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RESTAURANT GUIDE



Welcome to San Jose!

You must be hungry, so let's eat! We've had a lot of fun putting together this guide to the amazing foods you'll find here in San Jose. From elegant, four-star dinners, to hole-in-the-wall cafés, we hope to show you the breadth of San Jose's food culture.

Like so many places, San Jose and the Santa Clara Valley have seen waves of immigrants who come here for a better life, and leave us with their cuisine. The valley has seen Mexicans, Chinese, Japanese, and more recently, Vietnamese immigrants. The tech boom brought us workers from places like India and Korea, all adding to the fabulous diversity of San Jose's culture and food offerings.

A few notes about the guide. All the information listed is current as of the time of printing. The price listing is a rough estimation of the cost of an entrée: one \$ means less than \$10, for example. Even if a restaurant is listed as being good for large groups, we suggest calling first to make sure they can accommodate your group. The Americans With Disabilities Act requires that all public accommodations be accessible to those using mobility devices. However, some historic buildings are exempt. We've noted which restaurants are not accessible. As always if you have concerns, please call the restaurant.

This guide is hardly a complete list of all the fine restaurants and cafes you will find in San Jose. For the complete Restaurant Guide, please visit <https://www.worldcon76.org/publications/restaurant-guide>. We encourage you to get out and explore. Enjoy your trip through this culinary Valley of Heart's Delight!

488 Café

488 Almaden Blvd

Phone: none listed

Hours: 0730-1600 daily

Different menus daily, offering fresh options for a quick bite.



Café Frascati

315 S 1st St

Phone: (408) 287-0400

Hours: 0700-2200 Mon-Thu
0700-2400 Fri
0800-2400 Sat
0800-2100 Sun

Hip coffee shop offers specialty espresso drinks, café fare & wine, plus regular live music nights.



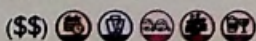
Fountain

170 S Market St
(in the Fairmont San Jose)

Phone: (408) 998-3982

Hours: 0630-1400 Mon-Fri
0700-1400 Sat-Sun

This relaxed Fairmont Hotel café serves up globally-influenced American eats for breakfast & lunch.



Affinity Restaurant & Bar

300 Almaden Blvd
(in the Hilton San Jose)

Phone: (408) 287-2100

Hours: 0600-2400 daily

Hotel bistro providing upscale American & international fare all day in stylish indoor-outdoor digs.



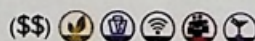
Café Stritch

374 S 1st St

Phone: (408) 280-6161

Hours: Closed Mon-Tue
1700-0200 Wed-Sat
1700-2400 Sun

Exposed-brick walls & a chill vibe are on offer at this live-music venue for American fare & drinks.



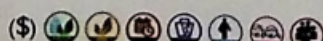
Grace Deli & Café

303 Almaden Blvd

Phone: (408) 795-1200

Hours: 0700-1500 Mon-Fri
Closed Sat-Sun

Fresh ingredients and wonderful breakfast options.



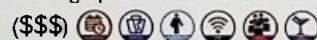
Arcadia

100 W San Carlos St
(in the San Jose Marriott)

Phone: (408) 278-4555

Hours: 0630-1400/1730-2200 daily

Celeb chef Michael Mina is behind this stylish New American eatery serving upscale steakhouse fare.



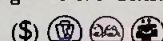
Corner Market Kitchen

301 S Market St
(inside the San Jose Marriott)

Phone: (408) 280-1300

Hours: 0600-2200 daily

This simple setup inside the San Jose Marriott provides Starbucks coffee and tea, baked goods & snacks.



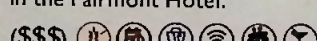
Grill on the Alley

170 S Market Street
(in the Fairmont San Jose)

Phone: (408) 294-2244

Hours: 1130-2200 Mon-Thu
1130-2300 Fri
1700-2300 Sat
1700-2100 Sun

Premium chops star in crisp surroundings at this steakhouse chain branch in the Fairmont Hotel.



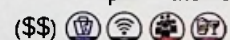
Blue Chip

325 S 1st St

Phone: (408) 971-2898

Hours: 1100-2200 Mon-Wed
1100-0130 Thu-Fri
0900-0130 Sat
0900-2200 Sun

Lively bar offers draft brews & a variety of pub grub, plus lots of TVs in a sports-themed interior.



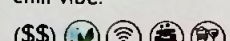
Forager Tasting Room & Eatery

420 S 1st St

Phone: (408) 831-2433

Hours: 0800-2000 Sun-Thu
0800-2300 Fri-Sat

Airy haunt with craft beers, nibbles & live music nights in warehouse-like digs with a chill vibe.



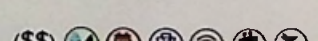
Il Fornaio

302 S Market St
(inside The Westin San Jose)

Phone: (408) 271-3366

Hours: 0700-2200 Mon-Fri
0800-2200 Sat-Sun

Upmarket chain for Italian dining, including bread from an in-house bakery.



IPOH Garden
Malaysian Cuisine

150 S 1st Street Ste 111
Phone: (408) 297-2930
Hours: 1100-1500/
1700-2200 daily

Southeast Asian delicacies and drinks.



McCormick & Schmick's
Seafood & Steaks

170 S Market St
(Fairmont South Tower)
Phone: (408) 283-7200
Hours: 1130-2200 Sun-Thu
1130-2300 Fri-Sat

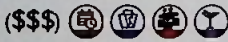
Upscale steak & seafood chain known for its clubby environs & happy hour.



Nemea Greek Taverna

96 S 1st St
Phone: (408) 279-4225
Hours: 1130-1430/
1730-2200 Mon-Thu
1130-1430/
1730-2300 Fri
1700-2300 Sat
Closed Sun

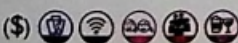
Light-filled taverna with an open kitchen furnishing a mix of classic & modern Greek dishes.



Social Policy

200 S 1st St
Phone: (408) 684-8212
Hours: 0700-1800 Mon-Fri
0800-1800 Sat-Sun

Airy, modern coffee shop offering espresso drinks & refined New American breakfast/brunch plates.



Johnny Rockets

150 S 1st Street Ste 115
Phone: (408) 977-1414
Hours: 1100-2100 Sun-Thu
1100-2200 Fri-Sat

Burgers, shakes & fries arrive in a '50s diner setting at this outpost of the international chain.



Mezcal

25 W San Fernando St
Phone: (408) 283-9595
Hours: 1130-2030 Mon
1130-2130 Tue-Thu
1130-2230 Fri
1600-2230 Sat
1600-2030 Sun

Traditional Oaxacan cooking & mezcal served in the warm, exposed-brick dining room or on the patio.



Nox Cookie Bar

151 S 2nd St Ste 185
Phone: (408) 656-1287
Hours: 1130-0230 daily

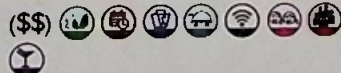
Delicious fresh cookies that can be delivered to your door.



SoFA Market

387 S 1st St
Phone: (408) 642-5270
Hours: 0800-2200 Mon-Wed
0800-2400 Thu-Fri
0900-2400 Sat
0900-2200 Sun

An intimate food hall with a lineup of independent eateries, a neighborhood café, and house bar. Hawaiian Poke Bowl, Vero's Coffee Bar, Toasted, Milk & Wood, Vitamina, Pizzette 408, Habana Cuba, Sticks N' Greens, Vietnoms.



La Victoria Taqueria
- San Carlos St

140 E San Carlos St
Phone: (408) 298-5335
Hours: 0700-0300 daily

Student-friendly quick fix for Mexican mainstays topped with the trademark "orange sauce" condiment.



Mosaic

211 S 1st St
(inside the Four Points Sheraton)
Phone: (408) 282-8888
Hours: 0630-1000/1200-1400/
1600-2200 Mon-Fri
0630-1000/1600-2200 Sat
0630-1000/1630-2200 Sun

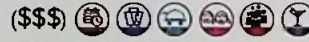
Trendy hotel hangout boasts inventive fusion fare, creative cocktails, a patio & live weekend jazz.



Original Joe's

301 S 1st St
Phone: (408) 292-7030
Hours: 1100-2400 daily

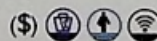
Authentic San Francisco Italian food in San Jose, with tuxedoed waiters.



Starbucks

150 S 1st St Ste 135
Pavilion Downtown
Phone: (408) 293-9945
Hours: 0630-1830 Mon
0500-2000 Tue-Fri
0600-2000 Sat-Sun

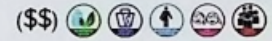
Seattle-based coffeehouse chain known for its signature roasts, light bites, and Wi-Fi availability.



M Asian Fusion
Restaurant

98 S Second St
Phone: (408) 418-2230
Hours: Closed Mon
1130-0200 Tue
1130-2200 Wed-Thu
1130-0200 Fri
1200-0200 Sat
1200-2200 Sun

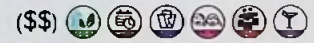
Pan-Asian dishes & specialty cocktails in a club-like space with colorful, contemporary Indian decor.



My Milkshake

151 S 2nd St Ste 199
Phone: (408) 899-6688
Hours: 1200-2300 Sun-Thu
1200-0100 Fri-Sat

Milkshakes with healthy alternatives, candy, fruits, french fries and chicken nuggets.



Ozu Sushi

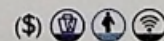
86 S 1st St
Phone: (408) 294-2238
Hours: 1130-1430/
1700-2130 Mon-Fri
1700-2130 Sat
Closed Sun

Hand-rolled sushi and Japanese comfort food.



Starbucks

125 S Market St
Cityview Plaza
Phone: (408) 271-9630
Hours: 0530-1800 Mon-Fri
1100-1800 Sat
1100-1800 Sun



LEGEND \$ = UNDER \$10; \$\$ = \$11-30; \$\$\$ = \$31-60; \$\$\$\$ = OVER \$60



Subway

350 S Market St
 Phone: (408) 297-5676
 Hours: 0900-2100 daily

Casual counter-serve chain for build-your-own sandwiches & salads, with health-conscious options.



Subway

125 S 1st St
 Phone: (408) 300-7660
 Hours: 0700-2200 Mon-Thu
 0700-2300 Fri
 0800-2300 Sat
 0900-2100 Sun



Tac-oh!

399 S 1st Street
 Phone: (408) 618-0991
 Hours: 1100-2100 Mon-Thu
 1100-2200 Fri-Sat
 Closed Sun

Mexican comfort food.



Tacomania

150 S 1st St Ste 117
 Phone: (650) 242-0222
 Hours: 1000-2200 Mon-Sat
 1000-1600 Sun

Street tacos and other Cal-Mex favorites.



Takai Sushi and Sake Bar

170 S Market St
 (in the Fairmont San Jose)
 Phone: (408) 998-1900
 Hours: 1700-2200 Mon-Sat
 Closed Sun

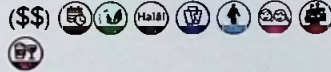
Sushi bar and lounge.



Tandoori Oven

150 S 1st St Ste 107
 Phone: (408) 292-7222
 Hours: 1130-2130 daily

Classic Indian dishes served in a colorful, contemporary setting with patio seating.



Uproar Brewing

439 S 1st Street
 Phone: (408) 673-2266
 Hours: 1600-2200 Mon-Tue
 1130-2200 Wed-Thu
 1130-2300 Fri
 1100-2300 Sat
 1100-2200 Sun

Great burgers, pizzas and other fare made to pair with house-brewed beers. Quick service.



Voltaire Coffee House

360 S Market St #80
 Phone: (408) 457-9929
 Hours: 0600-1700 Mon-Fri
 0800-1600 Sat-Sun

Top-quality specialty coffee & tea.



Whispers Café and Creperie

150 S 2nd St
 Phone: (408) 297-2850
 Hours: 0800-1500 Mon-Wed
 0800-2100 Thu-Sun

Airy, counter-service bistro serving up crêpes, omelets & sandwiches, plus an outdoor patio.



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