

**Explore and Enjoy  
Terre Haute's  
41|40  
Arts & Cultural  
District**






# 41|40 Arts & Cultural District

We're happy to see you in Terre Haute!

On December 17, 2018, the Indiana Arts Commission formally recognized Terre Haute as one of ten cities in Indiana with an official arts and cultural district designation.

The 41|40 Arts and Cultural District radiates out from the Crossroads of America—the intersection of the historic U.S. Highways 40 and 41, encompassing Terre Haute’s downtown, the brewery district, and much of Indiana State University’s campus. 41 |40 is located just a few blocks from the scenic Wabash River—inspiration for Indiana’s state song, “On the Banks of The Wabash, Far Away” composed by native son, Paul Dresser. The district enjoys a rich history that emerges out of a deep and lasting cultural core and serves as both a geographic and cultural center. We proudly pay tribute to our history by naming the district after that intersection, known today as 7th & Wabash.

We hope this brochure will guide you as you embark on a discovery of arts & culture at the Crossroads of America.



It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 41|40 Arts and Cultural District in downtown Terre Haute. For over 200 years Terre Haute has been a welcoming destination. Today the District remains so, with arts and culture at the heart of it all. We hope that you'll take a little time to explore the area.

Just a short walk in any direction will lead you to the treasures we celebrate today – cultural museums for all ages and interests, public sculptures, murals, galleries, events, magnificent architecture, and more. The District is a special place and we're so glad to have you be part of it.

-Mayor Brandon Sakbun



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# Museums and Galleries

## Museums in the District

### 1 - Terre Haute Children's Museum

727 Wabash Avenue

A three-story gem of exploration, discovery, and laughter located in the heart of Terre Haute. A fun, dynamic science and technology-oriented learning environment of the highest quality.

[thchildrensmuseum.com](http://thchildrensmuseum.com)

### 2 - Eugene V. Debs Museum

451 N 8th Street

Former home of Eugene V. Debs and his wife Katherine Metzel Debs. Its interior features many of Debs' possessions, writings, and other artifacts from his lifetime, as well as a unique mural depicting his life stories.

[debsfoundation.org](http://debsfoundation.org)

### 3 - Swope Art Museum

25 S. 7th Street

An award winning museum celebrating the best in American art with an outstanding collection, programs and changing exhibitions designed to engage, stimulate, and educate. Free admission!

[swope.org](http://swope.org)



Get connected with our Museums! Great American Art - Local History - Science & Technology! All in the District!

### 4 - Vigo County History Center

929 Wabash Avenue

This 34,000 square-foot facility offers a 21st century experience while featuring stories of Vigo County from the past 200 years.

[vchsmuseum.org](http://vchsmuseum.org)

### 5 - Larry Bird Museum

800 Wabash Avenue (inside Convention Center)

In this museum visitors will learn the story of Bird's life and his Hoosier roots.

## Galleries in the District

### 6 - Arts Illiana Gallery

23 N. 6th Street

Rotating exhibitions featuring works by local, regional, and national artists. Free admission!

[artsilliana.org](http://artsilliana.org)

### 7 - SEEK Gallery

15 South 7th Street

Fine artwork & classes by Shawn E Russell.

[shawnerussell.com/seek](http://shawnerussell.com/seek)

### 8 - Vigo County Public Library

1 Library Square

Monthly exhibitions by local artists.

[vigolibrary.org](http://vigolibrary.org)



# Galleries on the ISU Campus

[www.indstate.edu/cas/uag](http://www.indstate.edu/cas/uag)

## 9 - Yang Family University Art Gallery

300 N. 7th St

Student and faculty art and works from the Permanent Art Collection.

## 10 - Turman Gallery

649 Chestnut St

Student exhibitions, shows by local and regional artists, and new media and installation projects.

## 11 - Bare-Montgomery Gallery

220 N. 7th St

Student-led exhibition space in the former Emeline Fairbanks Memorial Library.

## 12 - Charles E. Brown African American Cultural Center

301 N. 8th St

Promoting and presenting African-American culture through arts and education.

[indstate.edu/student-affairs/aacc](http://indstate.edu/student-affairs/aacc)



# Performing Arts Venues

Experience excellent performance!

## 13 - Indiana Theater

7th & Ohio Streets

Historic stage and movie theater currently hosting special events only.

[indianatheater.com](http://indianatheater.com)

## 14 - Tilson Auditorium

200 N. 7th St

Home to **ISU Performing Arts Series**, **Terre Haute Symphony Orchestra**, and much more.

[venues.indstate.edu/isuvenue/tilson-auditorium](http://venues.indstate.edu/isuvenue/tilson-auditorium)

## 15 - Hulman Center

8th & 9th Streets on Cherry St

10,200-seat multi-purpose arena on the campus of Indiana State University.

[hulmancenter.org](http://hulmancenter.org)

## 16 - Dreiser Theater

221 N. 6th St

## 17 - New Theater

538 N. 7th St | Both home to **ISU Theater** and **Cross-roads Repertory Theatre** productions.

[indstate.edu/cas/theater](http://indstate.edu/cas/theater)





# Explore Public Art

## Sculptures

- 18 - Larry Bird Sculpture**, Bill Wolfe
- 19 - Under the Buttonwood**, Greg Harris
- 20 - Arthur's Odyssey**, Michael Dunbar
- 21 - Brick Piano**, Mark Nicklasch
- Art Spaces Sculpture Collection:*
- 22 - A Chorus of Trumpets**, Howard Kalish
- 23 - Emanating Connections**, Chakaia Booker
- 24 - Free Fly**, Robert Evans
- 25 - Gatekeeper**, Sally Rogers
- 26 - ISU Sphere**, Brandon Zebold
- 27 - Max Ehrmann at the Crossroads**, Bill Wolfe
- 28 - A Reading Place**, Madeline Wiener
- 29 - Renewal**, Tim Upham
- 30 - Runner**, Douglas Kornfield
- 31 - Spirit of Space**, Bob Emser
- 32 - Urban Flowers**, C.J. Rench
- 33 - Dreiser - Shadows of Meaning**, Urban Rock Design
- 34 - Our River - Our Future**, DeeDee Morrison

41|40's public spaces offer an amazing array of art. Grab a coffee and tour the trail of sculptures and murals.

\*Denotes indoor murals

## Murals

- 35 - Mural in Bayh School of Education\***, Gilbert Wilson
- 36 - Birthplace of the Coca-Cola Bottle**, Jack Fralin and Bill Johnson
- 37 - Children's Museum, Flightful Fantasy: We can Fly, We Can Fly\***, David Erickson
- 38 - Crossroads Plaza**, Becky Hochhalter
- 39 - Eugene V. Debs\***, John Laska
- 40 - Industrial Supply Company**, Michael Neary
- 41 - Stiffy Green at J. Ford's -** Becky Hochhalter  
With funding from the City of Terre Haute Mini Mural Project
- 42 - Big Paintings in the Verve Cocktail Bar\* -** Michael Neary
- 43 - Vintage Postcard, Haute House Flats Alley -** James Shepard  
Funded by the City of Terre Haute Mini Mural Project
- 44 - 2013 Year of the River**, Amy MacLennan and Michael Neary
- 45 Verve Alley | "Alley Cat" -** Emily Bennett  
Funded by City of Terre Haute Mini Mural Project
- 46 Federal Alley | "Terre Haute" -** Shayla Fish  
Sponsored by TH Chamber of Commerce  
Funded through Indiana Destination Development Corporation (IN Indiana)
- 47 Swope Alley | Swope mural by James Shepard**  
Funded through Indiana Destination Development Corporation (IN Indiana)



**District Map: Arts & Culture**

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 Museums, Galleries, and Performance Venues

 Public Art





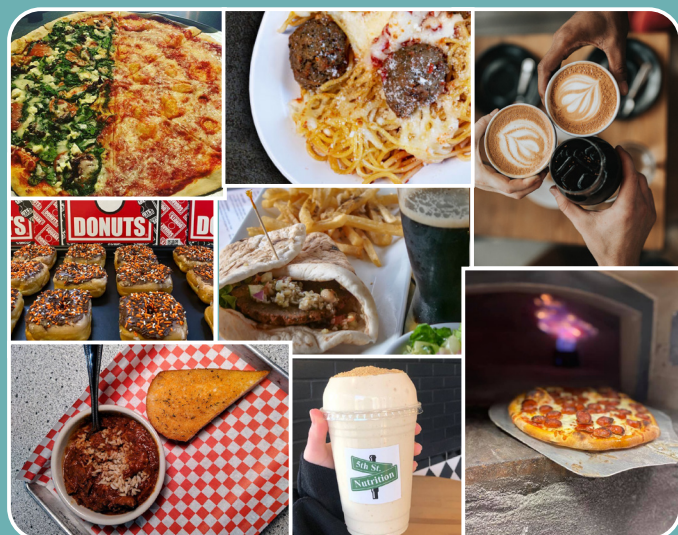
# Dining in the District

## On Wabash Avenue

- 47 - [Square Donuts](#) - A local icon since 1967
- 48 - [Federal Coffee & Fine Foods](#) - Chef-prepared fine foods and hand-crafted coffee
- 49 - [Chava's Mexican Grill](#) - Mexican fare
- 50 - [J. Gumbo's](#) - Cajun/Creole fare
- 51 - [The Patty Shack](#) - Specializing in burgers... great food from the past
- 52 - [Roly Poly](#) - Rolled sandwiches, soups and salads
- 53 - [Saratoga](#) - Family-run restaurant & bar serving American and Mediterranean favorites since 1942
- 54 - [Scout's Pizzeria](#) - Custom stone fired pizzas
- 55 - [Taco Tequila's Mexican Grill & Cantina](#) - Mexican - seafood - tacos
- 56 - [5th Street Nutrition](#) - Smoothie & juice bar
- 57 - [The Terminal Public House](#) - Traditional public house with tasty food & quality drinks

## On 6th Street

- 58 - [Wise Pies Pizza](#) - Pizzas & calzones
- 59 - [Greek's Pizzeria](#) - Pizzas, pasta, and more



## Everything to suit your taste... you can find it in the District

## On Cherry Street

- 60 - [Insomnia Cookies](#) - Warm & delicious cookies, delivery available
- 61 - [Grand Traverse Pie Co.](#) - Serving sweet & savory pies, plus classic cafe fare
- 62 - [Barnes and Noble](#) - Coffee and quick snacks

## On 9th Street

- 63 - [Petty Pit Stop](#) - Female-owned and run casual eatery taking unique twist on classic American fare.

## On Walnut Street

- 64 - [J. Ford's Black Angus](#) - Steakhouse with nightly seafood specials and a great wine list

## On Poplar Street

- 65 - [M. Mogger's Restaurant & Pub](#) - American cuisine and a variety of 100 beers
- 66 - [Cackleberries](#) - American, breakfast, brunch, Greek cuisine
- 67 - [Stables Steakhouse](#) - Black Angus beef steaks, pork, seafood, and chicken entrees
- 68 - [Footers Pizza](#) - Subs, pizza, salads, and more



# Dining in the District

## Bars, Breweries, Wineries

**69 - [TH Brewing Company](#)** - Indiana's oldest and America's second oldest brewery still in operation

**65 - [M. Mogger's Restaurant & Pub](#)** - Over 100 craft brewed beers from around the world

**71 - [The Verve Cocktail Bar](#)** - Cocktail bar/venue that hosts live music, events and shows

**72 - [Ballyhoo Tavern](#)** - Part of ISU nightlife since 1948- hot pizza, cold drinks

**74 - [Copper Bar](#)** - Bar and restaurant featuring lunch and dinner options

**75 - [Bar Botics](#)** - Locally owned and operated Arcade Bar



# Find out more

**Need more in-depth information about arts & culture in Terre Haute?**

## Administrative Offices

### 6 - Arts Illiana (Regional Arts Council)

Connect with arts organizations and artists  
[artsilliana.com](http://artsilliana.com)

### 77 - Art Spaces — Wabash Valley Outdoor Sculpture Collection, Inc.

Public art and other community projects  
[wabashvalleyartspaces.com](http://wabashvalleyartspaces.com)

### 77 - Indiana Landmarks

Information about historic architecture in the city  
[indianalandmarks.org](http://indianalandmarks.org)

### 78 - Terre Haute Symphony Organization

The oldest professional orchestra in Indiana  
[thso.org](http://thso.org)

### 8 - Vigo County Public Library

A wealth of information and programs  
[vigolibrary.org](http://vigolibrary.org)

## Additional Resource:

### 80 - Terre Haute Chamber of Commerce

Learn more about the business community. [terrehautechamber.com](http://terrehautechamber.com)

### 81 - The Station

A business hub for remote workers, entrepreneurs, chefs, and the community. [thestationterrehaute.com](http://thestationterrehaute.com)

### 82 - Terre Haute Convention Center

The Wabash Valley's premier event center. [terrehautecc.com](http://terrehautecc.com)





**District Map:  
Dining & Arts Information**

 Dining

 Arts Resources



# Annual Events

## Haute Hops & Vines Festival - April

Event features unlimited samples & pours from Indiana craft breweries, wineries, & distilleries, food trucks, & artist booths.

## Terre Haute Night Markets - May/October

Downtown night markets that celebrates local businesses, entertainment, culture, and food.

## 6th Street Arts Fest - June

Artists market with entertainment for all ages.

## Dog Days of Summer - August

Sponsored by Team of Mercy/Downtown Terre Haute Annual Dog Days of Summer | Team of Mercy. This event is FREE to the public and will include a dog-friendly foam party, obstacle course, and cooling area along with more fun and food for their humans.

## Plan your visit around one of the district's fun-filled festivals and events!

## Family Learning Day - Vigo County Public Library - September

Great family activities and entertainment happens on the lawn of the Library!

## Indiana State University Homecoming - October

Celebrate ISU with activities including a parade, tailgating, and a football game.

## Haunted Haute - October

Downtown Terre Haute's spookiest night of the year with something for everyone! Trick-or-treat booths along Wabash Avenue from 6th to 9th Street.

## Miracle on 7th Street - December

Festivities include an open air marketplace, miracle christmas trees, gallery openings, a gingerbread house contest, and so much more.





## Points of interest More to see in the district

### Walk of Fame on Wabash

Famous Hauteans' Stars line the sidewalks along Wabash Avenue downtown between 5th and 9th 1/2 Streets.

### Historic Crossroads of America

Find the state historic marker at 7th and Wabash.

### Coke Bottle Sculptures

The 6-foot-tall Coke Bottle sculptures exhibit the pride the community takes in its role in the development of the world-renowned design of the Coca-Cola bottle.

[cokebottlebirthplace.com](http://cokebottlebirthplace.com)

### Historic Landmarks and Architecture

Many buildings in the district have amazing stories and you will also find fascinating architecture—all very walkable! For a virtual look at several of these landmarks visit Vigo County Historical Museum's Youtube channel.



## Points of interest Near the District

### City Parks and Trails

Terre Haute Parks Department owns over 1000 acres of land, including parks, two golf courses, and trails.

[terrehaute.in.gov/departments/parks/parks-information/neighborhood-parks-trails.html](http://terrehaute.in.gov/departments/parks/parks-information/neighborhood-parks-trails.html)

### Wabashiki Fish and Wildlife Area

Composed of 2,600 acres of floodplain along the Wabash River featuring a birder's paradise and miles of hiking trails.

[in.gov/dnr/fish-and-wildlife/properties/wabashiki-fwa/](http://in.gov/dnr/fish-and-wildlife/properties/wabashiki-fwa/)

### County Parks and Trails

Vigo County Parks and Recreation offers many activities including a bike park, swimming, hiking, boating, kayaking, and more.

### Veterans Memorial Museum

Just one block East of the District on Wabash Ave

[veteransmuseumofterrehaute.com](http://veteransmuseumofterrehaute.com)

### C.A.N.D.L.E.S Holocaust Museum and Education Center

Just a short drive south on Highway 41 (3rd Street)

[candleholocaustmuseum.org](http://candleholocaustmuseum.org)

### Fairbanks Park Amphitheater

Just outside the District on the Wabash River

Home to the Terre Haute Community Band's Summer Concerts in the Park and other special events.

[terrehautecommunityband.org](http://terrehautecommunityband.org)

### Muse Art

1363 Wabash Ave

[museartterrehaute.com](http://museartterrehaute.com)



# Arts Education

Get enriched through the arts!

Looking to tap into your own creativity or spark an interest in the creative arts for your child? There are many opportunities to do just that in the district. Here are few to check out:

## Indiana State University Community School of the Arts

Provides high quality performing and fine arts learning experiences, enriching the lives of those who live in the Wabash Valley no matter their age, economic circumstances, and ability levels.

[statecsa.indstate.edu](http://statecsa.indstate.edu)

## Swope Art Museum

Summer Art Studio, Second Saturday Art Studio, Art Start—there are programs for all ages and interests.

[swope.org](http://swope.org)

## Linda Luebke Strings Festival

The Linda Luebke Strings Festival is an annual celebration of string instruments, music education, and the joy of playing music! Open to 5th grade through High School.

[llstringsfest.org](http://llstringsfest.org)

## Vigo County Public Library

Summer Reading Program, Community Reads, Workshops—  
-for all ages

[vigolibrary.org](http://vigolibrary.org)



# Terre Haute

What place is lovelier than Terre Haute:  
The foliage of her many trees,  
That trembles as the cooling breezes float  
Across the grain fields' yellow seas?

The gentle river that caressing sings  
Past shop and mill and waving corn  
Each day some happy inspiration brings;  
Each day a thousand hopes are born.

Here workers wend their way to pleasant homes;  
And students spend romantic days.  
Here lofty spires and gilded domes  
Reach up to touch the sun's first rays.

Here many a youth and maid their faith have kept,  
Labored, lived happily, grown gray.  
Here bolder ones with keener eyes have crept  
To paths where fame and fortune lay.

Vast growing fields and treasures in the ground,  
Art, learning, too, here find abode;  
And many a forward-looking son has found  
The gifts the gods have here bestowed.

What various aspirations man pursues!  
It matters not what visions lure,  
Here may ambition all its talents use;  
Here is the world in miniature.

- Max Ehrmann, 1922





# SWOPE ART MUSEUM

