

Rockford Area Convention & Visitors Bureau

# Original Restaurants in the Rockford Region

## **Downtown Rockford**

Bamboo Asian Noodles & Tapas Bar

514 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-316-2455

Upscale, casual dining.

**Brio Restaurant, Wine Bar & Patio** 

515 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-968-9463

Fine dining with an eclectic tapas menu and full bar.

Capri Restaurant & Pizza

313 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-965-6341

Full lunch and dinner menu with Italian specialties and pizza in the heart of downtown's River District.

**Carlyle Brewing Company** 

215 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-963-2739

True European-style ale house with 10 - 12 styles of ales and lagers on tap, chosen from more than 30 styles of beer brewed on-site. Sandwiches, bratwurst, pretzels and great thin-crust pizza also available.

Deli Italia I & Deli Italia's Trinacria Lounge

507 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-962-3354

Italian deli sandwiches and entrees.

#### **Hawks Nest**

310 S. Church St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-316-2500 www.hawksnestrockford.com Salads and wraps, burgers and sandwiches, soup and chili.

# Irish Rose Saloon

519 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-964-0480

Cozy, neighborhood restaurant in downtown Rockford's River District, offering fresh seafood, delicious appetizers, and unique spirits.

### Kiwi Cafe & Bar

211A W. Elm St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-968-5494

Sandwiches, soups and salads, including grilled Paninis.

### Kuma's Asian Bistro

420 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-490-1000

Executive Chef Kuma Kim has assembled a collection of Asian cuisine with emphasis on contemporary taste and popularity.

#### **Octane InterLounge**

124 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-965-4012

Upbeat, casual dining in downtown Rockford's River and Theater District. Great appetizers, salads and entrees.

#### **Red Lion Bar & Grill**

501 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-963-0099

Appetizers, salads, burgers, sandwiches, pizza, dinners and desserts.

#### **Restoration Café**

625 W. State St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-965-5332

Coffee shop and café serving breakfast and lunch. Muffins, rolls, pastries, soups and sandwiches.

#### Sammy's Restaurant

307 S. Main St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-968-2218

Offers American, Italian and Mexican dishes. Daily breakfast & lunch specials.

#### **Social Urban Bar & Restaurant**

509 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-708-0877

Local meats and produce. Wines, micro-brews and crafted cocktails.

#### Swilligan's Pub

200 N. Church St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-965-6414

Big TVs, great food and a friendly staff. Full menu.

#### **The Spot Café**

220 S. Madison St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-962-9212

Specialty sandwiches, soups, hot dogs, nachos and assorted desserts for lunch. Bagels, danish, muffins and coffee in the morning.

# Uncle Nick's - Downtown

918 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-962-4444

Serving the best gyros since 1980, specializing in Greek foods, open late, 7 days a week.

#### **Wired Cafe**

414 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-316-2524

Breakfast and lunch. Coffees, teas, smoothies, desserts, homemade bakery items. Free Wi-Fi.

# Along & Directly Off East State St.

# Aunt Mary's

4431 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-397-6461

A Rockford tradition for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Open late.

## **Bagel Place**

3600 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-399-2522

New York style bagels baked from scratch all day long. Breakfast and lunch served.

# **Beefaroo - Warehouse East Rockford**

6593 Lexus Dr., Rockford, IL 61108 815-229-6600

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

#### **Brown Stone Bagels Coffee Cafe**

5411 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-977-5388

31 flavors of bagels. Sandwiches, coffee and dessert.

### **City Buffet**

5555 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-399-3333

Full Chinese buffet with dozens of menu items plus a wide variety of sushi and American food.

# DiTullio's Italian Imports & Specialty Foods

2207 East State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-399-2080

This neighborhood store offers European specialities, gift baskets, sandwiches and a cafe.

#### **Dos Reales Mexican Restaurant**

5855 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-227-4979

You'll find authentic Mexican cuisine in a casual atmosphere.

#### **Five Forks Market**

6565 Lexus Dr., Rockford, IL 61108 815-229-5500

Tapas-based cuisine plus a variety of sandwiches and soups. Extensive gourmet "to go" menu.

# Forest City Pub at Radisson Hotel & Conference Center

200 S. Bell School Rd., Rockford, IL 61108 815-226-2100

Casual dining with appetizers, soups, salads, burgers, cocktails.

# Gerry's Pizza

7403 Ārgus Dr., Rockford, IL 61108 815-399-2031

Pizza, pasta and cocktails near East State Street and I-90.

# Giovanni's Restaurant & Big Al's Bar

610 N. Bell School Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-398-6411

Taste high society as you sample a menu influenced by Rockford's diverse heritage in an elegant ballroom. Choice steaks, fresh seafood, low cholesterol entrees, gourmet pastas.

#### **Great Wall**

4228 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-226-0982

Full service gourmet Chinese restaurant in a casual atmosphere.

#### Hachi Hachi Japanese Express -Sundae Dr.

145 Sundae Dr., Rockford, IL 61107 815-399-9888

Healthy, filling, delicious Japanese food. Convenient

#### **Hoffman House Restaurant at Holiday Inn**

7500 E. State St., Rockford, IL, 61108 815-397-5800

Continental cuisine, steaks and prime rib in a relaxed

Imperial Palace 3415 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-227-1442

Casual dining with traditional Chinese food and cocktails.

#### Jia Li Chinese Restaurant

7437 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-226-3688 Chinese cuisine.

# **Johnny Pamcakes**

3700 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-229-7415

Meals made to order from the freshest ingredients. Breakfast anytime.

#### Lino's

5611 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-397-2077

Long-standing Rockford Italian eatery with lots of atmosphere. Full menu of pasta, pizza, veal, chicken and fish.

#### **Los Portales**

805 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-961-9690

Mexican cuisine. Breakfast, lunch and dinner.

### Mary's Market Café and Bakery

4431 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-397-7291

Fast and casual café serving breakfast, lunch and dinner

#### Michael's Restaurant

4002 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-708-6306

Steaks, seafood, chicken, pasta, burgers and salads. Linguine with garlic butter sauce and prime rib.

#### Oscar's Pub & Grill

5980 E. State St, Rockford, IL 61108 815-399-6100

Grouper, Bluegill and other seafood along with sandwiches and paninis.

#### Panino's Italian Restaurant -E. State St.

5403 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-227-9200

Quick service Italian. Bread made fresh every morning. Sandwiches, pastas, pizza and panizzas.

# **Royal Dragon Restaurant**

6001 E. State St, Rockford, IL 61108 815-398-1279

Serving Chinese Cantonese cuisine in the Rockford area since 1975.

102 North Main Street Rockford Illinois 61101-1102 USA

#### Scoreboard at Holiday Inn

7550 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-397-5800

With four big screens and 20 televisions, you won't miss a single game. Try the prime rib sandwich or tackle Bob's Big Burger.

#### Stone Eagle Tavern

6445 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-316-3636

Wood fire pizza, oyster bar, shrimp, pasta, sandwiches, rotisserie

#### **Sundial Restaurant and Bar** at the Clock Tower Resort & **Conference Center**

7801 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-398-6000

Menu specialties include Maryland Jumbo Lump Crab Cakes and Southwest Turkey Burgers.

#### **Tilted Kilt Pub & Eatery**

7801 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-229-4193

Celtic theme décor, plasma TVs, great food, drinks and fun. At Clock Tower Resort.

#### **Uncle Nick's - East**

5404 E. State St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-395-0022

Serving the best gyros since 1980, specializing in Greek foods, open late, 7 days a week.

# **Northeast - North of State St.** & East of the Rock River

#### 2nd Cousin's Bar and Grill

6246 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-637-2660

Sandwiches, wraps, salads, appetizers and a host of draught beers available.

## 3-B's Cafe

1018 Ralston Rd., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-282-5974

Known for its pork tenderloin sandwiches, burgers, breakfast ham, and biscuits and gravy.

#### Alvarez - Loves Park

205 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 Authentic Mexican food and drinks.

### Angelo's Restaurant & Pizzeria

2583 N. Mulford Rd., Rockford, IL 61108 815-639-1200

Small, cozy restaurant and cocktail lounge. All dishes are prepared with the freshest ingredients, real butter, olive oil and 0 grams trans fat.

# **Backyard Grill & Bar - Loves Park**

6473 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-636-9430

Casual dining with large selection of menu choices from fish fry specials to prime rib to all-you-can-eat

#### Beefaroo - Engine Co. #1 Loves Park 6116 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111

815-633-6585

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

#### **Beefaroo - Northwoods Lodge Machesney Park**

4601 Adamson Ln., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-633-5130

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

# **Beefaroo - Café Style Rockford**

6380 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-877-5610

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

#### **Brooklyn Deli - Rockford**

5815 E. Riverside Blvdl, Rockford, IL 61114 815-282-3354

New York style sandwiches, burgers, steak 'n cheese

# Casey's Pub

7307 N. Alpine Rd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-637-6088

Neighborhood bar and grill. Daily lunch and drink specials.

#### Chef Chen

6742 Broadcast Pkwy, Loves Park, IL 61111 815-282-6888

Authentic Chinese and Thai cuisine. Carry out, delivery and catering.

#### Chen's Cantonese Chef

4722 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-877-9221

Cantonese cuisine. Lounge. Carryout available.

## **China Express**

1920 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-282-1920

Asian cuisine. Dine in, carryout and delivery.

#### Ciao Bella

6500 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-654-9900

Menu changes every few weeks to showcase authentic dishes from Italy and Sicily. Homemade gelato, sorbets and Italian cookies.

#### **Cronies Grill**

9032 N. 2nd St., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-282-2262

Homemade soups, fresh salad bar, steaks, burgers, pizza, calzones, stromboli, pastas, fajitas and more.

# Doc's Diner

6499 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-282-3657

Excellent breakfast, the "best biscuits and gravy in town", great burgers, and low prices.

#### Fiesta Cancun

1508 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-637-4914

Excellent Mexican dishes prepared by the Lopez family.

# Franchesco's

7128 Perry Creek Pkwy., Rockford, IL 61107 815-229-0800

Italian cuisine, seafood, steak and their famous pizza.

815.963.8111

#### **Garrett's Restaurant and Bar**

1631 N. Bell School Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-484-9473

Upscale, casual bar and grill specializing in salads, soups, sandwiches and pastas. Attached to The Golf Shack.

#### Gia's Piano and Martini Bar

7784 Forest Hills Rd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-636-1000

Full dinner menu until 10pm. Lighter until closing. Piano player performing early in the evening.

#### **Gill's Diner**

7834 N. 2nd St., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-633-2196

Daily homemade breakfast, lunch and dinner specials.

# Hachi Hachi Japanese Express - E. Riverside Blvd.

6516 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-636-9888

Healthy, filling, delicious Japanese food.

#### **Hollywood Restaurant**

5518 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-282-4011

Traditional American food. Breakfast all day. "Hi-Boy" hamburger and "the producer" roast beef sandwich.

#### **Hope & Anchor English Pub**

5040 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-633-2552

Best pub grub around. Traditional English fish-n-chips served in newspaper with malt vinegar.

#### **India House Restaurant**

6430 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-637-4771

Authentic food from India. Lunch buffet 7 days a week

### Itzza Pizza - Pick-up and Delivery

3863 N. Perryville Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-633-1700

Authentic stone baked Italian, Chicago stuffed pizza, calzones, poorboy sandwiches, wings, salads. Delivery or pickup only.

#### **JMK Nippon**

2551 N. Perryville Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-877-0505

Midwest's finest Japanese restaurant where they prepare your meal right before your eyes at the Teppan tables.

#### Josef-Barbados

6860 Spring Creek Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-282-3400

Renowned Austrian chef Josef Schwaiger offers fine continental dining from Barbados. Seafood and oyster bar with a simple but elegant interior.

## kiki B's

1641 N. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-986-0338

A neighborhood restaurant and bar with moderately priced appetizers and entrees in a lively, spirited atmosphere.

#### **Legends Sports Bar**

618 Superior Rd., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-282-8126

This casual sports bar is a great place to meet friends and catch a game.

#### Lydia's Cafe

1710 Rural St., Rockford, IL 61107 815-229-0322

Fresh food, inventive weekend specials and famous, giant buttermilk pancakes

#### Mary's Market Café & Bakery - Edgebrook

1659 N. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-394-0765

Fast and casual café serving breakfast, lunch and dinner

# Mary's Market Café & Bakery - McFarland

2636 McFarland Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-986-3300

Fast and casual café serving breakfast, lunch and dinner.

# Mary's Market Café & Bakery - North Perryville

6409 E. Riverside Blvd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-639-0909

Gourmet coffee, expresso drinks, pastries, lunch, desserts.

## Meg's Daily Grind - North Alpine

1141 N. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-316-8785

Gourmet coffee, espresso drinks, pastries, lunch and desserts.

## **Meg's Daily Grind - North Perryville**

3885 N. Perryville Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-639-0909

Gourmet coffee, espresso drinks, pastries, lunch and desserts.

#### Mizu Restaurant

3801 N. Perryville Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-633-5555

Sushi and sashimi, soups and salads, hibachi entrees, tempura and hot noodle dishes, fried noodle and fried rice dishes

# **Morning Glory Family Restaurant**

408 7th Št., Rockford, IL 61104 815-963-9445

Hungry for a big breakfast? This is the place. Open for breakfast and lunch daily.

# **Nunzio's Italian Restaurant**

5800 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-633-5000

Family owned Italian restaurant.

### **Olive Kitchen & Cocktails**

1001 W. Lane Rd., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-316-3333

Sandwiches, homemade soups, salads, pasta dishes and steak.

# **Oriental Dragon**

3053 N. Perryville Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-633-6888

Hunan and Szechuan dishes, hibachi orders, Buffet with made-to-order sushi and hand rolls

#### Pear

6876 Spring Creek Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-654-3400

Affordable upscale dining.

#### Perrecone's Pino's Pizza

5851 Forest Hills Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-877-1900

Pizza, calzones, pasta, chicken, shrimp, fish, poor boys and hamburgers.

#### **Pho Square Vietnamese Restaurant**

6338 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-654-7463

Traditional Vietnamese cuisine, national dish Pho, grilled meat rice dishes and famous Vietnamese iced coffee.

#### **Potato Shak**

5529 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-877-1010

Breakfast and lunch made from scratch. Lunch specials every day.

#### Primo's Pizza

1710 Rural St., Rockford, IL 61107 815-226-0641

Family-owned pizza parlor. Eat-in or carry out.

#### **Pug Dog's Diner**

7828 N. 2nd St., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-633-1511

Largest little hot dog eatery in the country.

#### Rascals Bar and Grill

5223 Torque Rd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-636-9207

Full menu. Heated, outdoor patio. Live music on Saturdays, 18 plasma TV's.

#### Rib City Grill & Deli

5839 Forest Hills Rd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-654-3445

Family-owned establishment with great food and service.

### **Robin's Nest Cafe**

11608 N. 2nd St., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-282-8799

Daily specials. Homemade soups and pies. Biscuits and gravy a specialty

# Rosati's Pizza

6104 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-636-0600

Chicago-style pizza, ribs, pasta, salads, beef sandwiches.

# Sam's Ristorante & Pizzeria

6075 E. Riverside Blvd., Rockford, IL 61111 815-877-2127

Family owned, authentic Italian dishes, pizza, pasta, salad, steak and chicken.

# Sam's Ristorante & Pizzeria Machesney Park

1033 Harlem Rd., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-633-2686

Family owned, authentic Italian dishes, pizza, pasta, salad, steak and chicken. Full bar.

# Seasons in the Gardens

318 Spring Creek Rd., Rockford, IL 61107 815-316-2256

Enjoy Asian fusion cuisine, while overlooking the beautiful Anderson Japanese Gardens.

# **Shogun Teppan Restaurant & Sushi Bar** 293 Executive Pkwy., Rockford, IL 61108 815-394-0007

Highly skilled chefs prepare and demonstrate the art of Japanese cuisine right at your table.

**Singapore Grill** 6390 E. Riverside Blvd., Rockford, IL 61111 815-636-1888

A taste of the islands. Delicious entrees for lunch and dinner.

Slice of Italy

5506 N. 2nd St., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-637-8689

Thin, pan and stuffed pizza. Carryout and delivery

**Sunrise Restaurant - Loves Park** 

7019 N. Alpine Rd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-877-0066

Daily home-made specials.

**Swedish Pancake House** 

3600 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61103 815-637-6922

Variety of "Stuffed Swedes", buttermilk pancakes and waffles. Specials every day.

**Thai Basil Fusion** 

1531 West Lane Rd., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-633-9400

Spicy shrimp and scallops, blue crab fried rice, noodles with peanut ginger sauce and chicken. Lunch combos of noodles or rice, meats and veggies. Steaks and burgers.

Thai Cuisine

6551 E. Riverside Blvd., Rockford, IL 61114 815-986-0837

Traditional Thai dishes with lunch buffet.

**Toni's Pizza and Italian Food** 

6941 N. 2nd St., Machesney Park, IL 61115 815-282-6262

Pizza, pasta and sandwiches.

**Waffle Shop** 

6106 E. Riverside Blvd., Loves Park, IL 61111 815-282-4400

Full service family restaurant.

# **Northwest - North of State St.** & West of the Rock River

#### **Beefaroo - Warehouse West** Rockford

2538 Auburn St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-962-7674

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

Cliffbreakers Restaurant & Bar/Lounge

700 W. Riverside Blvd., Rockford, IL 61103 815-282-3033

Overlooking the Rock River, Cliffbreakers features an eclectic menu with steak, seafood, pasta, salads and soups.

Deli Italia II

3004 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61103 815-633-8270

Italian deli sandwiches and entrees.

#### **Der Rathskeller German Restaurant** & Bar

1132 Auburn St., Rockford, IL 61103 815-963-2922

German ancestry shines through at this favorite eating place since 1931. Delicious sandwiches for lunch and traditional family style German specialities

#### Giuseppi's Pizza and Italian Restaurant

950 Halsted Rd., Rockford, IL 61103 815-877-3029

Pizza, pasta, lasagna, Italian sausage, seafood

**Gyros House** 

2525 Auburn St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-964-2525

No frills but good food. Gyros, gyros cheeseburger

#### J and J Fish and Chicken

3701 Auburn St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-962-6202

Fried, boneless fish (catfish fillet, cod, tilapia, perch and more), shrimp and chicken with lots of side

JD's Sports Bar & Grill

908 W. Riverside Blvd., Rockford, IL 61103 815-639-9488

Food served until 11PM daily. Big screen TVs-30 TVs in all! NFL package. Free weekend entertainment -DJ or live band - No cover charge!

Mr. C's Family Restaurant

4309 W. State St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-964-5347

Hand-made burgers. Fresh chicken gizzards and livers, sandwiches and dinners, breakfast served all day.

**Olympic Tavern** 

2327 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61103 815-962-8758

Friendly neighborhood spot since 1945 for drinks, sandwiches, pizza, homemade soup or full dinners. Patio in the summer; full bar.

Opsahl's Pizza - Auburn St.

3118 Auburn St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-963-3737

Salads, desserts, calzones, pizza, ribs, fried shrimp. Dine in, carry out, delivery.

#### Panino's Italian Restaurant -N. Main St.

2725 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61103 815-636-0036

Quick service Italian. Bread made fresh every morning. Sandwiches, pasta, pizza and panizzas.

# Pino's on Main Pizza

2511 N. Main St., Rockford, IL 61103 815-963-6400

Dine in, carry out and delivery of pizza and Italian specialties.

Player's Pizza Pub

5120 Spooner Dr., Rockford, IL 61103 815-633-3334

"Tallest Pub in Rockford". Pizza, sandwiches, and Friday night fish fry.

Rosa's Pizza

3709 Auburn St., Rockford, IL 61101 815-963-2665

Pizza and pasta. The pan pizza is a favorite.

#### Scanlan's

2921 City View Dr., Rockford, IL 61103 815-639-0000

Burgers made from fresh ground chuck. Chicken sandwiches, wings, appetizers. Lunch specials daily.

Shiro's Restaurant & Lounge

1201 N. Springfield, Rockford, IL 61101 815-965-5646

Friendly neighborhood restaurant with sandwiches, dinners and specials. Special Italian salad.

# **Southeast - South of State St.** & East of the Rock River

Airport Cafe Inc.

2 Airport Circle, Rockford, IL 61109 815-289-6938

One-dollar hotdogs. Popcorn, nachos, sandwiches, boxed lunches, chips, candy, ice cream, soft drinks, beer and wine. Open two hours before flights.

Alpine View Restaurant

1710 S. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61108 815-227-5400

The best breakfasts and sandwiches in town. Casual dining, affordable prices.

Alvarez - Cherry Valley

1600 S. Bell School Rd., Cherry Valley, IL 61016 815-332-9847

Authentic Mexican food and drinks.

**Backyard Grill & Bar - Cherry Valley** 201 E. State St., Cherry Valley, IL 61016

815-332-4176

Casual dining with large selection of menu choices from fish fry specials to prime rib to all-you-caneat ribs.

**Bahia Restaurant** 

1135 Broadway, Rockford, IL 61104 815-965-5920

If you're looking for authentic Mexican, this is the place. Tasty entrees and seafood dishes for lunch and dinner.

#### **Beefaroo - Rock N' Roll South** Rockford

3401 S. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61109 815-874-8550

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

CoCo Joe's

4410 Charles St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-227-9006

Fast food and ice cream. Burgers, sandwiches, wraps, sundaes, shakes and malts. Dine in or carry out.

**Command Post Restaurant** 

1004 Samuelson Rd., Rockford, IL 61109 815-395-0678

Located in an original World War II building, the menu features homemade soups and desserts. The restaurant walls showcase what life was like at the 5,400 acre camp which housed over 50,000 officers and enlisted men.

**Dyann's Brooke Road Grill** 

918 Brooke Rd., Rockford, IL 61109 815-226-0944

Home-style cooking at it's best! Breakfast, lunch and dinner made fresh as you order.

El Reboso

2648 11th St., Rockford, IL 61109 815-227-4262

Small neighborhood restaurant with authentic Mexican cuisine.



# **Five Coins**

4358 Sandy Hollow Rd., Rockford, IL 61109 815-874-1973

Soups, salads, sandwiches, burgers, pasta, chicken and steaks. Greek specials. Breakfast served all day.

#### **Hai Quynh Vietnamese Cuisine**

324 7th St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-964-5353

Authentic Vietnamese and Chinese cuisine. Vietnamese lunch buffet. Serving lunch and dinner 7 days a week.

#### **HearthRock Café**

1100 - 11th St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-227-2000

Nestled inside Benson Stone Company, the HearthRock serves up breakfast and lunch six days a week.

#### **Hemme's Top Dog**

2627 Sandhutton Ave., Rockford, IL 61109 815-398-0300

Chicago-style hot dogs and Italian beef. Grilled chicken and hamburgers. Cooked fresh while you wait.

# John's Restaurant & Pizzeria

2914 - 11th St., Rockford, IL 61109 815-398-4044

Over 30 years of casual dining with pizza, sandwiches, steak, and Italian specialties.

#### **Kegel's Harley Diner**

7125 Harrison Ave., Rockford, IL 61112 815-332-7200

Vintage-style diner attached to the world's oldest family-owned Harley-Davidson dealership.

#### **Lung Fung Chinese Restaurant**

226 - 7th St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-968-6866

Specializing in a complete menu of Mandarin and Cantonese with spicy and mild cuisine. Lunch and daily specials.

#### **Marc's Fusion Café**

4133 Charles St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-713-2563

Asian cuisine in a casual setting. Sushi and sashimi.

### Marie's Pizza

1513 Charles St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-226-1342

Pizza, pasta, Poorboy sandwiches. Carryout and delivery available.

#### **MBU Grill**

1222 S. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61108 815-395-6506

Every kind of kebob you can imagine plus soups, salads, sandwiches and authentic Russian entrees. Dine in or carry out.

# **Morning Glory Family Restaurant**

408 7th St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-963-9445

This is the place for a big breakfast. Lunch served daily.

#### **New Mill Restaurant**

6030 11th St. Rockford, IL 61109 815-874-5356

Family-owned restaurant featuring a wide variety of American cuisine. Serving breakfast, lunch and dinner. Breakfast items served all day.

#### Opsahl's Pizza - 11th St.

3301 11th St., Rockford, IL 61109 815-399-9671

Dine in, carry out, delivery. Salads, Desserts, Calzones, Plzza, Dinners, Ribs, Fried Shrimp.

#### Sahara Palace Inc.

5621 Wansford Way, Rockford, IL 61109 815-395-1112

Middle Eastern cuisine, reasonably priced, relaxing atmosphere.

#### Salamone's Restaurant

103 S. Cherry St., Cherry Valley, IL 61016 815-332-4111

Homemade Italian cuisine. Pizza, lasagna, chicken piccata and eggplant parmesan.

# Sam's Family Restaurant & Swedish Pancake House

915 S. Alpine Rd., Rockford, IL 61108 815-398-8022

Steak, chicken, ribs, seafood. Breakfast served all day. Daily lunch and dinner buffet.

#### Sam's Pizza - Southeast

2134 Charles St., Rockford, IL 61104 815-398-5952

Local pizza parlor with full service menu for lunch and dinner.

#### Spider Sushi Bar

4415 Harrison Ave., Rockford, IL 61108 815-229-2394

Tepan and combination dinners, sushi, fresh salmon Bento Box.

#### Stockholm Inn

2420 Charles St., Rockford, IL 61108 815-397-3534

Popular with both locals and visitors, this restaurant's menu and decor echoes Rockford's Swedish heritage. In addition to American food, they cook up Swedish pancakes with imported lingonberries, Swedish meatballs and other Swedish favorites.

#### **Sunrise Restaurant - Rockford**

5683 Wansford Way, Rockford, IL 61109 815-395-0066

Daily home-made specials.

# Thai Hut at Perryville

701 Highgrove Place, Rockford, IL 61108 815-395-8330

Authentic Thai dishes served for lunch and dinner.

# **Thai Hut at Sandy Hollow**

1441 Sandy Hollow, Rockford, IL 61109 815-398-0522

Authentic Thai dishes served for lunch and dinner in southeast Rockford near Bypass 20 and IL 251.

# **Tortacos Soto**

1138 Broadway, Rockford, IL 61104 815-963-6558

Try the Salsa de Chile Arbol and Salsa Verde or the rice and beans. Also try our new item, Huaraches, which is like Mexican Pizza.

#### Villa Di Roma

1620 Harrison Ave., Rockford, IL 61104 815-397-4757

Family restaurant serving Italian and American food.

# Southwest - South of State St. & West of the Rock River

# Bing's Drive-In

3613 S. Main St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-968-8663

Old fashioned drive-in with root beer floats, chili dogs and ice cream treats delivered right to your car window. Shaded picnic tables.

#### Chuc-A-Luc's Fishmarket & Grill

1104 Elm St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-962-8292

Soul food. Best fish in town, BBQ ribs and tips. Fish market next door.

#### **Luichi's Hot Dogs**

603 Montague St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-997-5271

Hot dogs, Polish and Italian sausage, hamburgers, chicken, gyros, pizza, salads.

#### **Maria's Italian Cafe**

828 Cunningham St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-968-6781

One of Rockford's longest standing, family-owned restaurants in its original location. Traditional pasta and pizza along with what some claim to be "Rockford's Best Steak." Reservations recommended, especially on Friday and Saturday nights. Open for dinner only, Tuesday-Saturday.

#### Mi Ranchito

2019 S. Main St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-961-8138

Claims to be the best Mexican food in town. Botanas, tacos, tortas, and more.

#### **Taco Loco**

1122 S. Main St., Rockford, IL 61102 815-969-9313

Some of the most authentic Mexican food around.

#### Zammuto's Granita

725 Kent St., Rockford, IL 61102

This neighborhood food stand has been serving Rockford's original Granita frozen treats since 1925.

## **Pecatonica**

#### Stonewall Café

423-1/2 Main St., Pecatonica, IL 61063 815-239-1900

Quaint atmosphere along with home-made breads and pies, and friendly service.

# **Rockton**

#### **China Palace**

625 S. Blackhawk, Rockton, IL 61072 815-624-2636

Authentic Chinese in a casual setting

#### **Elderberry Tea Room**

911 N. Blackhawk Blvd., Rockton, IL 61072 815-624-2832

Located in a renovated farm house, perfect for lunch with the girls.

#### **Rockton Inn**

102 E. Main St., Rockton, IL 61072 815-624-8877

Friendly staff, complete selection of sandwiches, dinners, soups, salads, nightly specials, full bar.

#### Sam's Pizza - Rockton

130 N. Blackhawk, Rockton, IL 61072 815-624-7535

Casual dining for pizza and other Italian dishes.

## Roscoe

# **Backyard Grill & Bar - Roscoe**

5390 Elevator Rd., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-6677

Casual dining with large selection of menu choices from fish fry specials to prime rib to all-you-can-eat ribs.

#### **Beefaroo - The Depot Roscoe**

5109 Rock Rose Ct., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-5279

Local chain of themed restaurants with sandwiches, fries, soup, salad, shakes, baked potatoes.

#### **Brooklyn Deli - Roscoe**

5342 Williams Dr., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-3354

New York style sandwiches, burgers, wings, fresh cut fries.

#### **DiGiovanni's Ristorante**

4866 Bluestem Rd., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-2320

Family-owned Italian restaurant with wide menu selections. Full bar.

#### Firehouse Pub

10670 Main St., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-8389

Casual dining in a renovated fire station. Burgers, sandwiches, soups, salads, carry out and full bar.

#### **Jessica's Restaurant**

5091 Edgemere Terrace, Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-2223

Family dining in a casual atmosphere. Favorite spot for breakfast, lunch or dinner.

#### **Rusty Putter Steakhouse & Pub**

5506 Clayton Cir., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-2526

Three concepts under one roof: dining room, pub and carry out pizza.

# Sabrosa

5342 Williams Dr., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-8226

Tex-Mex food in a casual atmosphere. Dine in or carry out. Located in Main Street Square shopping center.

#### Sophia's

5467 Bridge St., Roscoe, IL 61073 815-623-5903

Casual dining in a house atmosphere. Gift and floral shop on site.

# **South Beloit**

## **JAKS on South Park**

723 South Park Ave., South Beloit, IL 61080 815-389-3618

Bar and grill. Friday fish fry. Banquet hall. DJ Friday and Saturday nights.

#### **Pearl Lake Restaurant**

1220 Dearborn, South Beloit, IL 61080 815-389-1479

Wisconsin-like supper club atmosphere with Friday night fish fry. Open April to mid-October.

# The Inferno Casual Dining and Lounge

1322 Gardner St., South Beloit, IL 61080 815-389-4921

Lunch and dinner served. Full bar.

# Winnebago

# Anna's Pizza & Pasta

101 S. Benton St., Winnebago, IL 61088 815-335-1065 Casual Italian and pizza.

#### Toni's of Winnebago

508 Elida St., Winnebago, IL 61088 815-335-2328

A small town atmosphere with big town tastes. Unique pastas, fresh seafood, certified Hereford steaks and awesome wines.

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