

Eat Like a Local

Top Recommended
Restaurants

Resort Dining

The logo for Bella Vista Restaurant features the name "Bella Vista" in a large, elegant, black cursive script. Below it, the word "RESTAURANT" is written in a smaller, gold, all-caps sans-serif font. The logo is set against a white background with a dark grey L-shaped graphic element at the bottom right.

Bella Vista
RESTAURANT

Bella Vista Restaurant is Santa Barbara's most beautiful premier al fresco oceanfront dining experience. With panoramic ocean and island views across Montecito's Butterfly Beach, guests will enjoy a contemporary Italian menu showcasing fresh California ingredients inspired by Executive Chef Marco Fossati. The expansive terrace features Italian marble, indoor fireplaces, an outdoor fire pit and a retractable glass roof further create the indoor-outdoor dining experience.

The logo for Tydes is written in a blue, cursive script font. The letters are fluid and connected, with a slight shadow effect. It is positioned on a white background with a dark grey L-shaped graphic element at the bottom right.

Tydes

Overlooking Butterfly Beach, inside the Coral Casino Beach and Cabana Club, Tydes offers intimate indoor and outdoor oceanfront dining exclusively to Resort guests and members of the Club. Located on the historic cabana deck, with panoramic views atop the Pacific Ocean through floor to ceiling windows wrapping the space, Tydes provides a visually inspiring setting for experiencing the most luxurious fare the Resort has to offer. Experience local seafood with Mediterranean flavours and fresh, seasonal preparations created by Executive Chef Marco Fossati and his culinary team.

The logo for Ty Lounge features the letters "TY" in a large, dark blue, stylized script font. Below the letters, the word "LOUNGE" is written in a smaller, gold, all-caps sans-serif font. The logo is set against a white background with a dark grey L-shaped graphic element at the bottom right.

TY
LOUNGE

Ty Lounge invites guests to enjoy signature drinks and classic cocktails in front of the fireplace or on the ocean view terrace around the fire pit. Featuring wall to wall Persian hand-knotted carpets, rondel glass, artfully hand-painted walls and ceilings, the Lounge stirs up feelings of the Spanish Colonial revival of the 1920s for a guest lounging in the leather and nail head chairs. Ever present staff offer a sizeable menu of Spanish tapas by candlelight. Wines include a thoughtful selection of hard-to-find Spanish wines by the glass along with fine local vintages.

The logo for Coral Cafe is written in a gold, cursive script font. The letters are elegant and flowing. It is positioned on a white background with a dark grey L-shaped graphic element at the bottom right.

Coral Cafe

Located on the pool deck of the Coral Casino Beach and Cabana Club, the Coral Café and Bar offers casual poolside café dining and poolside chaise service for guests with access to the Coral Casino pool and club members. The menu offers a selection of classic grill items, salads, burgers, sandwiches, ice cream, shakes, and an extensive children's selection.

Delicious Dinner Choices

California Cuisine

Stonehouse and Plow & Angel at the San Ysidro Ranch

Located in a 19th-century citrus packing house, The Stonehouse features a relaxing lounge with full bar service and a separate dining room with crackling fireplace and creek side views. Guests can dine under the romantic gaze of Southern California's stars on the ocean view deck--a wood-burning fireplace and heated stone flooring provide year-round comfort. The Stonehouse regional cuisine is prepared with a palate of herbs and vegetables harvested from the on-site chef's garden.

900 San Ysidro Ln, Santa Barbara — 805.565.1720 — sanysidroranch.com

Wine Cask

This wine focused restaurant has a menu that embodies the California wine and food scene. You will be welcomed with creative yet familiar cuisine with an extensive list of wines that pair perfectly with each menu item.

813 Anacapa Street, Santa Barbara — 805.966.9463 — www.winecask.com

The Dining Room at Belmond El Encanto

An innovative menu offers contemporary Californian – Coastal cuisine, complemented with gracious service and a side of stunning Santa Barbara views.

800 Alvarado Place, Santa Barbara — 805.770.3530 — www.belmond.com

Opal

After a day of shopping on State Street or before seeing a show downtown, we love to go to Opal. This wonderful restaurant offers an extensive and varied menu, wine list and relaxed ambiance.

1325 State Street, Santa Barbara — 805.966.9676 — www.opalrestaurantandbar.com

Barbareño

Barbareño is a California-style bistro centrally located in downtown Santa Barbara.

Drawing our inspiration from all that is around us, we celebrate California's Central Coast through our cuisine, our space, and our spirit

205 W. Canon Perdido, Santa Barbara — 805.963.9591 — <http://barbareno.com/>

French Cuisine

Bouchon

Bouchon is an intimate, French-inspired wine country restaurant that specializes in pairing the freshest local ingredients with an exclusively Santa Barbara County wine list.

9 W. Victoria Street, Santa Barbara — 805.730.1160 — www.bouchonsantabarbara.com

French Cuisine Continued

Stella Mare's

Housed in a charming old Victorian home, Stella Mare's offers creative California-French cuisine in a cozy setting overlooking the Andree Clark Bird Refuge.

50 Los Patos Way, Santa Barbara — 805.969.6705 — www.stellamares.com

Italian Cuisine

Tre Lune

Tre Lune offers a vibrant restaurant to see and be seen. Located in the lower village of Montecito, Tre Lune's bustling and exciting atmosphere and traditional Italian cuisine never disappoints. They are walking distance from the resort.

1151 Coast Village Road, Montecito — 805.969.2646 — www.trelunesb.com

Ca' Dario

Ca'Dario is a traditional Italian restaurant with a casual, family oriented atmosphere. A favorite for many locals Ca'Dario offers wonderful food with a lively atmosphere.

37 E. Victoria Street, Santa Barbara — 805.884.9419 — www.cadario.net

Olio E Limone

One of our personal favorites for Italian, Olio offers an upscale and intimate Northern Italian restaurant with an inventive menu. Olio also offers two wonderful sister properties, the Olio Pizzeria which offers authentic and delicious pizzas. As well as their new Crudo Bar all located in the same block as the main restaurant in downtown Santa Barbara.

17 W. Victoria Street, Santa Barbara — 805.899.2699 — www.olioelimone.com

Trattoria Mollie

Trattoria Mollie is a local favorite that offers authentic and delicious Italian food prepared fresh by Chef Mollie. She is famous for her meatballs and serves up fresh pastas, fish dishes in a wonderful atmosphere in downtown Santa Barbara.

1218 State Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101 — 805.565.9381 — www.trattoriamollie.com

Mexican Cuisine

Santo Mezcal

Chef Ricardo Garcia presents a modern contemporary Mexican cuisine, rooted in flavors and traditions that also celebrate local and seasonal ingredients from Santa Barbara and surrounding regions. They are available on a walk in basis only.

119 State St, Santa Barbara — 805.883.3593 — www.santomezcal.com

Mexican Cuisine Continued...

Carlitos

The sister restaurant to Cava, Carlitos is located in downtown Santa Barbara, serving authentic cuisine, often featuring live entertainment with patio seating overlooking State Street.

1324 State Street, Santa Barbara — 805.962.7117 — www.carlitos.com

Los Arroyos

Located walking distance from the Resort on Montecito's Coast Village Road, Los Arroyos offers authentic Mexican cuisine with a cozy ambiance and a lovely outdoor patio.

1280 Coast Village Road, Montecito — 805.969.9059 — www.losarroyos.net

Los Agaves

This casual and authentic Mexican restaurant is located on the east side of downtown Santa Barbara. Los Agaves offers an authentic and delicious look at Mexican Cuisine.

600 N Milpas Street, Santa Barbara — 805.564.2626 — <http://www.los-agaves.com/>

Cava

The sister restaurant to Carlitos, Cava is a friendly neighborhood spot with Spanish and Mexican cuisine and a lovely outdoor patio.

1212 Coast Village Road, Montecito — 805.969.8500 — www.cavarestaurant.com

Seafood Cuisine

Bluewater Grill

Get hooked on one of the newest and best in fresh, sustainable seafood. Enjoy a waterfront patio, full bar, happy hour, extensive local wine selection, and the best harbor view in Santa Barbara. Their fish is always the most pristine quality available as they purchase directly from fisherman, in season, at the peak of quality and freshness. Being fishermen at heart, they want to ensure the future availability of seafood and make responsible seafood purchasing a core value of our operation.

15 E Cabrillo Blvd, Santa Barbara — 805.845.5121 — <https://www.bluewatergrill.com>

Lure Fish House

Lure specializes in Mesquite charbroiled seafood offerings and strives to provide locally caught seafood, organically grown local produce and an extensive oyster bar. Lure offers a lively ambiance.

3815 State Street, Santa Barbara — 805.618.1816 — www.lurefishhouse.com

Mediterranean Cuisine

Toma Restaurant

Toma is located along the water on Cabrillo Boulevard. The historic building retains an old world charm, inside and out. The chef creates handcrafted cuisine supporting our local fisherman, farmers, foragers and food artisans. Enjoy their warm atmosphere and delicious Mediterranean cuisine with Italian influences.

324 West Cabrillo Blvd, Santa Barbara — 805.962.0777 — www.tomarestaurant.com

Blackbird

Classic meets contemporary at Hotel Californian's signature restaurant, featuring exquisite Mediterranean-influenced cuisine with an emphasis on Santa Barbara-sourced, hyper-seasonal ingredients. With the Pacific Ocean and the Funk Zone as a backdrop, Blackbird offers a sleek, yet approachable and wholly unpretentious atmosphere with a pulse on contemporary Santa Barbara.

36 State Street, Santa Barbara — 805.882.0100 — <http://www.thehotelcalifornian.com>

Steak House

Lucky's

Lucky's is a favorite for visitors and a staple for locals. It offers diners great food and the chance to rub elbows with local celebrities. Featuring an extensive wine list, this convenient restaurant is a great choice. They are walking distance from the resort.

1279 Coast Village Road, Montecito — 805.565.7540 — www.luckys-steakhouse.com

Holdren's Steak House

Holdren's is a local favorite for steak and seafood in the heart of downtown Santa Barbara. With fresh seafood and great meat, you cannot go wrong with Holdren's.

512 State Street, Santa Barbara — 805.965.3363 — www.holdrens.com

Sushi

Arigato Sushi

Located in the heart of State Street in downtown Santa Barbara, Arigato is a must-try sushi for the avid sushi lover, offering sushi with a creative twist. Available on a walk in basis for dinner only.

1225 State Street, Downtown — 805.965.6074 — www.arigatosantabarbara.com

Sakana

Sakana is a favorite of all local sushi lovers. The casual setting and great selection of rolls makes it the perfect choice for dinner. They are available on a walk in basis for dinner only.

Closed on Mondays.

1046 Coast Village Road, Montecito—805.565.2014

Vegan Cuisine

Oliver's

Oliver's is the newest plant base restaurant in the heart of Coast Village Road. Oliver's offers a healthy, fresh and vibrant menu in a beautiful setting. Oliver's partnered with the local juicer Juice Ranch to bring a local fresh organic taste to their full bar.

1198 Coast Village Road — 805.969.0834 — <https://www.oliversofmontecito.com/>

Mesa Verde

A plant-based cuisine restaurant on the *mesa* in *Santa Barbara* featuring a unique vegan and organic menu with primarily locally harvested ingredients and gluten-free items.

1919 Cliff Drive, Santa Barbara — 805.963.4474 — <http://mesaverderestaurant.com/>

Exotic Cuisine

Bibi Ji

Bibi Ji is not your typical Indian restaurant. They offer unauthentic Indian cuisine that meets Australian fusion with a menu full of local ingredients like Santa Barbara Urchin. Their comprehensive offerings have filled a void in the Indian dining scene giving them credit for pioneering a wave of "New Indian" dining.

734 State Street, Santa Barbara — 805.560.6845 — <https://bibiiisb.com>

Zaytoon

Zaytoon Restaurant is known for their best quality of the authentic Lebanese Cuisine and mostly popular for all Middle Eastern cuisines. Their seating is within a beautiful garden you can enjoy while experiencing the glow of little lights and the warmth of the fires.

209 East Canon Perdido, Santa Barbara — 805.963.1293 — www.zaytoon.com

Delicious Desserts

Lilac Patisserie

A bright and warm bakery with daytime fare, delicious pastries, and Gluten Free options.
1017 State Street, Santa Barbara —805.845.7400 —Lilacpatisserie.com

The Andersen's

Landmark Restaurant serving Danish food with an amazing bakery. Enjoy their Victorian atmosphere while having High Tea, offered every day. Tea reservations are required.
1106 State Street, Santa Barbara —805.962.5085—Andersensantabarbara.com

Crush Cakes Cupcakery

Rotating selection of cupcake creations as well as a breakfast menu and panini selection.
1315 Anacapa Street, Santa Barbara —805.963.9353—crushcakes.com

Late Night Cravings

McConnell's Fine Ice Creams

Longtime Santa Barbara established creamery crafting sustainable ice creams with classic & creative flavors. Open until 11:30pm Friday & Saturday, and 10:30pm Sunday—Thursday.

728 State Street, Santa Barbara —805.962.5085 — Mcconnells.com

Rori's Creamery

Beloved ice cream shop located in both the Public Market and Montecito with naturally inspired flavors. Monday—Sunday 11:30AM—10:00PM

38 W Victoria Street #103, Santa Barbara — 805.845.2223 — rorisartisanalcreamery.com
1024 Coast Village Road, Montecito— 805.770.2246

Creamistry

Hand Crafted Ice Cream made using Liquid Nitrogen. Add extra treats to your creation with several different topping options. Monday—Saturday 12:00PM - 11:00PM, Sunday 12:00PM—10:00PM

935 State Street, Santa Barbara—805.253.7981—creamistry.com

ROY

In business for more than 20 years, **Roy** is a bistro-style with a frequently changing, handwritten menu. They serve high quality, mostly certified organic produce from the local Farmers Market, free range chicken and Harris Ranch hormone free beef.

Monday—Sunday 6:00PM - 12:00AM

7 West Carrillo Street, Santa Barbara — 805.966.5636 — RestaurantRoy.com