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Arts, leisure, entertainment and recreation options abound in Plano, where modern luxury meets historic charm. Here are the top ten ways to experience this North Texas city's plentiful array of fun:

01. LEGACY WEST

This "city within a city" is the perfect place to play, shop, dine and stay. In addition to serving as office space for several high profile-companies, the 255-acre development boasts 415,000 dynamic square feet of open-air retail and restaurant space, adding to Plano's already vibrant dining scene.

02. LEGACY HALL

In this one-of-a-kind artisanal food hall at Legacy West, visitors can explore over 20 stalls and bars and sample everything from lobster rolls and sushi to old-fashioned hamburgers and duck fat fried chicken. There is also an on-site brewery and an outdoor live entertainment stage.

03. PINSTACK

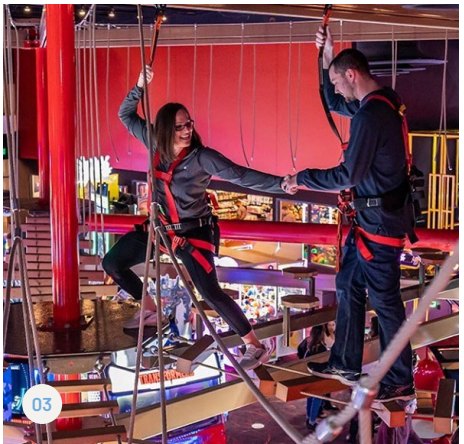
Plano is home to North Texas' first state-of-the-art bowling and active entertainment destination. PINSTACK is a 50,000-square-foot venue featuring a 28-lane bowling experience with private VIP lanes, ropes course suspended 20 feet above the gaming center, two-story laser tag, bumper cars, LED lit six-lane rock climbing walls, hundreds of interactive games and simulator technology.

04. HERITAGE FARMSTEAD MUSEUM

Set on four acres, visitors at this living history museum will step back into the late 1800s and early 1900s. The property's beautiful Victorian home and 12 outbuildings were once part of a 360-acre farm operated by colorful local resident Ammie Wilson.





















05. H-E-B, CENTRAL MARKET PLANO BALLOON FESTIVAL

Known as the "Hot Air Balloon Capital of Texas," Plano's acclaimed balloon festival attracts more than 90,000 people each year. The skies over Plano are filled with colorful, whimsically shaped orbs, and visitors enjoy breathtaking nightly "balloon glows," fireworks, live music and more. Tethered balloon rides can also be booked, weather permitting.

06. SOUTHFORK RANCH

Revisit some memorable scenes from the TV series "Dallas" at Southfork Ranch in nearby Parker. The "Dallas Legends: Fact To Fantasy" exhibit features such memorabilia as the gun that shot J.R., Lucy's wedding dress and video clips from the show. Horseback trail rides are also available.

07. THE SHOPS AT LEGACY

This district is part of a 168-acre mixed use development of boutique retail and best-in-class restaurants. Shoppers will discover an expansive selection of upscale stores, independent boutiques and high-profile brands in an inviting outdoor setting.

08. DOWNTOWN PLANO ARTS DISTRICT

Along authentic brick-lined streets, shoppers will discover an extensive collection of independent boutiques selling everything from handmade jewelry to home décor to antiques and pottery.

09. THE BOARDWALK AT GRANITE PARK

Situated across from the luxurious patio of the Hilton at Granite Park, this 30,000-square-foot expanse features a variety of restaurants with patios serving burgers, southern California boardwalk-style cuisine, brew pub fare and more. Beachy deck chairs provide a great view of the park's inviting water feature and live music stage.

10. LIGHTS ON THE FARMSTEAD

Lights on the Farmstead returns to Plano's Heritage Farmstead Museum for its sixth year beginning November 20. Guests across the region can stroll a quarter-mile path through the historic four-acre farm, glowing with more than one million lights, giant illuminated displays and a 30-foot Christmas tree. Visits with Santa, festive music, hot cocoa and s'mores will also be on hand to add to the holiday magic.



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