakes**

The Ritz's reputation is well-deserving, as its service is unparalleled. Since this resort shares the property with the JW Marriott, guests have many pools and restaurants to

choose from. Do not miss the world-class spa, which guests enter through a courtyard filled with lush flowers and foliage. Filled with the scents of lavender and eucalyptus, you can partake of the spa Jacuzzi and pool after your treatments. With spacious, well-appointed rooms and extremely cozy beds, this is luxury perfected.

Address: 4012 Central Florida Parkway, Orlando, FL 32837  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 3pm, (Check-out): 11am  
Phone: +1 407 206 2400  
Internet: [www.ritzcarlton.com/en/Properties/Orlando/Default.htm](http://www.ritzcarlton.com/en/Properties/Orlando/Default.htm)

### **Wingate by Wyndham at Orlando International Airport**

This is a great value that offers convenience and comfort. The beds are outfitted with down pillows and down comforters and the breakfast is satisfying. This is the perfect spot before a cruise out of Port Canaveral or after your flight out of Orlando. Convenient free shuttles to the airport too.

Address: 5750 Hazeltine National Drive, Orlando, FL 32822  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 11am  
Phone: +1 407 826 5258  
Internet: [www.wingateorlandoairport.com](http://www.wingateorlandoairport.com)  
Email: [gm@wingateorlandoairport.com](mailto:gm@wingateorlandoairport.com)

### **JW Marriott Orlando Grande Lakes**

The Marriott in Orlando is just that extra dose of luxury, especially when paired with the vista of palm trees, golf courses and the marble-laden interior. This truly is a family resort with amenities like the Lazy River pool complex, arcade room, bike rentals, and more. Grande Lakes Orlando also provides complimentary transportation to and from the city's main attractions for guests, to Walt Disney World, SeaWorld, and Universal Orlando. Reservations are required 24-hours in advance, so request a shuttle schedule from the concierge.

Address: 4040 Central Florida Parkway, Orlando, FL 32837  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 3pm, (Check-out): 11am  
Phone: +1 407 206 2300  
Internet: [www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/mcojw-jw-marriott-orlando-grande-lakes](http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/mcojw-jw-marriott-orlando-grande-lakes)

### Grand Bohemian Hotel

The swanky vibe of the Grand Bohemian is accomplished through the maroon lighting, burgundy accents, and mahogany woods married to edgy artwork and jazz music. This top-notch hotel is in another world from the touristy side of Orlando. The Grand Bohemian is an elegant, boutique hotel which offers world class hospitality and food. Don't miss the Jazz Brunch on Sunday.

Address: 325 South Orange Avenue, Orlando, FL 32801  
Phone: +1 407 313 9000  
Internet: [www.grandbohemianhotel.com](http://www.grandbohemianhotel.com)

### Blue Heron Beach Resort

Welcome to Orlando's own Blue Heron Beach Resort. The property has made Lake Buena Vista its haven of romantic intrigue and family-inspired amenities. Its enticing vicinity to Orlando's theme parks, golf courses, shoppingcenters, and recreational centers makes Blue Heron the perfect resort for your Orlando stay.

Address: 13428 Blue Heron Beach Drive, Orlando, FL 32821  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 11am  
Phone: +1 407 387 2200  
Internet: [www.blueheronbeachresort.com](http://www.blueheronbeachresort.com)  
Email: [labbott@pattonhospitality.com](mailto:labbott@pattonhospitality.com)

### Rosen Centre Hotel

Appearing as Orlando's own palace is the Rosen Centre Hotel. It rises 24 stories with 1334 guestrooms. The appointed rooms and suites are all in possession of textured, accented walls, modern designs, luscious furnishings, and breathtaking outlooks. The Spa at Rosen Centre offers full length body massages, body treatments, facials, and nail services. There is also a fitness center open 24 hours a day. So all that is left for you is to choose from the Hospitality, VIP, Executive or Presidential suites, and enjoy your Orlando vacation.

Address: 9840 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Phone: +1 407 996 9840  
Internet: [www.rosencentre.com](http://www.rosencentre.com)

### Floridays Resort Hotel

With much pride, the Floridays Orlando Resort was recently named a "Top 10 Resort" by USA Today—an achievement it shares alone as the only resort in Florida to have received this award. Therefore, it needs little introduction as one of the top accommodations in the city. Located near Disney, the resort features all-suite luxury guestrooms and full-service amenities. The Floridays Pool Bar and Grill is perfectly situated near the "playscape" pool, so parents can enjoy a meal and drink while having close proximity to their children. For breakfast, lunch or dinner, the Café & Marketplace—which houses a Starbucks—is the best option. Complimentary shuttle service to Disney and Universal is also available for guests.

Address: 12562 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32821  
Opening hours: Daily: (Check-in): 4pm, (Check-out): 11am  
Phone: +1 407 238 7700  
Internet: [www.floridaysresortorlando.com](http://www.floridaysresortorlando.com)  
Email: [reservations@floridaysorlando.com](mailto:reservations@floridaysorlando.com)

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### Airport

There are two main terminals, serving a number of airlines, including domestic carriers Continental, American, JetBlue, Delta, Southwest, Midwest, Frontier, Northwest, AirTran, Spirit, United and US Airways, as well as a wide variety of international carriers like Aer Lingus, AeroMexico, Air Canada, Air Jamaica, British Airways, Lufthansa and Virgin Atlantic.

Located only nine miles southeast of downtown Orlando, the airport is also within 20 miles to almost all major hotels and attractions. There are also nine rental car companies within walking distance of the main terminal.

Internet: [www.orlandoairports.net](http://www.orlandoairports.net)

### Time Zone

Orlando is in the Eastern time zone, and all times are reflected in Eastern time.

### Public Transport

LYNX is a regional bus service in central Florida including Orlando. A single ride costs \$2 and a 7-day pass is \$16.

Phone: +1 407 841 5969

Internet: [www.golynx.com](http://www.golynx.com)

### Taxi

Various taxicab options are available, including:

Star Taxi & Transportation +1 407 857 9999

Mears Transportation Group +1 407 839 1570

Taxi Express +1 407 408 9422

Orlando Taxi +1 407 736 9566

Ace Metro Cab Co +1 407 855 1111

Interplex Transportation +1 407 435 6293

Cityone Express +1 407 509 6488

Wheeler Taxi Service +1 321 662 9111

Orlando on Wheels +1 407 342 1122

### Pharmacy

There are numerous locations at CVS, Walgreens, Wal-Mart, Rite-Aid, most grocery stores, and various independent and chain store retailers.

### Electricity

110 volt

### Population

249,562

### Currency

U. S. Dollars, \$1 = 100 cents

### Opening hours

Shopping Malls and Outlets, generally: 9:30am or 10am until 9pm, daily.

### Internet

[www.orlando.org](http://www.orlando.org)

### Newspapers

Orlando Sentinel

[www.orlandosentinel.com](http://www.orlandosentinel.com)

Business Journals Orlando

[www.bizjournals.com/orlando](http://www.bizjournals.com/orlando)

### Emergency numbers

911

### Tourist information

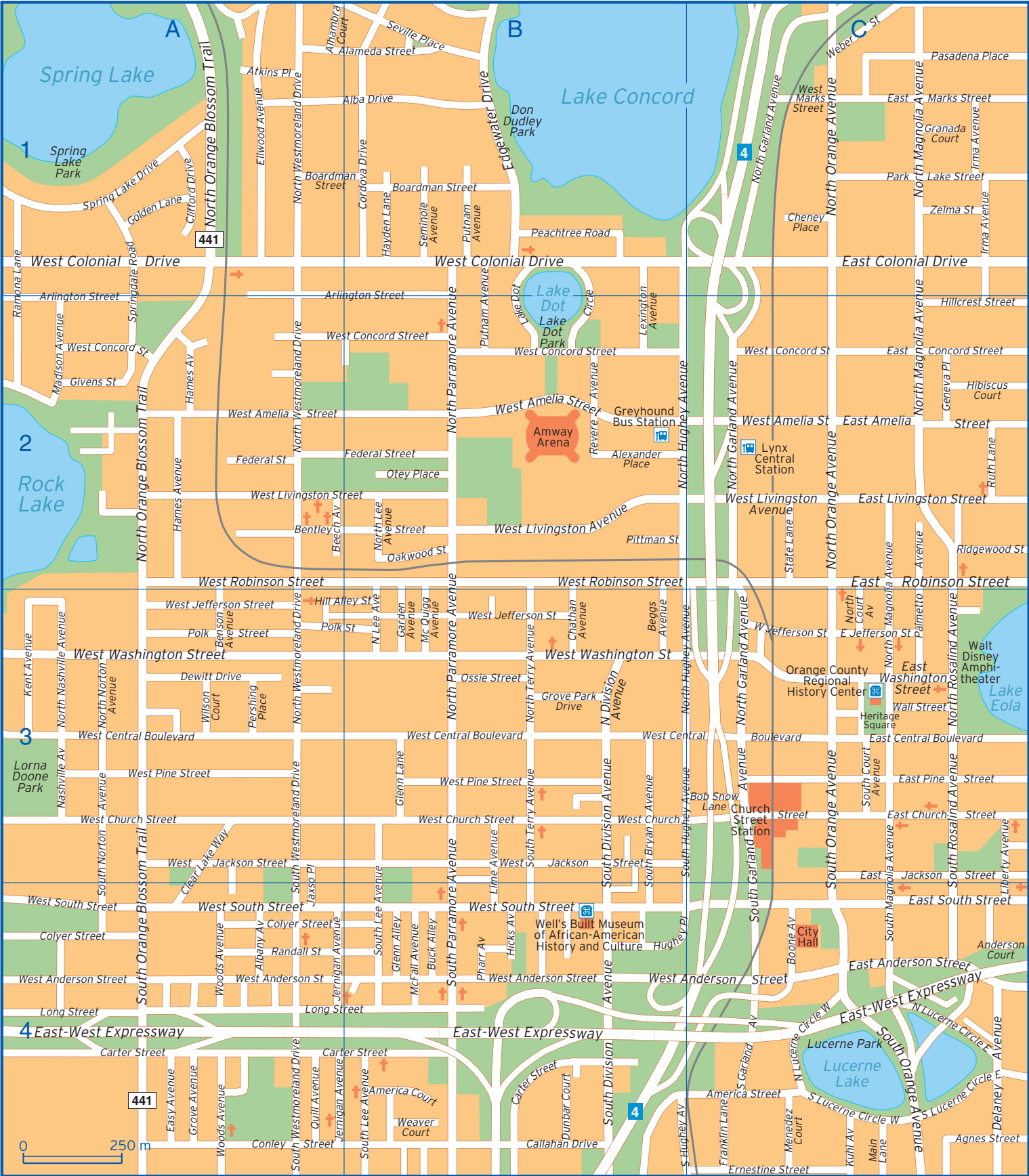
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Agnes Street	C4	Ernestine Street	C4	North Rosalind Avenue	C3
Alameda Street	A1 B1	Federal Street	A2 B2	North Terry Avenue	B3
Alba Drive	A1 B1	Franklin Lane	C4	North Westmoreland Drive	A1 A2 A3
Albany Avenue	A4	Garden Avenue	B3	Oakwood Street	B2
Alexander Place	B2	Geneva Place	C2	Ossie Street	B3
Alhambra Court	A1	Givens Street	A2	Otey Place	B2
America Court	B4	Glenn Alley	B4	Palmetto Avenue	C3
America Street	C4	Glenn Lane	B3	Park Lake Street	C1
Anderson Court	C4	Golden Lane	A1	Pasadena Place	C1
Arlington Street	A2 B2	Granada Court	C1	Peachtree Road	B1
Atkins Place	A1	Grove Avenue	A4	Pershing Place	A3
Beech Avenue	A2	Grove Park Drive	B3	Pharr Avenue	B4
Beggs Avenue	B3	Hames Avenue	A2	Pittman Street	B2
Benson Avenue	A3	Hayden Lane	B1	Polk Street	A3 B3
Bentley Street	A2 B2	Heritage Square	C3	Putnam Avenue	B1 B2
Boardman Street	A1 B1	Hibiscus Court	C2	Quill Avenue	A4
Bob Snow Lane	C3	Hicks Avenue	B4	Ramona Lane	A1 A2
Boone Avenue	C4	Hill Alley Street	A3 B3	Randall Street	A4
Buck Alley	B4	Hillcrest Street	C2	Revere Avenue	B2
Callahan Drive	B4	Hughey Place	B4 C4	Ridgewood Street	C2
Carter Street	A4 B4	Irma Avenue	C1	Ruth Lane	C2
Chathan Avenue	B3	Jaxso Place	A3 A4	Seminole Avenue	B1
Cheney Place	C1	Jernigan Avenue	A4	Seville Place	B1
Clear Lake Way	A3 A4	Kent Avenue	A3	South Bryan Avenue	B3 B4
Clifford Drive	A1	Kuhl Avenue	C4	South Court Avenue	C3
Colyer Street	A4	Lake Dot Circle	B1 B2	South Division Avenue	B3 B4
Conley Street	A4	Lexington Avenue	B1 B2	South Garland Avenue	C3 C4
Cordova Drive	B1	Liberty Avenue	C3 C4	South Hughey Avenue	B4 C3 C4
Delaney Avenue	C4	Lime Avenue	B3 B4	South Lee Avenue	B3 B4
Dewitt Drive	A3	Long Street	A4 B4	South Lucerne Circle East	C4
Dunbar Court	B4	Madison Avenue	A2	South Lucerne Circle West	C4
East Amelia Street	C2	Main Lane	C4	South Magnolia Avenue	C3 C4
East Anderson Street	C4	Mc Quigg Avenue	B3	South Norton Avenue	A3 A4
East Central Boulevard	C3	McFall Avenue	B4	South Orange Avenue	C3 C4
East Church Street	C3	Menedez Court	C4	South Orange Blossom Trail	A3 A4
East Colonial Drive	C1	Nashville Avenue	A3	South Parramore Avenue	B3 B4
East Concord Street	C2	North Court Avenue	C3	South Rosalind Avenue	C3 C4
East Jackson Street	C3	North Division Avenue	B3	South Terry Avenue	B3
East Jefferson Street	C3	North Garland Avenue	C1 C2 C3	South Westmoreland Drive	A3 A4
East Livingston Street	C2	North Hughey Avenue	C2 C3	Spring Lake Drive	A1
East Marks Street	C1	North Lee Avenue	B2 B3	Springdale Road	A1 A2
East Pine Street	C3	North Lucerne Circle East	C4	State Lane	C2
East Robinson Street	C2	North Lucerne Circle West	C4	Wall Street	C3
East South Street	C4	North Magnolia Avenue	C1 C2 C3	Weaver Court	B4
East Washington Street	C3	North Nashville Avenue	A3	Weber Street	C1
East-West Expressway	A4 B4 C4	North Norton Avenue	A3	West Amelia Street	A2 B2 C2
Easy Avenue	A4	North Orange Avenue	C1 C2	West Anderson Street	A4 B4 C4
Edgewater Drive	B1	North Orange Blossom Trail	A1 A2	West Central Boulevard	A3 B3 C3
Ellwood Avenue	A1	North Parramore Avenue	B1 B2 B3	West Church Street	A3 B3 C3



West Colonial Drive	A1 B1	West Livingston Street	A2 B2	West Washington Street	A3 B3
West Concord Street	A2 B2 C2	West Marks Street	C1	Wilson Court	A3
West Jackson Street	A3 B3	West Pine Street	A3 B3	Woods Avenue	A4
West Jefferson Street	A3 B3 C3	West Robinson Street	A2 B2	Zelma Street	C1
West Livingston Avenue	B2 C2	West South Street	A4 B4		