PARK HYATT AVIARA®

RESORT, GOLF CLUB & SPA

Park Hyatt Aviara Recommended Dining

<u>CARLSBAD</u> (10 minutes from Resort)

❖ Argyle Restaurant & Steakhouse ~ Located at our Golf Clubhouse ~ 760-603-6800

Premier steak and chophouse featuring exceptional cuisine, stylish presentation and panoramic views (Open Tues.-Sat.)

❖ Benihana ~ 755 Rain Tree Drive ~ 760-929-8311

Japanese American cuisine, food is prepared tableside, sushi bar, and fun for children, casual attire.

♦ Bistro West ~ 4960 Avenida Encinas ~ 760-930-8008

From pizzas and pastas to burgers and sandwiches, and from braised and rotisserie cooked meats to the freshest fish, the chef has created a knockout menu that serves contemporary comfort food in a modern setting. Family-friendly and a great, casual restaurant.

❖ BJ's Restaurant/Brewhouse ~ 5621 Paseo Del Norte ~ 760-579-4440

Across from the Carlsbad Premium Outlets, BJ's own delicious, innovative spin on your favorite foods, including deep-dish pizzas, salads, sandwiches, pastas, steaks, baby back ribs and so much more.

♦ California Bistro ~ Located on the third floor of the resort ~ 760-603-6800

A light and airy casual restaurant with "al fresco" terraces overlooking the golf course, located inside the Park Hyatt Aviara

❖ Casa de Bandini ~ 1905 Calle Barcelona ~ 760-634-3443

Authentic Mexican restaurant with a lively atmosphere. Mariachis play Wed-Sun. Great chips and salsa

❖ Fresco's Trattoria ~ 264 Carlsbad Village Drive ~ 760-720-3737

A family-friendly Italian restaurant in the heart of downtown Carlsbad with indoor and outdoor seating

❖ King's Fish House ~ 5624 Paseo del Norte ~ 760-431-3474

A casual family style restaurant with a complete seafood menu; across the street from the Premium Outlets.

♦ Las Olas ~ 2939 Carlsbad Blvd ~ 760-434-5850

Mexican cuisine in the heart of Carlsbad Village with a full bar and traditional cuisine (no reservations).

♦ Miguel's Cocina ~ 5980 Avenida Encinias ~ 760-759-1843

Mexican cuisine that encompasses an expertly crafted collection of nearly every Mexican dish possible, fun and colorful ambiance.

♦ Nozomi Japanese Fusion ~ 3050 Pio Pico Dr, Suite A ~ 760-434-1230

Traditional Japanese restaurant offering three levels featuring a wide variety of teas and creative sushi.

❖ Paon, Wine Bar & Fine Specialty Wine Shop ~ 560 Carlsbad Village Drive ~ 760-729-7377

California cuisine with French influences, spotlighting organic prime meats, game and fish

❖ P.F. Changs ~ 5621 Paseo Del Norte~ 760-795-0595

A popular Chinese chain restaurant near the Carlsbad Premium Outlet Mall, casual attire.

❖ Sammy's Woodfired Pizza ~ 5970 Avenida Encinas ~ 760-438-1212

Family-friendly restaurant with creative gourmet pizzas and great salads. Unique selection of tapas.

❖ Vigilucci's Cucina Italia ~ 2943 State Street ~ 760-434-2500

Traditional Italian cuisine in the heart of Carlsbad Village, indoor and outdoor seating, smart-casual attire.

❖ Vigilucci's Steak & Seafood ~ 3878 Carlsbad Boulevard ~ 760-434-2580

A popular Italian steak & seafood restaurant, glass doors open to ocean-view, smart-casual attire.

❖ Vivace ~ Located off the Hotel Lobby (floor 3) ~ Extension 6000

Interpretive Northern Italian cuisine, elegant ambiance, located inside the Park Hyatt Aviara, dressy casual-attire.

❖ West Steak and Seafood ~ 4980 Avenida Encinas ~ 760-930-9100

Elegant high-end steakhouse, beautiful warm atmosphere with a trendy bar

ENCINITAS (10 minutes)

❖ 3rd Corner Wine Shop & Bistro ~ 897 South Coast Highway ~ 760-942-2104

Sophisticated neighborhood restaurant that offers a great selection of 1,000 wines. Great for late-night dining. Closed Mondays.

❖ Blue Fin ~ 257 El Camino Real **~** 760-479-1555

Very authentic sushi with fish flown in daily from Japan. Sushi Chef Sam customizes creations suitable for everyone (Closed on Mondays)

❖ Blue Ribbon Artisian Pizzeria ~ 897 South Coast Highway ~ 760-634-7671

Woodfired Artisian pizza's using all sustainable ingredients with a great wine list and local craft beers. Very cozy atmostphere, they do not take reservations.

♦ Chin's Szechwan Cuisine ~ 625 Encinitas Blvd ~ 760-753-3903

Authentic Szechwan cuisine and seafood served in an intimate setting. Service is great and caters to all dietary needs. Delivers also.

♦ East Village Asian Diner ~ 628 S. Coast Highway~ 760.753.8700

Fresh and flavorful Asian comfort food. Taste dishes from Japan, Korea, China and other regions of Asia.

El Q'Ero ~ 564 S. Coast Highway 101 ~ 760-753-9050

Cozy Peruvian restaurant with a distinct Latin American flavor. Good selection of South American wines. Closed on Sundays & Mondays

❖ Firenze Trattoria ~162 Encinitas Blvd. ~760.944.9000

Authentic Italian dining in a romantic Tuscan setting with great homemade lasagna, pasta, fresh fish, and fabulous meats

❖ Solace & the Moonlight Lounge ~ 25 East E Street ~ 760-753-2433

Offers a creative blend of classic and modern American cuisine in a LEED silver certified establishment.

❖ Trattoria I Trulli ~ 830 South Coast Highway ~ 760-943-6800

Popular Italian restaurant with sidewalk seating for people watching (no reservations on Friday or Saturday)

❖ Via Italia Trattoria ~ 565 South Coast Highway 101 ~ 760-479-9757

Small Italian bistro in the heart of Encinitas, very light and cozy atmosphere. Good selection of woodfired thin-crust pizzas, and fresh made pastas.

❖ Vigilucci's Trattoria ~ 505 South Coast Highway ~ 760-942-7332

Traditional Italian pasta dishes, with outdoor sidewalk seating, perfect for people watching

❖ Union Kitchen & Tap ~ 1108 South Coast Highway ~ 760-230-2337

Casual neighborhood restaurant and tavern serving a new American cuisine and local craft beers.

OCEANSIDE (15 minutes)

❖ 333 Pacific ~ 333 North Pacific Street ~ 760.433.3333

Offers innovative cuisine and stylish décor, views of the Oceanside Pier. Serves lunch and dinner.

♦ Harney Sushi ~ 301 Mission Avenue ~ 760.967.1820

Trendy sushi restaurant serves great sushi in a hip atmosphere, with friendly service and has one of SD's only sake bars

CARDIFF-BY-THE-SEA (15 minutes)

♦ Beach House ~ 2530 South Coast Highway 101 ~ 760-753-1321

Steak & Seafood, oyster bar/seafood grill on top level, open air beachfront terrace, serves lunch and dinner, casual.

♦ Chart House ~ 2588 South Coast Highway 101 ~ 760-436-4044

Steak and seafood chain restaurant on the beach, serves lunch and dinner as well as a Sunday Brunch.

❖ Pacific Coast Grill ~ 2526 South Coast Highway 101 ~ 760-479-0721

Trendy California coastal cuisine with stunning views of the Pacific Ocean.

❖ Trattoria Positano ~ 2171 San Elijo Avenue ~ 760-632-0111

A family owned restaurant, authentic family recipes, small and cozy ambience, casual, beer and wine only.

❖ Wine Steals Seaside Grotto ~ 1953 San Elijo Ave ~ 760-230-2657

Wine Steals is famous for their delicious cheese and meat boards. They also have hot paninis and pizza. Casual wine tasting lounge and wine bar.

❖ Zenbu ~2003 San Elijo Avenue ~ 760-633-2223

Sushi carefully prepared in a lavish atmosphere with a one-of-a-kind sushi bar with guest DJ appearances.

SOLANA BEACH (20 minutes)

❖ Café Zinc ~ 132 S. Cedros Avenue ~ 858-793-5436

Features an entirely vegetarian menu, a small and cozy café open for breakfast and lunch until 5:00pm, casual attire.

RANCHO SANTA FE (25 minutes)

♦ Delicias ~ 6106 Paseo Delicias ~ 858-756-8000

California-French cuisine, exquisite food, elegant yet comfortable atmosphere, fresh floral arrangements and a warm fireplace.

♦ Mille Fleur ~ 6009 Paseo Delicias ~ 858-756-3085

Traditional French cuisine, rich and decadent food, fine dining, elegant cottage-like ambiance, piano bar & fireplace.

❖ Rancho Valencia ~ 5921 Valencia Circle ~ 858-756-1123

California cuisine in Rancho Valencia Resort, sophisticated country French charm, warm traditional ambiance.

❖ Thyme in the Ranch ~ 16905 Avenida De Acacias

Café that serves breakfast and lunch only in the heart of Rancho Santa Fe, excellent baked goods

DEL MAR (20 minutes)

♦ Addison ~ 5200 Grand Del Mar Way ~ 858-314-1900

Contemporary Californian - combines local ingredients with Mediterranean influence - located at "The Grand" Golf Club

♦ Burlap ~ 12995 El Camino Real ~ 858-369-5700

Cowboy-Asian fusion cuisine with an eclectic décor and menu.

❖ Il Fornaio ~ 1555 Camino del Mar (located in the Del Mar Plaza) ~ 858-755-8876

Italian cuisine, beautiful open-air terrace with ocean-view overlooking rooftops of Del Mar, smart casual attire.

❖ Jake's Del Mar ~ 1660 Coast Boulevard ~ 858-755-2002

California coastal cuisine, waterfront restaurant, ocean is illuminated at night, resort casual attire.

♦ Kitchen 1540 at L'Auberge~ 1540 Camino Del Mar ~ 858-793-6460

Eclectic Contemporary American Cuisine w/ farm to plate concept with an open presentation kitchen and outdoor patio.

♦ Market ~ 3702 Via de la Valle ~ 858-523-0007

American cuisine, featuring, seafood, salads, steak and a small plates menu, smart casual attire.

❖ Mia Francescas ~ 12905 El Camino Real San Diego ~858~519~5055

Family friendly Italian restaurant featuring pastas, pizzas, and other traditional Italian dishes.

❖ Pacifica Del Mar ~ 1555 Camino del Mar (located in the Del Mar Plaza) ~ 858-792-0476

Pacific Rim seafood, trendy restaurant and bar, open air terrace overlooking rooftops of Del Mar out to the ocean

❖ Pamplemousse ~ 514 Via de la Valle ~ 858-792-9090

Country French, wonderful dessert menu, smart casual attire, walking distance from Del Mar Race Track

❖ Poseidon ~ 1670 Coast Boulevard ~ 858-755-9345

American grill that sits right on the beach, fabulous large outdoor patio

❖ Prep Kitchen ~1201 Camino Del Mar ~ 858.792.7737

Casual family friendly restaurant serving seasonal and farm fresh produce. Seafood selections daily including prime beef and excellent deserts.

♦ Red Tracton's ~ 550 Via de la Valle ~ 858-755-6600

Traditional steakhouse, serves very large portions, comfortable dark leather booths, piano bar, smart casual attire.

❖ Rendezvous ~ 1555 Camino del Mar (located in the Del Mar Plaza) ~ 858-755-2669

Asian fusion, "New World Chinese" bistro in Del Mar Plaza, casual attire.

❖ Ruth's Chris ~ 11582 El Camino Real ~ 858-755-1454

Steak house, tranquil atmosphere with a view overlooking Carmel Valley, dressy casual.

♦ Sbicca ~ 215 15th Street ~ 858-481-1001

Eclectic American bistro, rooftop terrace with ocean view, wine lovers Tuesday and Thursday, Happy Hour 4-6:30pm

❖ Shimbashi Izakaya ~ 1555 Camino del Mar ~ 858-523-0479

Traditional and authentic Japenese cuisine, in the heart of the Del Mar Village.

❖ Star of India ~ 3860 Valley Center Drive ~ 858-792-1111

Northern Indian specialties, with a large vegetarian selection on the menu, casual attire.

❖ Taste of Thai ~ 15770 San Andreas Avenue ~ 858-793-9695

Great Thai restaurant in Flower Hill plaza, the menu also offers a selection of vegetarian dishes, casual attire.

♦ The Fish Market ~ 640 Via de la Valle ~ 858-755-2277

Casual family style restaurant with a complete seafood menu, oyster bar, sushi/sashimi, shellfish

LA JOLLA (30 minutes)

♦ Alfonso's ~ 1251 Prospect Street ~ 858-454-2232

Casual and authentic Mexican family style restaurant in the cove of La Jolla.

❖ A.R. Valentien ~ 11480 N. Torrey Pines Road (located in the Lodge at Torrey Pines) ~ 858-453-4420

Upscale four diamond restaurant at the Lodge of Torrey Pines, has a lovely view overlooking the golf course

♦ Azul Steakhouse ~ 1250 Prospect Street ~ 858-454-9616

Premier steakhouse with an ocean view. Expansive floor to ceiling windows overlooking La Jolla cove, dressy casual attire.

❖ Barbarella ~ 2171 Avenida de la Playa ~ 858-454-7373

Italian cuisine with a French flare, beautiful quaint restaurant, outdoor seating, located in La Jolla Shores

❖ Brockton Villa ~ 1235 Coast Boulevard ~ 858-454-7393

Contemporary American, eclectic cuisine, stunning ocean-view, quaint and historic beach cottage, casual attire.

❖ Café Japengo ~ 8960 University Center Lane (located next to the Hyatt Regency) ~ 858-450-3355

Excellent Japanese/Pacific Rim cuisine with a superb sushi bar, trendy and chic ambience, dressy-casual attire.

♦ Crabcatcher ~ 1398 Prospect Street ~ 858-454-9587

Seafood restaurant specializing in a complete seafood and shellfish menu; set on a cliff overlooking La Jolla Cove

♦ Donovan's ~ 4340 La Jolla Village Drive ~ 858-450-6666

Traditional upscale steakhouse, voted "best steakhouse" by San Diego Restaurant Association, dressy casual attire.

❖ Flemings ~ 8970 University Center Lane (located next to the Hyatt Regency) ~ 858-535-0078

Traditional steakhouse, contemporary décor, trendy and chic atmosphere, business casual attire.

♦ Eddie V's ~ 1270 Prospect Street ~ 858-459.5500

Inspired from the great classic seafood restaurants of New Orleans, San Francisco and Boston. Fresh seafood and USDA prime, center-cut, steaks all in a warm and inviting atmosphere.

❖ George's At The Cove ~ 1250 Prospect Street ~ 858-454-4244

Landmark restaurant, California cuisine, offering fine dining and a casual ocean terrace with one of the best views of the Pacific

♦ Herringbone ~ 7837 Herschel Ave. ~ 858-459-0221

Located in the coastal community of La Jolla, Herringbone offers "Fish Meats Field" serving delicious seafood with custom made cocktails. The ambiance is comfortable in a relaxed setting with large olive trees inside the dining rooms.

♦ Mediterranean Room ~ 1132 Prospect Street ~ 858-454-0771

Inside La Valencia, sit in the sun on the tropical patio, ocean-view, great for Sunday brunch, casual attire.

♦ Marine Room ~ 2000 Spindrift ~ 858-459-7222

California-French, tranquil setting with gorgeous beachfront view, piano bar, dressy casual attire.

❖ Nine-Ten ~ 910 Prospect Street (located in the Grand Colonial Hotel) ~ 858-964-5400

Coastal cuisine, bistro-style restaurant, all fresh ingredients from Chino Farms, menu changes daily, delicious desserts

❖ P.F. Changs ~ 4540 La Jolla Village Drive ~ 858-458-9007

A popular Chinese chain restaurant near University Town Center Mall and La Jolla's business district, casual attire.

❖ Piatti's ~ 2182 Avenida de la Playa ~ 858-454-1589

Italian, delicious pizza and pasta, seafood and steak, quaint courtyard garden seating, in La Jolla Shores, casual attire.

❖ Roppongi ~ 875 Prospect Street ~ 858-551-5252

Eclectic Asian fusion, creative and unique menu featuring an excellent selection of Tapas, smart casual attire.

♦ Roy's ~ 8670 Genesee Avenue ~ 858-455-1616

Eclectic combination of flavors: Hawaiian/Asian, pacific-fusion, excellent seafood specialties and superb Chocolate soufflé

❖ Sky Room ~ 1132 Prospect Street (located inside the La Valencia Hotel) ~ 858-454-0771

Continental with a California-French influence, gorgeous presentation, intimate setting, ocean-view, jackets required.

❖ Sushi on the Rock: Bamboo Lounge ~ 1025 Prospect St. ~ 858-459-3208

Trendy Japanese restaurant featuring unique and creative sushi, happy hour menu available daily from 5-6:30PM

❖ Truluck's Seafood, Steak & Stone Crab ~ 8990 University Center Lane (Aventine) ~ 858-453-2583

Fresh seafood, juicy steaks and succulent crab. Menu updated weekly to ensure the freshest seafood selections with global influences.

♦ Whisknladle~ 1044 Wall Street ~ 858-551-7575

Creative cuisine that specializes in making everything in house, using only the freshest local organic goods; large covered patio area, happy hour Mon-Thurs and extended late night happy hour on Fridays & Saturdays

Zenbu ~ 7660 Fay Avenue ~ 858-454-4540

Sushi Bar and restaurant offering a tranquil, intimate atmosphere serving signature cocktails and offering late night dining.

Pacific Beach/Mission Beach/Point Loma (40 minutes)

♦ Baleen ~ 1404 West Vacation Road ~ 858-490-6363

American and Caribbean seafood restaurant with a monkey theme, associated with Paradise Point Resort, dressy casual.

❖ Firehouse American Eatery & Lounge ~ 722 Grand Ave, San Diego, 92109 ~ 858-274-3100

A retro American-chic eatery and lounge that offers casual American cuisine steps from the Pacific Ocean.

❖ Isabel's Cantina ~ 966 Felspar Street, San Diego, 92109 ~ 858-272-8400

Chef Isabel combines Latin and Asian cuisine in a comfortable, casual atmosphere.

❖ JRDN @ Tower23 ~ 723 Felspar Street ~ 858-273-8440 x 105

Ocean-view restaurant serving California Fresh Cuisine - fuses the best of contemporary steak and seafood with a farm-fresh flair

♦ Sushi Ota ~ 4529 Mission Bay Drive ~ 858-270-5670

Japanese cuisine, masterful and authentic sushi, highly regarded by Zagat, very casual.

♦ World Famous ~ 711 Pacific Beach Drive ~ 858-272-3100

Coastal cuisine, casual bar with fish/lobster/shrimp tacos, the main restaurant has a larger menu, beach-front.

Old Town (40 minutes)

❖ Casa Guadalajara ~ 4105 Taylor Street ~ 619-295-5111

Fun authentic Mexican, lively with mariachi's on weekends, nice outdoor patio

❖ El Agave ~ 2304 San Diego Avenue ~ 619-220-0692

Voted Best Mexican 2004-2005 in San Diego, gourmet Mexican food with over 600 tequilas

♦ Harney Sushi ~ 3964 Harney Street ~ 619-295-3272

Trendy sushi restaurant serves great sushi in a hip atmosphere, with friendly service and has one of SD's only sake bars.

♦ Old Town Mexican Café ~ 2489 San Diego Avenue ~ 619-297-4330

Casual Mexican restaurant in the heart of Old Town

♦ Miguel's Cocina ~ 2444 San Diego Avenue ~ 619-298-9840

Creative California cuisine, locally owned with beautiful outdoor fireplace

<u>Downtown Area</u>: Little Italy, Hillcrest, Balboa Park, Middletown, Harbor Island (45 minutes)

♦ Bertrand at Mister A's ~ 2550 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-239-1377

Modern American, seasonally focused menu, breath-taking view of city & bay from atop a skyscraper.

❖ Brooklyn Girl ~ 4033 Goldfinch Street ~ 619-296-4600

Casual neighborhood American eatery with a sustainable farm-to-table attitude

❖ Buon Appetito ~ 1609 India Street~ 619-238-9880

Nouvelle Italian cooking combined with traditional Italian cucina classics located in the heart of Little Italy.

❖ Cucina Urbana ~ 505 Laurel Avenue ~ 619-239- 2222

A California inspired Italian kitchen and wine shop with a fun and theatrical atmosphere.

❖ Indigo Grill ~ 1336 India Street ~ 619-234-6802

Eclectic cuisine, creative dishes from as far North as Alaska and as far south as Mainland Mexico, dressy casual.

❖ Island Prime and C Level ~880 Harbor Island Dr ~ (619) 298-6802

Innovative and eclectic seafood and steak house boasting amazing view of Coronado and the San Diego harbor. C Level is open for lunch and offers a more casual menu.

♦ Prado ~ 1549 El Prado ~ 619-557-9441

Latin and Italian fusion cuisine with the freshest ingredients from Southern California in Balboa Park, dressy casual attire.

❖ Tapas Picasso ~ 3923 4th Avenue ~ 619-294-3061 Family-owned Spanish tapas restaurant serving over 37 tapas in a cozy environment with artwork on display available for purchase

Gaslamp (50 minutes)

♦ Acqua Al 2 ~ 322 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-230-0382

Authentic Tuscan cuisine, family owned restaurant, sister restaurant is in Florence, serves dinner nightly.

❖ Asti ~ Fifth and G Street~ 619~232~8844

Authentic, traditional Italian restaurant located in the heart of the Gaslamp.

❖ Bice Ristorante ~ 425 Island Avenue ~ 619-239-2423

Sophisticated Italian dining which combines the elegant and chic ambiance of Europe with warm hospitality and amiable service.

♦ Blue Point Coastal Cuisine~ 565 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-233-6623

Coastal cuisine, oyster bar, excellent seafood menu, great wine list, dressy casual attire.

♦ Croce's ~ 805 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-233-4355

Opened by Jim Croce's wife, amazing live jazz music nightly with southern cuisine

♦ Donovan's Steakhouse ~ 570 K Street ~ 619-237-9700

Traditional upscale steakhouse, voted "best steakhouse" by San Diego Restaurant Association, dressy casual attire.

❖ Flemings Steakhouse ~ 380 K Street ~ 619-237-1155

Traditional steakhouse, contemporary décor, trendy and chic atmosphere, business casual attire.

• George's on Fifth ~ 835 Fifth Avenue $\sim 619-702-0444$

Steakhouse in historic former home of Wyatt Earp's Gambling Hall & Saloon, live entertainment.

❖ Greystone ~ 658 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-232-0225

California steakhouse, prime aged beef, fresh seafood, award winning wine collection (short walk to Petco/Civic)

❖ Jsix ~ 616 J Street ~ 619-531-8744

Funky modern atmosphere with excellent eclectic California cuisine, located in Hotel Solamar near Petco Park

Katsuva ~ 600 F Street~ 619~814~2000

Trendy Japanese restaurant and Sushi bar, located in the heart of the Gaslamp next to the Andaz Hotel. Weekend nights come alive with the neighboring Ivy nightclub.

Lou & Mickey's ~ 224 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-237-4900

Steak and Chophouse located across the street from Petco Park, smart casual attire.

♦ Monsoon ~ 729 Fourth Avenue ~ 619-234-5555

Indian cuisine with beautiful water features and art work that reflect its name

♦ Morton's ~ 285 J Street ~ 619-696-3369

Steakhouse, chain restaurant, rich mahogany wood paneling, Maine lobster flown in daily, business casual attire.

❖ Nobu (at the Hard Rock Hotel) ~ 207 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-814-4124

From Nobuhiro Matsuhisa of NOBU New York; Japanese Fusion cuisine & Classic sushi bar fare. Has a hip, ultra modern atmosphere.

♦ Oceanaire Seafood Room ~ 400 J Street ~ 619-858-2277

Excellent seafood with modern 1930's atmosphere, try their crab cakes or baked Alaska dessert

❖ Osetra the Fish House ~ 904 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-239-1800

Fresh seafood, oyster and caviar bar, featuring wine tower and wine angel bartenders, smart casual attire.

❖ Osteria Panevino ~ 722 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-595-7959

Tuscan Italian cuisine, warm atmosphere with beautiful antique wood bar

❖ Palm Steakhouse ~ 615 J Street ~ 619-702-6500

Very good steakhouse serving large portions. Famous for USDA prime-aged steaks, jumbo Nova Scotia lobsters, & their atmosphere.

❖ RA Sushi Bar and Restaurant~ 474 Broadway ~ 619-321-0021

Hip sushi restaurant with imaginative entrees and an extensive selection of top-quality sushi. Dark and loud, but lively atmosphere.

❖ Rama ~ 327 Fourth Avenue ~ 619-501-8424

Trendy Thai restaurant in an exotic setting with Asian antiques, art and waterfall; smart casual attire.

❖ Rei Do Gado Brazilian Steakhouse ~ 939 4th Ave ~ 619-702-8464

Fun, Brazilian style churrasceria with an unlimited buffet of Brazilian meats, served with a diverse selection of traditional dishes & salads.

- ♦ Searsucker ~ 611 5th Avenue ~ 619-233-7327 New American Classic cuisine, emphasizing approachable and unpretentious dishes paired with local beer, wine or handcrafted cocktails.
- ❖ Suite and Tender at the Se Hotel~ 1047 5th Avenue ~ 619-515-3003

Sophisticated take on a typical steakhouse, with an emphasis on seasonal ingredients and the freshest seafood. Strong California influence

❖ Sushi Deli Too! ~135 Broadway ~ 619-233-3072

Very good but very causal sushi restaurant. Frequented by locals for reasonably-priced, creative rolls. Does not take reservations.

❖ Taka ~ 555 Fifth Avenue ~ 619-338-0555

Authentic Japanese cuisine and sushi bar, casual attire.

Seaport Village (50 minutes)

❖ Buster's Beach House ~ 807 W. Harbor Drive ~ 619-233-4300

Eclectic international cuisine, overlooking the bay and Coronado bridge, surf décor & island music.

❖ Edgewater Grill ~ 861 W. Harbor Drive ~ 619-232-7581

Steak and seafood restaurant on the water's edge with a nice bay-view, casual attire.

♦ Harbor House ~ 831 W. Harbor Drive ~ 619-232-1141

Seafood restaurant with oyster bar and pub, try their specialty: "Fruit-of-the-Sea Platter," casual attire.

♦ Sally's ~ 1 Market Place ~ 619-358-6740

Casual seafood restaurant, great place to go for lunch on the water's edge, adjacent to the Hyatt Hotel, casual attire.

Coronado (60 minutes)

♦ Coronado Boathouse ~ 1701 Strand Way ~ 619-435-0155

Steak and seafood waterfront restaurant built in 1887, nice view of marina and bay, smart casual attire.

❖ Peohe's ~ 1201 First Avenue ~ 619-437-4474

Polynesian/Hawaiian style seafood, sushi bar, tropical décor, on the water's edge, nice view of city from across the bay.

❖ 1500 Ocean ~ 1500 Orange Avenue ~ 619-435-6611

Fine dining in Hotel Del Coronado, ocean-view terrace, seasonal menu, extensive wine list, jazz piano nightly.

♦ Sheerwater ~ 1500 Orange Avenue ~ 619-435-6611

Casual dining in Hotel Del Coronado, ocean-view, California coastal cuisine.

❖ Vigilucci's Ristorante ~ 1330 Orange Avenue, Suite 200 ~ 619-522-0946

Elegant, yet casually upscale steakhouse with an Italian flair. Serving seafood, steaks and pasta in a comfortably chic setting. Gorgeous views and décor