

# College Park Business Beat

October 2013

## RECENT OPENINGS

Pizza Kingdom	Downtown	4439 Lehigh Rd	Quick Service Restaurant
Slices Pizza Co.	Downtown	7313-C Baltimore Ave	Quick Service Restaurant
Terrapin's Turf	Downtown	4410 Knox Rd	Bar & Grill
Sign Expert and Printing	Upper Midtown	9651 Baltimore Ave	Graphic Design Store

## RECENT CLOSINGS

Lime Fresh Mexican Grill	Downtown	7419 Baltimore Ave	Quick Service Restaurant
Panda Chinese	Downtown	4439 Lehigh Rd	Quick Service Restaurant
Roti Mediterranean Grill	Lower Midtown	8150 Baltimore Ave	Quick Service Restaurant
Seven Seas	Lower Midtown	8503 Baltimore Ave	Full Service Restaurant
Dominican Hands Salon	Upper Midtown	9651 Baltimore Ave	Hair Salon

## COMING ATTRACTIONS

Unnamed Coffee Shop	Berwyn	5008 Berwyn Rd	Coffee Shop	Early 2014
7-11	Downtown	7201 Baltimore Ave	Convenience Store	Late 2013
Terrapin Pizza Mart	Downtown	7412 Baltimore Ave	Quick Service Restaurant	Late 2013
Verizon Wireless	Downtown	7201 Baltimore Ave	Phone Service Retailer	Late 2013
Denny's	Lower Midtown	8424 Baltimore Ave	Diner	Late 2013
*Kangnam Korean BBQ	Lower Midtown	8503 Baltimore Ave	Full Service Restaurant	Early 2014
Nawaabsaab Kabobs	Lower Midtown	8900 Baltimore Ave	Quick Service Restaurant	Late 2013
*Peg Leg Vintage Goods	Upper Midtown	9600 Baltimore Ave	Furniture Store	Late 2013
*Roja Barber Shop	Upper Midtown	9213 Baltimore Ave	Barber Shop	Late 2013
Casey's Coffee	West Campus	3711 Campus Dr	Coffee Shop	Late 2013
Gateway Newstands	West Campus	3711 Campus Dr	Convenience Store	Late 2013
Subway	West Campus	3711 Campus Dr	Quick Service Restaurant	November 2013
Tutti Frutti Frozen Yogurt	West Campus	3711 Campus Dr	Yogurt Shop	November 2013

\* New to the Coming Attractions section

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# New Business Spotlight

## Slices Pizza Co.

Now Open at 7313-C Baltimore Avenue

Open since late August in Downtown, Slices Pizza Co. offers over a dozen varieties of pies along with paninis, salads, and the unique pizza logs, which are stuffed pretzels. The menu focuses on fresh ingredients including secret recipe dough that is made from scratch daily. Additionally, Slices uses locally-sourced vegetables whenever possible.



## Pizza Kingdom

Now Open at 4439 Lehigh Road

Replacing student-favorite Panda Chinese, Pizza Kingdom joins the pizza slinging fray in Downtown with their second location in the area (the other is near Catholic University in the District). Beyond a variety of pizza options in both slice and whole pie sizes, the restaurant offers pasta dishes, overstuffed subs, wings, strombolis, salads and more.

## Terrapin's Turf

Now Open at 4410 Knox Road

The long-awaited opening of Terrapin's Turf took place in early October in the former Santa Fe space. The venture is a sports bar & grill by day that morphs into a nightlife spot complete with VIP lounges and live music in the evening. The business additionally features an outdoor patio for patrons to enjoy a meal or drink along Knox Road.



## Peg Leg Vintage Goods

Opening Soon at 9600 Baltimore Avenue

It's not often that a furniture store opens in College Park, but Peg Leg Vintage Goods will provide shoppers with an assortment of furnishings from many different eras and styles. Items available will include furniture, wall art, accessories, lighting and more. Renovations of the former auto parts shop are currently underway and the store should be open before the end of the year.

# News & Notes

## Downtown College Park Farmers Market

Sundays, 10:00am - 2:00pm at City Hall

Open through Sunday, November 17th, the market hosts an expanded roster of vendors, including a bakery and orchard, with an emphasis on locally-grown produce.

Live music and an oversized chess game are regular features. For more information on the market please visit its [page](#) on Shop College Park. Free parking is available in the Downtown garage on Sundays!



## Hollywood Farmers Market

Saturdays, 8:00am - 12:00pm at 9801 Rhode Island Ave.

Organized by residents of College Park, the market is in its first year of operation in the Hollywood Shopping Center (MOM's/REI) parking lot.

Available items include local produce, coffee and tea, baked goods, crafts, and even popsicles. For more information on the market please visit its [website](#). The market season ends Saturday, November 23rd.



## Retail Business Improvement Fund

Grant Program to Assist Existing Local Businesses

This new initiative replaces the former sign grant program and reimburses locally-owned businesses for facade and interior improvements. Applicants are eligible for a 50/50 matching grant not to exceed \$5,000. Applications are due November 15th and will be ranked on various criteria including length of operation, amount of private investment, and several other factors.