

Dining Ideas and Other Local Information

Downtown Long Beach and Surrounding Areas

Selected Restaurants Popular with Locals – Telephone numbers are (562) area code. Long Beach boasts some of the best dining in the region. Restaurants listed below are within walking distance of the Westin or accessible via Passport A or B (approximately 15 minutes from downtown) and feature a variety of cuisines.

DOWNTOWN AREA

555 East Restaurant	555 East Ocean Blvd	437-0626	Steaks!	\$\$\$
King's Pine Ave. Fish House	100 W. Broadway	432-7463	Seafood	\$\$-\$\$\$
George's Greek Café	18 Pine Ave	437-1184	Also one on 2nd St.	\$\$-\$\$
Parker's Lighthouse	435 Shoreline Village Dr.	432-6500	Great views, decent fish	\$\$\$\$
Alegria Cocina Latina	115 Pine Ave	436-3388	Tapas & sangria	\$\$
California Pizza Kitchen	61 S Pine Ave	628-1800	Definitely edible chain food	\$\$
Tracht's	111 E Ocean Blvd	499-2533	New, from owner of L.A.'s rest. <i>Jar.</i> American	\$\$\$\$
Casa Vino	51 S Pine Ave	216-1590	Wine bar w/light food & appetizers	\$\$
The Madison	102 Pine Ave.	628-8866	Contemporary American	\$\$\$\$
Rock Bottom Restaurant & Brewery	1 Pine Ave.	308-2255	Salads, burgers, microbrewed ales	\$\$
The Sky Room	40 S. Locust	983-2703	Upscale; spectacular views of Long Beach harbor	\$\$\$\$
Auld Dubliner Irish Pub	71 S. Pine	437-8300	Irish Pub	\$\$
P.F. Chang's	340 S. Pine	308-1025	Asian (Chinese, Fan and T'sai)	\$\$-\$\$\$

2nd STREET AREA (BELMONT SHORE)

A few of the many places located on or around Second Street. **Accessible via Passport A or D bus.**

La Strada Italiano	4716 East 2 nd St.	433 8100	Wide variety; Friendly and family-owned	\$\$-\$\$
Belmont Brewing Co.	25 39 th Place	433-3891	Pub, Outdoor dining, ocean views	\$\$

Super Mex	4711 East 2 nd St	439-4489	Basic Mexican - big local following	\$
Open Sesame	5215 E 2 nd St.	621-1698	Excellent Lebanese	\$-\$\$
Sunnin Lebanese	5110 E. 2 nd St.	433-9000	Superb Lebanese	\$
Fora Restaurant	5730 E 2 nd St.	856-9494	Refined; excellent wine list	\$\$\$
Bono's	4901 E. 2 nd St.	431-9501	Italian	\$\$\$
La Creperie	4911 E. 2 nd St.	434-8499	French, good savory & sweet crepes	\$\$-\$\$\$
Natraj	5262 E 2 nd St.	930-0930	Very authentic Indian food	\$-\$\$
Buona gente	5205 E 2 nd St.	438-8763	Italian	\$\$
BJ's Pizza	5258 E 2 nd St.	439-8181	Gourmet pizzas	\$\$

FOR THE GEOGRAPHICALLY ADVENTUROUS (not on bus line or walkable)

Sophy's Thai & Cambodian	3720 E. Anaheim St	494-1763	Try the great Cambodian specialties, too	\$\$
La Parolaccia	2945 E. Broadway	438-1235	Good Italian	\$\$
Star of Siam	2109 E. Broadway	439-1564	Thai	\$

Our Favorite Coffee Shops

Viento y Agua, *coffee, tea, snacks, free WiFi hotspot, art gallery*, 4007 E. 4th Street, 434-1182

Portfolio Coffeehouse, *coffee, tea, snacks, free WiFi hotspot, art gallery*, 2300 E 4th Street, (562) 434-2486

The Village Grind, *coffee, tea, snacks, free WiFi hotspot, art gallery*, 443 E. 1st Street, 432-4033