

CHAPEL HILL

HILLSBOROUGH & CARRBORO

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10 PLACES TO HAVE A COOL SUMMER DRINK

IN CHAPEL HILL & ORANGE COUNTY, NC



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1. *Crossroads Bar at The Carolina Inn*

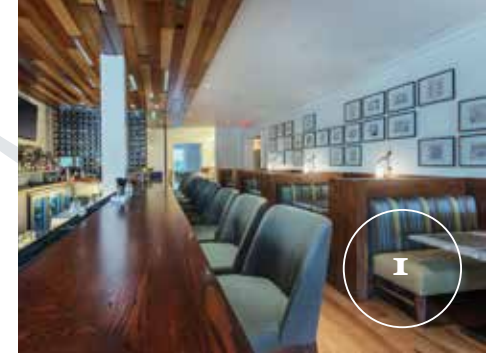
The new look Carolina Inn balances the traditional character of its 1924 architectural bones with modern amenities and clean, contemporary lines. The renovated Crossroads Bar features rich leather club chairs, framed *Daily Tar Heel* illustrations (UNC's newspaper), and a handful of flat-screen TVs for watching the game. Sip creative, handcrafted cocktails inside or on the outdoor patio. 211 Pittsboro Street, Chapel Hill. www.carolinainn.com

2. *Top of the Hill Restaurant and Brewery*

A long favored pub and restaurant where three beers are maintained on tap year round—the Kenan Lager, Old Well White and Ram's Head IPA. Three other taps rotate styles that vary between a total of approximately 20 beers being brewed every year out of 60 TOPO recipes. The restaurant buys meats from a number of these farms, creating a 360 degree local food hub. 100 East Franklin Street, Chapel Hill. www.thetopofthehill.com

3. *The Crunkleton*

Visitors at The Crunkleton can choose from a selection of over 500 distilled spirits, many mixed with the same techniques and ingredients as when they were first popularized. For beer lovers, The Crunkleton offers 12 various styled beers on draft and a solid selection of bottled beers. The wine choices include pours by the glass and bottle. 320 West Franklin Street, Chapel Hill. www.thecrunkleton.com





4. *Steel String Brewery*

Located in a bustling section of Carrboro, Steel String Brewery is a hot hops mecca of the Triangle Area. Try a variety of pale ales, porters, saisons and IPAs. This summer try the Beachmania with lemon and vanilla bean and the Weary Blues with local blueberries. 106A South Greensboro Street, Carrboro. www.steelstringbrewery.com

5. *Glasshalfull*

Next door to Steel String Brewery, restaurant-wine bar-bottle shop Glasshalfull offers a rotating selection of nearly 300 wines from around the world. Relax at the marble bar for 3 oz. tasting flights, 5 oz. glasses of exotic pours and see where the night takes you. 106 South Greensboro Street, Carrboro. www.glasshalfullcarrboro.com

6. *Honeysuckle Tea House*

One of those hidden gems with a large open air wood frame structure situated on top of four shipping containers tucked away in rural Chapel Hill. It has a great tranquil vibe and is surrounded by several acres of land with 72 raised cedar herb-beds, a green house and a six acre berry and Camellia farm. 8871 Pickards Meadow Road, Chapel Hill. www.honeysuckleteahouse.com

7. *Mystery Brewing Public House*

If you want seasonally appropriate, hand-made, artisanal ales and lagers, come chill at this brewpub in West Hillsborough. Never a cover, weekend live music and a real favorite local hangout. There are about 20 taps so there is bound to be something everyone would like. 230 South Nash Street, Hillsborough. www.mysterybrewing.com

8. *The Wooden Nickel*

This pub on Churton Street in Hillsborough is a communal gathering place for all to converge and enjoy fine drinks, food and conversation that flows on into the night. With a welcoming atmosphere to match, the Wooden Nickel features some of the best characters and the best wings that you'll find anywhere around. 105 N Churton Street, Hillsborough. www.thewnp.com

9. *Calavera in Carrboro*

You can enjoy two things, empanadas and tequila! Located at 370 East Main Street around the corner from Cat's Cradle, you can choose from 13 varieties of savory and sweet empanadas and up to 70 tequilas and mezcals, plus whatever exotics they have in that week. www.calaveraempanadas.com

10. *Carolina Brewery*

Since 1995, Carolina Brewery has been providing award winning handcrafted beers on Franklin Street including pale ale, amber ale, golden ale, IPA and Porters. There are seasonal beers, anniversary and other specialties to choose from. Stop in this favorite local pub and restaurant and cool down with some of the most favored micro-brew beers in the area. 460 West Franklin Street, Chapel Hill. www.carolinabrewery.com



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