



JW MARRIOTT
PHOENIX DESERT RIDGE

| LOCAL RESTAURANT RECOMMENDATIONS |

| AMERICAN |

Anhelo Restaurant

(29 Minutes) \$-\$\$

114 W Adams St., Phoenix, AZ

(602) 596-7745

www.anhelorestaurant.com

Wed-Thurs: 11:30am-3pm & 5pm-9pm

Friday: 11:30am-3pm & 5pm-10pm

Saturday: 5pm-10pm

Sunday: 5pm-9pm

This is a place where they believe in creating an experience that brings people together creating life-long memories. They have created a casual but elegant ambience and environment for anyone who goes there so they feel welcomed and relaxed.

Café Monarch

(31 Minutes) \$\$\$\$

6939 E 1st Ave., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 970-7682

www.cafemonarch.com

Sun-Thurs 5pm-10:30pm

Fri-Sat 5pm-12am

*An elegant dining experience that offers a four-course prix-fixe menu that is continuously changing. Offering a variety of culinary creations that have only premium quality ingredients. Known for their top-notch service and cultivated ambience. This hidden gem is a must-see experience in the heart of historic Old Town Scottsdale. *****Children 10 and up only******

Hush Public House

(18 Minutes) \$\$

14202 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 758-5172

www.hushpublichouse.com

Tues-Sat 5pm-10pm

A fine dining American Restaurant offering a creative menu that they serve through an open kitchen. Their menu offers a variety of meat, seafood and veggie entrees. Chef Dom and GM/Beverage Director, Charles have designed the restaurant with minimal design to keep the focus on food, music and drinks, creating a unique vibe.

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Sel Restaurant

(28 Minutes) \$\$\$\$

7044 E Main St., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 949-6296

www.selrestaurant.com

Tues-Sat 5pm-9pm

A Modern American Restaurant that is operated/owned by Chef Branden and May Levine. This chic restaurant will offer an elegant experience with a white tablecloth space. They have a seasonal changing menu that is balanced but bold.

The Greene House

(12 Minutes) \$\$

15024 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 889-9494

www.foxrestaurantconcepts.com/greenehouse

Sun-Thurs 11am-9pm

Fri-Sat 11am-9:30pm

In keeping with the simplicity of the California Craftsman style, the food at the Greene House will be simple and straightforward. Motivated by the great farms, markets and ranches of California, the menu here will change monthly to display the best of the season. Their produce is locally sourced as well as other items (if possible) & the wine list will feature all California wines.

White Chocolate Grill

(8 Minutes) \$\$\$

7000 E. Mayo Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 563-3377

www.whitechocolategrill.com

Open Daily 11am-9pm

The White Chocolate Grill is a contemporary American restaurant. They offer a diverse menu of classic American fare; made from scratch using only the highest quality ingredients. As well as a selection of house-made, white chocolate and other desserts.

| ASIAN/JAPANESE/SUSHI |

Kasai Asian Grill

(15 Minutes) \$\$

14344 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 607-1114

www.kaisascottsdale.com

Tues-Thurs 3pm-9:30pm

Fri-Sat 3pm-10:30pm

Sun 4pm-9:30pm

An Asian dining experience comprised of teppanyaki, Asian fusion and sushi. The talented chefs at the teppanyaki tables prepare a 7- course meal with flair for guests or enjoy an Asian meal at a regular table.

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Nori Sushi

(5 Minutes) \$\$

5310 E High Street, Phoenix, AZ

(480) 494-5147

www.noriaz.com

Sun-Thurs 11:30am-10pm

Fri-Sat 11:30am-11pm

Nori Sushi is an upscale-casual restaurant that offers excellent sushi and Asian cuisine. Whether you are in the mood for a specialty sushi roll, Chilean sea bass, or one of their noodle dishes, they have you covered. Enjoy their extensive sake list, specialty cocktails, and local beers on tap. Enjoy on their spacious patio or their inside/outside bar.

Pure Sushi

(12 Minutes) \$\$

20567 N Hayden Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 355-0999

www.puresushibar.com

Mon-Sat 11am-10pm

Sunday 11am-9pm

The atmosphere at Pure is sleek, modern and inviting. Dark, hand-scraped wood floors contrast the light walls, and a comfortable outdoor seating area makes for an inviting spot on cool nights. Pure Sushi's extensive menu includes creative house specialties.

Sizzle Korean Barbecue

(5 Minutes) \$\$\$

21001 N Tatum Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 265-9406

www.sizzlekoreanbbq.com

Open daily from 11:30am-12am.

At Sizzle Korean BBQ, your food is prepared right at your table so gather your friends and family for a new and adventurous dining experience ensuring centuries of classic Korean techniques at a fine dining level. It begins by choosing from a selection of the best local meats available; then they cook it up on a traditional Korean grill. Immerse yourself with endless unique flavors.

| FRENCH |

Zinc Bistro

(12 Minutes) \$\$-\$\$\$

15034 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 603-0922

www.zincbistroaz.com

Sun-Thurs 11am-9pm

Fri-Sat 11am-10pm

A New York Style Parisian Bistro that offers a romantic garden patio secluded deep in the restaurant, lit by candles during the evening, creating an unforgettable ambiance, or a relaxing atmosphere near the fountain in the afternoon.

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ITALIAN

Isabella's Kitchen

(14 Minutes) \$\$

8623 E Thompson Peak Pkwy., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 502-3100

www.grayhawkgolf.com/dining-overview/isabellas-kitchen/

Open daily 11am-10pm

Featured at the Grey Hawk Golf Club, Isabella's offers an elegant but modest dining experience. Exclusively offering Italian cuisine and wine that is rustic. It overlooks the McDowell Mountains and the Talon Golf Course with an outdoor patio wrapping all around the restaurant for breathtaking views.

North Italia

(12 Minutes) \$\$

15024 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 948-2055

www.northitalia.com

Mon-Thurs 11am-9:30pm

Fri-Sat 11am-10:30pm

Sunday 11am-9pm

Modern Northern Italian Cuisine that has an urban feel, with sleek interior. The carefully thought out menu highlights unique antipasti which reflects the best of the season, wood fired pizzas, inventive pasta dishes and second that feature many wood roasted and grilled dishes.

PINO

(15 Minutes) \$\$

7000 E Mayo Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 513-7466

www.pizzapino.us

Open daily 10am-9pm

A delicious Neighborhood Italian Restaurant that serves wood-fired pizza, pasta and homemade artisanal dishes. A perfect spot for couples looking for a cozy private but yet romantic environment to enjoy a nice Italian meal.

Spiga Cucina

(10 Minutes) \$\$-\$\$\$

7500 E Pinnacle Peak Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 513-9000

www.spigaaz.com

Tues-Sun 11am-9pm

Serves up fresh takes on classic regional Italian fare, all with a smoky, wood-fired twist. Handcrafted by Executive Chef Martinez. Expect hearty, house-made meals that will give you so much variety to select.

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Tutti Santi by Nina

(12 Minutes) \$\$\$-\$

6339 E Greenway Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 951-3775

www.tuttisanti.com

Sun-Thurs 4:30pm-10pm

Fri-Sat 4:30pm-11pm

Since 1996, Tutti Santi by Nina has been proud to provide the finest food, atmosphere, and hospitality amongst the valley's finest restaurants. Chef Nina Vincenti's style of cuisine and renowned sauces are of such unique flavor and have gained world-wide recognition all over the United States, as well as abroad. Perfect for families or a special romantic occasion.

| MEXICAN |

Barrio Queen

(4 Minutes) \$\$

21001 N Tatum Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 466-7445

www.barrioqueen.com

Sun-Thurs 11am-10pm

Fri-Sat 11am-11pm

An award-winning restaurant that offers Authentic Southern Mexican Cuisine and culture. They use top-notch ingredients and everything is homemade. Their dining experience offers a unique atmosphere and is themed with Day of the Dead Décor.

Jalapeno Inferno

(10 Minutes) \$\$\$-\$

23587 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale

(480) 585-6442

www.jalapenoinferno.com

Sun-Thurs 11am-9pm

Fri-Sat 11am-9:30pm

Family owned restaurant that serves authentic Mexican and Sonoran cuisine. Specialties include made-from scratch tortillas, chicken tortilla soup and the signature green Chile sauce. Check out their amazing selection of tequilas.

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The Mission Kirkland

(12 Minutes) \$\$\$

7122 E Greenway Pkwy Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 636-5005

www.themissionaz.com

Sun-Wed 11am-9pm

Thurs-Sat 11am-10pm

Chef, Carter, skillfully prepares modern Latin cuisine using a traditional "Plan" style grill while infusing flavors over pecan and mesquite wood. Blending culinary influences from Spain, Mexico, Central and South America.

| SOUTHWESTERN |

Richardson's Restaurant

(21 Minutes) \$\$

6335 N 16th St., Phoenix, AZ

(602) 265-5886

www.richardsonsnm.com

Mon-Fri 11am-11pm

Sat-Sun 8am-11pm

Specializing in New Mexican Cuisine, Richardson's concept has been around since 1988. Known for their red and green Chile, outstanding wood oven pizzas and for being home to the Original Green Chile Potato. Richardson's menu includes a variety of salads, appetizers, pastas, soup of the day and main entrees. They have extensive wines by the glass and reserve selections.

Soul Café

(10 Minutes) \$\$

7615 E Pinnacle Peak Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 515-6254

www.soulcafescottsdale.com

Tues-Sat 7:30am-9pm

Sunday 7:30am-2pm

Soul Cafe offers a feast for the senses with an eclectic menu of American classics influenced by the flavors and cultures of the American south and southwest. Enjoy Arizona's best breakfast according to Phoenix Magazine.

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| STEAK/SEAFOOD |

Eddie V's Prime Seafood

(12 Minutes) \$\$\$-\$\$\$\$

15323 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 730-4800

www.eddiev.com

Sun-Tues 4pm-9pm

Wed-Thurs 4pm-10pm

Fri-Sat 4pm-11pm

This seafood spot offers a menu of fresh fish options, including crab cake, Atlantic salmon, snapper and Chilean sea bass. Steaks, pork chops and chicken are also on the menu. They have a wine room, bar and live music as well to experience.

Dominick's Steakhouse

(12 Minutes) \$\$\$\$

15169 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 272-7271

www.dominickssteakhouse.com

Sun-Thurs 4pm-9pm

Fri-Sat 4pm-10pm

Elegant fine dining with exceptional personal service and a menu featuring prime steaks, fresh seafood, classic Italian, and an extensive wine selection. A Midtown Manhattan classic upscale New York steakhouse with a stunning and energetic atmosphere, they feature live entertainment nightly.

Maestro's Ocean Club

(12 Minutes) \$\$\$\$

15045 N Kierland Blvd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 443-8555

www.mastrosrestaurants.com

Open daily 5pm-10pm

The Valley's most opulent seafood restaurant, Ocean Club, takes seafood to where it has never gone before in this town. The restaurant flies in fish daily from all over the world, going directly into Ocean Club's in-house cutting room.

Maestro's Steakhouse

(12 Minutes) \$\$\$\$

8852 E Pinnacle Peak Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 585-9500

www.mastrosrestaurants.com

Mon-Fri 4:30pm-9pm

Sat-Sun 4:30pm-10pm

Maestro's Steakhouse presents an opulent cosmopolitan, upscale world of dark wood, stone and subdued lighting, offering distinctly intimate ambiance. Relish in the amazing two-tiered iced seafood tower, classic premium steakhouse options, along with delicious side dishes and sinful desserts. Enjoy the piano bar, live music and nightly dancing.

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Ocean Prime

(5 Minutes) \$\$\$

5455 E High St., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 347-1313

www.oceanprimephoenix.com

Sun-Thurs 4pm-9pm

Fri-Sat 4pm-10pm

With the feel of a modern all-American supper club, Ocean Prime displays a large selection of prime seafood, steaks, as well as handcrafted cocktails and excellent wines. In addition to their private dining rooms, they feature a stylish outdoor terrace, a piano bar and a cocktail lounge.

The Americano

(10 Minutes) \$\$\$

17797 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 573-0001

www.theamericanorestaurant.com

Sun, Tues-Thurs 4pm-9pm

Friday-Sat 4pm 10pm

An Italian-inspired steakhouse located in the heart of North Scottsdale. They have a menu that offers selections including fine steaks, prime and American Wagyu beef, pasta (freshly made), organic salads, Italian antipasti, and Mediterranean seafood that includes Italian crudi. Their dining room offers a sophisticated and artsy vibe, designed with custom art and sculptures. You will have front and center views of their open kitchen, as well as Chef Conant team's nightly display.

★ | VEGETARIAN FRIENDLY |

Pita Jungle

(5 Minutes) \$\$

20910 N Tatum Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 473-2321

www.pitajungle.com

Open daily 11am-9pm.

Colorful ambiance and a fun, youthful atmosphere attract everyone from starving students to health conscious professionals for vegan, vegetarian, or just those with a taste for Mediterranean cuisine. Patrons graze on a wide variety of salads, wraps and, yes, pitas. Specialties include healthy, meatless burgers, pita pizzas, hummus, blue corn nachos, and crepes.



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True Food Kitchen

(12 Minutes) \$\$-\$\$\$

15191 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 265-4500

www.foxrc.com/restaurants/true-food-kitchen

Mon–Thurs 11am–9pm.

Fri 11am–10pm

Sat 10am–10pm

Sun 10am–9pm

At True Food Kitchen, they believe simple, fresh, pure ingredients create the most satisfying and memorable dining experiences. Even though the menu may have a ton of nutritious vegetables, whole grains, and proteins items, each dish will have a ton of flavor. Additionally, they offer 13 vegetarian, 5 vegan, and 10 gluten-free items on their menu.

| WINE BARS |

Sorso Wine Room

(14 Minutes) \$\$

15323 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 951-4344

www.sorsowineroom.com

Open Daily 11am–10pm

A chic wine bar with over 150 wine selections to choose from, specialty cocktails and craft beers. Their menu has different options for appetizers and small bites to pair perfectly with your wine or beverage of choice. Sorso offers a contemporary environment for a new, vibrant but yet historic atmosphere. This is a perfect place to wine and dine comfortably with friends.

Kazimierz Wine & Whiskey Bar

(26 Minutes) \$\$

7137 E Stetson Dr., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 946-3004

www.kazbarscottsdale.com

Wednesday–Thurs 6pm–12am

Fri–Sat 6pm–1am

An awe-inspiring speakeasy located in historic heart of Old Town Scottsdale. Kazimierz offers over 100 varieties of wine and over 300 types of whiskey. Their menu adds eclectic selections for food to pair with live Jazz and Latin music. The perfect place to spend a weekend night with a unique vibe for everyone to enjoy.

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Postino's Wine Café

(12 Minutes) \$\$

7030 E Greenway Pkwy., Scottsdale, AZ

(602) 899-1111

www.postinowinecafe.com

Mon-Thurs 11am-11pm

Friday: 11am-12am

Saturday: 9am-12am

Sunday: 9am-10pm

Originating in Arizona, Postino is the Valley's original neighborhood Wine Cafe. Set in comfortable, rustic and immaculately restored buildings, each Postino combines unique and approachable wines with simple, delicious and locally grown fare.

| COCKTAIL BARS |

Pigtail's Desert Ridge

(4 Minutes) \$-\$\$\$

21001 N Tatum Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 534-5657

www.pigtailscocktails.com

Mon-Thurs 4pm-12am

Friday 4pm-2am

Saturday 2pm-2am

Sunday 2pm-10pm

A local speakeasy and cocktail bar that is located at Desert Ridge offering exceptional cocktails, small bites and a raw oyster bar. They have created a very cozy and natural ambience with a living wall covered in real plants and a hidden bookshelf exit. Making Pigtails a unique and one of kind place to be.

Citizen's Public House

(26 Minutes) \$\$\$

7111 E 5th Ave., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 398-4208

www.citizenpublichouse.com

Open Daily 4pm-10pm

The Citizen's Public House was first established back in 2011. Recognized as a Best New Restaurant from a number of publications within their first year opening. A contemporary and upscale pub located in Downtown Scottsdale. Their menu offers creative American dishes that complements their selection of craft beers and cocktails.

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Platform 18 at Century Grand (21+)

(25 Minutes) \$\$\$

3626 E Indian School Rd., Phoenix, AZ

www.centurygrandphx.com/platform18-cocktail-bar

Tues-Sun 4pm-12am

Welcome to Platform 18, this 21+ cocktail bar offers an above and beyond experience that is so unique. When you book a reservation for Platform 18, you will be going on a 90-minute train like adventure through the Rocky Mountains all across the 20th century. The one and only Holli Cottley Pennington will host you on this journey. Holli is not only a bootlegger but also a railroad tycoon. During your adventure, you will enjoy elevated cocktails inspired by worldly flavors and ingredients

| DESSERT SPOTS |

Dessert in Desert

(11 Minutes) \$

18511 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 597-7351

www.dessertindesert.com

Tues-Thurs 2pm-9pm

Fri-Sat 1pm-9pm

Sun 12pm-8pm

With an amazing 4.9 star rating, you will expect nothing but great delicious desserts of many kinds that will make you want to keep coming back. This one of a kind dessert spot has a fish shaped cone that is unique to them. Their variety of desserts will include Soft Serve, Snow Milk Flaked Ice, Taiyaki (Japanese fish-shaped cake), Cotton Cheesecake and so much more.

Frost Gelato Kierland

(17 Minutes) \$

15034 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 590-7263

www.frostgelato.com

Mon-Thurs 11am-10pm

Fri-Sat 11am-11pm

Sunday 11am-10pm

Modern dessert spot with a winter wonderland atmosphere, serving classic and a variety of flavors of handcrafted gelato (made fresh daily), sorbet and specialty coffee drinks. They have so many choices and offer a variety of different flavors.

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Paris Rendez-vous

(3 Minutes) \$

21001 N Tatum Blvd., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 404-6378

www.paris-rendezvous.com

Mon-Thurs 12pm-6:30pm

Fri-Sat 12pm-9:30pm

Sunday 12pm-6pm

Paris Rendez-vous is a French-based Pastry shop offering a variety of different kinds of dessert and specialty beverages. They have an indoor-outdoor seating option while you enjoy classic pastries and drinks in a France inspired atmosphere. Most of their items are certified natural, have no preservatives, no chemical colors, are gluten free and have no artificial flavoring.

Soda Jerk Co. Milkshake Bar

(3 Minutes) \$

5350 E High St., Phoenix, AZ

(480) 576-7778

www.sodajerkco.com

Mon-Thurs 12pm-10pm

Friday 12pm-11pm

Saturday 11am-11pm

This Dessert spot is one to see. Offering a retro-inspired atmosphere with flashy handcrafted milkshakes, ice cream floats, craft sodas and gourmet hot chocolate. A unique little dessert spot located at High Street and for the whole family to experience and enjoy.

Sugar Bowl

(26 Minutes) \$

4005 N Scottsdale Rd., Scottsdale, AZ

(480) 946-0051

www.oldtownscottsdale.com/sugar-bowl-ice-cream-parlor-restaurant

Open Daily 11am-10pm

The Sugar Bowl is an Ice Cream Parlor/Restaurant that opened back in 1958 and has remained almost entirely unchanged. Not only do they have authentic ice cream treats and a variety of food items but they also have a unique 1950's soda machine and retro arcade games. They are also a part of the Scottsdale's Historic Preservation Registry.