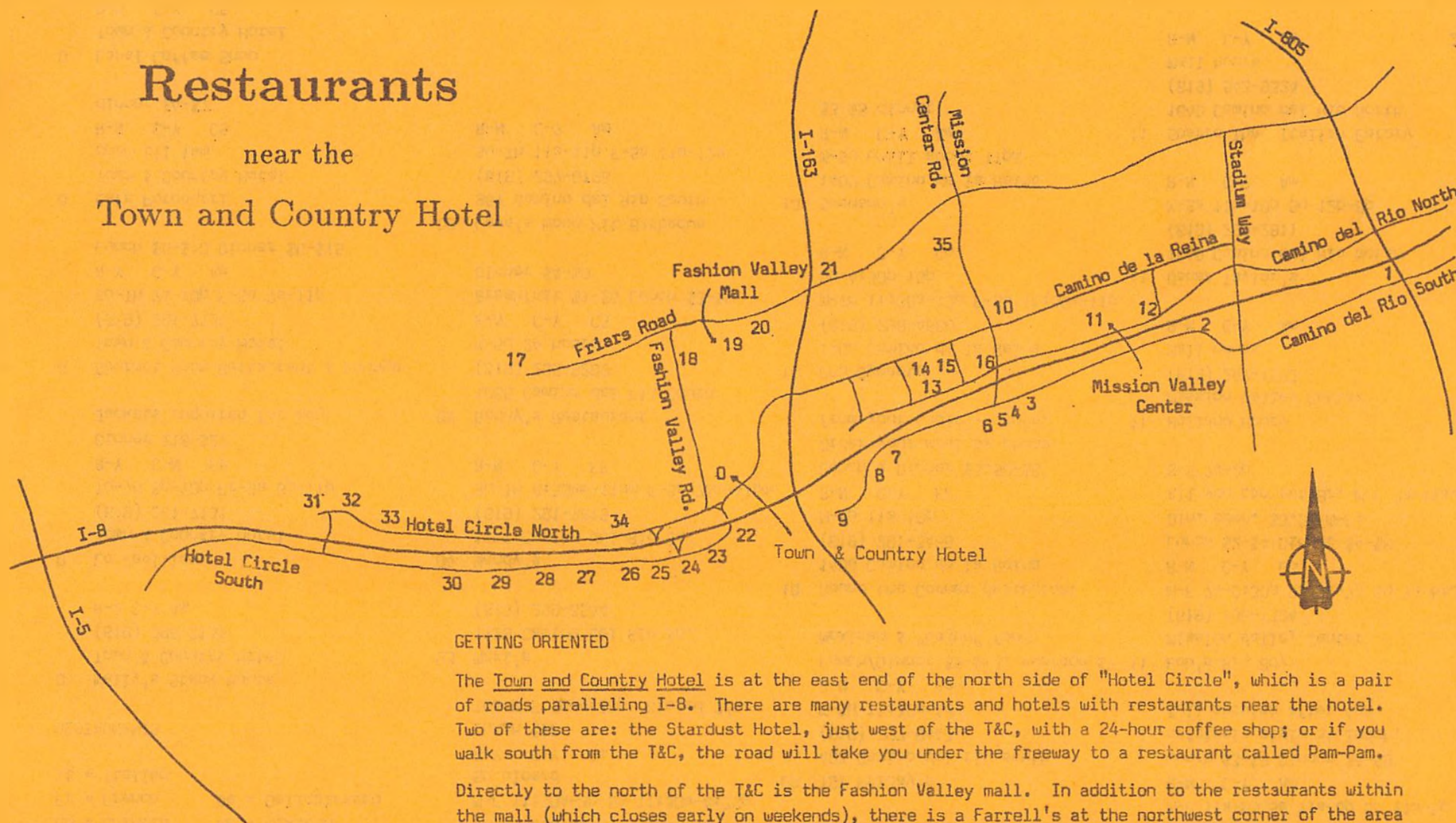


# Restaurants

near the  
Town and Country Hotel



## GETTING ORIENTED

The Town and Country Hotel is at the east end of the north side of "Hotel Circle", which is a pair of roads paralleling I-8. There are many restaurants and hotels with restaurants near the hotel. Two of these are: the Stardust Hotel, just west of the T&C, with a 24-hour coffee shop; or if you walk south from the T&C, the road will take you under the freeway to a restaurant called Pam-Pam.

Directly to the north of the T&C is the Fashion Valley mall. In addition to the restaurants within the mall (which closes early on weekends), there is a Farrell's at the northwest corner of the area and a Chauncey's at the northeast corner of the parking lot. Both of these are open later than the mall. Fashion Valley is about five minutes' walk from the hotel.

Heading east from the front (south side) of the hotel on Camino de la Reina takes you under I-163 to Mission Valley Center. There are many restaurants in and around this mall also, as well as northward on Mission Center Road, and to the south on Camino del Rio South.

This restaurant guide is as accurate as we could make it; however, restaurants in Mission Valley seem to open and close at whim, so the information on the restaurants may contain some errors. If in doubt, call ahead!

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Codes

R = Reservations Y = Needed  
 N = Not needed  
 ? = Unknown

C = Costumes Y = okay to wear  
 N = Not okay  
 ? = Unknown

Foods

Am = American CS = Coffee Shop  
 FF = Fast Food Ja = Japanese  
 Ch = Chinese Me = Mexican  
 Fr = French De = Delicatessen  
 It = Italian

RESTAURANTS

- 0 Kelly's Steak House  
 Town & Country Hotel  
 (619) 296-2131  
 R-? C-? Am
- 0 Le Pavillon  
 Town & Country Hotel  
 (619) 291-7131  
 Tu-Th 6p-10p Fr-Sa 6p-11p  
 R-Y C-N Fr  
 Dinner \$16-\$22  
 Jackets required for men
- 0 Gourmet Room Restaurant & Lounge  
 Town & Country Hotel  
 (619) 291-7131  
 Su-Th 7a-10p F-Sa 7a-11p  
 R-Y C-Y Am  
 Lunch \$5-\$10 Dinner \$9-\$15
- 0 Cafe Potpourri  
 Town & Country Hotel  
 open til 1am  
 R-N C-Y CS  
 dinner \$4-\$7
- 0 Lanai Coffee Shop  
 Town & Country Hotel  
 R-N C-Y CS

01 Lehr's Greenhouse Restaurant  
 2828 Camino del Rio South  
 (619) 299-2828  
 M-Th 11:30a-3p 4:30p-9:30p  
 F-Su 11:30a-3p 4:30p-10:30p  
 R-Y C-Y Am  
 Lunch \$5-\$20 dinner \$7-\$22  
 Seafood as well

02 Zarzuela Restaurant  
 1555 Camino de la Reina  
 (619) 299-9811  
 M-F 11:30a-3p Sa 11:30a-4:30p  
 Su closed  
 R-Y C-Y Am  
 Lunch \$56  
 Tea M-F 3p-4:30p Closed 7/4

03 Maxi's  
 1129 Camino del Rio So.  
 (619) 299-3544

04 Wendy's  
 1111 Camino del Rio So.  
 (619) 291-9815  
 Su-Th 6:30am-11pm F-Sa 7am-11pm  
 R-N C-Y FF

05 Denny's Restaurant  
 1065 Camino del Rio South  
 (619) 295-9200  
 M-Su 24 hours  
 R-N C-Y CS  
 Breakfast \$1-\$6 Lunch \$3-\$5  
 Dinner \$4-\$9

06 Love's Wood Pit Barbecue  
 967 Camino del Rio South  
 (619) 297-0196  
 Su-Th 11a-11p F-Sa 11a-12a  
 R-N C-? Am

07 El Torito  
 445 Camino del Rio South  
 (619) 296-6154  
 Su-Th 11am-11pm F-Sa 11am-12am  
 R-? C-? Me  
 dinner \$56-\$12

08 Benihana of Tokyo  
 477 Camino del Rio South  
 (619) 298-4666  
 Su-Th 5-10pm F-Sa 5-11pm  
 R-Y C-? Ja

09 TGI Friday's  
 403 Camino del rio south  
 (619) 297-8443  
 M-Su 11:30a-1a  
 R-N C-Y Am  
 Lunch/Dinner \$5-\$13, average \$7 11  
 Mexican & "Cajun" food

10 Round the Corner Restaurant  
 1400 Camino de la Reina  
 (619) 291-3468  
 M-Su 11a-10p  
 R-N C-Y FF  
 Lunch & Dinner \$3.50-\$6  
 Order your meal by phone  
 from your table -- cute.

10 Chu Dynasty  
 1400 Camino de la Reina  
 (619) 298-4680  
 M-Th 11:30a-10p F-Sa 11:30a-11p  
 Su 4:30p-10p  
 R-N C-Y Ch

10 Swenson's  
 1400 Camino de la Reina  
 M-Su until about 11pm  
 R-N C-Y Am  
 \$3-\$5 dinner

11 ATC Factory  
 Mission Valley Mall  
 (619) 295-3161  
 M-F 10a-9p Sa 10a-6p Su 12p-5p  
 R-N C-Y De  
 Lunch & Dinner \$2 and up  
 deli sandwiches, soup, salad,  
 wines & beers

11 Lettuce Patch Garden Cafe  
 Mission Valley Center  
 (619) 294-9880  
 M-F 11a-9p Sa 11a-6p Su 11a-5p  
 R-N C-Y Am  
 Lunch \$3-\$6 Dinner \$4-\$9  
 cafeteria style at lunch,  
 full service after 4pm

Bob's Big Boy  
 Mission Valley Center  
 (619) 296-1324  
 M-F 7a-9:30p Sa 7a-7p Su 7a-6:30p  
 R-N C-Y CS  
 Lunch \$2-\$4 Dinner \$4-\$6  
 Din. spec. \$3.25 M-F;  
 All you can eat Br. M-F 7a-11a,  
 S-S 7a-2p

11 Holland House  
 Mission Valley Center  
 (619) 297-1552  
 Mall hours  
 R-N C-Y Am

11 Oscar Taylor's  
 1640 Camino del Rio North  
 (619) 299-2811  
 M-Sa 11a-10p Su 12p-8p  
 R-N C-? Am

11 Sbarro The Italian Eatery  
 1640 Camino del Rio North  
 (619) 543-9324  
 Mall hours  
 R-N C-Y It

- 11 Orange Julius  
Mission Valley Center  
(619) 296-0543  
Mall hours  
R-N C-Y FF
- 11 Carousel Orange  
Mission Valley Center  
(619) 291-3591  
Mall hours  
R-N C-Y FF
- 11 Peking Palace  
Mission Valley Center  
(619) 298-2181  
M-Sa 11:30a-9:15p Su 11:30a-8:15p  
R-N C-? Ch
- 12 Bennigan's  
1760 Camino del Rio North  
(619) 291-8853  
M-Su 7a-2a  
R-N C-Y Am
- 13 Mavin's New York Scene  
Restaurant and Deli  
824 Camino del Rio North  
(619) 299-0620  
M-Sa 8a-9p Su 8a-7p  
R-N C-Y De  
Lunch \$\$4 Dinner \$\$7  
1950's NY deli
- 14 McDonald's  
825 Camino de la Reina  
(619) 291-3893  
Su-Th 6:30a-11pm F-Sa 6:30a-12a  
R-N C-Y FF
- 15 Hajji Baba  
104 Mission Valley Center West  
(619) 298-2010  
W-Su 5:30p-2a  
R-Y C-? Le  
Belly dancing
- 16 Cafe Casino  
5010 Mission Center Road  
(619) 297-3522  
Su-Th 7a-10p F-Sa 7a 11p  
R-N C-Y Fr  
Lunch/Dinner \$3-\$7  
cafeteria-style French, excellent  
bakery, good meals
- 17 New York Pizza Dept.  
6111 Friars Road  
(619) 296-0911  
M-Sa 11a-12p Su 11a-11p  
R-N C-Y It  
Will Deliver!
- 18 Farrell's Ice Cream Parlour  
and Restaurant  
136 Fashion Valley  
(619) 291-1887  
Su-Th 11a-12a F-Sa 11a-1a  
R-N C-Y Am  
Lunch \$3-\$4 Dinner \$3-4  
Corner of Friar's Rd & FV Mall
- 19 Square Pan Pizza  
132 Fashion Valley  
(619) 296-7719  
M-Th 11a-10p F-Sa 11a-11p  
Su 12p-10p  
R-N C-Y It  
pizzas \$5-\$12  
individual servings \$2-\$5  
call for faster to-go orders
- 19 Lucita's Mexican Cafe  
260 Fashion Valley  
(619) 574-6942  
Mall hours  
R-N C-Y FF
- 19 The Eatery  
353 Fashion Valley  
(619) 295-0893  
M-F 9a-8:30p Sa 9a-6:30p  
Su 10:30a-5p  
R-N C-? Am
- 19 Bakery Restaurant  
Fashion Valley Mall  
(619) 296-2198  
M-F 10a-9p Sa 9a-6p Su 11a-6p  
R-N C-Y Am  
Lunch \$3-\$6 Dinner \$3-\$9
- 19 Howard Johnson's Restaurant  
356 Fashion Valley  
(619) 574-9567  
Mall hours  
R-N C-Y Am
- 19 Orange Julius  
Fashion Valley Mall  
(619) 295-0988  
Mall hours  
R-N C-Y FF
- 19 McDonald's  
Fashion Valley Mall  
(619) 260-0034  
M-F 8a-9p Sa 8a-6p Su 9a-5p  
R-N C-Y FF  
Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner \$1-\$2
- 20 Chauncey's  
406 Fashion Valley  
(619) 291-1464  
R-N C-Y Am
- 21 Denny's Restaurant  
7676 Friars Road  
(619) 297-0657  
M-Su 24 hours  
R-N C-Y CS  
Breakfast \$1-\$6 Lunch \$3-5  
Dinner \$4-\$9
- 22 Pen & Pun  
411 Hotel Circle South  
(619) 291-1300  
5pm - ?  
R-N C-? Am
- 23 Pam-Pam  
543 Hotel Circle South  
(619) 298-6515  
M-S 6:30p-10p Su 7a-9p  
R-N C-Y CS  
Lunch \$2-\$5 Dinner \$4-\$6  
Deli as well as coffee shop food
- 24 Cabana  
Mission Valley Holiday Inn  
(619) 291-5720  
M-F 6:30-2p 5p-10p  
S-S 7a-2p 5p-10p  
R-N C-Y CS  
Lunch \$4-\$7 Dinner \$5-\$11
- 24 Cricket's Restaurant  
595 Hotel Circle South  
(Mission Valley Holiday Inn)  
(619) 291-5720  
M-Su 5p-10p  
R-Y C-Y Am  
Dinner \$9-\$22  
fresh seafood
- 25 La Hacienda  
875 Hotel Circle South (MV Inn)  
(619) 298-8281  
M-F 11:30a-2p 5p-10p Sa 5p-10p  
Su 10a-3p 5p-10p  
R-Y C-Y Me  
Lunch \$5-\$7.25 Dinner \$7.50-\$13  
Also have 24 hour coffee shop;  
happy hour 4p-8p M-F

- 26 Albie's Beef Inn  
1201 Hotel Circle South  
(619) 291-1103  
M-Sa 11:30a-12a Su closed  
R-Y C-Y Am  
Lunch \$5 Dinner \$7- \$12
- 27 King's Grille  
1333 Hotel Circle South  
(619) 297-2231  
M-F 11:30a-2:30p 5p-10p  
Sa 5p-10p Su 9:30a-2p 5p-10p  
R-Y C-Y Am  
Lunch \$5-\$8 Dinner \$7-\$17  
Early bird special \$8
- 28 Tickled Trout Seafood Grill & Pub  
2151 Hotel Circle South  
(Ramada Inn)  
(619) 291-6505  
M-Fr 7a-10p S-S 7a-12p 5p-10p  
R-Y C-? Se  
Lunch \$8 Dinner \$16  
Bar hours M-F 11a-1a S-S 5p-1a
- 29 Ricky's Family Restaurant  
2201 Hotel Circle South  
(619) 291-4498  
M-Su 6:30a-12a  
R-N C-Y CS  
Lunch \$4 dinner \$6
- 30 Bully's East  
2401 Camino del Rio South  
(619) 291-2665  
M-Sa 11a-12a Su 10a-12a  
R-N C-? Am
- 31 D W Ranch  
2440 Hotel Circle North  
(619) 297-3393  
M-Su 6:30a-9p  
R-N C-? Am  
Lunch \$4.50 Dinner \$7.00  
Family style
- 31 Adam's Steak and Eggs  
1201 Hotel Circle South  
(Travelodge)  
(619) 291-1103  
M-F 6:30a-11a S-S 7a-1p  
R-N C-Y CS  
Breakfast \$1.50-\$5
- 32 Hungry Hunter  
2445 Hotel Circle Place  
(619) 291-8074  
M-F 11:30a-2p 4:30p-10p  
S-S 4:30p-11p  
R-Y C-Y ,Am  
Lunch \$4-\$8 Dinner \$11-\$18  
May be serving breakfast
- 33 The Islands  
Hanalei Hotel  
(619) 297-1101  
M-Sa 11a-10p Su 9:30a-2:30p  
R-Y C-Y Cr  
Brunch (Su only) \$9 Lunch \$6  
Dinner \$10-\$13  
Buffet brunch Sunday only
- 34 Crane Room  
950 Hotel Circle South  
(Stardust Hotel)  
(619) 298-0511  
M-Su 11a-3p 4:30p-10p  
R-Y C-N Am  
Lunch \$5-\$8 Dinner \$10-\$23
- 34 Stardust Hotel coffee shop  
950 Hotel Circle South  
24 hours  
R-N C-Y CS
- 35 3 Friends Cafe  
7801 Mission Center Court  
(619) 299-5772  
R-? C-?



The entries with complete information (hours, food, reservation & costume info) are the ones that were interested enough in being listed in our restaurant guide to return the survey we sent out.

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