



Panama City Beach Restaurant Guide

A Taste of the Gulf & Beyond

This guide features some of the most popular restaurants in Panama City Beach, Florida, along with the type of food and atmosphere you can expect. Perfect for printing or sharing as a downloadable guide.

Runaway Island Beachfront Restaurant & Grill

Type / Cuisine: Coastal seafood / beach grill / casual American

Atmosphere: Open, two levels + outdoor deck with Gulf views, live music, family-friendly

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Fish tacos, blackened seafood, pasta dishes, local catch specials

Contact / Address: 14521 Front Beach Rd, Panama City, FL 32413

Why Visit: Great for beachfront dinners, casual vibe, good for groups and families.

Saltwater Grill

Type / Cuisine: Upscale seafood, steak, sushi

Atmosphere: Upscale but approachable, large dining room with a 25,000-gallon aquarium centerpiece

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Gulf seafood catches, sushi rolls, steaks, house bread, crab claws, oysters

Contact / Address: 11040 Hutchison Blvd, Panama City Beach, FL 32407

Why Visit: Ideal for special occasions or date nights.

Sharky's Beachfront Restaurant & Tiki Bar

Type / Cuisine: Seafood, Gulf casual, American beach fare

Atmosphere: Relaxed, beachside, kid-friendly, Tiki bar vibe

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Fried fish, tacos, steaks, burgers, seafood platters

Contact / Address: 15201 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32413

Why Visit: Great choice when families want variety and casual setting near the sand.

Schooners – The Last Local Beach Club

Type / Cuisine: Coastal American / seafood + bar

Atmosphere: Beach club with sunset views and lively ambiance

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Seafood tacos, fish & chips, burgers, coastal fusion options

Contact / Address: 5121 Gulf Dr, Panama City, FL 32408

Why Visit: Wonderful for sunset dinners and beach vibe.

Pineapple Willy's

Type / Cuisine: Seafood / island style / grilling & barbecue

Atmosphere: Lively, family-friendly, beachside fun

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Mahi BLTs, ribs, seafood baskets, island nachos

Contact / Address: 9875 S Thomas Dr, Panama City Beach, FL 32408

Why Visit: Local institution with casual, fun environment.

The Wicked Wheel Bar & Grill

Type / Cuisine: Southern / comfort / seafood + classic American



Atmosphere: Laid back, local feel, great for groups or casual dining
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Fried chicken, shrimp & grits, burgers, Southern sides
Contact / Address: 10025 Hutchison Blvd, Panama City Beach, FL 32407
Why Visit: Good for hearty comfort food after beach days.

The Hub

Type / Cuisine: Food hall / mixed cuisine
Atmosphere: Casual, family-friendly outdoor and indoor space with multiple food vendors
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Pizza, tacos, burgers, seafood,
Contact / Address: 15928 Front Beach at Calypso Tower III
Why Visit: Perfect for groups wanting variety and a relaxed, social atmosphere.

Firefly

Type / Cuisine: Upscale seafood and steak with sushi bar
Atmosphere: Elegant yet warm, twinkle-light oak tree inside dining room
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Fresh Gulf seafood, premium steaks, sushi rolls, award-winning crab cakes
Contact / Address: 535 N Richard Jackson Blvd, Panama City Beach, FL 32407
Why Visit: A local fine-dining favorite ideal for date nights or celebratory dinners.

Captain Anderson's Restaurant & Waterfront Market

Type / Cuisine: Classic seafood, steaks, and market
Atmosphere: Historic waterfront dining with views of the marina
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Famous for broiled lobster, shrimp scampi, and catch-of-the-day specials
Contact / Address: 5551 N Lagoon Dr, Panama City Beach, FL 32408
Why Visit: Iconic PCB seafood institution with decades of history.

Shuckums Oyster Pub & Seafood Grill

Type / Cuisine: Oysters, seafood pub
Atmosphere: Laid-back, fun, lively oyster bar with karaoke
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Fresh raw and baked oysters, seafood platters, pub fare
Contact / Address: 15614 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32413
Why Visit: Great for oyster lovers and casual night out with entertainment.

The Back Porch Seafood & Oyster House

Type / Cuisine: Seafood, oysters, beach casual
Atmosphere: Bright, airy restaurant near Pier Park with Gulf views
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Chargrilled Amberjack sandwich, fresh oysters, shrimp baskets
Contact / Address: 16220 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32413
Why Visit: Classic beachfront seafood dining with signature Amberjack sandwich.

Angry Tuna Seafood Company

Type / Cuisine: Seafood, sushi, American grill
Atmosphere: Casual, sports-bar vibe with sushi bar
Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Fresh sushi rolls, fish tacos, seafood platters
Contact / Address: 14700 Panama City Beach Pkwy, Panama City Beach, FL 32413



Why Visit: Good mix of seafood and sushi in a lively setting.

Dick's Last Resort

Type / Cuisine: Seafood, burgers, American

Atmosphere: Humorous and intentionally rowdy service with a party vibe

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Seafood buckets, ribs, burgers, cocktails

Contact / Address: 16210 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32413

Why Visit: Go for the laughs and playful insults along with hearty food.

Pompano Joe's

Type / Cuisine: Caribbean seafood

Atmosphere: Colorful, upbeat beachfront restaurant with Caribbean flair

Signature Dishes / Menu Highlights: Jerk shrimp, coconut-fried mahi, fish tacos

Contact / Address: 16202 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32413

Why Visit: Fun Caribbean-inspired flavors and bright decor.