

Things to do in Raleigh, NC

6 museums within 7 miles of the hotel!

Contemporary Art Museum

409 W. Martin St • 919-513-0946 • 4.4

Dr. M.T. Pope House Museum

511 S. Wilmington St. • 919-996-2220 • 5 miles

Legends of Harley Drag Racing Museum

1126 S. Saunders St • 919-832-2261 • 5.3 miles

North Carolina Museum of Art

2110 Blue Ridge Rd • 919-839-NCMA • 6.9 miles

North Carolina Museum of History

5 E. Edenton St • 919-807-7900 • 4.5 miles

City of Raleigh Museum

220 Fayetteville St • 919-996-2220 • 4.5 miles

Historical sites 5 miles or less from the hotel

Andrew Johnson Birthplace

1001 Wake Forest Rd • 2.8 miles

City Market

220 Wolfe St • 919-821-8023 • 4.7 miles

Haywood Hall House and Gardens

211 New Bern Pl • 919-832-8357 • 3.8 miles

Historic Raleigh Trolley Tours

1 Mimosa St • 919-857-4364 • 2.9 miles

Walnut Creek Wetland Center

905 Peterson St • 919-831-1960 • 5.4 miles

Shopping!

The hotel offers a free shuttle to the North hills shopping center. The mall offers shopping, restaurants, spas, and even free concerts just minutes from the hotel.

Breweries

Beltline Brew Tours

505 West Jones St • 919-285-1228 • 4 miles

Crank Arm Rickshaw

404 Columbia Dr • 919-291-0643 • 2.8 miles

J & L Carriage

919-915-0378

Jordan Lake Guided Pontoon Boat Tours

(Fantastic Birding tour) • 1016 Winwood Dr Cary, NC 27511 • 919-319-7299 • 15.5 Miles

North Carolina Railroad Museum & New Hope Valley Railway

5121 N. Daisey St New Hill, NC • 919-362-5416 • 26.2 miles

BEST OF CATEGORY

Printing & Imaging Association of MidAmerica (PIA) held its annual Graphics Excellence Awards Gala on Friday, April 26, 2013, in Dallas, TX to honor excellence in the graphics and printing industries. Printing companies from Kansas, Oklahoma, western Missouri and Texas submitted entries in 64 categories to compete for the coveted award "Best of Category."

PIA is a regional trade association whose headquarters is in Dallas and a regional office is based in Kansas City. PIA MidAmerica represents the world's largest printing trade association, with approximately 700 member firms regionally and 8,000 nationally. Membership is more than three times the size of any other association in this industry and incorporates a broad group of firms ranging from the franchise quick printer to the largest publicly held companies.

The American Federation of Aviculture's magazine, *The AFA Watchbird*, was entered into the Printing and Imaging Association



of MidAmerica's Graphex 2013, competition. This is the third year the *AFA Watchbird* has competed and won! The category the *Watchbird* is entered into is the heavily competed, color magazine series. Entries were judged not only on the execution of the printing, but also on excellence in the elements of design.

Jason Tuggle, president of 360 Press Solutions, commented at the show, "Winning awards is a great high for our customers as well as for our employees. Our employees'

teamwork really shines throughout the year and the awards reflect on their ability to produce complicated, high quality printed pieces, such as this. 360 Press Solutions is coming up on its fourth anniversary and our business has continued to grow. We may be a young company, but we have several senior pressmen with decades of experience and knowledgeable account people who can navigate their way around a press."

Tuggle continued "One of our magazines, *The American Federation of Aviculture's, Watchbird*, has won best magazine series for an amazing 3 years in a row. We strive to make our customer expectations a reality, and they reward us with great comments like 'Wow! You really know how to under-promise and over-deliver!' and 'Thanks for hiring and developing great team members.' This kind of response from our customers makes it all worth it!"

Judges singled out 360 Press Solutions for 32 total awards, with 13 "Best of Category" and one high-ranking Silver award.