

Restaurants and Things To Do in Laguna Beach

230 Forest Avenue Restaurant and Bar - Lively spot for Californian fare with a unique menu featuring seafood & cozy, trendy surroundings.

<https://230forestavenue.com/>

Carmelita's *Kitchen De Mexico* - Hip hangout for modern Mexican fare & margaritas made with freshly squeezed limes & homemade agave.

<https://www.carmelitaskdm.com/>

Nick's Laguna Beach - Open & airy eatery serving Californian comfort fare like fried asparagus spears & blackened halibut.

<http://nicksrestaurants.com/nicks-laguna-beach/menus/>

Watermarc - Small plates star at this chic New American eatery with handcrafted cocktails plus communal tables.

<https://watermarcrestaurant.com/the-kitchen.html>

Las Brisas - Ocean views & an outdoor patio are the trademarks of this Mexican seafood restaurant & brunch spot.

<https://www.lasbrisaslagunabeach.com/dinner/>

Broadway *by Amar Santana* - Seasonal New American small plates served amidst industrial New York-themed decor & an open kitchen.

<http://www.broadwaybyamarsantana.com/>

Maro Wood Grill - Argentinean bistro has wood-grilled, organic steaks, local produce, a relaxed space & heated patio.

<https://www.marowoodgrill.com/>

Laguna Beach Things To-Do

Heisler Park - offers spectacular views of the Laguna Beach coastline. Take a half-mile stroll along the paved path to see many public art pieces.

<https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/heisler-park/>

Browse North Gallery Row - Within just a short walking distance from town, North Gallery Row, located in the 300 and 400 blocks of North Coast Highway, exhibits several fine and contemporary arts galleries. Heisler Park provides a picturesque backdrop while you browse.

Wine Tasting in the Canyon - The Laguna Canyon Winery offers award-winning wines that have been specially handcrafted on-site. Premium grapes are selected from small, low-yield vineyards in the Napa and Sonoma Valleys, ensuring taste, quality and flavor. Holds wine tastings. Closed Mondays and major holidays. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/laguna-canyon-winery/>

Year-Round Whale Watching Cruises - The whale watching off Laguna Beach is exceptional with year round opportunities. View giant blue whales in the summer and fall and gray whales in winter and spring. Finback whales, minke whales, humpbacks, several species of dolphin, and more viewed year round. Newport Landing Whale Watching and Dana Wharf Sportfishing & Whale Watching offer several whale watching cruises daily, and Captain Dave's Dolphin & Whale Watching Safari also provides daily excursions with underwater viewing. Fun Fact: The dolphin population off Laguna's coastline exceeds more than that of Florida, Hawaii and the Caribbean combined! <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/daveys-locker-newport-landing-20-whale-watching/>

Jazz - Enjoy a live jazz concert in an intimate setting, featuring great food and world-class musicians. Doors open at 5pm; Show is from 6pm-8pm and admission is \$20 in advance, \$25 at the door. Reservations are accepted until noon on day of concert or until sold out. (949) 715-9713. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/laguna-beach-live/>

Live! at the Museum - Laguna Beach Live! and the Laguna Art Museum present an evening of art and music on the second Thursday of each month. Enjoy talented musicians who perform classical and contemporary chamber music. Concerts run from 7pm-8pm and are free with Museum admission (\$7/adults and \$5/senior & student; free for Museum members). <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/laguna-beach-live/>

Enjoy Live Music After Dark - Many of Laguna Beach's restaurants offer live music in the evenings. Enjoy jams at The White House, Brussels Bistro, K'ya Bistro Bar, The Cliff Restaurant, Mozambique or Skyloft (just to name a few!) for some great food and good music.

Reggae Night at Sandpiper - Thursday nights always bring out a fun crowd at the Sandpiper, or the "Dirty Bird" as locals call it. Here you will find people of all ages grooving to the beats of live reggae music. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/sandpiper-lounge/>

International Art Festival - Featuring 120 international, jury-selected artists and master craftsmen, Laguna Art-A-Fair is a must. Laguna Art-A-Fair offers visitors a chance to browse through booths of original watercolors, oils, photography, sculpture, ceramics, glass and more. Meet the artists, get hands-on demos and enjoy fine dining. Open every summer. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/laguna-art-a-fair/>

Crystal Cove State Park - Immerse yourself in Crystal Cove's three miles of coastline, wooded canyons, open bluffs, and offshore waters designed as an underwater park. Swim, surf, scuba, fish, mountain bike, or hike - this park truly has something for everyone. Explore on your own, or take part in a public tour of the Historic District on the second Saturday of each month. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/crystal-cove-state-park/>

Beverages on the Rooftop - Atop the historic Hotel La Casa del Camino, enjoy Laguna Beach's only Rooftop Bar & Lounge. Wonderful for a meal or their signature mojito while enjoying a breathtaking sunset. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/la-casa-del-camino/>

Explore Laguna on Foot - Take a Food Tour with Flavors of Laguna who offers two-hour walking tours featuring the town's culinary delights; Or sign up with Laguna Beach Walks and choose from a variety of walking tours focusing on historical aspects, fitness, points of interest and more. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/laguna-beach-walks/>

Get an Evening Tee Time - Play nine holes of golf at Ben Brown's Golf Course at The Ranch at Laguna Beach any weekday from 3pm on for only \$20. Walking only, golf carts are not available during this time. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/ben-browns-golf-course-at-the-ranch-laguna-beach/>

Need Visitor Information? - The Official Laguna Beach Visitors Center offers complimentary collateral on the Laguna Beach area, as well as surrounding areas, information on accommodations, dining, art events, city maps, bus schedules, outdoor activities and more. The Visitors Center located at 381 Forest Avenue is open daily, 10am-5pm. The satellite center located at 190 Ocean Avenue is open weekends only. For instant information at your fingertips, download the free Visit Laguna Beach app to view the current weather, tide tables, maps, and real-time Trolley Tracker. <https://www.visitlagunabeach.com/directory/official-laguna-beach-visitors-center/>