PLATES OF INTEREST

Bring a hearty appetite and meet the award-winning chefs who are turning local bounty into works of art. Whether it’s delicious goat cheese, fresh-from-the Gulf seafood, home-grown collards and sweet potatoes, or mouth-watering barbecue, you’ll discover your personal favorites in this updated edition of Alabama’s most interesting places to eat.

We’ve organized the list of dishes available to make them easier to navigate. The state has been split into four regions: North, Central, South, and Gulf Coast. The list of dishes is always growing. To learn more visit our website www.ilovealabamafood.com.

Diamonds identify Alabama’s longest-running restaurants. The year in which they opened is shown in parentheses.

ALBERTVILLE

El Sol King Pollo Roasted Chicken 256-891-0033
Giovanni’s Rigatoni with Sun-dried Tomatoes 256-878-7881
Jessie’s Cafe White Chicken Chili 256-894-4565 (Tues. Only)
Mater’s Pizza Celebrity Pizza 256-891-9878 (chicken, cranberries, goat cheese, spinach)
Sebastien’s on Main Teddy’s Chicken 256-660-1222
Wilson’s BBQ BBQ Chicken Baked Potato 256-878-5213

ARAB

Fonseca Factory Spinach dip 256-931-7687
Grumpy’s Pizza and Pasta Shoppe Chicken salad 256-931-2335
L Rancho Greens 256-586-9913 (Weds. or Thurs. Only)

ATHENS

Clark’s Restaurant Prime rib 256-771-7700 (Thurs., Fri., Sat. Nights)
LawLers Barbecue Stuffed Pork, Ham or Turkey Baked Potato 256-233-1818
LuVici’s Bayou Skillet Chicken 256-233-5550 (Thurs-Sat, Diner Only)

BLOUNT SPRINGS

Top Hat Barbecue BBQ with Tomato Sauce 256-352-9919

BOAZ

Dales BBQ BBQ Stuffed Potato 256-593-1168
Mill Street Deli Chicken salad 256-593-7677
CULLMAN

◆ All Steak (1934) Orange Rolls
256-734-4322
Johnny’s BBQ BBQ Pork Plate
256-734-8539

DECATUR

Albany Bistro Coffee & Toffee Cheesecake 256-686-1667
◆ Big Bob Gibson Bar-B-Q (1925) BBQ Chicken with
White Sauce & Pies 256-350-6969
The Corner Cafe Chicken salad and a cupcake 256-822-1414
Curry’s on Johnston Street Fried Green Tomato BLT Sandwich
and Spring Roll Salad 256-350-6715
Let’s Do Lunch Cornbread Salad 256-340-1317
Morgan Price Candy Toffee 256-306-0910
Simp McGhee’s Seafood-Filled Mushroom Caps 256-353-6284

DORA

Green Top Cafe BBQ with vinegar/tomato sauce 205-648-9838

ELKMONT

Belle Chevre Ice Cream and Cheesecake 256-732-3577

FLORENCE

360 Grille at Marriott Hotel & Spa Crab cakes 256-246-3600
Ricatoni’s Bread, herbs & olive oil 256-718-1002
◆ Trowbridge’s (1918) Orange-pineapple ice cream 256-764-1503

FORT PAYNE

Bar-B-Q Place JoJo Potatoes 256-845-6155

FYFFE

Barry’s Backyard Barbecue Buffet & BBQ 256-623-2102
(Open Thurs.-Sat.)

GADSDEN

Pruett’s Bar-B-Q Sweet Potato Fluff 256-547-4118
Top O’ the River Catfish & Greens 256-547-9817

GUIN

Jimbo’s BBQ BBQ sandwich and Banana pudding 205-468-2272

GUNTERSVILLE

Café 336 Downtown Delight 256-486-3844
(chicken salad, pimento cheese sandwich, muffin
+1 side)
Crawmamma’s Crawfish 256-582-0484 (Thurs.,
Fri., and Sat. in Fall)
The Rock House Eatery Margarita Pizza
256-505-4699 (Closed Mon.)
Top of the River Fried pickles 256-582-4567

HALEYVILLE

Guthrie’s Chicken fingers & sauce 205-486-9222

HANCEVILLE

Iron Skillet Restaurant Counry fried steak 256-287-1299

HARTSELLE

Las Vias Mercedes Special
skillet 256-751-1402

HAZEL GREEN

Ole Dad’s Barbeque BBQ
sandwich 256-828-8777

HUNTSVILLE

1892 East Restaurant & Tavern Crispy
shrimp & grits 256-489-1242
The Bottle 32 oz. Cowboy Ribeye 256-704-5555
Beauregard’s Hot wings & habanero sauce 256-429-2600
Big Spring Cafe Chili Burger & Slaw Dog 256-593-9994
Connor’s Steak and Seafood Shrimp and Grits 256-327-8425
Cotton Row Restaurant Braised Meyer Ranch
beef short ribs 256-382-9500
CynShea’s Blueberry Pancakes 256-882-2837
Granville’s Gourmet Ribs & Barbeque Baked Potato salad
and BBQ 256-585-3550
Grille 29 Grouper Oscar 256-489-9470
G’s Country Kitchen Meatloaf 256-533-3034
Humphrey’s Bar & Grill Smoked Chicken Wings 256-704-5555
Little Paul’s BBQ BBQ Stuffed Potato 256-536-7227
Ol’ Heidelberg German Brown Farmers Bread 256-922-0556
Rosie’s Cantina Tex-Mex cuisine 256-922-1001
Tenders Big Daddy Chicken Plate 256-721-3395
JASPER
Black Rock Bistro  Catfish Pontchartrain 205-387-0282

MADISON
Greenbrier  Catfish & hush puppies 256-351-1800
Main Street Cafe  Strawberry Pretzel Salad 256-461-8096

MENTONE
Mountain Laurel Inn  Decadent French Toast 256-634-4673
Wildflower Cafe  Tomato Pie 256-634-0066

MOORESVILLE
JaVa.Mooresville  Blueberry pie 256-337-1947

MUSCLE SHOALS
New Orleans Transfer  Gumbo 256-386-0656

NEW MARKET
Old Hickory Bar-B-Que  Banana Pudding 256-859-2824
New Market BBQ  Smoked Mac n’ Cheese 256-379-5525
(Open Fri.-Sun. Only)

RAINSVILLE
Katy’s Katfish  Catfish and chicken fingers 256-638-7200

RED BAY
Fourth Street Grill & Steakhouse  4th street chips 256-356-2226

RUSSELLVILLE
Daily Bread Barbecue  Caramel cake 256-332-9621
Pilgrim’s Place  Chicken salad 256-332-1007
Taylor’s Restaurant  Strawberry Cake 256-332-7585
Wayne’s Catfish Haven  Whole Fish plate 256-332-9947

SCOTTSBORO
50 Taters  Brisket stuffed potato 256-259-3222
Carlile’s  Tomato pie 256-574-5629
Cups Cafe at Unclaimed Baggage Center  Chicken salad 256-259-1525
Cutchen’s Magnolia House Restaurant  Fried Green Tomatoes 256-259-3077
The Docks at Goose Pond Colony  Shrimp & grits 256-574-3071
Mud Creek Fishing Camp  Catfish 256-259-2493
Stevarinos Italian Eatery & Pub  Beach bread 256-259-5420
Triple R BBQ  Pulled pork 256-574-1620

SHEFFIELD
George’s Steak Pit  Ribeye 256-381-1531

TRINITY
Caddo Cafeteria  White cream corn 256-974-5535

TUSCUMBIA
Claunch Cafe  Pecan chicken salad plate 256-386-0222
Rattlesnake Saloon  Duke Rustler Burger with apple wood bacon and fried snake eyes (jalapenos) 256-370-7220
The Palace  Harvey’s Milkshake 256-386-8210

ALEXANDER CITY
Carlisle Drug & Soda Fountain  Chicken salad and a limeade 256-234-4211
Kowaliga Restaurant  Fried Catfish Squealers 256-215-7035
Mistletoe Bough Bed and Breakfast  Apple-stuffed upside-down French Toast 256-329-3717
SpringHouse  S’mores 256-215-7080

ANNISTON
Classic on Noble  Shrimp & Grits 256-237-5388
Garfrerick’s Cafe  Pecan Encrusted Grouper 256-831-0044

ASHLAND
Anderson’s Bistro  Melvine’s Chicken salad 256-354-2481
(Open Wed.- Sat.)

BESEMER
Bob Sykes BBQ  (1957) BBQ pork sandwich 205-426-1400
The Bright Star  (1907) Broiled seafood platter 205-426-1861
**BIRMINGHAM**

**Bettola** Neopolitan Pizzas 205-731-6499

**Bottega** Parmesan Souffle 205-939-1000 *(Dinner Only)*

**Cafe Dupont** Buttermilk Fried Chicken with Lemon Beurre Blanc Sauce at 205-322-1282

**Chez Fonfon** desserts 205-939-3221

**The Fish Market** Athenian Grouper 205-322-3330  
**Full Moon Bar-B-Que** Half-Moon Cookies 205-324-1007  
**Highlands Bar & Grill** Baked Grits 205-939-1400  
**Hot and Hot Fish Club** Tomato Salad & Pickled Okra 205-933-5474 *(Summer season only)*  
**Jim 'n Nick's Bar-B-Q** Cheese biscuits 205-320-1060  
**Little Savannah** Gulf Shrimp and Grits with a Bacon Vinaigrette and fresh thyme 205-591-1119

**Jinsei** Kadoma Tuna Roll Plate 205-802-1440  
**Johnny's** Chocolate-Peanut Butter Torte 205-802-2711  
**Nabeel's** Camel Rider Sandwich & Moussaka 205-879-9292

**Michael's Restaurant** (1953) Original Steer Butt Steak 205-871-9525

**Savage's** (1939) Pimento Cheese on Sun-dried Tomato Bread 205-871-4901  
**SAW's BBQ** BBQ Pork-Stuffed Tater 205-879-1937

**HOOVER**

**Tortugas** Deep-dish stuffed pizza 205 403-9800

**HELENA**

**Fox Valley Restaurant** Crab cakes 205-664-8341

**IRONDALE**

**Golden Rule Bar-B-Q** (1891) BBQ & baked beans 205-956-2678  
**Irondale Cafe** (1928) Fried green tomatoes 205-956-5258

**JASPER**

**Black Rock Bistro** Catfish Pontchartrain 205-387-0282

**LIVINGSTON**

**Diamond Jim’s & Mrs. Donna’s Steaks** *(Dinner Only)* 205-652-5750  
**Touch of Home Bakery** Fresh baked breads and pies 205-652-6561

**MARION**

**Whillard’s Barbecue & Grill** Hamburgers 334-683-4200

**MONTEVALLO**

**Eclipse Coffee and Books** Quinoa Salad with Cake Batter Milkshake 205-665-4234

**MOUNTAIN BROOK**

**Daniel George** Chocolate Lava Cake 205-871-3266  
**Gilchrist Drug** (1928) Fresh-squeezed limeade 205-871-2181

**NORTHPORT**

**Archibald’s** Barbecued ribs 205-345-6861  
**City Cafe** Meat & three 205-758-9171
RIVERSIDE
The Ark  Shrimp & catfish 205-338-7420

TUSCALOOSA
Baumhower’s  Hot Bama Brown 205-556-5658
Bob’s Victory Grille  Coal-fired Pizza 205-561-3984
Cypress Inn  Smoked Chicken with White BBQ Sauce
205-345-6963
Dreamland  (1958) Ribs & white bread 205-758-8135
Epiphany Café  Hay-smoked Scallops 205-344-5583
Evangeline’s  Crab cakes 205-752-0830

VESTAVIA HILLS
Klingler’s  Black Forest Torte 205-823-4560
Mr. P’s Butcher Shop & Deli  Sandwiches on wheat roll with
BBQ sauce 205-823-6136

YORK
Larkin Restaurant & Deli  Soul food 205-392-9988

South
REGION
Betty Kennedy  Gaines Ridge Dinner Club  Camden

ABBEVILLE
Huggin’ Molly’s  Homemade “Molly” Fingers 334-585-7000

ATMORE
Buster’s Restaurant  Lima beans, fried pork chop, and cornbread
(Wed. - lunch only) 251-368-4931

AUBURN
Acre  Alabama Butcher’s Board 334-246-3763
Amsterdam Cafe  Crab Cake & Avocado Sandwich 334-826-8181
Ariccia  Cedar Plank Salmon 334-821-8200
The Depot  Flash-fried Cobia Wings 334-521-5177
Hamilton’s  Fried Green Tomato & Shrimp Appetizer 334-887-2677
Toomer’s Drugs  (1896) Fresh lemonade 334-887-3488

CAMDEN
Gaines Ridge Dinner Club  Black Bottom Pie 334-682-9707
Jackson’s Fried Chicken  COB Sandwich with Special Sauce
334-682-9089

DALEVILLE
Castle Cafe  Schnitzel Club Sandwich 334-598-9005

DEMOPOLIS
Kora’s Place  Soul food 334-289-4911
The Foscue House Restaurant  10 oz. Filet Mignon 334-287-3341
(Thur. - Sat.)

DOTHAN
Basketcase Cafe  Homemade soups 334-671-1117
BBQ Shack  Pulled pork 334-678-6817
Old Mill Restaurant  Grouper 334-794-8530

ENTERPRISE
Cutt’s  Chili dog 334-347-1110
The Rawls  Sauteed grouper 334-308-9387

EUFALA
Bread Basket  Bacon, egg & cheese sandwich 334-687-5567
(Tue. & Thu.)

FAUNSDALE
Faunsdale Bar & Grille  Crawfish pie 334-628-3240

FORT DEPOSIT
Priester’s Pecans  Pecan fruit cake & pralines (Holiday Season)
334-227-8355

GOSHEN
Old Barn Restaurant  Apple Cheese Casserole 334-584-7955

GRADY
Red’s Little Schoolhouse  Rum Bread Pudding
334-584-7955 (Sun. Only)

GREENVILLE
Bates House of Turkey  Hickory-smoked Turkey Sandwich
334-382-6123
**LAVACA**
- **Ezell’s Fish Camp** (1937) Catfish & cole slaw 205-654-2205

**MONROEVILLE**
- **Prop and Gavel** Barrister Burger 251-575-7767

**MONTGOMERY**
- **Chappy’s** The Reuben 334-279-7477
- **Vintage Year** Cast-Iron Blackened Redfish 334-264-8463
- **Chris’ Hotdogs** (1917) Hot Dog with Chris’ sauce 334-265-6850
- **City Grill** Tuna Napoleon 334-244-0960
- **Derk’s Filet & Vine** Veggies on the hot bar 334-262-8463
- **El Rey Burrito Lounge** BBQ Salad 334-832-9688
- **La Jolla** Ahi Tuna Spring Roll with Soy Lime Dipping Sauce, Pickled Ginger and Wasabi 334-356-2600

- **Lek’s Taste of Thailand** Spring roll with peanut sauce 334-244-8994
- **Martin’s** Fried chicken 334-265-1767
- **Red Bluff Cottage B&B** Buttermilk Pecan Waffles 334-264-0056
- **Sinclair’s** Fresca Salad with house dressing 334-834-7462
- **Tomatino’s** Mediterranean pizza 334-264-4241

**OPELIKA**
- **Mrs. Story’s** Chili dog & milkshake 334-749-1719
- **Warehouse Bistro** Crab & Corn Bisque 334-745-6353

**PHENIX CITY**
- **13th Street Barbecue** Pork Chop Sandwich & Mustard Sauce 334-291-1833

**PRATTVILLE**
- **Jim’s Restaurant** Home-style cooking 334-365-7231

**SELMA**
- **Downtowners** Lemon pie 334-875-5933
- **Hancock’s** BBQ Plate 334-872-5541
- **Lannies #2** Combo BBQ Platter 334-872-8573
- **Tally-Ho** New York Strip 334-872-1390

**SLOCOMB**
- **Zack’s** Cornbread & Fried Green Tomatoes 334-886-9731

**TROY**
- **Crowe’s** Chicken fingers & dipping sauce 334-566-6027

**Mossy Grove Schoolhouse** Beans & cornbread 334-566-4921 (Wed.-Sat.)

**Sisters** Banana pudding 334-566-0064

**TUSKEGEE**
- **Dorothy’s Place, Kellogg Hotel and Conference Center**
  Sweet Potato Souffle 334-724-2767

**UNION SPRINGS**
- **Hilltop Grill** Smoked meat & homemade stew 334-738-3000

**WETUMPKA**
- **Our Place Cafe** Crab cakes & dill sauce 334-567-8778
- **Champ’s BBQ** Champ Stew 334-514-4742

**DAPHNE**
- **Market By The Bay** Shrimp Poboy 251-929-7203
- **Rosie’s Grill** T-Bird Sandwich 251-626-2440

**FAIRHOPE**
- **Bay Breeze Guest House** Pier Grits at 251-928-8976
- **Big Daddy’s Grill** Big Daddy Burger 251-990-8555
- **Panini Pete’s** Muffaletta 251-929-0122
- **Sandra’s Place** Chocolate cake 251-990-3344

**FOLEY**
- **Fish River Grill** OMG Seafood Feast 251-952-3474
- **The Gift Horse** Apple Cheese Casserole 251-943-3663
Lambert’s Cafe  Threwed rolls
251-943-7655
Stacey Drugs & Olde Tyme Soda Fountain  Key Lime Milkshake
251-943-7191
Wolf Bay Lodge  Seafood Platter & Gumbo 251-987-5129

GULF SHORES
The Hangout  Hang Ten Burger 251-948-3030
King Neptune’s  Royal Red Shrimp 251-968-5464
Lulu’s  L.A. (Lower Alabama) Caviar of Black-eyed Peas & Cheeseburger in Paradise 251-967-5858
Original Oyster House  Peanut butter pie at 251-948-2445
Tacky Jack’s  Farmer’s Omelet 251-948-8881

JOSEPHINE
Pirate’s Cove  Cheeseburgers and Bushwackers 251-987-1224

MAGNOLIA SPRINGS
Jesse’s  Whiskey Steak 251-965-3827

MOBILE
The Battle House Hotel  Diver Scallops with Wild Mushroom Risotto, Sauteed Spinach and White Truffle oil 251-338-2000
(Available in the Trellis Room - dinner menu.)
Berney Fly Bed & Breakfast  Cheese Garlic Grits 251-405-0949
The Blind Mule  Alabama Shrimp & Grits 251-694-6853
The Brick Pit  Smoked BBQ 251-343-0001
Callaghan’s Irish Social Club  Bacon cheeseburger 251-433-9374
Dauphin’s  Gumbo Z’ Herb 251-444-0200
Dew Drop Inn (1924)  Hotdogs 51-473-7872
Kate Shepard House Bed & Breakfast  Pecan Praline French Toast 251-479-7048
NoJa  Ginger Donuts 251-433-0377
Pollman’s Bakery (1918)  Praline Dobash Cake 251-342-8346
Saucy Q  Bar-B-Q Ribs 251-433-7427
Spot of Tea  Eggs Cathedral & Bananas Foster French Toast 251-433-9009
Tanner Pecans & Candies  Candied pecans 251-473-4560
Three George’s (1917)  Chocolates 251-433-6725

ORANGE BEACH
Cosmo’s Restaurant  Sea Bass (Wrapped in Banana Leaves)
251-948-9663
Doc’s Seafood Shack & Oyster Bar  Seafood gumbo 251-981-6999
Ginny Lane Bar & Grill  Shrimp & Grits 251-224-6500
Shipp’s Harbour Grill  Grouper Ponchatrain 251-981-9891
Tacky Jack’s  Mexican Garbage Nachos 251-981-4144
The Southern Grind  Mango Salsa Grilled Chicken Salad 251-923-3265

PERDIDO
Perdido Vineyards  Rose Cou Rouge (redneck rose) wine 251-937-9463

POINT CLEAR
Punta Clara Kitchen  Point Clear Divinity & Pecan Planks 251-928-8477
The Wash House  Key Lime Bread Pudding 251-928-4838
The Grand Hotel Marriott Resort (1847)  Signature Lump Crab Scramble 251-928-9201

ROBERSTDALE
The Derailed Diner  in the Oasis Travel Center  Chef Rick’s Pecan Pie Cheesecake 251-960-1150

SPANISH FORT
Blue Gill Restaurant  Gumbo & crab claws 251-625-1998
Ed’s Seafood Shed  Yo Mama’s Platter 251-625-1947
Felix’s Fish Camp  Crab soup 251-626-6710
The Original Oyster House  Fire-Grilled Oysters 251-626-2188

THEODORE
Time to Eat  Country cooking 251-654-0228

STOCKTON
Stage Coach Cafe  Catfish 251-580-0608
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