

# ASHEVILLE

*INTIMATE GATHERINGS*

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*Welcome & Insider Guest Guide*

# Welcome to Asheville

*Your Local Insider Guide by Lise & Damon*

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*"We hope you have an incredible stay. To help you settle in, we've gathered some of our personal favorites in and around town. Have a wonderful time exploring!"*

## FROM THE BACK GATE

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### Neighborhood Loops

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For an easy stretch, walk out the back gate and turn left for the neighborhood stairs. They lead to lovely short loops through Sunset Parkway.

### The Grove Park Inn Trail

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If you're feeling ambitious, take a longer walk to the Grove Park Inn with its stunning terrace views. Please bring water, as it's a bit of a long walk – about 30 minutes up and down several hills.

# Walkable Local Favorites

## *Within a 10-Minute Stroll*

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### **Bone & Broth**

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A short, easy walk from the house on the corner of Charlotte & Chestnut. Exceptional steaks, cocktails, and a must-order grilled Caesar salad with steak tips in a house-made dressing.

### **Jettie Rae's**

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Outstanding fish and chips, oysters on the half shell, and a sharply designed mid-modern bar with excellent craft cocktails.

### **Liberty House Coffee & Cafe**

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Located slightly farther down Chestnut, west toward Trader Joe's, and left on Liberty Street. Offers lovely garden seating and locally sourced food. (Note: Taco-truck often next door).

### **Taco Temple**

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Terrific street-style tacos. Call ahead to order or be prepared to wait outside with a cold drink.

### **City Bakery**

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Head here for fresh bread, breakfast sandwiches, and locally fresh-brewed coffee. Go local!

### **Pulp + Sprout**

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Directly next door to Liberty House, perfect for organic plant-based foods, vegan treats, and fresh-squeezed juices.

# Downtown Dining

## *Cocktails & Rooftops*

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### **Battery Park Champagne Bar 🐶**

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Corner of the Grove Arcade. A magical bookstore with excellent desserts, light appetizers, and champagne flights. Highly recommended for people-watching on the patio.

### **Sovereign Remedies**

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A chic, plant-filled downtown spot famous for brunch or late-night cocktails.

### **Sunset Terrace**

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Located at the Grove Park Inn. Essential for cocktails, lunch, or dinner overlooking the mountain ranges.

### **Five Points Restaurant**

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Family-owned spot on Broadway and Chestnut. Incredible burgers, inexpensive comfort food, and great Greek salads. Perfect for a simple lunch or diner-style breakfast.

### **Late Night Slices**

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Grab a giant slice of pizza from Pie.zaa down near the South Slope; ordering your own giant pie is the smartest way to go.

## **SUNSET ROOFTOP BARS (TOP PICKS)**

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### **The Flat Iron Hotel**

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Three rooftop patios, speakeasy on weekends. Michelin-rated restaurant, Luminosa.

### **The AC Marriott Hotel**

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Stunning north-eastern mountain views.

### **The Doubletree by Hilton**

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Looks due west for the absolute best sunset.

### **The Restoration Hotel**

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On Patton Ave, directly across from Pritchard Park (home to the Friday drum circle).

# Asheville & Beyond

## *Worth the Short Drive*

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### **Sunny Point Cafe** 🐶

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Located in West Asheville. A legendary brunch spot with outdoor patio seating only. They don't take reservations, and there is always a line the minute they open at 9:00 AM. Their biscuits and scones are entirely worth the wait.

### **The Admiral**

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Located in West Asheville, serving unique and delectable chef-driven food and signature craft cocktails in an unassuming setting.

### **Leo's House of Thirst**

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Sister restaurant to The Admiral. A gorgeous neighborhood wine bar with outdoor seating, great snacks, and light meals.

### **12 Bones BBQ** 🐶

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Classic Asheville slow-smoked barbecue. The South location also features a brewery and spacious outdoor seating.