

The Menu Board

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Where to eat in the Texas Hill Country



Backyard Bistro, Pipe Creek, Tx

The Backyard Bistro and Chef Aaron's "Farm to Table Fare" proudly serve their dishes using only the finest fresh ingredients available; Including: organic eggs from their own chickens and herbs from their very own garden-picked daily for your culinary delight. Available for parties, catering & wine tastings. Live Music Friday & Saturdays. 167 Panther Ridge, Pipe Creek, Texas 78063, Hwy 16 South (Behind Country Accents Antiques) (830) 535-4094 www.backyardbistrobandera.com



4Way Bar and Grill, Lakehills, Tx

Located near the "4 Way Stop" on FM 1283 and PR 37, the 4 Way Bar and Grill, is Medina Lake's premier establishment. Well known for their BIG and juicy cheeseburgers, Texas-sized dinner plates, Ice Cold Beer, and Full Bar. To top it all off, they bring in Top-tier artists to perform LIVE every Friday and Saturday night from 9pm-1am. There is FREE entry to WIN prizes every week by playing in their poker, pool, and dart tournaments. Come on out to the 4 Way Bar & Grill and enjoy the best tasting food around or to have a whole lotta' fun that you've never had before! 9742 FM1283, Lakehills, TX, (830) 751-3400 4waybarandgrill.com



TJ's at the Old Forge, Bandera, Tx

TJ's lunches offer sandwiches, burgers, along with a selection of hot entrees, and a Soup, Salad and Potato Bar. Kids' menu with fun, healthy options. Some dinner options include: steaks, tuna steaks, shrimp, pastas, TJ's is open 7 days a week featuring live music on selected nights. The kitchen will be open for lunch Tuesday-Sunday. Open for lunch and dinner - Tuesday-Saturday. 807 Main St Bandera TX 78003



Mac and Earnie's Roadside Eatery, Tarpley Tx

Lunch on Fridays and Saturdays includes cheeseburgers and their famous Cabrito Burger. Dinners on Friday and Saturday night feature steaks, catfish, ancho chile honey basted quail and specials such as grilled pork tenderloin with a sweet-tart Vietnamese dipping sauce or grilled Tuna with roasted Jalapeno Mayonnaise. 830-562-3727 11804 FM 470 (junction of FM 470 and FM 462)



Bandera Meat Market, Bandera, Tx

Whether you just want some cheese or a jerky snack, breakfast sausage, or a tender choice steak for grilling, Bandera Meat Market is the place to go. Owner Kirby Jones prides himself on keeping a wide variety of quality products on hand that he knows his customers want. In addition to his over-the-counter sales, they also supply local restaurants and guest ranches. If you want to stock your freezer, go to the website BanderaMeatMarket.com and check out their Butcher Packs. 702B Main Street in Bandera 78003



Love Creek Orchard's Patio Cafe, Medina Tx

The Patio café was listed among the Top 40 best Small Town Restaurants in Texas by Texas Monthly Magazine. Try their Spicy Pepper Jack Burgers or homeade Chicken Salad. Choose from one of their award winning desserts: apple pie, apple cake, cookies, strudel, turnovers, muffins & famous Apple Ice Cream. 830-589-2202 14024 State Hwy 16 North Medina, TX 78055, www.lovecreekorchards.com



Camp Verde General Store, Camp Verde Tx

For more than 150 years, Camp Verde General Store has occupied this little piece of Texas. Give yourself a moment to indulge in the rich history of this timeless gem. Come have a one-of-a-kind sandwich from our enticing lunch menu and try our wide variety of savory jams, jellies and sauces. Restarunt hours: Mon-Sun 11am - 3pm www.campverdegeneralstore.com 285 Camp Verde Road East Camp Verde, Texas 78010



Buffalo Nickle, Fredericksburg Tx

Down-home joint dishing up Texas-inspired bar fare & entrees such as chicken-fried steak, bison sliders, Indian rain sticks (batter fried squash) USDA steaks, seafood, and the smokin' bleu burger w/portabella mushrooms, maytag bleu cheese, & raspberry chipotle Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 11am-10pm - Fri.-Sat 11am-12am & Sun. 12 pm-6pm. 105 S. Llano, Fredericksburg, TX 78624 - www.buffalonickefbg.com



Cafe on the Ridge, Kerrville, Tx

The Café at The Ridge Marketplace offers a place to share stories over a glass of sweet tea and a chicken fried steak. All of their delicious heirloom recipes are created using only fresh ingredients. Their award winning Wild Flour Bakery offers an abundance of treats to suit even the pickiest sweet-tooth. All of the baked goods are made from scratch every day Stop by The Artisan Pantry at The Café to browse the selection of gourmet food items We make ALL baked goods in house, from cookies to hamburger buns! 13439 S Ranch Road 783, Kerrville, TX 78028



Welfare Cafe, Boerne, Tx

The Welfare Cafe and Goat barn is the perfect place for your private party, wedding dinner or ceremony. The Cafe features Texas German cuisine you can dine while sharing a good bottle of wine. The garden also features a Nature Trail you can stroll and view Hill Country fauna. Thursday-Friday: 5P-9P Saturday-Sunday: 11A-9P 223 Waring Welfare Rd, Boerne, TX



Redbud Cafe, Blanco, TX

Redbud Cafe's food is made fresh daily using premium products, local and organic whenever possible. They serve Blanco's own Real Ale Brewing Company beers on tap, along with a number of other local and national bottled beers. Hours: Mon-Thur 10:30am to 3:30pm Fri-Sat 10:30am- 9:00pm and Sunday 10:00am-3:00pm. They are open for dinner every Friday and Saturday evening, with live music starting at 6:30pm on Fridays, and at 7:00pm on Saturday evenings. 410 4th Street, Blanco TX 78606 www.redbud-cafe.com



Castroville Cafe, Castroville, TX

For a small town like Castroville Tx, this is worth the drive! Nestled behind the main drag is a historic home-turned-cafe. They offer their trademark sandwiches such as "The Landmark," "The Alsatian," and the Schnitzel sandwich! They also have a variety of daily homemade soups...the best Butternut Squash and tomato basil is the best! 309 Lafayette St, Castroville, TX (830) 538-2400



Soda Pops Patio Bar & Grill, Boerne Tx

Our retro 50s place is located in Boerne's charming Historic District, directly across from Main Plaza. Look for the dice! Enjoy our Burgers made with always fresh Angus Beef...Every burger, every time, and crafted with the juiciest ingredients, try our signature Magnum Burger! Sunday-Thursday 11am-9pm ~ Friday & Saturday 11am-10pm (830) 331-8799, 103 North Main Street, Boerne, TX 78006, www.sodapopsboerne.com



Blaine's Table, Hunt, Tx

Nestled on the shores of the South Fork of the Guadalupe river is a favorite stopping place for fine dining while traveling the Hill Country. The house favorite that brings folks from miles around is Bruce's Tortilla Crusted Rainbow Trout. They also feature steaks, chicken and a daily special. 1621 Hwy 39, Hunt, TX, (830) 238-4484. elainestable.com.



Waring General Store, Waring, Tx

Although Waring is a bit off the beaten path, this one-block town has some great dining and entertainment. Wednesday nights features the original Steak Nite with live music and also offers great burgers and other Texas favorites. The Store is run by Jason Strange, son of Don Strange, caterer to the stars so you know you are getting the best the Hill Country has to offer in food preparation and hospitality. 544 Waring-Welfare Rd, Waring, TX (830) 995-4377. www.waringgeneralstore.com



Alamo Springs Cafe, Fredericksburg, Tx

Alamo Springs Cafe was immortalized on the cover of Texas Monthly awhile back with a shot of their monster burger. The Cafe, which is right next to the famous bat tunnel, is famous for its burgers and other Texas comfort food. It is outside Fredericksburg and a bit off the beaten path but well worth the drive. Seasonal live music on weekends. 107 Alamo Rd, Fredericksburg, TX (830) 990-8004 Visit them on Facebook!



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