

# CONCIERGE

## RESTAURANT GUIDE



### At the hotel

The hotel offers the perfect venue for any occasion

### On our doorstep

An eclectic mix of local restaurants and bars

### A little further afield

Explore the best the Cape has to offer



# AT THE HOTEL

Cape Town has a wide, eclectic and very international restaurant scene. From typical South African to fancy fine dining, this city caters for every taste. For your convenience, we have listed some of our concierge's favourites starting with gastronomical delights at the hotel.

## Oasis Bistro

Mediterranean-inspired cuisine, with an inviting terrace overlooking the beautiful gardens and pool. Open daily.

## Chef's Table

Step into the gastronomic heart of the hotel and take your seat in an exclusive, hidden dining space. Watch in wonder as dishes are prepared right before your eyes—then uncover the inspiration behind each creation. Menus change according to the seasonal ingredients available locally. Open Wednesday to Saturday, seating between 18h30 and 19h30.

## Planet Bar

Chic, vibrant, with an extensive drinks, light meals and snacks menu. Fireside setting in winter, al fresco on the terrace in summer. Open daily from 12h00 till late



## Afternoon Tea at Mount Nelson

Try the best afternoon tea Cape Town has to offer. Take a seat in the bright and enchanting Lounge, and anticipate an indulgent feast. While you dine on sumptuous cakes, pastries and sandwiches stacked in tiers, live piano music sets the scene. Open Wednesday to Sunday at 12h00 and 15h00.

## EDGE x Mount Nelson

Captained by young gun Vusi Ndlovu, in partnership with Absie Pantshwa, EDGE seeks to disrupt the current dining landscape by exhibiting all that makes Africa so remarkable with focus on underutilized ingredients and progressive techniques.







# ON OUR DOORSTEP

Around the corner from the hotel, some within walking distance, the dining spectrum has been broad and eclectic for decades. You may find anything here: from fine French dining to a grilled cut of South African prime beef to great sushi.



## Kloof Street House

Richly furnished dining rooms in a Victorian house with bar and leafy courtyard, eclectic global cuisine.

## Tigers Milk (Kloof Street and Camps Bay)

Epitomising handcrafted goodness with a menu that takes pizza, grills and burgers to the next level, pair these with our locally made Tiger's Milk Lager and you're sure to leave satisfied.

## Nelson's Eye Restaurant

Long-established steakhouse with specialties such as ostrich and springbok in an unfussy setting, situated just behind the hotel. Psst, the restaurant has a key to let guests back into the hotel.



## Rick's Cafe American

Casablanca movie-themed restaurant with Moroccan/Med/US menu, roof terrace and mountain views.

## Asoka

The restaurant tantalizes patrons with nights of culinary and rhythmic indulgence with delicious food and cocktails.

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Fine food, great wine and inspiring cocktails, all served in a relaxed environment. Menus are seasonal and change often, with exceptional, original, yet uncomplicated flavours.





# KLOOF STREET

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Just outside the hotel's gates, bustling Kloof Street is complemented by friendly local cafes and eateries, making it a stroll to really savor.

## Carne on Kloof

Plenty of meat options in an Italian restaurant with a stylish rustic ambiance.



## Millers Thumb

One of Cape Town's well-kept secrets, fresh fish-inspired fare.

## Kyoto Gardens

Contemporary Japanese setting with a cool, calm atmosphere for inventive sushi and more.

## Yindee's

Classic array of Thai dishes including hot curries in a relaxed restaurant with traditional decor.

## The Black Sheep Restaurant

A laid back eatery, popular among local Cape Town patrons, where you can indulge in good food.





# BREE STREET

Bree Street – Afrikaans for Broadway – is the centrally located street where everything is hip, happening and hot. New places open here in the blink of an eye and this is where you will find Cape Town's trendiest trends.



## Villa 47

Modern Italian, celebrating Mediterranean and Asian cuisine.

## The Bailey

The Bailey sets out to bring theatre back into dining out, igniting a sparkle of glamour when enjoying a night out on the town.

## SeaBreeze Fish & Shell

Fresh local seafood, menu changes daily.

## Between Us

Housed in an original Cape Heritage building, this contemporary restaurant serves unfussy food you want to eat everyday.

## Grub & Vine

This restaurant serves refined bistro- style fare, in a relaxed contemporary space.

## Burger & Lobster

Modern in look and contemporary in feel, B&L use local seasonal produce and pair their food with fine wine or cocktails.







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## La Parada

Spanish inspired tapas and delicious cocktails.

## Iron Steak & Bar

Treat yourself to some great steak, great cocktails and a great atmosphere.



## Scala

An ultra-chic pasta bar that promises to be "not your mamma's pasta".

## Hacienda

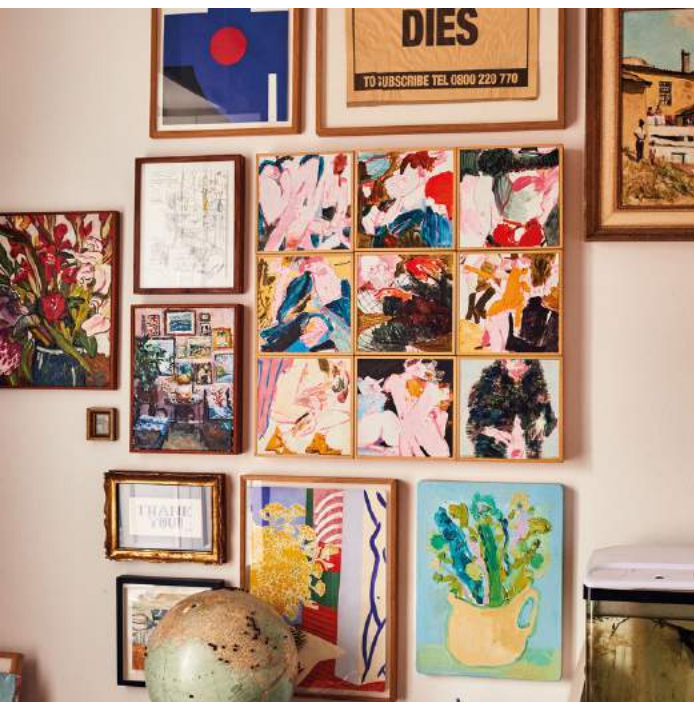
The estate of Tequila, Mezcal and Baja food. Bringing a taste of Mexico to Cape Town.

## I Love The Dough

Famous for the pink neon signage and the best pizza in town. This is a great starting point for a night on the town.

## First Thursdays:

On the first Thursday of every month, explore the art galleries and cultural attraction of Cape Town's central city until late. Art galleries and cultural events around Cape Town's central city stay open until 9pm or later, allowing anyone to explore the city on foot and experience the cultural wealth this city has to offer. There is no tour, schedule, or guided walk; that is up to you. Ask the hotel Concierge for more information.







# CAPE TOWN GEMS

Meander past Kloof and Bree street and find a few local gems that surprise in local influence and suburb menus and service.

## Truth Coffee Roasting

Artisanal roastery, world-class café, steampunk inspired Open daily from 7am till late when Truth After Dark takes over with late-night dessert fine dining.



## Swan Café

Bonjour! Welcome to Cape Town's first authentic Parisian Crêperie. Serving delicious sweet & savoury crepes.

## Aubergine

Contemporary East-meets-West menu in a simple but sophisticated setting with courtyard dining.

## Bao Down

An Asian-Fusion Restaurant in Green Point, an eclectic exploration of taste.

## FYN Restaurant

Named FYN – in reference to fynbos and Afrikaans for the word fine, serving a fine dining menu inspired by Japanese and home grown influence.



## Thali

Thali serves modern Indian tapas in a vibrant setting that will transport you straight to bustling Mumbai.





# CAMPS BAY

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Lovers of great sunsets, soft sandy beaches and spectacular views will all be happy to dine along Cape Town's most prestigious coastline, which is about a fifteen-minute drive from the hotel.

## The Codfather

Relaxed contemporary restaurant with terrace for seafood and sushi and views of ocean and mountain.

## Zenzero

This Italian restaurant welcomes you straight off the beach, or captures your attention as you lazily stroll the sidewalk.

## Paranga

Modern bar and restaurant with a beachview terrace serving sushi alongside international dishes.

## The Bungalow

Stylish restaurant with an ocean-view terrace focused on global seafood dishes including sushi.

## Cafe Caprice

For artisan cocktails and light meals on the famous Camps Bay strip.

## Bilboa Restaurant

Breezing onto the Camps Bay strip, diners are offered a contemporary beachfront restaurant with a Mediterranean seafood-inspired menu.

## Salsify at the Roundhouse

An opulent culinary journey showcasing modern, classical cooking in this refined dining house in a national monument.







# V&A WATERFRONT AND SURROUNDS

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Looking over Table Bay and wrapped around a working harbour, the V&A Waterfront offers a variety of dining options

## Baia

Baia specializes in the finest seafood from around southern Africa, the finest poultry, beef and venison and a renowned wine-list.



## Willoughby & Co

Japanese fusion kitchen serving seafood dishes, sushi and much much more!

## Harbour House

Mediterranean and seafood.

## Bukhara

Authentic Indian cuisine.

## Sevruqa

A delectable seafood & grill menu, with Asian fusion flavours at its core. The menu also includes sushi and dim sum.

## The Grand Africa Cafe & Beach

With ocean view decks and scenic views, this restaurant takes on beach dining to the next level. The menu is inspired by seaside surrounding & South African flavours.

## Utopia

Indulge in our West Coast oysters and a glass of our locally sourced MCC, comfortably seated as the sun sets on our outside deck, enjoying best views of our city in a comfortable and relaxed atmosphere.

## Beluga

Whether you're seeking the romantic restaurant experience or craving some of the best sushi Cape Town has to offer, Beluga's new location promises all the old favourites but with exciting new additions and even better vibes.







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## The Butcher Shop and Grill in Mouille Point

A landmark upmarket family friendly steakhouse in Cape Town.

## Duchess of Wisbeach

Hip cross between a New York speakeasy and a Parisian cafe, with music and a Mediterranean menu.

## La Perla Restaurant

Established in 1959, La Perla remains one of Cape Town's institutions - a favourite for mediterranean cuisine & sea food enjoyed on the sea front.

## Pigalle Restaurant

Pigalle is the place for a special occasion, serving lunch and dinner Monday to Saturday with live Jazz music in the evenings. Renowned for fresh seafood and tender steaks, the menu features classic dishes with a Portuguese twist, as well as a wide selection of Champagne and local bubbly.

## Il Leone Mastrantonio

With a friendly buzz and excellent service, Il Leone offers the best in Italian cuisine, creating a stir on the local restaurant scene.







# FAMILY FRIENDLY

The restaurants below are in very close proximity to the hotel, and are your restaurants of choice for easy-going meals with (or without) children: happy family places where everybody is welcome.

## Cafe Paradiso

Italian country style in a beautiful garden setting.



## La Belle Bistro & Bakery

This bistro style restaurant is the epitome of being spoilt for choice. Beautiful food in a beautiful setting.

## The Lawns at the Roundhouse

The Lawns set on the historic Roundhouse property. Serving breakfast, lunch, sundowners & pre-ordered picnics on the lawn or deck areas.

## Nonna Lina

Welcoming and comforting Italian inspired restaurant with a homely ambiance spoiling guests with easy and simple Italian and Sardinian food.

## Clay Cafe in the City and Hout Bay

Craft workshop for hand painting and firing pottery, with a restaurant & outdoor playground for kids.



## Mykonos Taverna

Traditional Greek taverna, serving superb full flavoured dishes in an authentic setting. Don't forget to join their Greek evenings on the last Saturday of every month.

## Scarpetta

Woodstock's family owned Italian eatery, with a range of Italian dishes. Order off the menu or speak to the Chef and order family style, sharing plates.





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## Deer Park Cafe & Deli

Borders on Rocklands Rd Park, a well maintained fenced public park with swings, jungle gyms & plenty of grass. Children can run around while parents can enjoy a coffee or glass of wine.

## Company's Garden Restaurant

In the heart of the Mother City, within the richly historical Company's Garden, lies a restaurant built for children, families and visitors alike. Inspired by nature and by tales rooted in the past, this gentle space offers a point of peace within a buzzing urban metropolis.

## Green Point Urban Park

A place to walk, play and relax near the Cape Town Stadium. A popular picnic and kids play area, there are two defined play areas – one for toddlers and one for older children. The outdoor training gym is also popular, and the park is surrounded by a biodiversity garden with more than 300 Cape plant species, as well as a watermill and a lake with ducks and seagulls. Environmental installations offer an educational treat. Enjoy a light meal at the Tea in the Park cafe, alternatively there are plenty of restaurants in the area.







# BARS

Here are a few of our favourite bars and in Cape Town and surrounds

## The Gin Bar (Wale Street)

One of the country's only true speak-easy bars, accessed through a Chocolate Café

## Chinchilla Rooftop Bar (Camps Bay)

Exclusive rooftop cafe & bar in Camps Bay.



## The Art of Duplicity

A new speakeasy-inspired jazz and cocktail bar dubbed The Art of Duplicity has quietly opened its doors in the heart of Cape Town's CBD in a top-secret location

## The Athletic Club & Social

Cosy corners to eat, drink and relax in, this three storey bar and restaurant perfectly pairs a casual ambiance with indulgent design.

## Dark Horse Bar

From the owners of the popular Black Sheep across the way, the aptly named watering hole serves a selection of tasty tipples and delectable tapas-inspired dishes.

## Cause Effect Cocktail Kitchen

Cocktail Kitchen & Brandy Bar inspired by Cape Town's fynbos, oceans, vineyards and mountains.



## Culture Wine Bar

Culture Bar houses a curated selection of fine wines from the country's most respected names, cult classics, hidden gems, natural wines, and special imports.

## Gigi Rooftop at the Gorgeous George

Chic, exquisitely decorated venue in the heart of the City. Join for a lush cocktail & a bite.

## Tjing Tjing Rooftop Bar

You can expect a wide selection of bespoke cocktails (including classics by request), Japanese whisky, gin and sake as well as an extensive wine list, including Tjing Tjing's own house wine, made by David & Nadia Wines.





# AFRICAN

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Enjoy a great selection of African restaurants with traditional African to Cape Malay inspired restaurants, full of flavour and character.

## GOLD Restaurant

Come to GOLD Restaurant in Cape Town for an unforgettable, authentically African dining experience. Be swept up in the excitement with tall Mali Puppets, live tribal dancing and singing to the rhythmic beating of djembe drums. Enjoy a 14-dish tasting feast inspired by cultural deliciousness from the African continent.

## Bo-Kaap Kombuis

A Traditional Cape Malay Restaurant specializing in traditional Cape Malay cuisine.

## Marcos African Place

Join them for a taste of African culture, indigenous African and Cape cuisine as well as live local music.

## Moyo Kirstenbosch

Acclaimed as one of the great botanical gardens of the world, this breath-taking backdrop of nature is the location of this African restaurant. Beautiful vistas, Afro entertainment and cuisine composed of the best of African produce.



## Karibu Restaurant

Welcome to the gateway of Africa in the V&A Waterfront. Experience the vibrant flavours of South Africa and be part of our unique theatre dining.







# VEGAN

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Here are a few of our favourite vegan restaurants in Cape Town and surrounds.

## Anatoli

Traditional Turkish food and setting, with live music and dancing on selected evenings, this is also vegan friendly.

## Plant

Plant offers delicious vegan food, helping you make more compassionate choices without sacrificing taste.

## Scheckters RAW

Scheckter's Raw is a raw, organic vegan and vegetarian Cafe Style restaurant, taking healthy and healing food to the next level.

## Aubergine Restaurant

Contemporary East-meets-West menu in a simple but sophisticated setting with courtyard dining.

## Lily's

Set in Cape Town's iconic bustling Mouille Point. Lily's Restaurant's all day dining menu is inventive, modern, creative & full of honest goodness.

## The Woodlands Eatery

Cape Town Restaurant, Italian Inspired cuisine, Delicious food and great service.

## Prashad Cafe

A taste of pure vegan and vegetarian Indian cuisine, right on our doorstep.

## Our Local

Inspired by the love of entertaining at home. Expect fresh, flavourful food in an effortlessly laidback space with the atmosphere of your own dinner party with friends.







# LGBTQ+ HANGOUTS

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In the vibey Waterkant area, a ten minutes' drive from the hotel, you will find Cape Town's LGBT strip. Within a stone's throw from each other, you will find a range of different hangouts.



## Beefcakes

Burger restaurant that mixes '50s Americana with camp humour, featuring outrageous comedy and drag.

## Cafe Manhattan

Casual restaurant and bar serving burgers and steaks with a shaded terrace, popular with a gay crowd.

## Crew Bar

Crew Bar combines stylish decor, gorgeous bartenders and the best in music.

## The Piano bar

A trendy New York music revue bar and eatery with modern Japanese cuisine. The ideal spot to chill out over an evening cocktail.



## Kong Bar & Grill

Vibrant, lush gastrobar in the city of Cape Town. Serving delicious intercontinental cuisine. Stop by for casual drinks and a bite to eat