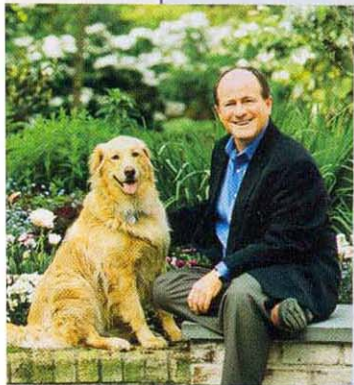


## inside scoop ... greensboro, north carolina

**Chip Callaway**, who owns the garden and landscape design firm Callaway & Associates (122 East Fisher Ave., 336/274-8325), lives and gardens at his two turn-of-the-century bungalows in historic Fisher Park in downtown Greensboro. Here, he unveils the town's gems and shares his favorite places.



The **Greensboro Farmers' Curb Market** (501 Yanceyville St., 336/373-2402) tops his list. "People come to see old friends, meet new ones, and discuss food with fellow gourmets and farmers," he says. A charming cottage garden and friendly Jack Russell terriers welcome you at **Randy McManus Designs** (18 Battleground Ct., 336/691-0051). "I have visited virtually every great garden store in the world and have never found a place better than this," says Callaway.

Find unique treasures at **Caroline Faison Antiques** (18 Battleground Ct., 336/272-0261). "Caroline travels the world, primarily Europe, to stock her beautifully decorated shop," he says. Be sure to stop by historic **South Elm Street**, where a dozen or so choice shops have "everything from European antiques to vintage furniture," says Callaway. Chat with artists and collectors at **Lyndon St. Artworks** (205 Lyndon St., 336/370-0025), an artist co-op and gallery.

For sophisticated food in a relaxed atmosphere, try **Southern Lights Bistro** (105 North Smyres Pl., 336/379-9414). **Green Valley Grill** (622 Green Valley Rd., 336/854-2015) offers gourmet fare and an outdoor dining area. "It's a great place for after-theater or late-night dining," says Callaway.

Stay at **O.Henry Hotel** (624 Green Valley Rd., 336/854-2000), adjacent to Green Valley Grill and the shops of **Friendly Center**, an open-air shopping village.

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