

Retail Therapy

The shopping in Grapevine is as varied as it is cosmopolitan. **BY SALLY VERRANDO**

Grapevine treasures its historic roots and thriving community created by dedicated local business owners and residents. Some of the buildings on Main Street were built in the late 1800s. They've been repurposed over the decades, formed into a historic district and now, serving as home to many bustling small businesses. Be sure to also explore further out in Grapevine where many more retail jewels can be found.

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PAINTED TREE BOUTIQUE

PAINTEDTREE.COM/STORES/GRAPEVINE-TEXAS

Row after row of 250 boutique vendor booths greet visitors at Grapevine Towne Center. Choose from a unique selection of handcrafted jewelry and other carefully curated finds. Make a statement with home and holiday décor, stylish clothing and alluring accessories. One-stop shop seven days a week.



GOOD THINGS FOR ALL SEASONS

GOODTHINGSFORALLSEASONS.COM

Holiday spirit lives year-round with Department 56 Christmas villages, Old World ornaments and other seasonal décor. Look for two open houses: one in September, when Department 56 artists sign village pieces, and one in November, when visitors get a sneak peek at all the new Christmas goodies.



TALKING ANIMALS BOOKS

TALKINGANIMALSBOOKS.COM

Books, toys and games for all ages create a vibrant literary experience in this women-owned bookstore. Cozy up in the newly renovated lounge for community gatherings and events almost daily, including story time for kids, book clubs and presentations by local authors. The store offers new, used and special-order books.

WILLOW COTTAGE

WILLOWCOTTAGESHOP.NET

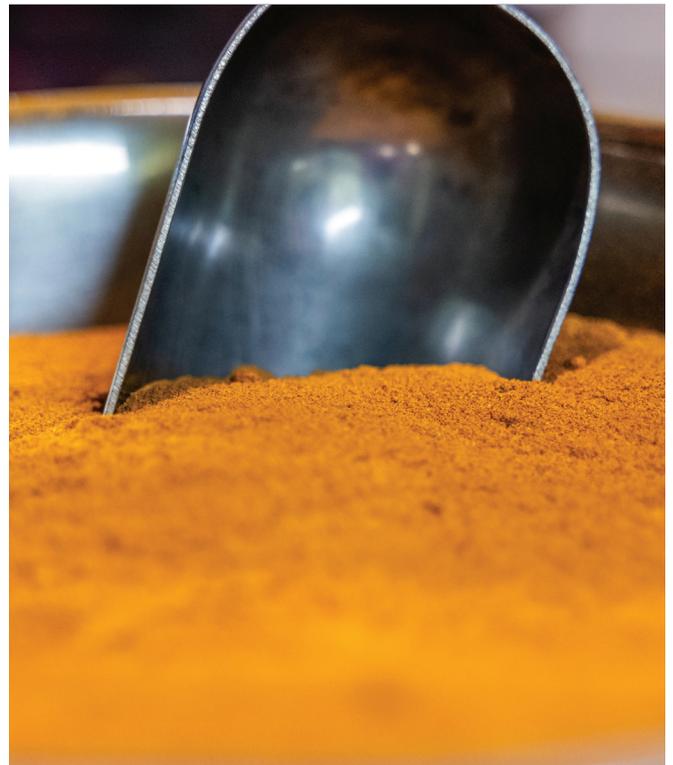
The latest transformation of this shop is as the dedicated party and pop-up space for entrepreneurs who are ready to launch. Other recent additions are nifty travel accessories. Still stocked are plenty of classics like soaps and body care products, clothing and seasonal items, many from women-owned businesses.



KARMA HANDICRAFTS

KARMAHANDICRAFTS.COM

Going for a boho look? There's nothing more authentic than handmade clothing from Nepal, paired with a gossamer scarf and a multicolored bag made of hemp fibers. Tibetan prayer flags, singing bowls and hand-rolled incense set the scene for creating good karma.



SPICE & TEA EXCHANGE OF GRAPEVINE

SPICEANDTEA.COM/TSTORE/GRAPEVINE

Select from specially blended tea leaves to make the visit special. Known for its 85 hand-blended seasonings, dry rubs and marinades, this shop will have cooks fricasseeing like gourmet chefs in no time. The store also offers special sugars, salts, gifts and more.



BRIGAY'S UNIQUE GOODS

817-410-2770

The soft scent of incense greets shoppers looking for some positive vibes. Moroccan mosaic lamps hang together in a kaleidoscope of colors. Polished crystals and stones unearthed from around the world, jewelry, candles, singing bowls, macrame wall hangings, tarot cards and more unique wonders await.



BAM! BOOKS-A-MILLION

BOOKSAMILLION.COM

Known for its extensive kids' section, this Grapevine Mills shop offers more than just books. Shoppers will also find pop culture collectibles, vinyl records, toys, games and puzzles. Authors' book signings also happen frequently.

VETRO GLASSBLOWING STUDIO

VETROARTGLASS.COM

The ancient art of glassblowing thrives at Vetro—Italian for “glass.” Professional glassblowers create exquisite pieces sold in the gallery or custom-ordered. Learn the art and science of glassblowing through one-on-one workshops, private events or public classes where you can make seasonal ornaments, paperweights and flared bowls.





ROSES ON THE VINE

ROSESONTHEVINE.COM

This boutique for all ages has a Tex-clectic, vintage vibe from “upcycled” cowboy boots for men and women to the hat bar, where customizing is très chic, y’all. You’ll also find clothing, jewelry, accessories, kid stuff, souvenirs and gourmet treats—all under one roof.

FIRST-RATE, SECONDHAND

Known by different names—recycling, repurposing, upcycling, thrifting, consigning—the secondhand market has grown in popularity. Whether it’s clothing and accessories, home goods and entertainment or books and art, shopping secondhand is sensible, both economically and environmentally. Check out these spots for unique feel-good finds.

GRACEful Buys

gracegrapevine.org

Grapevine Antique Market

gvamarket.com

Grapevine Consignment Market

grapevineconsignment.com

Grapevine Guitar Loft: Guitarasaur Guitars & Ukles

grapevineguitars.com

Kiss It Good Buy Furniture Consignment

kissitgoodbuy.net

Molee Bass Antiques & Art

214-695-7043



GRAPEVINE’S MARKET ON MAIN

GRAPEVINEMARKETONMAIN.COM

Fourth-generation owner David Wood says his store is “wider and brighter” as he keeps improving his 100-year-old historic building. Aisles are wider to accommodate more visitors for the 20 one-of-a-kind small business vendors of clothing, jewelry, home décor, art and more.



GRAPEVINE OLIVE OIL COMPANY

GRAPEVINEOLIVEOILCOMPANY.COM

This independent store carries a unique assortment of special blends of olive oils made in Texas, California and Europe as well as balsamic vinegars; locally roasted coffee beans, spices, specialty foods and accessories to make that little get-together memorable and classic. The store also offers free tastings.