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Ohio University Alumni Association Greater Charlotte Chapter Network is pleased to announce the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Charlotte Networking Week! (February 23 - 24, 2012). Information for the 2012 Ohio University Charlotte Networking Week is available online at <http://www.ohioalumni.org/charlotte-networking-week>. The Charlotte Chapter will also be hosting an Alumni Banquet on Thursday evening, and an Alumni Happy Hour on Friday evening.

**NOTE:** Similar to years past, sign up for your visits will be on a **first come first serve basis** and **adjustments** have been made to those who requested visits that had previously been filled. This only affects the Friday Visits, so please read through the visit list to see which visits you will be attending. As this event is a networking opportunity, I strongly encourage you all to keep an open mind if not every visit you signed up for was granted.

You will be expected to attend each of the sessions for which you register. **Visits are mandatory! Please be prompt!** This document will include the time, location, and visit contact who will be meeting you. The dress for each visit is business casual or professional. Please, no jeans or t-shirts. A recommended hotel listing has also been made available during the registration period. **NOTE:** OUAA- Charlotte Chapter is not responsible for student travel arrangements or hotel accommodations (these must be made by the students).

Please remember that this is a networking event and **not** a job fair. The purpose of Charlotte Networking Week is to assist Ohio University students in networking with Ohio University Alumni in Charlotte to help students with their career and job search. This event also allows students to visit various companies in Charlotte to get a better understanding of the Charlotte job market and industries available. Please bring your resumes.

**Payment is only accepted online along with your registration. As the OUAA- Greater Charlotte Chapter Network is a not-for-profit organization, refunds are not available.**

2012 Charlotte Networking Week Schedule:

- Thursday Morning** – Travel to Charlotte, NC
- Thursday Afternoon** – Career Focus Alumni Panels (3 PM – 5 PM) Please arrive early to go through security
- Thursday Evening** – Alumni Banquet in the Queen City Room of aLoft at the Epicenter (Dinner Provided)
  - Keynote Speaker, Ty Votaw, Ohio University Alumnus Class of '84.
  - 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Cocktail Hour (Cash Bar)
  - 6:00 p.m. Presentation, Dinner Key Note, OU Update
  - 7:00 p.m. Key Note
  - 8:00 pm OU Update/Closing
- Friday Morning** – **Company Visits with Bank of America, Taylor, International Paper, Charlotte Regional Visitors Authority, Duke Energy, Wells Fargo, Premier Inc, Local Teacher Shadowing Programs (Elementary, Middle, and High School)**
- Friday Afternoon** – Tour of Carolina Panthers Stadium, Walking tour of Uptown Charlotte, Tour of Time Warner Cable Arena
- Friday Evening** – 5:00 – 7:00 pm Alumni Happy Hour at Dixie's Tavern (Appetizers Provided – limited basis)

## Visit Descriptions

**Thursday Afternoon Panels** - aLoft - 210 East Trade Street, Charlotte, NC 28202 – Elevator to Hotel – Tactic Room

1 **Communications/Media/PR/Journalism**



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This panel is represented with OU alumni that graduated with a communication degree and now work in a wide range positions that include: online journalism, public relations, marketing communications, radio journalism, and broadcast production.

2 **Finance and Accounting**

OU Alumni on this panel provide a wide range of experience and positions within the finance industry. Financial Planning, wealth management, financial sales, accounting analysis, etc will be represented

3 **Information Technology and Project Management**

OU Alumni on this panel provide a wide range of experience and positions within information technology. Companies represented include Bank of America, Lowes.

4 **Industry Sales/Marketing A**

This panel consists of a wide range of individuals with experience in sales and marketing positions since graduating from Ohio University. The alum on this panel will be different than "Panel B"

5 **Industry Sales/Marketing B**

This panel consists of a wide range of individuals with experience in sales and marketing positions since graduating from Ohio University. The alum on this panel will be different than "Panel A"

6 **Sports Management and Marketing Panel**

This panel consists of a wide range of individuals within the sports marketing industry.

**Friday Morning (Education Track):**

**Elementary School**

Shadow a current elementary school teacher in the Charlotte area

**Middle School**

Shadow a current middle school teacher in the Charlotte area (Bailey Middle School, Mint Hill Middle School)

**Friday Morning Company Visits:**

**International Paper**

International Paper's Retail Display & Packaging One Source Display and Packaging program has been designed to help businesses with Global Retail Requirements throughout the US and Asia. From initial concepts, structural and graphic design, to display manufacturing, assembly and distribution. The Retail Display & Packaging group works with Retailers and Consumer Packaging Goods (CPG) companies to satisfy their most complex packaging requirements and delivers a broad mix of display and consumer packaging services to retail. Matt Bernard, IP Retail Display & Packaging Sales Manager and 1992 OU graduate, will host this session.

**Taylor**

Taylor, an integrated marketing communications agency, specializes in strategic, consumer-focused sports, lifestyle and entertainment programs on behalf of 15 category-leading client partners. In addition to offices in New York, Chicago, Los Angeles and London, Taylor's Charlotte office, open in 2004, includes approximately 30 marketing communications professionals working on accounts such as Coca-Cola Zero, Amazon.com, Diageo (Captain Morgan and Crown Royal), Allstate, NASCAR, BRP (Evinrude) and Capital One. **Journalism and College of Communication Students ONLY**

**Charlotte Regional Visitor Authority**

Participate in an information session about the Charlotte area and marketing opportunities from OU Graduate Brandy Larrick.

**Bank of America Merrill Lynch**

You will visit with Ohio University alum, Kevin Croke, Evan Krysa and John Fulvimar who currently works at Bank of America Merrill Lynch and you will have the opportunity to tour the Bank of America Trade Floor.



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**Duke Energy**

Duke Energy, one of the largest power companies in the United States, supplies and delivers electricity to approximately 4 million customers in the Carolinas and the Midwest. The company also distributes natural gas in Ohio and Kentucky. Its commercial power and international businesses operate diverse power generation assets in North America and Latin America, including a growing renewable energy portfolio. Headquartered in Charlotte, N.C., Duke Energy is a Fortune 500 company traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol DUK. Learn about the company history, the Accounting Development Program, and meet Ohio U alumni who currently work for Duke Energy. **\*\*\*Accounting and Finance Majors ONLY**

**Friday Afternoon Session:**

**Tour of Charlotte – Visit Charlotte**

Take a tour of uptown Charlotte with Ohio University graduate Brandy Larrick.

**Tour Carolina Panthers Stadium**

Take a tour of the Bank of America Stadium, the home of Charlotte’s NFL Football Team the Carolina Panthers.

**Tour Time Warner Cable Arena**

Take a tour of Time Warner Cable Arena with OU Alumnus, Patrick Stack. This arena is the home of Charlotte’s AHL Hockey Team, the Charlotte Checkers and NBA Team, the Charlotte Bobcats.

**All Directions from aloft at the Epicenter (210 E. Trade Street, Charlotte- 28202)**

<p><b>Thursday: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM</b></p> <p><b>6 Career Focus Panels and breakout networking with local alumni</b></p> <p><b>Panel Lead: Varies</b></p> <p><b>Meeting Place: aLoft at the Epicenter</b></p> <p><b>Address: 210 E Trade Street, Charlotte, NC 28202</b></p> <p><b>Transportation : Walk from Uptown</b></p>
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**ALL STUDENTS**

**ALL Students were granted their first and second Choice Career Focus Panels. You will be divided up among your first choice Career Focus Group once arriving at aLoft at the Epicenter.**

**If you have any questions, concerns, if you are lost, etc. please call TJ Simonik or Jackie Volkmann. TJ can be reached at 704-576-1219 and Jackie can be reached at 330-354-6982.**

**To aLoft at the Epicenter for Career Focus Panels (Walk)  
210 East Trade Street, Charlotte, NC 28202:**



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**The following are directions to all Friday Morning Visits along final selections. Please look to see which visit you will be attending.**

**To Charlotte Regional Visitors Authority (Walk)  
500 South College St., Suite 300 Charlotte, NC 28202:**

1. Head SOUTHEAST on S COLLEGE Street toward E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
2. Destination will be on your Right

**\*Please tell receptionist you are here for info session and she will direct you to the correct room.**

**If you get lost, please call Brandy Larrick on his cell at 704-641-1872**

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**To Bank of America Merrill Lynch (Walk)**  
**214 N. Tryon Street, Charlotte, NC 28202:**

1. Head **NORTHEAST** on S College Street toward E Trade St
2. Turn **LEFT** on E Trade St
3. Turn **RIGHT** on N. TRYON ST.
4. Destination will be on **RIGHT**

**\*Meet in Hearst Lobby and get badge at Security Desk**

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**To Duke Energy (Walk) – 9:45 am**  
**550 S. Tryon Street, Charlotte, NC 28202:**

1. Head **SOUTHWEST** on S College Street toward E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
2. Turn **RIGHT** on E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
3. Turn **LEFT** on S. TRYON ST.
4. Destination will be on **RIGHT**

**\*Meet in Duke Energy Center Lobby and get badge at Security Desk**

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**To Taylor (Must Drive) allow 30 minutes**  
**10150 Mallard Creek Road, Charlotte, NC 28262:**

Take I-77 N to I-85 N (toward Greensboro)

Take exit 45B to West W T Harris Blvd

Go 1.5 miles and turn right onto Mallard Creek Road

Drive about 1.5 miles past Mallard Creek Elementary on the left and turn into Prosperity Place, which is our complex

Address is: 10150 Mallard Creek Road, Suite 300, Charlotte, NC 28262

Drive straight into the complex -- our building is straight ahead past fountain

Park on the side or in the back and go to the 3rd floor

Left out of the elevators to Taylor's office

**The 10150 building is straight ahead as you pull into the Prosperity Place complex. Once students arrive at the building, please park anywhere and take the elevator to the third floor. Taylor's offices are in suite 300, immediately to the left of the elevators. Check in with Stephanie at the front desk and ask for Laurie Duffy.**

**If you get lost, please call Laurie Duffy on her cell at 412-760-4946 or at the office at 704-644-6918**

**Please expect to be with the Taylor team from 10 a.m. until 12 PM noon on February 24.**

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**To Premier Inc. (MUST Drive)**

aLoft: 210 East Trade Street, Charlotte, NC 28202

1. Head **northeast** on **S College St** toward **E Trade St** 233 ft
2. Take the 1st left onto **E Trade St** 1.1 mi
3. Merge onto **I-77 S/US-21 S** via the ramp to **Rock Hill** 7.9 mi
4. Take exit **1B** for **I-485 E** toward **Pineville** 1.4 mi
5. Merge onto **Interstate 485 Outer** 5.7 mi
6. Take exit **61** for **US-521/Johnston Rd** 0.2 mi
7. Keep right at the fork and merge onto **US-521 S/Johnston Rd** 0.7 mi
8. Turn left onto **Ballantyne Commons Pkwy** 0.4 mi
9. Turn left onto **Ballantyne Corporate PI** 0.1 mi

**Destination parking garage will be the first garage to you you see on the right.**

**13034 Ballantyne Corporate PI  
Charlotte, NC 28277**

**If you have any problems or questions please call either Amber Harrison Cell Phone: (336)848-0695 or Lance Werling Cell Phone: 980-428-4043**

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**To Wells Fargo (Walk) 9:45 am in Lobby  
401 South Tryon Street, Charlotte, 28202:**

1. Head **SOUTHWEST** on S College Street toward E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
2. Turn **RIGHT** on E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
3. Turn **LEFT** on S. TRYON ST.
4. Destination will be on **LEFT**

3 Wells Fargo Center. Meet in the 401 South Tryon Street Lobby. Please contact Randy Buck 704-905-0780 if you have any questions.

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**To Visit Charlotte for Walking Tour of Uptown Charlotte (Walk)  
330 S. Tryon Street Charlotte, NC 28202:**

1. Head **SOUTHWEST** on S College ST toward E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
2. Turn **RIGHT** on East 4<sup>th</sup> Street
3. Turn **LEFT** onto South TRYON Street
4. Destination will be on **RIGHT**

**\* Meet at the Visitor Info Center on the corner of Tryon and Martin Luther King Blvd. This is a walking tour, so please wear comfortable shoes and dress for the weather.**

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**To Time Warner Cable Arena (Walk)**  
**333 E. Trade Street Charlotte, NC 28202:**

1. Head NORTHEAST on S College ST toward E Trade Street
2. Turn RIGHT on East Trade Street
3. Destination will be on LEFT
4. Walk around the Arena to the Executive Entrance on 5<sup>th</sup> Street

**\* Meet at the Executive Entrance to Time Warner Cable Arena on the 5<sup>th</sup> Street side. It will be to the left of the main entrance on 5<sup>th</sup> Street. Pat Stack is the alumni contact (704-241-9923 cell)**

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**To Bank of America Stadium for Tour (Drive or Walk)  
800 South Mint Street, Charlotte, 28202:**

**Walk**

1. Start out going SOUTHWEST on S College St toward E 4<sup>th</sup> Street
2. Turn RIGHT onto E. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd
3. Turn LEFT onto S MINT
4. Destination will be on your Right

**\*\*Please meet Jason Lowman at the South gate off of Morehead Street. His cell phone is (704)-302-4001**

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**You must attend the sessions you are assigned.** Adhering to your schedule is extremely important. The companies have lists of all the students that will be attending their session. Due to security issues and visitor capacity you must not take it upon yourself to change your scheduled sessions.

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## Restaurant and Bar Guide to Uptown Charlotte

**Amos Southend: [www.amossouthend.com](http://www.amossouthend.com)**

**1423 S. Tryon St., Charlotte, NC 28203**

**704-377-6874**

There's always your favorite band playing here. Come check out the great beer, great music, and all local favorites.

Must drive or take trolley to Southend.

Cover depending on band playing.

**Bar Charlotte: [www.BarCharlotte.com](http://www.BarCharlotte.com)**

**300 N. College St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-342-2545**

Welcome to the home of the World Famous BAR Charlotte, where the party never ends!!! Often imitated, but never duplicated, BAR Charlotte and its extreme staff excel at throwing the sickest party in Uptown. Imagine New Years Eve, Mardi Gras, Spring Break all wrapped into one. Destination BAR Charlotte---the best party you will NEVER remember! Because what happens at Bar Charlotte, Stays at Bar Charlotte!! Also home to the mechanical bull!

Located on College St. between 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> Streets.

Cover ranges from \$5 to 10\$ depending on the night and gender.

**Breakfast Club: [www.that80sclub.com](http://www.that80sclub.com)**

**225 N. Caldwell St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-374-1982**

Charlotte's only totally 80's dance club with 3 levels each with its own unique atmosphere as well as a patio to enjoy the Charlotte Skyline on.

Located on Caldwell St. between 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Streets. Next to Arena.

Cover ranges from \$4-\$8 depending on the night and gender.

**Buckhead Saloon:**

**201 E. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-370-0687**

Buckhead Saloon is your uptown Charlotte laid back, live music, friendly approach to the bar experience. Want a bar where you can relax, kick back a few and enjoy quality music from well know bands from all over the country? A place where you're not cramped and the bartenders always pour the drinks strong? Buckhead Saloon is your place.

Located on the corner of College St. and 5<sup>th</sup> St.

Usually \$5 cover after 10pm on the weekends.

**Cedar Street Tavern: [www.cedarstreettavern.com](http://www.cedarstreettavern.com)**

**120 N. Cedar St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-333-3448**



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Cedar Street is a great small little bar & restaurant located in the Post Gateway building and is often frequented by local residents or employees just getting off of work from Gateway Village.

Located on the Corner of Cedar St. and 5<sup>th</sup> St.

No Cover.

#### **Champions Sports Bar**

**100 W. Trade St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-333-9000**

Charlotte's premier sports bar. Complete selection of all college and professional sporting events on 18 TV's and video projectors. Great menu featuring burgers, salads, and appetizers. Full bar with over 25 imported, domestic, and local beers. Located in the Marriott.

Located on the Corner of Trade St. and Tryon St.

No Cover.

#### **Connolly's Irish Pub:**

**115 E. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-358-9070**

Connolly's is a two level Irish pub serving great draft beer, with friendly Irish bartenders. This is a happening nightspot and fun bar to go to.

Located on 5<sup>th</sup> St. between Tryon St. and College St.

Cover only when there is live entertainment, \$5.

#### **Corner Pub**

**335 N. Graham St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-376-2720**

A neighborhood type pub located in the Post Uptown building on the corner of 7th and Graham.

Located on the corner of 7<sup>th</sup> and Graham St.

No cover.

#### **Cosmos Café: [www.cosmoscafe.com](http://www.cosmoscafe.com)**

**300 N. College St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-372-3553**

Cosmos features two bars, our large circular bar downstairs and the more intimate Thirsty Camel Lounge on the upper level. Their award-winning bartenders offer an extensive menu of cocktails and martinis featuring the finest spirits available, mixed to perfection. They also have a great menu which includes a sushi bar.

Located on corner of College St. and 6<sup>th</sup> St.

No cover, but there is a dress code.

#### **Crush: [www.crushcharlotte.com](http://www.crushcharlotte.com)**

**300 E. Stonewall St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-377-1010**

Crush nightclub is the hottest new upscale spot in Charlotte. Located in beautiful uptown Charlotte, their two-floor layout is decorated in a stylish South Beach fashion. Crush nightclub is equipped with state of the art sound and light shows, including 4 large projection screens and 11 TV's all with full satellite coverage. Their 4 bars ensure you get some of the fastest service in town.

Located on Stonewall between College St. and Brevard St.

Cover, dress code.

#### **Cutters**

**100 W. Trade St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-358-6571**

Upscale martini and cigar lounge. They offer the largest selection of single malt scotches, small batch bourbons, rare cigars, and fine wines. In Marriott.

Located on Trade St. between Church St. and Tryon St.

No cover, 21 +

#### **Dixie's Tavern: [www.DixiesCharlotte.com](http://www.DixiesCharlotte.com)**



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**301 E.7<sup>th</sup> St., Charlotte, NC 28202**  
**704-374-1700**

Dixie's Tavern is your place for Big Eats, Big Drinks and Big Fun. They have an authentic New Orleans style menu and some of the best drinks in Charlotte. Come eat the food and stay for the party that Charlotte has come to love. With DJ's playing the best music you know and love and some music you have forgotten about. It's not only a great place to start your night but also to stay the whole night. Ladies feel free to jump on the bar and dance as the night goes on. Located on 7<sup>th</sup> St. between College St. and Brevard St.  
No cover.

### **Epicenter**

**210 East Trade St.**

Located on N. College St. in between Trade St. and 4<sup>th</sup> St.

- **Blackfinn-704-971-4440**- Sports bar with a New York City Saloon style feel. Has a great lunch/dinner menu and a DJ at night to party to! Cover \$5 after 9:00 pm.
- **Howl at the Moon-704-936-4695**-Dueling piano sing-a-long bar with a full staff (from bartenders to the waitresses) there to entertain. It's very entertaining and a good time all around. Cover \$5, membership required (you can sign up on-site)
- **Kazba- 704-688-0051**- The exquisitely Moroccan designed space encompasses everything a VIP has come to expect in nightlife. Fabrics, Pillows, Candles, Firewall, Moroccan Tented VIP's and a Open Wall Patio with Skyline Views are just a sample of what you will encounter at Kazba. Our experienced staff aligned with its unequalled customer service will ensure that each client will leave with an exceptional experience. Our unique Design, Music, Food and Exquisite Staff will flawlessly maintain its position as the most desirable nightlife destination in Charlotte. Cover, 21+, Dress to impress
- **Mortimer's Cafe & Pub-704-688-0366**- Your friendly neighborhood bar is now open. Come in for lunch, spirits and good times.
- **The Mez-704-971-2400**-Restaurant, bar and movie theater all in one! It features wine and dessert bars along with a cultured atmosphere. 21 and over.
- **Strike City 704-716-9300**- StrikeCity is the place to go if you're looking for the best nightlife scene that Charlotte has to offer – without all of the headaches of the run of the mill bars and nightclubs. Oh, and you can bowl too.
- **Suite-704-971-7878**-Suite was designed by the designers of Pure Nightclub in Las Vegas and consists of VIP sections unlike any Club in the South East! Dress code is required. Membership required (can sign up on site). Cover charge.
- **Wild Wings Café- 704-716-9464**- Serves "The best wings south of Buffalo" in 33 different flavors! Sports bar along with live music is a great time! Live music, no cover.
- **Whiskey River-704-749-1097**-Dale Earnhart's bar, it's a favorite among NASCAR fans and casual bar-hoppers. Live music on Sundays, a rock and roll DJ and a mechanical bull. Open Tuesday through Sunday. Cover \$7.

### **Fox & Hound**

**330 N. Tryon St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-333-4113**

Fox and hound is a three story bar, restaurant and billiards nightlife center of the uptown. Come enjoy our famous menu of great food or your favorite night drink. Kick back and shoot a game of billiards or just come and meet the crowd.

Located on the corner of Tryon St. and 7<sup>th</sup> St.

No cover.

### **Hooters**

**123 W. Trade St., Charlotte, NC 28202**



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**704-333-4566**

Located on Trade St. a block away from Tryon

The casual beach-theme establishments feature "oldies" jukebox music, sports on television, and a menu that includes seafood, sandwiches, salads and spicy chicken wings.

**Nix Burgers and Brew**

**210 N. Tryon St., Suite 1010**

**704-347-2739**

Decorated in biker décor and modern design, this new restaurant features 20 types of burgers! Order a burger and cozy up to the bar or find a seat along the long booth lining the wall to watch the game on one of the restaurant's six plasma screens.

Half price burgers Friday 4-6 pm. Drink specials nightly.

**Prohibition**

**200 N. Tryon Street**

**Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-358-4244**

When you step inside Prohibition, you'll step back in time. Our bar is constructed from reclaimed wood and tin from local North Carolina barns. The walls of the nostalgic watering hole are plastered with old quotes dating back to the Prohibition era. Cover, 21+

**Phils Tavern**

**105 E. 5<sup>th</sup> St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-347-0035**

During the day, Phil's serves up great food at reasonable prices in a New York atmosphere. At night, Phil's is the place to be with a packed out bar and a DJ and is said to have the hottest bartenders in the Queen City.

Located on the corner of 5<sup>th</sup> and Tryon St.

Cover depending on night and gender.

**Rock Bottom Brewery: [www.rockbottomsouth.com](http://www.rockbottomsouth.com)**

**401 North Tryon St. Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-334-2739**

As the leading restaurant brewery group, Rock Bottom prides itself on a tradition of fresh, handcrafted beers & a diverse menu. These are the cornerstones of the 27 Rock Bottoms across the country. Each location offers a warm & inviting dining experience with outstanding, attentive service. Dine inside or on our patio. Fun is always on tap when you hit Rock Bottom.

Located on corner of Tryon St. and 7<sup>th</sup> St.

No Cover.

**Stool Pigeons: Uptown**

**214 N. Church St., Charlotte, NC 28202**

**704-358-3788**

A place to settle down and enjoy the 18 beers on tap or watch the 17 televisions, Stool Pigeons is your uptown laid-back watering hole.

Located on the corner of Church St. and 6<sup>th</sup> St.

No Cover.

**Tavern On The Tracks**

**1422 S. Tryon St., Charlotte, NC 28203**

**704-372-0782**

A great late night place to hang and unwind in South Charlotte because of their great drink specials.

Must drive or take trolley to Southend.

No Cover.



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### Quick/Late Night Food Guide in Uptown Charlotte

**Pita Pit** - Just like Ohio University's, this fast food restaurant with quality, healthy, fresh food in a friendly informal atmosphere and a varied and tasty menu selection. Located on College St. between 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Streets.

**Fuel** - Some of the best pizza in the city, all of it a variation of New York-style pizza. Pizza is offered by the (huge) slice, or you can pick your own off the menu. There are the basics as well as the gourmet-style pies, and garlic knots—wads of dough baked with garlic and butter—make a tasty filler. Located on the corner of College St. and 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Jimmy John's** –Just like OU's it's located on the corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> and Tryon. Open until 7pm every night, will deliver to the hotel.

### Miscellaneous Points of Interest

#### **ABC Liquor Store: Must drive**

From Tryon (Going south – towards Wachovia): Take a left onto 6<sup>th</sup> Street. You will pass Stool Pigeons on your right. Take a right onto Graham Street. Go straight, under 277 and continue on Graham after the road splits. The ABC store will be on your left hand side. YOU MUST BE 21 TO ENTER!!! The ABC Store only sells liquor, not mixers or beer.

#### **Harris Teeter: Within walking distance**

Sells groceries, wine, and beer. From Tryon (going south – towards Wachovia), turn left onto 6<sup>th</sup> Street (by Discovery Place). Harris Teeter is on the corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and Pine located on the right hand side of the street. Open until 11pm.

#### **South Park Mall: Must drive**

Take I-77 South to the Tyvola Rd. exit. Take a left off of the exit. Stay straight on Tyvola, and keep going straight onto Fairview Rd. The mall will be 2 – 3 miles on your right. Can't miss it!

#### **NorthLake Mall: Must drive**

Take I-77 North to the W.T. Harris Blvd., Exit #18. Take a left off of the exit. Stay straight on W.T. Harris Blvd. The mall will be on your right. Can't miss it!

#### **Concord Mills Mall: Must drive**

Take I-77 North to 85 North. Get off at the Speedway Blvd. exit. Take a left off of the exit ramp. The mall will be on your right. Can't miss it!

### Informational Websites regarding North Carolina & Charlotte

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

The official North Carolina State web site

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

This website is a general visitor's guide to the city of Charlotte.

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

This website is a guide to the city of Charlotte and is run by the Charlotte Observer, the local city newspaper.

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

This website is a general visitor's guide to the state of North Carolina.

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

This website is a great resource for entertainment throughout all of North and South Carolina. It includes a list or profile on every bar and restaurant in Charlotte along with a rating system that includes atmosphere, dress level, and price level

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

This website is a great resource for nightlife specific to Charlotte and includes weekly specials for several uptown establishments.



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