

Favorite Local Restaurants

Limone's

Limone's restaurant is favored by all here at the Princess Anne. Limone's is considered a Mexican/Californian restaurant, but the dishes are a bit more intriguing than just that. The menu changes often, serving everything from barbecue pork tacos to house-made ravioli stuffed with farmer's goat cheese, roasted corn, and organic sorrel. All the food is fresh, organic, and much of it is local. Every guest we've sent to Limone's has had nothing but good things to say about their dining experience. Limone's is located downtown on Eagle Street and the dress is casual. Visit www.limonesrestaurant.com for details.

The Market Place

If you're celebrating a special event, or if you prefer a less casual dining atmosphere, The Market Place is a great restaurant to visit. The chefs attend local markets at least twice a week to hand select the produce used in every dish on the menu. Out-of-town visitors have proclaimed The Market Place one of the finest dining experiences in the country, and loyal local fans say the restaurant sets the region's standard for quality. Entrees include a good selection of fish and steak. The Market Place is located downtown on Wall Street, and the dress is dressy casual. Visit www.market-placerestaurant.com for details.

Early Girl Eatery & Tupelo Honey Cafe

Early Girl Eatery, located downtown on Wall Street, is a great Southern-style family restaurant. Most of the food is organic, and the meat and breads come from local providers. The food is fresh and reasonably priced, and the portions are generous. **Tupelo Honey**, also located downtown on College Street, serves similar fare and is a great place for brunch or lunch. Both restaurants are very casual, and neither accepts reservations. Visit www.earlygirleatery.com and www.tupelohoneycafe.com for details.

Bouchon

Bouchon specializes in serving classic French comfort food such as Le Brie en Croute Chaud, Le Poulet Roti au Thym, and Le Steak au Poivre. This is French food without pomp or frills but with all the taste. And the atmosphere matches the food: comfortable and casual. Bouchon is located downtown and is open Monday-Saturday for dinner. Visit www.ashevillebouchon.com for details.

The Corner Kitchen & Rezaz

Biltmore Village, located across from the Biltmore Estate, offers several unique restaurants, including **The Corner Kitchen** and **Rezaz**. **The Corner Kitchen** serves Southern food with a twist, and they offer outdoor seating when the weather's right. Entrees range from three-meat meatloaf served with sweet mustard glaze, collard greens, and cheddar grits, to pesto grilled swordfish served with gold zucchini. The Corner Kitchen is open for breakfast, lunch, dinner, and Sunday brunch. The atmosphere is casual. **Rezaz** serves Mediterranean fare, including cuisine from North Africa, Italy, Spain, Morocco and the Middle East. Guests can be seated at chef's tables in the kitchen, which allows guests to get a behind-the-scenes look at how the kitchen works. The guests can also help the chef design the courses of the meal. Dress is dressy casual. Visit www.thecornerkitchen.com and www.rezaz.com for details.

La Caterina

If you're in the mood for Italian, La Caterina is located only a few blocks away near to downtown. At La Caterina, you will find meats cured without any preservatives, freshly made pasta, and a menu which incorporates the best ingredients available. The seasonal menu delivers flavorful and stylish dishes with a strong Southern Italian influence. Dress is casual. Visit www.lacaterina.com for details.

The Laughing Seed

The Laughing Seed, recognized for its diverse cuisine by such publications as Southern Living and the New York Times, serves all-vegetarian, global fusion fare using primarily local and organic ingredients. They serve both lunch and dinner, featuring familiar favorites such as Pad Thai, Mushroom Risotto Cakes, and even Sloppy Jos, all with vegan options as well. Atmosphere is calm and casual. Visit www.laughingseed.com for more information.