

KHIRI TRAVEL THAILAND RESTAURANT RECOMMENDATIONS

We have compiled a list of some of our favourite restaurants, for different occasions and to suit various budgets, from delicious street food to sophisticated culinary experiences. Most of these restaurants offer the chance to discover the true tastes of Thailand. For some, it will be necessary to book in advance.

Note: these restaurants are active when this list was compiled. It's possible some may have changed their operation times.

AYUTTHAYA

U-Khao Casual dining

Address: 99 Mu 2, Bang Pa-in Phra Nakhon Si Ayutthaya, 13000

Tel: +66 62 793 9993 **Website**: FB page

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/bAJVVnsPDCsSPX9i8

Price range: \$\$
Type of food: Thai
Open: Daily 10:30-20:00
Remarks: Family friendly

U-Khao, or 'land of plenty', has 2 dining areas smartly decorated in white and blue. The menu serves up the nostalgic flavors of the owner's childhood, as it's based on her mother's Thai recipes. They use traditional cooking methods presented with a modern aesthetic. The old-school style egg stew with pork belly is a flavorsome, intense stew with juicy meat. The grilled shrimp relish with vegetables is also highly recommended for its spicy relish and smoky aroma.



BANGKOK

Khua Kling Pak Sod **Casual dining**

Address: 98/1 Sukhumvit 53 Alley Khlong Tan Nuea, Watthana Price range: \$\$

Tel: (66) 86 053 7779 Type of food: Southern Thai

Website: http://www.khuaklingpaksod.com/

Open: Everyday from 09:00 – 21:00 **Location:** https://goo.gl/maps/TnRAK5hhC8iHF27W8 Remarks: Family friendly, authentic

This is a family-run Thai eatery specializing in authentic Southern Thai food, following recipes from the founder's grandmother. They use a perfect combination of fresh vegetables, meats, seafood and of course, herbs and spices. This small restaurant attracts both local and international diners, and you will feel you are eating in someone's home, not just for the home-style dishes, but for its décor and ambiance. In 2017 received the Michelin Bib Gourmand.

Krua Apsorn (Sam Sen)

Address: 503 Sam Sen Road, Wachira Payaban Price range: \$\$

Type of food: Thai - Local **Tel**: (66) 2 668 87 88

Website: http://www.kruaapsorn.com/ **Open:** Monday to Saturday: 10:00 - 19:30

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/jCx1GHfLdsvUWgkU9 Remarks: Family friendly, authentic

This family restaurant has been the favourite of locals for more than two decades, the food has withstood the test of time and it remains a legendary heritage restaurant in Bangkok that serves delicious food consistently. Order some of their signature dishes, yellow curry stir-fried crab or the famous fluffy crab omelette, and you won't go wrong, plus they are served quickly.

Pad Thai Fai Ta Lu (Dinso Rd.)

Street Food

Casual dining

Price range: \$ Address: 115/5 Dinso Road, Bowon Niwet **Tel**: (66) 89 811 18 88 Type of food: Thai

Open: Daily 10:00 - 19:00 Website: FB page

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/YVpBPC6rVmRq1dMu9 **Remarks:** Family friendly

Considered by many as the best Pad Thai they have ever tried. All the versions are good, but the one that stands out is their signature Pad Thai Fai Ta Lu Moo Yang (roasted pork Pad Thai) with char-grilled pork loin slice on top of it, adding a great balance to the flavors of it. Their recipes are truly unique and they will adapt to your needs, easy to understand why is part of the Michelin guide.

Kappra Café (V) **Casual dining**

Address: 437/22 Tha Din Daeng Rd, Khlong San, Bangkok 10600 Price range: \$\$

Tel: (66) 2 668 87 88 **Type of food:** Western – Vegan

Website: https://www.kappracafe.com/ **Open:** Daily 09:00-18:00 Remarks: Family friendly **Location:** https://maps.app.goo.gl/GJfQwhQvjhuBNARs6



A vegan café that includes a fabric studio and workspace, serving coffee, wellness drinks, desserts, and cafe cuisine. Highlights include smoothie bowls, paninis, open-faced sandwiches, and wraps.

Nature's Charm Café (V)

Casual dining

Address: 29 Sukhumvit 51, Watthana, Bangkok 10110

Tel: +66 22 588 58 60

Website: https://www.naturescharmcafe.com/

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/4HYb7sFZgceR8kbj8

Price range: \$-\$\$

Type of food: Western – Vegan

Open: Daily 09:00-20:00 **Remarks:** Family friendly

A vegan cafe was opened in July 2020 by the Nature's Charm company, which is known for its coconut milk line among other products. Serves mixed cuisines with both Thai dishes like curry and basil stir-fry bowls as well as others like a big breakfast, poke bowls, pancakes, and fruit bowls. Check the glass case for the day's sweet selection; it might be macaroons, snicker bars, and/or chocolate cake. Airy and trendy setting.

Tonklar Facai – Chula (V)

Casual dining

Address: Angredunang Rd, Bangkok 10330

Tel: +66 832396566

Website: https://www.tonklarfacai.com

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/g3op7wUvukebtMPP8

Price range: \$-\$\$

Type of food: Western – Vegan

Open: Daily 08:00-19:00 **Remarks:** Family friendly

A vegan restaurant is located on the grounds of Chulalongkorn Hospital, close to the entrance to the Royal Bangkok Sports Club. Features an extensive menu of contemporary and healthy plant-based dishes, desserts, and beverages, including fresh juices. The kitchen makes the food from scratch, including the tempeh and curries. Sources fresh produce directly from farmers. A portion of the proceeds goes to benefit the hospital's foundation.

Aunglo by Yangrak (V)

Casual dining

Address: 6/8, Decho Road, Bang Rak, Bangkok, 10500

Tel: +66 98 965 5996 **Website:** lin.ee/obN9Kai

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/BeNCxvfnNXmgadXZ6

Price range: \$\$

Type of food: Thai – Vegan options

Open: Wed-Mon 11:30-14:30/17:00-22.00

Remarks: Family friendly

A Thai contemporary restaurant presenting modern Thai fare inspired by street food culture, using an ancient Thai charcoal stove - or "Aunglo" – to infuse its savory dishes with a smoky aroma.



CHIANG MAI

Tong Tem Toh Casual dining

Address: Nimmanhemin Soi 13 Price range: \$-\$\$

Tel: (66) 53 22 2207

Website: https://www.facebook.com/TongTemToh/

Cocation: https://goo.gl/maps/RnJp4o5yvwu3P7Vv7

Type of food: Thai – Northern Open: Daily 08:00-23:00

Remarks: Family friendly

Excellent open-air restaurant for Northern Thai food (Lanna Cuisine), popular with locals as well as tourist. Located in the hipster area of Nimmanheim, it could be the perfect stop for lunch or dinner (at dinner you can get more grilled food), during your visit to the cool shops and art galleries in this area. The atmosphere is very laid back and very local, keeping the spiciness of some of the dishes at Thai level. Reservation is not necessary, although recommended, sometimes the gueue can be very long.

Dash! Casual dining

Address: 83, 2 Muang Road Lane 1 Mueang Chiang Mai District Price ra

Tel: (66) 53 279 230

Website: https://www.dashchiangmai.com/

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/PX6eAe787mMtv6xV6

Price range: \$\$-\$\$\$
Type of food: Thai

Open: Mo-Sat 10:00-14:00/17:30-21:00

Remarks: Family friendly

Restaurant located in an antique wooden house with a small patio. Apart from the delicious food, the friendly owner, Dash, makes your visit worthwhile. He will introduce you to every dish in the language of your preference, as he is fluent in many. They also have a live band playing some evenings. Located in the center, near Tha Pae Gate

Woo Café - Art Gallery Casual dining

Address: 80 Charoenrat Rd., Wat Gate Price range: \$\$

Tel: (66) 52 003 717 **Type of food:** Thai – Café & Desserts

Website: https://www.woochiangmai.com/
Location: https://goo.gl/maps/wR7QuSnEK8e5aWgC7
Remarks: Family friendly

Woo is a place to spend some time, not just to drop for coffee and food, as it has also a lifestyle shop, an art gallery and the decoration is amazing. It has Thai fusion food, very tasty and well-presented and a huge selection of cakes and desserts. Very good coffee as well. Located in the middle of Wat Ket area, on the east bank of the Ping River.

The Gallery Casual dining

Address: 25-27-29 Charoenrat Road Price range: \$\$-\$\$\$

Website: https://www.thegallery-restaurant.com/
Location: https://goo.gl/maps/uicwgnEfNtGrUS699
Remarks: Family friendly



Classic restaurant by the river, in a beautiful old Chinese merchant house, reflecting the mix of two cultures that Thailand experienced during the beginning of the XX century. Here you also find the combination of an art gallery and restaurant, presenting its cooking as an art, offering Classic Thai, Chinese and international cuisines. It also has live music some evenings.

Huen Phen Casual dining

Price range: \$-\$\$ Address: 112 Rachamankha Road, inside Old City Wall

Tel: (66) 0 538 145 48 Type of food: Thai - Northern

Website: Huen Phen FB Page **Open:** Daily 09:00-16:30 & 17:00-22:00

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/sktdBpUBGNCVKp9g9 **Remarks:** Family friendly

From outside it looks like an antique shop, inside you will find a magnificent ambiance with delicious Northern Thai food. It's been a favorite for more than 4 decades and many of the recipes has been passed through generations. Located near Wat Phra Sing, so it's a good option for lunch when you are touring. Its specialty is Khao Soi, being the signature dish of the north, although it has a wide menu to choose from. Good for groups, so you can have the chance of trying different food. Usually, it gets very busy at lunch time, so you may have to wait.

The Good View Casual dining

Price range: \$\$ Address: 13 Charoen Rat Road, Wat Ket

Type of food: Thai - Northern **Tel:** (66) 099 271 06 66 - 053 241866 **Open:** Daily 17:00-01:00

Website: goodview.co.th

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/5W7TMVN5Ra5U6fYn7 Remarks: Family friendly

This riverside restaurant really has a good view, as its name stated. Huge selection of food and drinks and live music every night, perfect for a relaxed dinner or a night out. Bring some mosquito repellent with you as you may need it. If you would like a riverside table, it's better to book in advance.

Khao Soi Mae Manee Street food

Address: 18 Soi Chotana 24, Chotana Road, Chang Puek Price range: \$

Type of food: Thai - Northern **Tel**: (66) 53 218 519 **Open:** Daily 09:00-15:30 Website: FB Page **Location:** https://goo.gl/maps/7uNjdrobUhj1HroXA **Remarks:** Family friendly

Considered as one of the best Khao Soi in the city, this small local family restaurant has been serving this dish since 1984. The noodles are house-made, and the beef version is highly recommended and it comes with generous side dishes. This is our choice and a very good option for some street food, and although it's very famous, you won't find big queues as others located in the center of Chiang Mai.

Ginger Farm Kitchen (V)

Michelin 🖏



Address: Nimmanhaemin road Suthep, Chiang Mai

Tel: (+66) 52 080 928

Website: https://www.gingerfarmkitchen.com/

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/kEdrhaXZ6R6Rj5xD6

Price range: \$\$ Type of food: Thai **Open:** Daily 11:00-22:00 **Remarks:** Family friendly



A local organic Lanna-style restaurant in Chiang Mai, guaranteed with the Bib Gourmand Michelin award for 3 years in a row, has its origins in organic farming that includes various vegetables and an animal barn, together with good ingredients from organic farmers in the network through the skill of skilled chefs who have inherited the deliciousness from the Lanna original.

Vegan Heaven (V) Casual dining

Address: 44/6 Loi Kroh Road, Chiang Mai 50100 Price range: \$-\$\$

Tel: +66-87-577-5444 Type of food: Thai - 100% Vegan

Website: https://veganheavencm.com/ **Open:** Daily 11:00-22:00

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/fwjHxzvrkvJ6mnip8 **Remarks:** Family friendly

A vegan restaurant opened in 2016 by the owners of Taste From Heaven, serves a large selection of Thai and Western dishes. Examples of choices include Thai noodles, pineapple fried rice, gyoza, burgers and fries, English breakfast, tofu scramble baguette sandwiches, brownies, porridge, pesto pasta, waffles, and ice cream.

Ekachan Casual dining

Address: 95 Chang Khlan, Chiang Mai, 50100 Price range: \$\$

Tel: +66 97 962 6445 Type of food: Thai Website: FB page **Open:** Tue-Sun 10:00-15:00/17:00-22:00

Remarks: Family friendly **Location:** https://maps.app.goo.gl/vKotguzF6Ligxd1p7

This new restaurant in the heart of old Chiang Mai is run by a local chef who embraces the slow food concept, using ingredients from around the country. The fried rice with sweet shrimp is nicely cooked with sweet shrimp paste and tasty condiments, including fresh chili, shallots and mango. The spicy beef turmeric curry is a standout, with an intense mix of herbs and spices. If you're looking for the spice bomb, they can add a fresh Thai chilies inside.

Sanae Thai Cuisine Street food

Price range: \$ **Address:** 184 Wangsingkham Road, Chiang Mai, 50300 **Tel**: +66 94 824 8866 Type of food: Thai Website: FB page **Open:** Daily 10:00-20:00

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/UvvuhPRvvyu2Paqv6 **Remarks:** Family friendly

This halal kitchen next to the Ping River is one for beef fans. With indoor and outdoor dining, the big outdoor kitchen cooks a creative à la carte menu with balanced flavours. The fat beef rice topped with egg yolk has a smoky flavour. The spicy Thai soup with beef shank is packed with spice aroma.



CHIANG RAI

Chivit Thamma Da Fine dining

Address: 179 Moo 2, Rim Kok Price range: \$\$

Website: https://www.chivitthammada.com/
Type of food: Thai sustainable
Open: Daily 09:00 - 22:00

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/7qGDtZy9TurUQdba8
Remark: Family friendly

Chivit Thamma Da, is a small family run café and bistro located right on the banks of the beautiful Kok River in Chiang Rai, northern Thailand. Fresh home-made food, bakery, coffees and drinks are served in a slow environment close to nature, with plenty of flowing water, flowers, birds and fresh air.



Nina's Café & Restaurant Casual dining

Address: 59/1 Mu 6, Thanaratch Rd, Nakhon Ratchasima, 30450 Price range: \$\$ Tel: +66 81 839 5445 Type of food: Thai

Website: FB page Open: Tue-Sun 11:00-20:30 Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/SrPyGjBD1g13y67cA Remarks: Family friendly

Nina's homely restaurant, surrounded by greenery, has two dining areas. The inside is decorated with vintage furniture, chandeliers, standing lamps and a classic clock, while diners in the garden can enjoy nature's shade. The dishes are well seasoned and many of the vegetables and herbs Nina uses, such as betel leaves, coriander and basil, are grown on-site. The fried pumpkin coated with salted egg sauce and the deep-fried sea bass with chili and salt are both divine.



KOH SAMUI

Seafood Kapistor

Address: 25 236 Thaweerat Phakdee Road Bo Put, Ko Samui Price range: \$\$ Type of food: Thai

Tel: +66 98 799 8007

Website: https://www.kapisator.com

Open: Daily 10:00 - 22 Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/WCbkoW5gD8QwvBjR6 **Remarks:** Family friendly

This restaurant is a celebration of Southern Cuisine, all of the ingredients used at Kapi Sator are just that: local. The restaurant kitchen is filled with daily deliveries of fresh seafood and greens that the chefs pick themselves, at market each morning. From the bounty of the Gulf of Thailand to your plate.



KHON KAEN

Pho Tha Bo Street food

Address: 3/12 Si Nuan Road, Khon Kaen, 40000 Price range: \$

Tel: +66 81 544 2599 **Type of food:** Vietnamese

Website: Michelin Guide Open: Daily

This family-run shop serves their own phổ noodle soup recipe and other Vietnamese favorites, including fresh and fried spring rolls, doi huyet (blood sausage) and tiết canh (raw blood pudding served with cooked minced pork meat and offal). The pork sausage and beef balls are homemade.



KRABI

Lae Lay Grill Casual dining

Address: 89 Moo 3, Ao Nang Price range: \$\$

Tel: (66) 75 661 588

Website: https://www.laelaygrill.com/
Location: https://goo.gl/maps/DWAuCAZSWf6UmmLa9
Type of food: Thai - Seafodd
Open: Daily 11:00-22:00
Remarks: Family friendly

This is our number one place for spectacular views of Ao Nang: some outdoor tables overlook the ocean, and the view is a combination of sea and mountain, and an impressive sunset, perfect for a relaxing dinner. It offers local and imported seafood, we highly recommend you to stay local and enjoy the fresh catch of the day. Look forward to a tasty menu combined with exclusive wines while you enjoy impressive views of Krabi.

Longtail Boat Casual dining

Address: 129 Ao Nang, Muang Price range: \$\$

Tel: (66) 088 954 6992 **Type of food**: Thai / Italian - Seafood **Website**: FB Page **Open**: Daily 14:00-22:00

Website: FB Page Open: Daily 14:00-22:00 Location: https://goo.gl/maps/pGNwesyADYhgBvPQ6 Remarks: Family friendly

Longtail Boat Restaurant and bar is located near Ao Nang Beach, there you can enjoy nice sunset views while sipping a delicious cocktail, there are a few to choose from. Very tasty food and generous portions, no matter if you choose from their Thai or Italian Fair. Recommended families and also for couples.

Ruen Mai Casual dining

Address: 117 Moo 3 Sai Thai Subdistrict, Krabi Town Price range: \$\$

Located outside of Krabi town in a lovely open air bamboo structure with conical beautiful ceilings, rustic décor, traditional tiles and private dining salas, you will feel in a huge outdoor garden. Their menu of authentic Thai food doesn't disappoint and it sets the bar high with their Southern Thai menu.

Ton Ma Yom Casual dining

Address: 262/7 Soi 11 Leela Valley Ao Nang Price range: \$

Website: FB Page **Open:** Tue-Sun 08:00-14:00 / 17:00-21:30

This small and colourful restaurant has delicious food and it's owned and operated by a local family and you will feel as if you are eating it their house. The venue is tiny and it has indoor and outdoor dining areas, it serves dishes in large succulent portions, perfect to share. The location is a bit hard to find, although any local driver will know. Good for families and small groups.



Chalita Café & Restaurant

Casual dining

Address: 7 3 Chao Fah Alley, Pak Nam

Tel: (66) 081 206 6299 **Website**: <u>FFB Page</u>

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/HQbzDdusUK9g5vPS8

Price range: \$-\$\$

Type of food: Thai / Italian Open: Mon-Sat 16:00-22:00 Remarks: Family friendly

This cozy eatery located in an old-school wooden house along the Krabi River is a family-run restaurant offering a mix of Italian and Thai dishes. Friendly staff will happily recommend you the specialties and it's one of the places in Krabi Town to hangout and where everybody will feel at ease.

BUZZ Organic Food & Drink (V)

Casual dining

Address: 376, 3, Ao Nang, *Muang*, Krabi 81180

Tel: +66-081 870 2317

Website: https://www.facebook.com/buzzaonang
Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/Zac6grq2tjxxEzZ69

Price range: \$-\$\$

Type of food: Mediterranean Open: Daily 09:00-18:00 Remarks: Family friendly

Little Organic Cafe which offers breakfast and lunch dishes, including pitas, wraps, and salads. Fresh fruit, smoothies, shakes, and a non-dairy milk option are still available.

Plant-erian (V) Casual dining

Address: 78, Moo-2, Krabi Town 81180

Tel: +66-63 113 2322 **Website**: <u>FB page</u>

Location: https://maps.app.goo.ql/p5HkaZmr9J5iiShPA

Price range: \$\$

Type of food: 100% Vegan Open: Daily 10:00-22:00 Remarks: Family friendly

Little Organic Cafe which offers breakfast and lunch dishes, including pitas, wraps, and salads. Fresh fruit, smoothies, shakes, and a non-dairy milk option are still available.

Amp & Aing Restaurant (V)

Casual dining

Address: 4203 Road, Krabi Town 81000

Website: Instagram Page Tel: (66) 80 803 1722

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/NbUkr9oxZpHoNi2n7

Price range: \$

Type of food: Asian, vegetarian/vegan

Open: Daily 12.00- 22.30 **Remark:** Family friendly

This restaurant offers a variety of Thai dishes, including classics like pad Thai and a selection of curries. Notably, they provide vegan options by allowing substitutions of tofu and vegetables for meat in most dishes. The owner is also well-versed in omitting egg from pad Thai for those with dietary preferences or restrictions.



NAKHON RATCHASIMA

Nina's Café & Restaurant Casual dining

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Website: FB page Open: Tue-Sun 11:00-20:30 Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/SrPyGjBD1g13y67cA Remarks: Family friendly

Nina's homely restaurant, surrounded by greenery, has two dining areas. The inside is decorated with vintage furniture, chandeliers, standing lamps and a classic clock, while diners in the garden can enjoy nature's shade. The dishes are well seasoned and many of the vegetables and herbs Nina uses, such as betel leaves, coriander and basil, are grown on-site. The fried pumpkin coated with salted egg sauce and the deep-fried sea bass with chili and salt are both divine.



SURAT THANI

Lucky Restaurant Casual dining

Address: 1 Thathong Road, Talat, Surat Thani, 84000 Price range: \$\$

Tel: +66 77 273 471

Website: FB page
Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/708oiQsgif8ykQor7

Type of food: Thai - Southern
Open: Daily 10:00-20:00
Remarks: Family friendly

Lucky is a 2-storey restaurant with a simple, vintage vibe. The chef-owner has upheld the legacy of previous generations in this family-run eatery. She visits the market every day to select the freshest ingredients and oversees every dish that leaves the kitchen – a selection of Thai-Chinese, southern Thai and seafood cuisine. Try the wok-fried shrimp, whose allure lies in the enticing use of salt and chilli with an aromatic blend of garlic and pepper.

Yok Kheng Street food

Address: 5/2 Tonpo Road, Surat Thani, 84000

Tel: +66 77 282 285

Website:

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/Etj8NCVTzTMNGdaN7

Price range: \$

Type of food: Thai - Noodles Open: Daily 11:30-16:30 Remarks: Family friendly

Consummately crafted regional specialties are the highlight here, particularly long tong, a Surat Thani delicacy. It features succulent dry noodles in a pink sweet and sour sauce with tender portions of pig's blood, skin, and meat. Leave room for the delectable mango with sticky rice.

Lian Tai Street food

Address: 70 Chonkasem Road, Talat, Surat Thani, 84000

Tel: +66 77 275 646

Website:

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/JMkSaKELYXBNbCpf7

Price range: \$
Type of food: Thai

Open: Daily

Remarks: Family friendly

Lian Tai specializes in deep-fried doughnuts. The family uses the original fermented dough recipe concocted by their father more than 5 decades ago. Cooked to a crisp, outer golden-brown with a soft, puffy inside, the Patongo is irresistible when dipped in rich sweet pandan custard.



UDON THANI

Kao Piak Sen Casual dining

Address: 20/20 Si Suk Roaad, Udon Thani, 41000 Price range: \$\$

Tel: +66 81 739 2247

Website: FB page
Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/WbgugAtv1PkyjB3DA

Type of food: Vietnamese
Open: Daily 05:30-18:00
Remarks: Family friendly

Formerly a street food stall, the owners have upped the quality of the menu and the dining experience. Kao Piak's stylish restaurant seamlessly blends timeless and contemporary styles, drawing inspiration from Vietnam's architectural heritage. Their signature aromatic pork broth is simmered for 8 hours yielding exquisitely tender meat. Don't miss out on the grilled lemongrass-marinated pork kebabs and Vietnamese sausage.

Samuay & Sons Casual dining

Address: 103/8 Si Chomchuen Road, Udon Thani, 41000 Price range: \$\$

Tel: +66 65 512 8288 **Website:** FB page

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/pEEpfzwraPsFyoZq8

Type of food: Thai - Isaan Open: Tue-Sun 17:00-21:00 Remarks: Family friendly

After studying and working in San Francisco, brothers Num and Joe returned to Thailand to open a fine dining restaurant not in Bangkok, but in Udon Thani. Samuay & Sons serves a contemporary Isan tasting menu and great value à la carte dishes in a loft-style space. For the full experience, try the excellent seasonal tasting menu, which not only balances flavors but is also nutritionally balanced



NAKHOM PATHOM

Plaew Street food

Address: Soi 5, Mu 1, Nakhon Pathom, 73000 Price range: \$
Tel: +66 81467 2266 Type of food: Thai

Website: FB page
Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/dJ5X9H3LuWW7CPyR6
Open: Mon-Sat 09:00-21:00
Remarks: Family friendly

This no-frills outlet is popular with locals for its tom yum noodles and homemade pork balls. They use premium ingredients and jumbo-size seafood. Also check out the homemade fish cakes, with a curry-flavored spice, served with deep-fried crispy basil and a sweet and sour sauce.

Nai Ho Chicken Rice Street food

Address: 88/14 Mu 4, Nakhon Pathom, 73120 Price range: \$

Tel: +66 817767329 **Type of food**: Thai

Website: Open: Wed-Mon 06:30-13:30 Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/fqoh2AdncnQhw4RF9 Remarks: Family friendly

Singaporean chef, Ah Ho, cooks locally raised chickens using his family's recipes. The chicken has a succulent meat, thin skin, light soya and sesame sauce, chicken broth and aromatic rice. The chicken offal sells out early every day. Don't be surprised if the gueue takes 1-2 hours.



PHUKET

China Inn Café & Restaurant

Casual dining

Address: 20 Thalang Road, Tambon Talat Yai Price range: \$\$-\$\$\$

Tel: (66) 076 356 239 Type of food: Thai & Western **Open:** Daily 10:00-18:30 Website: FB Page **Location:** https://goo.gl/maps/QHsuGe4WtzwWnbXC7 Remarks: Family friendly

In the middle of Thalang Road, the historical street of Phuket Town, you will find a beautiful little restaurant, and many people taking pictures outside, but not many will enjoy lunch at their garden restaurant. It is located in an old family house renovated with great taste and style, keeping the Sino-Portuguese red façade and the Chinese doors. There are a few tables set, perfect place to enjoy a delicious relaxed lunch, the food is amazing, although the service can be a bit slow.

Kan Eang @ Pier **Casual dining**

Address: 44 1 Rawai, Mueang Phuket District – Chalong Bay

Tel: (66) 083 173 1187

Website: https://kaneang-pier.com/

Location: https://goo.gl/maps/vLAABrPG3Hmyj5XB6

Price range: \$\$

Type of food: Thai Seafood **Open:** Daily 10:00-23:00 **Remarks:** Family friendly

In Chalong Bay and on the way to Rawai Beach, you will find this trendy seafood restaurant. Kang Eang @ Pier has plenty of tables under huge trees right next to the sea with views to the islands nearby, and as the seafront is long, most guest can have a table next to the sea. It also has one of the best seafood on the island and the service is very good as well. It's been a favorite of locals and visitors for more than 50 years. Perfect for a romantic seafood dinner as well

Khun Jeed Yod Pak Street food

Address: 69 Phangnga Rd. Tambon Talat Yai Price range: \$

Tel: (66) 061 246 6656 Type of food: Thai

Website: FB Page Open: Thu-Tue 10:00-21:00 **Location:** https://goo.gl/maps/hc7rS72CMugoDMjBA **Remarks:** Family friendly

One of the best local restaurants in Phuket Town for more than 20 years is the Khun Jeed's Yod Pak Restaurant. it has been listed in the Michelin guide for Phuket. It looks very modest and it's always packed and you can see the chef cooking your food, as he does it in the street in front of the restaurant. Famous for satay and Radna, a Thai-Chinese dish, which if you haven't tried it, this is the perfect place to do so.

Street food Ton Mayom

Address: 23/1 Mu 6, Thep Krasattri Road

Price range: \$ **Tel**: +66 94 429 2265 Type of food: Thai

Open: Thu-Tue 08:00-20:00 Website: FB Page **Location:** https://maps.app.goo.gl/b5NAdEti38i6Yt448 **Remarks:** Family friendly



The Mayom (star gooseberry) is a local tree located at the front of this outlet that offers a shady setting. They serve fried local fish with an aromatic curry and Southern Thai sour curry soup with seabass and young coconut shoots. The signatures are delicious and a must-try.

Krua Praya Phuket Casual dining

Address: 216/19 Mu 3, Soi Hua Tha

Tel: +66 83 138 6789

Website: https://kruaprayaphuket.business.site/

Open: Wed-Mon 11:00-22:00 Remarks: Family friendly **Location:** https://maps.app.goo.gl/5nPpQn2G5eQPBea39 Showcasing Southern Thai, especially Phuket cuisine, Krua Praya's traditional décor celebrates the charms of

vesteryear and boasts a knockout rooftop. The food is deftly crafted, featuring strong flavours and aromas. The pork belly dishes stand out, such as the signature fried pork belly with curry paste and young coconut shoots that is crispy, crunchy, and spicy. The Phuket-style stewed option offers a non-spicy alternative, served in an intensely satisfying gravy.

Mu Krop (Chi Hong) Street food

Address: 66/6 Wichit Songkhram Road, Phuket

Tel: +66 76 215 221

Type of food: Thai Website: https://xn-12ca4dng0beod1fza8c8ef9h3eua.com/ **Open:** Daily 06:00-14:00 **Location:** https://maps.app.goo.gl/gcmPmEot4N6sRR4p6 **Remarks:** Family friendly

Rice with roast pork belly is the best among an array of offerings at this shop. The pork comes in generous slices – its skin impossibly crisp and its meat lean and seasoned just right thanks to an old family recipe. An abundance of fresh side vegetables and a bowl of sipping broth come with it gratis.

Peang Prai Casual dining

Address: 66/6 Wichit Songkhram Road

Tel: +66 88 768 1497

Website: https://www.facebook.com/peangpraiman **Location:** https://maps.app.goo.gl/RgUidbvUZSZVSJuW6

Price range: \$\$ Type of food: Seafood **Open:** Daily 10:00-20:00 **Remarks:** Family friendly

Price range: \$\$

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Type of food: Thai - Southern

In the depths of the forest at the entrance to Bang Pae waterfall, two wooden pavilions stand connected by a terrace walkway. Here, a family-run restaurant faces a lagoon and a verdant wall of forest, while diners are accompanied by the welcoming calls of birds and gibbons. The tranguil ambiance is joined by traditional Thai and Southern Thai cooking, with local Phuket dishes standing out.

Khru Vit Seafood Raft Casual dining

Address: Muang Koh Kaew Front of Maphro Island M.6

Tel: +66 76 373 349

Website: pae-kruwit-seafood

Location: https://maps.app.goo.gl/rUdsywAheDCNKUhd7

Type of food: Seafood **Open:** Daily 10:00-21:00 Remarks: Family friendly

Price range: \$\$



Khru Vit Seafood Raft offers a unique dining experience on a floating raft. This establishment is celebrated for its exceptional seafood dishes, freshly sourced from local waters. The skilled chefs craft each dish with expertise, ensuring an explosion of flavors that tantalize the taste buds. From grilled fish to seafood curry and spicy salads, the menu boasts a wide variety of delectable options. With its picturesque waterfront location and delicious offerings, Khru Vit Seafood Raft promises a memorable dining experience for locals and visitors alike, embodying the essence of Phuket's vibrant culinary scene.