



RHINO AFRICA RESTAURANT GUIDE

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ABOUT THE RHINO AFRICA RESTAURANT GUIDE

Rhino Africa clients are obviously discerning with a taste for the finer things in life. So we know that with just a few days in Johannesburg, home to some of the world's most talented chefs, you'll want to try only the best restaurants, cafes, and bars. We have, and boast the waistlines to prove it! The things we do for you.

We've dined at them all, first-hand knowledge is key after all, and can report back that you're set for an onslaught of perfectly cooked pork bellies, stupendous steaks, fresh fish and world-class wine.

This guide was made by us exclusively for you - we have picked the best of the best so you don't have to stress. We've also grouped them to make it easier for you to find what most tickles your tastebuds. We have no doubt that you'll enjoy the best of what this vibrant and creative city has to offer at the tip of Africa.

Some of the popular restaurants have a three-month waiting list, but cancellations do occur so chat to your consultant to see if they can orchestrate your preferred dinner plate.

At Rhino Africa, having good taste in restaurants is just the beginning. We are the leading online safari company in Africa and specialise in luxury travel in Southern and East Africa. To plan your dream African safari go to rhinoafrica.com.

Bon appétit!

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TAPAS



ROCKETS

Spread over several floors and serving a selection of tapas, mains and creative cocktails, this is considered one of the 'it' places to be in Sandton.

a: Hobart Grove Shopping Centre, Corner Grosvenor and Hobart, Bryanston

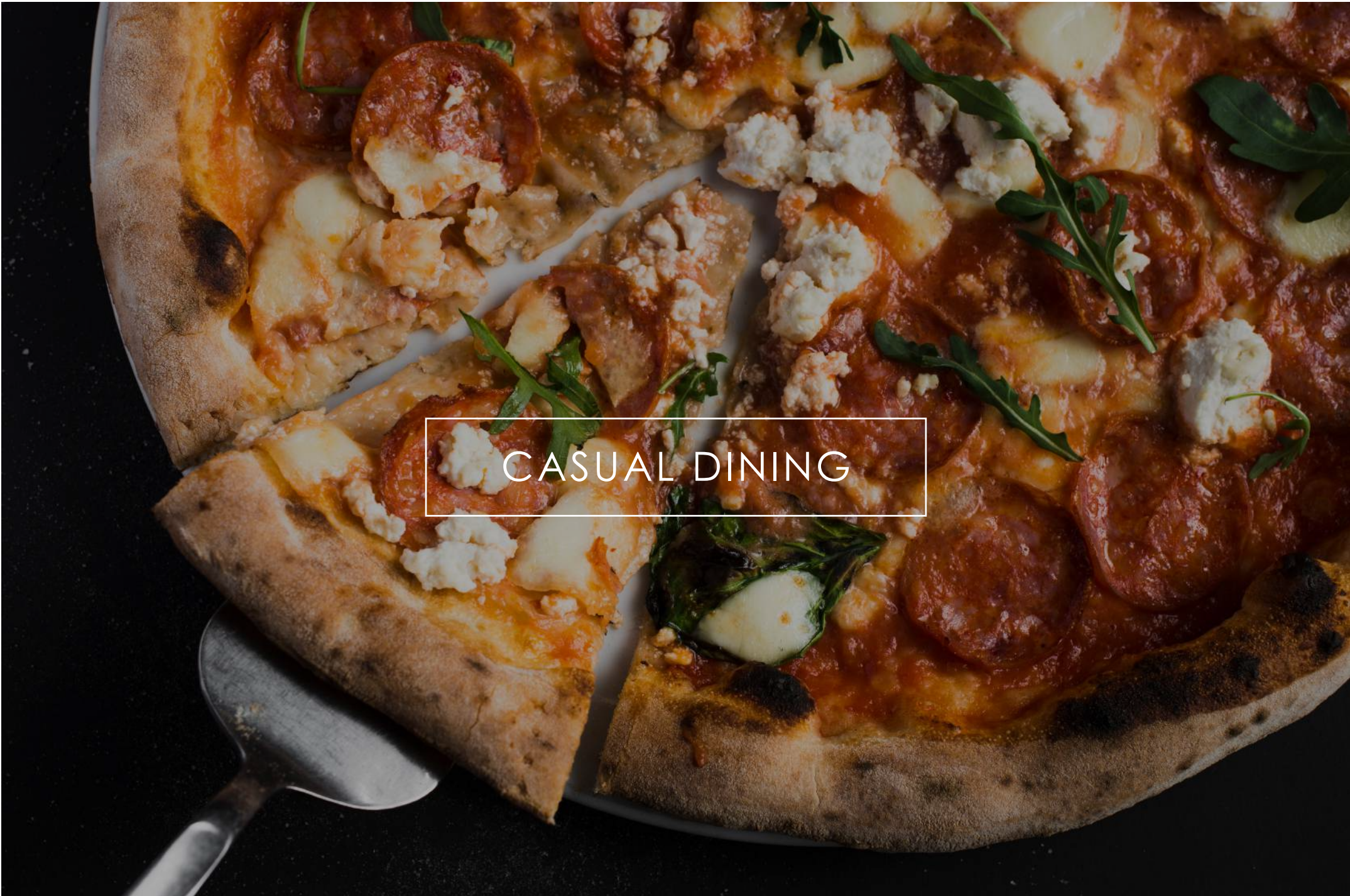
t: +27 87 727 2777

w: www.rocketslife.tv

Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday 07:00 - 23:00

Sunday 07:00 - 21:00



CASUAL DINING

DUKES BURGER

The name says it all; expect grandeur and gourmet burgers with creative flavour combinations. An extensive and all-inclusive menu caters for carnivores and herbivores alike.

a: 4 Gleneagles Road, Greenside

t: +27 11 486 0824

w: www.dukesburgers.co.za

Opening Hours

Friday & Saturday 11:30 – 22:30,
Sunday, Monday, Tuesday 11:30 – 21:00,
Wednesday and Thursday 11:30 – 22:00



CRAFT

This slightly Steampunk restaurant is focused on individuality, artisanal bistro-style dining and doing things in a modernised 'old school' way.

a: 33 4th Avenue, Parkhurst

t: +27 11 788 7111

w: www.craftrestaurant.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Thursday 07:00 – 22:00
Friday and Saturday 07:00 – 23:00, Sunday 07:00 – 21:00



STEAK



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EB SOCIAL KITCHEN AND BAR

In a unique fusion of space and an approach to providing dishes suited to every taste and budget, this rustic, bohemian-style restaurant offers tempting tapas and views over the city.

a: 125 Hyde Lane, Hyde Park, Sandton

t: +27 11 268 6039

w: www.socialkitchenandbar.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday 07:00 - 21:30
Sunday 08:00 - 15:00



THE LOCAL GRILL

For the ultimate steak enthusiast, a vast selection of quality cuts and a strict 'field to fork' policy ensures only the best producers are sourced from. Not to worry, vegetarians and non-beef eaters are also welcome, with a variety of other options on offer.

a: 40 7th and 3rd Avenues, Parktown North

t: +27 11 880 1946

w: www.localgrill.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 14:30
Sunday 18:00 – 22:00



WOMBLES STEAKHOUSE

Step into an African colonial home to spend an evening in a bygone era. A relaxed ambience with "Out of Africa" style cuisine makes for a classic dining experience.

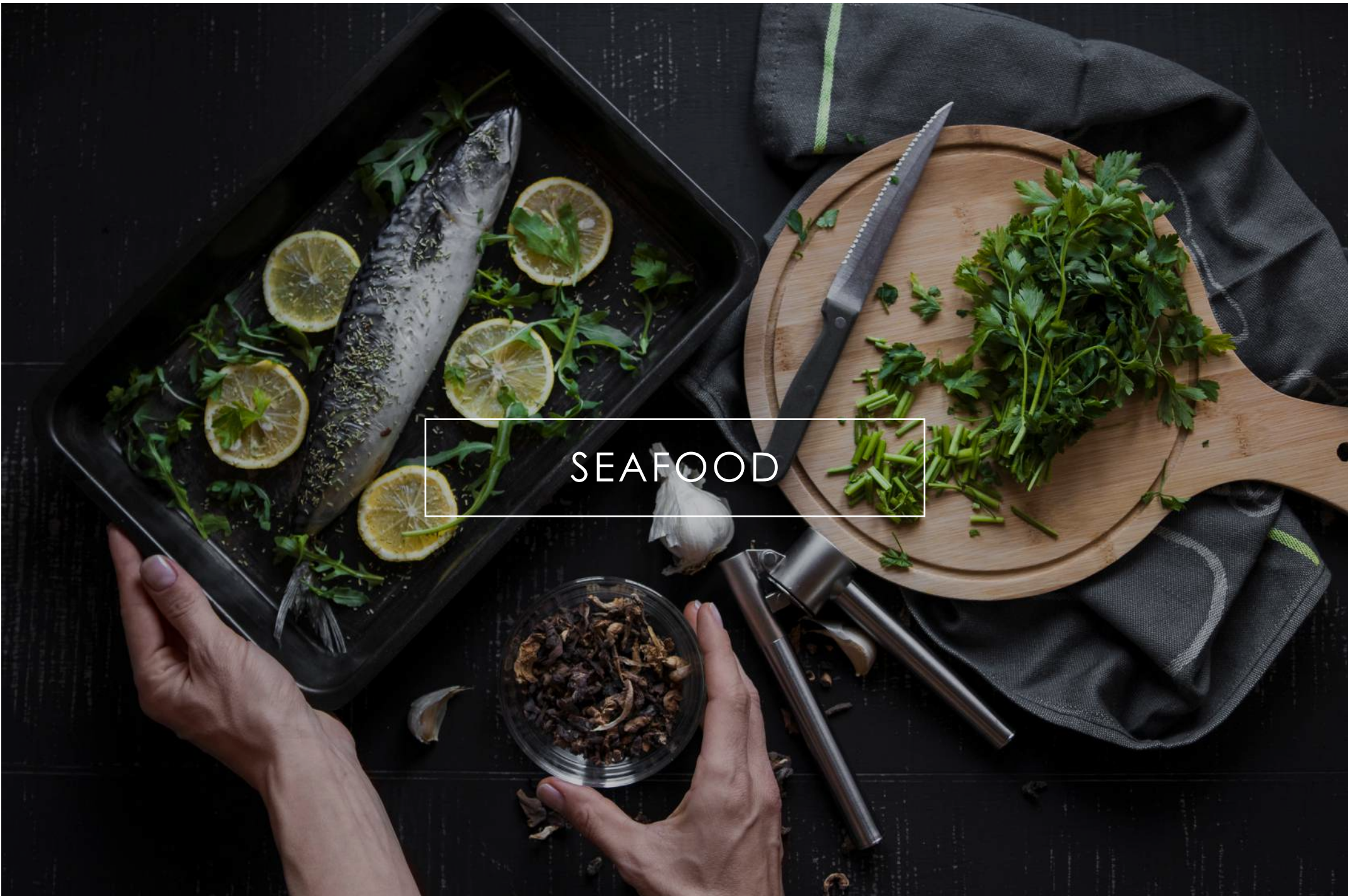
a: G9 and G10, Hobart Grove Shopping Centre, 88 Hobart Road, Bryanston

t: +27 11 463 8558

w: www.wombles.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Friday 12:00 – 14:30, 18:00 – 21:30; Saturday 18:00 – 21:30



SEAFOOD

FISH MONGER

A tried and tested chain of restaurants serving delightful ocean-inspired dishes with a Mediterranean twist. Although featuring seafood, a variety of other dishes are available making it suitable for the whole family.

a: The First, Shop No. 17, Cradock and Bierman Avenue, Rosebank

t: +27 11 447 2320

w: www.fishmongerrosebank.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 21:30 and Sundays 12:00 – 21:00



THE CODFATHER

Tasteful and contemporary, the Codfather is said to be one of the forerunners of seafood in Sandton. A unique, fun twist here is the ability to choose your fish from the display and have it cooked just the way you like it.

a: 3 Stan Road, Sandton

t: +27 10 020 0286

w: www.thecodfather.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Friday 06:30 – 22:00, Saturday 07:30 – 22:00

Sunday 07:30 – 21:00



ASIAN CUISINE



URBANOLOGI

Expect unique 'Urban Garde' tapas-style cuisine inspired by Asian street food. To further stand out from the crowd, the menu is broken up into categories based on the cooking methods used for each key ingredient.

a: 1 Fox Street, Ferreirasdorp

t: +27 11 492 1399

w: www.urbanologi.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 22:00. Sunday 12:00 – 17:00

MOMO SOKO

Picture traditional dishes, modern twists and Asian street food. With a delectable tapas-style menu, feast on your favourites with friends or enjoy a solo poke bowl.

a: 198 Oxford Road, Illovo, Sandton

t: +27 11 268 6182

Opening Hours:

Tuesday to Saturday 11:00 – 22:00, Sunday 11:00 – 15:30





ITALIAN CUISINE



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TORTELLINO D'ORO

Owned by an Italian family, expect nothing short of delicious, traditional dishes perfected over generations.

a: Oaklands Shopping Centre, Pretoria Road and Victoria Street, Oaklands

t: +27 11 483 1249

w: www.tortellino.co.za

Opening Hours:

Monday to Saturday 09:00 – 22:00
Sunday 09:00 – 15:00



JAMIE'S ITALIAN

With its inspiration coming from the "Italian table" concept of sharing, enjoying each other's company and relaxing, Jamie's Italian is ideal for a family night out or casual get-together with friends.

a: Shop 00513, Building 13, High Street, Melrose Arch, 60 Atholl Oaklands Road, Corner of Melrose Blvd, Melrose North

t: +27 10 007 4646

w: www.jamieoliver.com/italian/south-africa

Opening Hours:

Monday to Sunday 11:30 – 22:00



STELLE RESTAURANT

Cosy and café-style, Stelle offers traditional dishes made with authentic Italian ingredients where possible. Specials are added each evening as well as some exciting options on the weekends ensuring choices to suit everyone.

a: 61 Rivonia Road, Sandhurst, Sandton

t: +27 11 646 6996

w: www.stellerestaurant.co.za

Opening Hours:

Tuesday 11:30 - 15:00, 17:30 - 22:00.
Wednesday & Thursday 11:30 - 15:00,
17:30 - 22:00 Friday & Saturday 11:30 -
22:30. Sunday 11:30 - 16:00.



MEXICAN CUISINE



LA ROSA

With a variety of familiar favourites, La Rosa is the place to go when that Mexican craving hits. Choose a cocktail from the Tequileria with over 40 types of tequila to choose from.

a: Shop 2 Montecasino, 1 Montecasino Boulevard, Fourways

t: +27 11 465 0408

w: www.larosamexican.co.za

Opening Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 11:00 – 22:30,
Sunday & Monday 11:00 – 21:30

A close-up photograph of a chef's hand holding a silver spoon, pouring a thick, dark red sauce onto a plate of food. The plate features a piece of meat, a dark breaded ball, and sliced red fruit. The background is blurred, showing another plate and a person in a white shirt. The text "FINE DINING" is centered in a white box over the image.

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PIGALLE

Expect eclectic comfort, panoramic views and sublime shellfish. A varied menu ensures options for all palates and a suitable space for daytime and evening dining.

a: Shop HL48, Level 5, High Level Street, Melrose Arch, Corlett Drive, Melrose Arch, Sandton

t: +27 11 684 2711

w: www.pigallerestaurants.co.za/melrose-arch

Opening Hours:
Every day 12:00 – 22:30



GENTLEMEN'S ARTHOUSE

An Edwardian washroom in its previous life, the space is now a boutique boîte in which to enjoy Victorian-style feasts.

a: 100 Carr Street, Newton

t: +27 10 592 1911

w: www.gentlemensarthouse.com

Opening Hours:
Thursday's 19:00 – 12:00



SIGNATURE RESTAURANT

Panoramic views, a delightfully sophisticated gastronomic experience and the best jazz and blues sounds Sandton can offer.

a: U13, Morningside Shopping Centre, Corner of Rivonia and Outspan Road, Morningside, Sandton

t: +27 87 940 3880

w: www.signaturerestaurant.co.za

Opening Hours:
Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 12:00,
Sunday 12:00 – 16:00



MARBLE

An opulent fine dining twist on South Africa's quintessential love of cooking with fire. It's not just a plate of food, it's a theatre of experience.

a: Trumpet on Keyes, Corner of Keyes and Jellicoe Avenue, Rosebank

t: +27 10 594 5550

w: marble.restaurant

Opening Hours:

Monday to Sunday 12:00 – 22:00

FERMIER RESTAURANT

Expect a luxurious "farm feel" accompanied by a decadent nine-course menu. Affordable fine dining, an organic structure and an aim towards total sustainability – what more could one ask for?

a: 141 Lynwood, the Willows, Pretoria

t: +27 76 072 5261

w: www.fermierrestaurant.com

Opening Hours:

Tuesday to Saturday with set seating times of 19:00 and 19:30



RESTAURANT MOSAIC AT THE ORIENT

Indulge in a carefully crafted dégustation while enjoying elegant art nouveau décor in the signature Orient Boutique Hotel style.

a: Orient Boutique Hotel, Francolin Avenue,
Elandsfontein, Pretoria

t: +27 12 371 2092

w: www.restaurantmosaic.com

Opening Hours:

Open for lunch Wednesday – Sunday,
Open for Dinner Wednesday, Friday and Saturday



ABOUT RHINO AFRICA

Rhino Africa is Africa's leading safari company with a passion for Africa's people, landscapes, wildlife and, of course, food. We've brought over 100,000 delighted people to Africa and have shown them the beautiful places (and restaurants) across this magnificent continent. By embracing innovation and local expertise, Rhino Africa has established itself as an industry leader, which has allowed us to support the causes we care about most; rural education and conservation. By travelling with Rhino Africa, you too support these causes and ensure we all contribute to a more prosperous Africa.

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