

COMPANION TOUR

Tuesday, March 18, 2008

Our second touring day will consist of a bus trip to **SouthPark Mall**, Charlotte's luxury shopping destination with an optional tour of the **Mint Museum of Craft + Design** following your time at the mall.

9:15 am - Bus departs for **SouthPark**

Lunch - On your own at one of the mall's fine restaurants (Cost not included in fee).

2:15 pm - Bus departs for uptown

3:00 pm - 4:15 Optional stop at Museum

3:15 - First return to The Westin

4:30 pm - Final return to The Westin

(An "early" Westin drop-off is available for any who choose to not participate in the visit to the Museum.)



*SouthPark
Mall Highlights*

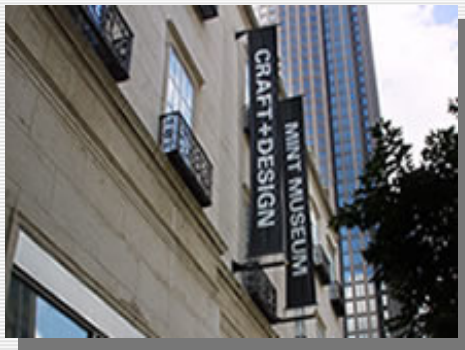
As the Carolinas' premier shopping destination, **SouthPark** offers an experience like no other. **SouthPark** is home to one of two Nordstroms in the Carolinas, and is now home to the first Neiman Marcus in the region and the first full-line Crate & Barrel store! BCBG Max Azria, Billy Reid, Hermes, Juicy Couture and Ralph Lauren are now open in the Neiman Marcus wing.

The mall is over 1.5 million square feet and has some of the nation's trendiest restaurants - The Cheesecake Factory, Maggiano's Little Italy, Morton's Steakhouse, and McCormick & Schmick's. Avid shoppers can also rest and relax in the food court and enjoy an inexpensive lunch from a variety of offerings.

SouthPark offers several other exclusive stores, including Apple, Bob Ellis Shoes, Burberry, Cole Haan, Frontgate, Kate Spade, Janie and Jack, Kenneth Cole, Lacoste, Lindt Chocolate, Louis Vuitton, MontBlanc, Sigrid Olsen, St. John, Sur La Table, Tiffany & Co., Tommy Bahama, and Tumi.

COMPANION TOUR (continued)
Tuesday Afternoon
March 18, 2008

*Mint Museum of
Craft + Design*



After your visit to SouthPark, another opportunity is available for those who choose to continue. The bus will drop you off at the downtown **Mint Museum of Craft + Design** at **3:00 pm** and returns at **4:15 pm** to pick you up for your return to The Westin.

The **Mint Museum of Craft + Design** features a permanent collection that documents contemporary studio craft and its relationship to decorative arts and industrial design. The techniques and inspiration of artists throughout the world are showcased in collections of ceramics, fiber, glass, metal and wood. Since its inception in 1999, the **Mint Museum of Craft + Design** has earned international recognition for the exceptional quality, range and distinction of its growing collections.

Described as edgy, colorful, exciting, and energetic, this is a tour you don't want to miss.

Mint Museum of Craft + Design

220 North Tryon Street

