

THE ATLANTA GUIDE to dining, nightlife and hotels

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RESTAURANTS

Buckhead

(Including Brookwood and Brookhaven)

10 Degrees South Contemporary South African cuisine and décor. 4183 Roswell Rd. (404) 705-8870.

Anis Casual Provençal café, terrific covered terrace. 2974 Grandview Ave. (404) 233-9889.

Antica Posta Authentic Tuscan cooking in a chic bungalow. 519 E. Paces Ferry Rd. (404) 262-7112.

Aria Luxuriously complex flavors, served in an elegant white-box environment. 490 East Paces Ferry Rd. N.E. (404) 233-7673.

Aqua Bistro Pan-Asian fusion in a hip space. 264 Pharr Rd. (404) 816-7332.

AquaKnox Seafood-centric menu, Va-Va-Vegas glam space. Terminus. 3280 Peachtree Rd. NE. Ste 200. (404) 477-5600.

Atlanta Fish Market Exceptional seafood, high-energy setting. 265 Pharr Rd. (404) 262-3165.

Au Pied de Cochon Classic brasserie fare served 24/7. 3315 Peachtree Rd. (404) 946-9070.

Bluepointe Asian-modern bistro, and quite the social scene. 3455 Peachtree Rd. (404) 237-9070.

Blue Ridge Grill Country-club chic, Southern-inspired food. 1261 W. Paces Ferry Rd. (404) 233-5030.

Bone's Knockout old-school steaks and sides served with impeccable finesse. 3130 Piedmont Rd. (404) 237-2663.

BrickTop's Classic American-casual fare. 3280 Peachtree Rd. Ste 200. (404) 841-2212.

Brio Tuscan Grille Tuscan eatery, ample Peachtree Road patio. 2964 Peachtree Rd. (404) 601-5555.

Buckhead Diner Comfort food, luxury edition. 3073 Piedmont Rd. (404) 262-3336.

Café Dupri A hip-hop theme, and the occasional hip-hop star. Open 22 hours daily. 3135 Piedmont Rd. (404) 846-2773.

The Capital Grille of Atlanta Power dining and penthouse views. 255 E. Paces Ferry Rd. (404) 262-1162.

Chima Carnivores can get their fill of grilled meats, surrounded by images of Brazilian cowboys. 3215 Peachtree Rd. NE. (404) 424-8281

Chops/Lobster Bar Renowned steak and seafood haven. 70 W. Paces Ferry Rd. (404) 262-2675.

Chopstix Upscale modern Asian eatery. 4279 Roswell Rd. (404) 255-4868.

The Clubhouse Stylish country-club environment with accents of Asian and Cajun. Lenox Square. 3393 Peachtree Rd. (404) 442-8891.

The Dining Room Elegant, multi-award-winning contemporary classic. 3434 Peachtree Rd. (404) 237-2700.

Eclipse di Luna Tapas, sangria and live music. 764 Miami Circle. (404) 846-0449.

Fogo de Chão Carnivores' Brazilian paradise but the

TASTER'S CHOICE



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JCT Kitchen: "Thursdays on The Terrace". I just love JCT's intimate upstairs bar and patio and every Thursday night they have great live music from Ben Deignan!"

El Tesoro: "After a recent trip to San Miguel I was thrilled to discover the new El Tesoro in Decatur! Delicious authentic Mexican cuisine."

Verde Home: "Much more than a furniture store. Their goal is to leave a mark on your living spaces, not on the environment and that is a beautiful thing!"

Mason Mower Fine Art: "Once a former marble factory this amazing gallery is owned and operated by Mark Karelson"

Georgia Grille Southwestern star – named for artist O'Keefe, not our state. 2290 Peachtree Rd. (404) 352-3517.

The Grape Come for a delicious wine education. Phipps Plaza, 3500 Peachtree Rd. (678) 990-9463.

Hal's on Old Ivy Buckhead somebodies, strong cocktails and primo beef. 30 Old Ivy Rd. (404) 261-0025.

Haven Inventive menu, stylish indoors and out. 1441 Dresden Dr. (404) 969-0700.

Home Top Chef contender Richard Blais is cooking comfort food here. 111 W. Paces Ferry Road (404)869-0777.

Holeman and Finch Public House House-cured charcuterie and other artisanal treats at an intimate gastropub. 2277 Peachtree Rd. (404)350-1440.

Horseradish Grille Seriously Southern food, classy clientele. 4320 Powers Ferry Rd. (404) 255-7277.

Hot Stix Stir-Fry Youthful crowd and meals you can

Imperial Fez Moroccan cuisine, exotic atmosphere. 2285 Peachtree Rd. (404) 351-0870.

Joël Genuine bistro cooking, casually glamorous environment. 3290 Northside Parkway. (404) 233-3333.

Justin's Spicy Southern-Caribbean fusion, in a hip crowd. 2200 Peachtree Rd. (404) 603-5353.

Kyma Highly refined Greek cuisine. 3085 Peachtree Rd. (404) 262-0702.

La Grotta Old Buckheads' favorite escape to Italy. 2637 Peachtree Rd. (404) 231-1368.

Lola Lively crowd, accessible Italian menu and a great wine bar. 3280 Peachtree Rd., Ste 150. (404) 892-5333.

MF Buckhead Exquisite sushi, drop-dead-decor space. 3280 Peachtree Rd., Ste 120. (404) 841-1333.

Morton's Steakhouse Men's-club style, peerless service. 3379 Peachtree Rd. (404) 816-6535.

Mosaic Mediterranean menu, popular terrace. 3379 Peachtree Rd. (404) 846-5722.

Nava Southwestern flavors, and home of our favorite Atlanta Peach cocktail. 3060 Peachtree Rd. (404) 240-1984.

New York Prime Prime steaks, prime location. 3060 Peachtree Rd. (404) 846-0644.

NM Café Contemporary look and menu, tucked away. Neiman Marcus. Lenox Square, 3393 Peachtree Rd. (404) 266-8200.

OK Café Leatherette booths, uniformed waitress, classic diner menu. 1284 W. Paces Ferry Rd. (404) 233-3333.

The Palm Steak and lobster in the glossy, modern space. 3391 Peachtree Rd. (404) 814-1955.

Pano's and Paul's Justly legendary haunt of the city. 1232 W. Paces Ferry Rd. (404) 261-3333.

Paul's Restaurant Neighborhood setting, contemporary cooking from a classically grounded chef. 3073 Kings Circle. (404) 231-4113.

Portofino Elegant, modern Italian menu, delishious terrace. 3199 Paces Ferry Place. (404) 231-1136.

Pricci Renowned and refined Italian. 500 Peachtree Rd. (404) 237-2941.

Prime Steak meets sushi in a pretty, airy space. Lenox Square, 3393 Peachtree Rd. (404) 812-0555.

Restaurant Eugene Understated elegance, go for the New Southern plates. 2277 Peachtree Rd. (404) 355-0321.

The River Room Restaurant and Tavern New American cuisine with a European accent. 4403 Northside Parkway, Ste 150. (404) 233-5455.

Roy's Bright Hawaiian-fusion fare, glamorous space. 3475 Piedmont Rd., Ste 120. (404) 231-3232

Seasons 52 Don't call it health food, but it's fresh and light. Two Buckhead Plaza. 3050 Peachtree Rd. (404) 846-1552.

Swan Coach House Where ladies lunch and gentlemen dine. 3130 Slaton Dr. (404) 261-0636.

Taurus A chophouse approach to New American cuisine. 1745 Peachtree St. (404) 214-0641.