



THE
CHARLESTON PLACE

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN



Dining Recommendations

205 MEETING STREET
CHARLESTON, SC 29401



Traditional Restaurants

In Charleston, there's no shortage of great food. Here are our recommendations of tried and true restaurants that continuously draw in locals and visitors alike.

Charleston Grill*

A Charleston classic, the refined, award-winning Charleston Grill is renowned for its unparalleled dining experience and warm hospitality. Helmed by Chef de Cuisine Suzy Castelleo, who was mentored by Michelle Weaver, the seasonal menu showcases imaginative dishes that honor the purveyors and makers of the South.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 32 GUESTS
224 KING STREET | 843 577 4522
CHARLESTONGRILL.COM | \$\$\$

39 Rue De Jean*

Busy, brick-walled bistro serving French classics with a twist, plus a lively bar.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 200 GUESTS
39 JOHN STREET | 843 722 8881
39RUEDEJEAN.COM | \$\$

82 Queen*

A swanky bar and intimate courtyard help make this refined Southern spot a favorite for special occasions.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 40
82 QUEEN STREET | 843 723 7591
82QUEEN.COM | \$\$\$

Amen Street Fish + Raw Bar*

Bustling spot for refined seafood dishes, served in a brick-walled environment, with a picturesque bar.

205 EAST BAY STREET | 843 853 8600
AMENSTREET.COM | \$\$\$

Bistronomy by Nico

An innovative menu and vast wine list combine to create a cozy, low-lit neighborhood French bistro.

64 SPRING STREET | 843 410 6221
BISTRONOMYBYNICO.COM | \$\$\$

Circa 1886*

Romantic pick with a seasonal and local menu of elevated Lowcountry cuisine plus extensive wine list.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 38
149 WENTWORTH STREET | 843 853 7828
CIRCA1886.COM | \$\$\$

Cru Café*

Refined takes on American comfort food served in a charming, old yellow house with a porch.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 18
18 PINCKNEY STREET | 843 534 2434
CRUCAFE.COM | \$\$\$

Delaney Oyster House*

A raw bar and seafood-restaurant, located in a historic house, overlooking Mother Emmanuel AME church.

115 CALHOUN STREET | 843 594 0099
DELANEYOYSTERHOUSE.COM | \$\$\$

Eli's Table*

High-end bar and eatery with artful decor and locally sourced Southern fare for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

129 MEETING STREET | 843 405 5115
ELISTABLE.COM | \$\$

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T + 1 800 611 5545 | CHARLESTONPLACE.COM

The Establishment*

Seafood-centric restaurant focused on local, fresh, and sustainable ingredients.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 40
28 BROAD ST | 843 789 4028
ESTABLISHMENTCHS.COM | \$\$\$\$

Fig*

Elevated take on Southern classics, cooked with seasonal ingredients, in an upscale-bistro setting.

232 MEETING STREET | 843 805 5300
EATATFIG.COM | \$\$\$\$

Grill 225*

Fine-dining chophouse in the Market Pavilion Hotel featuring hand-picked cuts and a big wine list.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 50
225 EAST BAY STREET | 843 266 4222
MARKETPAVILION.COM | \$\$\$\$

The Grocery

Welcoming eatery with an innovative, seasonal menu plus signature cocktails, wine, and craft beers.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 32
4 CANNON STREET | 843 302 8825
THEGROCERYCHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$

Halls Chophouse*

Sizable cuts of beef and seafood served in elegant environment, also known for its Sunday gospel brunch and lively bar at happy hour.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 40
434 KING STREET | 843 727 0090
HALLSCHOPHOUSE.COM | \$\$\$\$

Hank's Seafood Restaurant*

Bustling eatery and bar serving up seafood, including raw-bar items, in a grand, classic setting.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 120
10 HAYNE STREET | 843 723 3474
HANKSSEAFOODRESTAURANT.COM | \$\$\$

High Cotton*

Genteel eatery with daily live music and Lowcountry fare cooked using ingredients from nearby farms.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 65
199 EAST BAY STREET | 843 724 3815
HIGHCOTTONCHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$

Husk*

An ever-changing menu of locally sourced Southern dishes served in a restored Victorian-era home.

76 QUEEN STREET | 843 577 2500
HUSKRESTAURANT.COM | \$\$\$

Le Farfalle*

A regional Italian restaurant nestled across the street from the hotel with a charming courtyard and congenial bar.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 14
15 BEAUFAIN STREET | 843 212 0920
LEFARFALLECHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$

Magnolia's*

A refined take on traditional Southern cooking, served in a warm, sophisticated environment.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 130
185 EAST BAY STREET | 843 577 7771
MAGNOLIASCHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$

Maison

A small French bistro in upper King Street focused on simplicity and comfort food.

708 KING STREET | 843 990 9165
MAISONCHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$



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Melfi's

A grown-up, classic Italian restaurant in downtown Charleston with fresh pasta, salads, and thin crust pizza.

721 KING STREET | 843 513 0307
EATATMELFIS.COM | \$\$\$

The Ordinary

This 1920s bank now houses an upscale seafood restaurant with high ceilings, large windows, and a stunning bar.

544 KING STREET | 843 414 7060
EATTHEORDINARY.COM | \$\$\$\$

Peninsula Grill*

Renowned eatery serving elevated Southern fare in a roomy, velvet-walled space at Planters Inn.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 80
112 NORTH MARKET | 843 723 0700
PENINSULAGRILL.COM | \$\$\$\$

Poogan's Porch*

Traditional Southern cooking served in a historical townhouse with porches and a massive wine cellar.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 85
72 QUEEN STREET | 843 577 2337
POOGANSPORCH.COM | \$\$

Slightly North of Broad*

Reinvented Southern and Lowcountry cuisine served in an airy, 18th-century warehouse.

192 EAST BAY STREET | 843 723 9424
SNOBCHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$

Sorghum & Salt

Locally sourced farm to table neighborhood bistro with a focus on farm and sea.

186 COMING STREET | 843 872 6393
SORGHUMANDSALT.COM | \$\$\$

Star's Restaurant

American eatery with a seasonal menu and mid-1930s vibe boasts a rooftop bar and wood-fired oven.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 70
495 KING STREET | 843 577 0100
STARSRESTAURANT.COM | \$\$\$

The Tempest*

An elegant destination offering seasonal, locally sourced seafood delicacies and a robust wine list.

32 N MARKET STREET | 843 996 4966
TEMPESTCHARLESTON.COM | \$\$\$\$



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Contemporary Restaurants

From new, undiscovered gems to fun and unique favorites, savor and sip at these popular spots.

167 Raw*

Cozy, casual seafood eatery serving oysters, lobster rolls, fish tacos, ceviche, and more.

193 KING STREET | 843 579 4997
167RAW.COM
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Azur*

Wine, cheese and charcuterie in a cozy historic building, around the corner from the hotel.

159 MARKET STREET | 843 573 7893
AZURCHARLESTON.COM
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Bay Street Biergarten

Rustic-chic tavern for Bavarian-inspired Southern bar food and craft beers, with pour-your-own taps.

549 EAST BAY ST | 843 266 2437
BAYSTREETBIERGARTEN.COM
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Chasing Sage

Vegetable focused, seasonally inspired small plates with a curated beverage and cocktail menu.

267 RUTLEDGE AVENUE | 854 444 3402
CHASINGSAGERESTAURANT.COM
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The Darling Oyster Bar

A sleek seafood-focused restaurant and raw bar in the heart of upper King Street.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 30
513 KING STREET | 843 641 0821
THEDARLING.COM
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Edmund's Oast

Hip, loft-like spot offering New American fare, beer brewed on-site and craft cocktails, plus a beautiful patio.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 100
1081 MORRISON DRIVE | 843 727 1145
EDMUNDSOAST.COM
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Estadio

Lively modern Spanish-focused restaurant and bar that offers a dynamic wine and beverage menu.

122 SPRING STREET | 843 793 1029
ESTADIO-CHS.COM
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Home Team BBQ

Bustling tavern serving generous portions of smoked meat and Southern sides, plus frequent live music.

126 WILLIMAN STREET | 843 225 7427
HOMETEAMBBQ.COM
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Indaco

Rustic eatery featuring Italian fare and wood-fired pizzas, plus a patio, wine list, and Sunday brunch.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 40
526 KING STREET | 843 727 1228
INDACOCHARLESTON.COM
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Laurel

Casual venue serving Spanish and Portuguese cuisine such as pintxos, tapas and charcoal-grilled fare.

161 RUTLEDGE AVENUE | 843 974 5159
LAURELCHARLESTON.COM
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Lenoir*

A modern approach to Southern foodways paired with a unique cocktail menu by celebrated chef Vivian Howard.

68 WENTWORTH STREET | 843 534 9031
DINEATLENOIR.COM
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Leon's Oyster Shop

Relaxed joint serving oysters, Southern-style seafood and fried chicken in a rustic, trendy setting with a stellar covered patio.

PRIVATE DINING CAPACITY: 70
698 KING STREET | 843 531 6500
LEONSOYSTERSHOP.COM
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Lewis Barbecue

Texas-style house-smoked meats served in an industrial-hip space with a bar and outdoor tables.

464 N NASSAU STREET | 843 805 9500
LEWISBARBECUE.COM
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Little Jack's Tavern

Casual chophouse serving steaks, salads, and sandwiches, plus martinis amid vintage surroundings.

710 KING STREET | 843 531 6868
LITTLEJACKSTAVERN.COM
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Matador*

Stylish bar and restaurant specializing in seasonal Mexican food, cocktails & tequila, with a late night happy hour.

235 MEETING STREET | 843 789 4747
MATADORRESTAURANTS.COM
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Miller's All Day*

Refined bistro, bakery, and bar serving all day breakfast.

120 KING STREET | 843 501 7342
MILLERSALLDAY.COM
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Neon Tiger

Organic, vegan and locally sourced small plates and cocktails in a dark, funky environment.

654 KING STREET | 843 640 3902
NEONTIGER.COM
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The Obstinate Daughter

Inventive New American fare, plus local craft beers and brunch, in an elegant, country-chic space.

2063 MIDDLE STREET | 843 416 5020
THEOBSTINATEDAUGHTER.COM
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O-Ku

Happening Japanese eatery and lounge with trendy space sporting exposed brick and high ceilings.

463 KING STREET | 843 737 0115
O-KUSUSHI.COM
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Park & Grove

A seasonal, neighborhood eatery serving local inspired dishes in Hampton Park.

730 RUTLEDGE AVENUE | 843 410 1070
PARKANDGROVECHS.COM
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Pink Bellies

Vietnamese focused comfort food from a former food truck, now in a cool space on upper King Street.

595 KING STREET | 843 640 3132
EATPINKBELLIES.COM
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Poe's Tavern

Relaxed, local favorite with a menu of American fare and décor devoted to author Edgar Allan Poe.

2210 MIDDLE STREET | 843 883 0083
POESTAVERN.COM
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Post House

A cozy neighborhood tavern in the picturesque Old Village, serving seasonal fare, classic cocktails and delicious brunch.

101 PITT STREET | 843 203 7678
THEPOSTHOUSEINN.COM
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Rancho Lewis

The latest concept by pit master John Lewis, serving up tex-mex border food favorites.

1503 KING STREET | 843 996 4500
RANCHOLEWISCHS.COM
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The Rarebit

Bustling eatery crafting American comfort classics.

474 KING STREET | 843 974 5483
THERAREBIT.COM
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Rodney Scott's BBQ

Celebrated counter service joint for Lowcountry-style slow-smoked pulled pork BBQ, chicken and ribs by James Beard Award winning chef, Rodney Scott.

1011 KING STREET | 843 990 9535
RODNEYSBOTTSBBQ.COM
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Sorelle*

Southern Italy meets Southern hospitality at Sorelle, a dining destination like no other on Charleston's storied Broad Street.

Inspired by Italy's all-day cafes, abundant markets and rich culinary traditions, Sorelle features a mercato, central bar, wine room, and a grand dining room offering a variety of experiences for every food lover.

88 BROAD STREET | 843 974 1575
SORELLECHARLESTON.COM
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Xiao Bao Biscuit

Creative, multicultural Asian cooking and specialty cocktails in a trendy, converted petrol station.

224 RUTLEDGE AVENUE
XIAOBAOBISCUIT.COM
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