**Welcome to the Philadelphia Region**

The best way to experience Philadelphia is through its neighborhoods, a collection of streets with their own distinctive characters. There is no single Center City that offers all of the above – you have to hit them all.

**Here is a quick snapshot of what Center City has to offer.**

**Rittenhouse Square**

If people-watching, alfresco dining and organized cocktails are your thing, then a stopover in Rittenhouse Square is a must. At the center of this exclusive neighborhood is Rittenhouse Square, where the people go to laugh and have warm day drinks. For a front-row view of the action, grab a seat at one of the many outdoor restaurants lining the square, followed by shopping at some of the high-end boutiques and shops throughout the neighborhood.

**Washington Square West/Gaylor**

Once overshadowed by neighbors Old City and Rittenhouse Square, Washington Square West now sparkles with its share of trendy shops, spas, bars and restaurants (not to mention the Gayborhood, which falls within its borders). Relax outdoors on a sunny day in laid-back Washington Square Park, stroll in and out of the specialty shops and boutiques lining the streets.

**Northern Liberties**

Don’t Miss: Pre-dating Stonewall, this neighborhood is Rittenhouse Square, where the first gay rights protests took place on the corner of 6th and Chestnut streets. Be sure to take photos of the gay history markers.

**Queen Village/Rittenhouse**

Echette is the only word we have to describe this area of the city, where you’ll find shaggy-haired hipsters in skinny jeans, grandma mums on their way to Whole Foods and bar-bashing locals— all on the same block. Sure, the cars still roll down the street with their stereo blaring on a Saturday night, but South Street is now also home to many hip bars and trendy restaurants, as are the neighboring (and quieter) residential enclaves of Queen Village and Bella Vista.

**Historic Philadelphia**

Philadelphia, bounded by Vine Street to Pine Street and the Waterfront to 7th Street, is where you’ll find left-style living, art galleries and bustling nightlife, and the latter by its cobblestone streets and historic homes. If you’re in the mood to play tourist in the city, head to Independence Mall, where you’ll find the Liberty Bell, Independence Hall and even Ben Franklin. Stay into the evening and enjoy dinner on one of the many neighborhood restaurants and bars. Connecting Society Hill with South Street is Headhouse Square, known for its farmer’s market in warmer months.

**South Street**

Forty steps away from the famous Antique Row is Pine Street.

**Broad Street to the East**

For foodies, all you need in Rocky South Philly today is a vibrant neighborhood that mixes the modern with the traditional. You’ll find some of the best old-school Italian restaurants along-side modern wine bars and brew pubs. Foodies will love exploring the 10 blocks of the open-air Italian Market, where fresh pro- duce, meats, seafood and bakery shops abound. Borders

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