# 2025 Florida State Convention

# **Restaurant Guide**

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# Introduction

Conventions can be a blast: fun, exciting, and sometimes a little chaotic. But after all that excitement, one thing's for sure: you're going to get hungry. So the question becomes, what do you want to eat? Are you in the mood for something quick from a hotel restaurant? Looking for something more affordable? Craving a juicy burger or maybe something more authentic and local? This guide is here to help you answer all those questions and more. Inside, you'll find details on a variety of restaurants within 3 miles of the hotel. We've also included a special section called "What the Locals Eat," which highlights some of our favorite local spots within a ten-mile radius. If you're looking for real local flavor, that's the place

to start. Each listing includes the restaurant's hours, a brief description, a menu link (if available), and other helpful information. This is not means an exhaustive list of restaurants within 3 miles from the hotel, but we hope that these listings can help fill you right up. Our goal is to make it easy for you to find your next great meal while you're in Altamonte Springs. So with that said, let's dig in!

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# **Hotel Restaurants**

The Hilton offers two hotel restaurants, a lounge, and a coffee shop.

Below is some information on those places.

### Cool Beans

Cool beans is the coffee shop for the hotel. They serve coffee, pastries, and breakfast sandwiches. They are proud to serve Starbucks coffee.

### Hours

- Monday Friday: 6:30 AM 2:00 PM
- Saturday and Sunday: 6:30 AM 10:30 AM

#### Menu

The hotel website does not feature a menu for the coffee shop. More information on the menu will be released separately. The affiliate is also asking the hotel to provide braille menus for the restaurants.

## In Room Dining

The hotel offers in room dining: restaurant-quality food served to you in the comfort of your own hotel room.

#### Hours

Monday through Sunday: 4:00 PM – 10:00 PM

### Menu

The hotel website does not feature a menu for the in room dining.

More information on the menu will be released separately if possible. The affiliate is also asking the hotel to provide braille menus for the restaurants.

# **U** Lounge

This lounge in the hotel serves up cocktails and light fare.

#### Hours

Monday through Sunday: 2:00 PM – 11:00 PM

### Menu

The hotel website does not feature a menu for the U Lounge. More information on the menu will be released separately if possible. The affiliate is also asking the hotel to provide braille menus for the restaurants.

### **U** Restaurant

This restaurant serves up an American breakfast in the hotel.

### Hours

- Monday through Thursday: 6:30 AM 9:30 AM
- Friday through Saturday: 6:30 AM 10:30 AM
- Sunday: 6:30 AM 9:30 AM

#### Menu

The hotel website does not feature a menu for the U Restaurant.

More information on the menu will be released separately. The affiliate is also asking the hotel to provide braille menus for the restaurants.

**American** 

From juicy burgers and crispy fries to hearty sandwiches and classic

comfort food, American cuisine covers all the bases. Whether you're in the

mood for a casual diner vibe, a modern twist on a classic, or just something

familiar and satisfying, these spots serve up the flavors of home.

Jimmy Hula's Altamonte Springs

380 N State Road 434

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Jimmy Hula's brings a laid-back, surf-inspired vibe to Altamonte

Springs, offering a diverse menu of creative tacos, burgers, and bowls.

Signature items include the Wipeout Taco, marinated steak, shrimp, fries,

avocado, and Baja sauce, and the Aloha Burger, featuring teriyaki-glazed

beef with grilled pineapple and Swiss cheese. If you like spicy, try the

Kingston Taco.

### Hours

Monday through Saturday: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

• Sunday: 11:00 AM - 9:00 PM

### Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 636-9858

#### Menu

The website does not offer a direct menu, but the pick up and delivery website does.

Pick up and Delivery

# LongHorn Steakhouse

149 Douglas Ave

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.1 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

LongHorn Steakhouse is a casual dining restaurant known for its grilled steaks and warm, Western-themed atmosphere. Signature dishes include the bone-in Outlaw Ribeye and the tender Flo's Filet, both

seasoned and cooked to perfection. The menu also features a variety of

appetizers, salads, and non-beef options like Parmesan Crusted Chicken

and LongHorn Salmon.

Hours

Monday through Thursday: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

• Friday through Saturday: 11:00 AM - 11:00 PM

• Sunday: 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 862-7711

Menu

The restaurant offers a menu through their website that seems

accessible.

Restaurant Menu

Miller's Ale House

477 E Altamonte Dr

Located in Altamonte Mall

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Miller's Ale House is a lively sports bar and restaurant offering a

diverse menu of American favorites in a casual setting. Known for their

signature Zingers®, hand-breaded, boneless chicken tenders tossed in

your choice of sauce, the menu also features juicy burgers, hearty

sandwiches, fresh salads, and entrees like the Zingers® Mountain Melt®

(the author's personal favorite) and Pork Osso Buco.

Hours

Monday through Sunday: 11:00 AM – 2:00 AM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 331-6611

Menu

The restaurant offers a somewhat accessible menu. The menu itself

does not have prices since the prices are location dependent. To see

prices, pretend to do a pick up order.

Restaurant Menu

Seasons 52

463 E Altamonte Dr

Located in Altamonte Mall

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$30-\$50

Seasons 52 is a fresh grill and wine bar offering a seasonally inspired

menu that emphasizes fresh ingredients and natural flavors. The restaurant

features dishes like cedar plank-roasted salmon, wood-grilled filet mignon,

and brick oven-roasted Chilean sea bass, all prepared without a fryer in

sight. The restaurant offers an extensive selection of wines by the glass

and bottle, as well as handcrafted cocktails.

Hours

Monday through Thursday: 11:30 AM – 10:00 PM

Friday through Saturday: 11:30 AM – 11:00 PM

• Sunday: 11:30 AM - 9:00 PM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 767-1252

Menu

The restaurant offers a somewhat accessible menu through their

website.

Restaurant Menu

Tibby's New Orleans Kitchen

494 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.8 Miles

Price Range: \$20-\$30

Tibby's New Orleans Kitchen brings the soul of the Crescent City to

Altamonte Springs with a vibrant atmosphere and authentic Creole flavors.

The menu features New Orleans classics like jambalaya, gumbo, po' boys,

and beignets, alongside signature dishes such as Rita's Chicken and Pasta

Monica. Guests can enjoy weekend brunch with live music and bottomless

drinks.

Hours

• Monday through Thursday: 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM

• Friday: 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM

• Saturday: 10:00 AM – 10:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Menu

The restaurant offers an accessible menu. However, prices are not included. Click on the "Full Menu" button to seen the different menus.

Restaurant Menu

**Asian** 

Whether you're craving the bold, savory flavors of Chinese takeout or the delicate artistry of Japanese sushi, this section has something to satisfy your taste buds. From comforting classics like fried rice and lo mein to fresh sashimi and hibachi-grilled favorites, Altamonte Springs offers a variety of Asian dining options. Whether you want a quick bite or a sit-down experience, these local spots deliver flavor, freshness, and something for every appetite.

Fuji Sushi Japanese Cuisine

249 W State Road 436

### #1061

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.2 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$30

### Hours

• Monday: Closed

• Tuesday through Friday: 11:30 AM – 2:00 PM; 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM

• Saturday: 5:00 PM - 10:00 PM

• Sunday: 4:00 PM – 9:30 PM

# **Restaurant Website**

Phone: (407) 645-1299

### Menu

The restaurant does not offer a direct menu. Instead, pretend to place an online order.

# Order Online

### Kohinoor Indian Restaurant

249 W State Road 436

#1093

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Kohinoor Indian Restaurant offers a refined yet welcoming dining experience, showcasing the rich culinary traditions of India. The menu features a variety of options, including vegetarian specialties like Yellow Dal Fry and Navratan Korma, as well as meat dishes such as Chicken Makhani and Lamb Vindaloo. Guests can also enjoy a selection of Indo-Chinese appetizers, including Gobi Manchurian and Paneer Chilli.

Hours

Monday: Closed

Tuesday through Sunday: 11:15 AM – 2:30 PM; 5:00 PM – 10:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 788-6004

Menu

The restaurant offers a menu that is fairly accessible.

Restaurant Menu

Paris Banh Mi

155 Cranes Roost Blvd

#1210

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 0.8 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Paris Banh Mi is a vibrant café blending Vietnamese and French culinary traditions, offering a diverse menu of banh mi sandwiches, fresh pastries, and specialty beverages. Guests can enjoy a variety of handcrafted drinks, including the popular "Paris By Night," alongside a selection of slushes, milk teas, and fresh teas. The café also features an array of French bakery items, such as croissants and baguettes, baked fresh daily.

Hours

• Monday through Sunday: 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 960-4030

Menu

The restaurant does not offer a direct menu. Instead, you can read

their menu items by pretending to place a carry-out order.

Order Online Website

Yummy House

478 E Altamonte Dr

#102

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Yummy House in Altamonte Springs offers a diverse menu of

Chinese cuisine, blending traditional flavors with American-Chinese fusion

options. Guests can enjoy a variety of dishes, including crispy egg rolls,

pan-fried pot stickers, and a selection of salt and pepper seafood and

meats. The restaurant also features a lunch-only dim sum menu, providing

an array of bite-sized delights.

Hours

Monday through Thursday: 11:00 AM − 2:30 PM; 4:30 PM − 8:30 PM

• Friday through Saturday: 11:00 AM – 2:30 PM; 4:30 PM – 9:00 PM

Sunday: 11:00 AM – 2:30 PM; 4:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 339-8877

Menu

The restaurant offers a mostly accessible menu.

Restaurant Menu

**Breakfast** 

They say breakfast is the most important meal of the day, and we couldn't agree more. Whether you're looking for a quick bite before the general sessions or a leisurely sit-down meal with pancakes, eggs, and coffee, this section has something to satisfy every kind of morning appetite. From classic diners to cozy cafés, here are some of the best breakfast spots near the hotel.

Cracker Barrel Old Country Store

285 Douglas Ave

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Cracker Barrel Old Country Store offers a nostalgic Southern dining

experience combined with a charming retail shop. This family-friendly

restaurant serves hearty, homestyle meals for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Guests can enjoy classics like biscuits and gravy, country-fried steak, and

chicken and dumplings, all in a cozy setting featuring a stone fireplace and

vintage decor. The on-site country store offers a variety of unique gifts,

nostalgic candies, and home goods, making it a delightful stop for both

dining and shopping.

Hours

Monday through Thursday: 7:00 AM – 10:00 PM

• Friday: 8:00 AM – 11:00 PM

• Saturday: 7:00 AM – 11:00 PM

Sunday: 7:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Menu

Cracker Barrel offers an accessible menu through their website. When you

open the menu, you will be asked to enter your location. Enter 32714 in the

"City, State, or Zip" text box. From there, click "select" button after the text

that says "285 Douglas Ave."

Restaurant Menu

First Watch

720 E Altamonte Dr

Unit 1

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.8 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

First Watch is a daytime café specializing in breakfast, brunch, and

lunch, offering a menu of traditional favorites and innovative creations, all

made to order with fresh ingredients. Guests can enjoy signature dishes

like the Tri-Fecta, Lemon Ricotta Pancakes, and the A.M. Superfoods Bowl,

along with seasonal specialties and fresh-squeezed juices. First Watch also

offers online ordering and a waitlist feature for added convenience.

Hours

Monday through Sunday: 7:00 AM – 2:30 PM

Restaurant website

Phone: (689) 308-0119

Menu

The restaurant offers a menu through their website. The menu was a bit difficult to navigate. You may have to choose the restaurant location.

Restaurant Menu

Maitland Breakfast Club

745 Orienta Ave

#1061

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 2.1 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Maitland Breakfast Club is a beloved local diner offering hearty Southern-style breakfasts and lunches in a welcoming, family-friendly atmosphere. Known for generous portions and fast, friendly service, the menu features classics like omelets, pancakes, and the signature Maitland French Toast topped with fresh fruit.

### Hours

Monday through Saturday: 7:00 AM – 2:30 PM

• Sunday: 8:00 AM – 2:30 PM

### **Restaurant Website**

Phone: (407) 332-6539

#### Menu

The restaurant offers an accessible menu through their website.

### Restaurant Menu

# Perkins American Food Company

215 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.2 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Perkins American Food Co. is a cherished family dining establishment that has been serving classic American comfort food since

1958. Renowned for its all-day breakfast offerings, the menu features

favorites like fluffy pancakes, hearty omelets, and freshly baked Mammoth

Muffins®. Beyond breakfast, Perkins offers a variety of lunch and dinner

options, including juicy burgers, homestyle meatloaf, and savory pot roast.

The in-house bakery tempts guests with an array of pies, cookies, and

pastries.

Hours

Monday through Sunday: 6:00 AM – 12:00 AM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (321) 300-0203

Menu

The restaurant offers a menu, but the menu is not accessible with a

screen reader. However, you can somewhat see the menu when you

attempt to order for pick up. Open the website, enter 32714 in the zip code

text box, and select the first location.

Restaurant Website

Waffle House

278 Douglas Ave

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Waffle House is a classic American diner known for its simple, comforting menu and round-the-clock service. Open 24/7, it's a go-to spot for breakfast favorites like waffles, hash browns (served your way), eggs, bacon, and biscuits with gravy.

Hours

• Open 24 Hours

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 869-1999

Menu

Waffle house offers an accessible menu through their website.

Restaurant Menu

Italian

Craving pasta, pizza, or something covered in marinara and cheese?

Whether you're in the mood for a classic spagnetti dish, a hearty lasagna,

or a wood-fired pizza, these Italian spots have you covered. From quick

bites to sit-down meals, there's something here to satisfy every appetite!

Antica Pizzeria and Market

249 W State road 436

#1105

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price range: \$20-\$30

Antica Pizzeria & Market brings the authentic flavors of Naples to

Altamonte Springs with its wood-fired Neapolitan pizzas and house-made

pastas. Crafted from scratch using finely milled Caputo Tipo flour and

dough fermented for 72 hours, their pizzas are baked in an 800°F oven,

resulting in a perfect balance of char and chew. Beyond pizza, the menu

features a variety of Italian dishes made with fresh, seasonal ingredients.

Hours

Tuesday through Saturday: 11:30 AM – 9:00 PM

• Sunday through Monday: Closed

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 834-7770

Menu

The restaurant offers an accessible lunch and dinner menu.

Restaurant Menu

Order Delivery or Pick Up

Café Murano

309 Cranes Roost Blvd

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.1 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

Located along Cranes Roost Lake, Café Murano offers a warm and inviting atmosphere perfect for any occasion. The menu features a variety of Italian dishes crafted with fresh, seasonal ingredients, including house-

made pastas, brick oven pizzas, and signature entrées like Chicken

Marsala and Lobster & Crab Ravioli. Guests can enjoy live music on

weekends and scenic outdoor seating, making it an ideal spot for both

casual lunches and elegant dinners.

Hours

• Sunday through Monday: 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM

• Tuesday through Thursday: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Friday through Saturday: 11:00 AM – 11:00 PM

• They have entertainment every Friday / Saturday Night from 8:30-

11:30pm & Sundays from 11:30am-2:30pm for their Sunday Brunch.

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 834-5880

Make a Reservation

Menu

The restaurant has the following menus, and they are fairly

accessible.

• Lunch Menu

Dinner Menu

• Sunday Brunch Menu

Red Wine Menu

White Wine Menu

Nonno's Italian Restaurant

1140 E Altamonte Dr

#1018

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 2.7 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

A family-owned gem in Altamonte Springs, Nonno's Italian Restaurant brings authentic Sicilian and New York-style Italian cuisine to Central Florida. Founded by the LaCommare family, including Chef Stefano "Nonno" LaCommare, the restaurant offers a cozy, welcoming atmosphere with a focus on traditional recipes and generous portions. Signature dishes include the Pollo di Stefano, Gnocchi de Nonno, and a variety of seafood specialties like Zuppa di Mare Marsalese. Guests are also treated to house-made pesto served with warm bread.

### Hours

• Sunday: 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM

• Monday through Tuesday: Closed

• Wednesday through Friday: 11:30 AM – 9:00 PM

• Saturday: 12:00 PM - 9:00 PM

### **Restaurant Website**

Phone: (407) 260-8900

#### Menu

Nonno's website offers a menu that is accessible; however, the prices are not included. Ask the server for prices.

Lunch Menu

# <u>Dinner Menu</u>

This restaurant also offers a wine menu, but only a PDF version was available.

Wine Menu

Olive Garden Italian Restaurant

300 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.6 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

Olive Garden is a popular Italian-American chain known for its comforting pasta dishes, unlimited soup or salad, and warm breadsticks. The menu includes classics like Fettuccine Alfredo, Chicken Parmigiana, and Lasagna Classico, along with lighter options and a create-your-own pasta menu. It's a reliable choice for a casual sit-down meal with generous portions and friendly service. Cheaper lunch favorites are served from

Hours

Sunday through Thursday: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

11:00 AM to 3:00 PM on weekdays.

Friday through Saturday: 11:00 AM – 11:00 PM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 772-0409

Menu

Olive Garden offers a menu through their website. To quickly see the

menu, click on Pick Up.

### Olive Garden Menu

### Pizza

Here is a list of notable Pizza chains within 3 miles from the hotel.

- Dominos
- Pizza Hut

## **Fast Food**

Want a quick pick-me-up? Want something that is consistent and affordable? Here are some of the fast food restaurants in the area. All these restaurants offer delivery their popular platforms like DoorDash, UberEats, Grubhub, or Postmates. Also, many of these restaurants offer delivery through their own app. While this might seem like a rip off, many fast food restaurant apps offer great deals that can lower the price of your meals significantly.

# Burger King

476 E Altamonte Dr

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.2 Miles (driving)

Burger King is a global fast food chain best known for its flame-grilled

Whopper and wide range of burgers, chicken sandwiches, and breakfast

items. The menu includes combo meals, value deals, and sides like onion

rings and mozzarella sticks. With its bold flavors, have it your way attitude,

and familiar options, Burger King is a convenient choice for a quick,

satisfying bite.

Hours

• Drive Through: Open 24 hours

• Dine In: every day from 5:00 AM – 12:00 AM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 261-0152

Menu

The best way to see the Burger King menu is through their apps.

**Burger King Website** 

Burger King on the Apple App Store

Burger King on Google Play

The Burger King app features deals that can help lower the price of

your overall meal.

**Checkers** 

431 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.6 Miles (driving)

Checkers is a drive-thru-focused fast food chain known for its bold,

seasoned fries, burgers, hot dogs, and milkshakes. The menu offers

affordable comfort food with big flavors, often served quickly from dual

drive-thru lanes. Some locations have limited or no indoor seating, making

it ideal for grab-and-go meals or late-night cravings.

Hours

• Sunday through Wednesday: 10:00 AM – 2:00 AM

• Thursday through Saturday: 10:00 AM – 3:00 AM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 862-9214

Menu

While Checkers does not have a menu on there website, you can see the menu through the following links:

Menu from Google Maps (menu may not be complete and prices may not be accurate)

Order Online (pick up or delivery)

Checkers on the Apple App Store

Checkers on the Google Play Store

Note: The Checkers app may be difficult to use for VoiceOver users.

Chick-fil-A

234 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.4 Miles (driving)

Chick-fil-A is a fast food restaurant specializing in chicken sandwiches, nuggets, waffle fries, and fresh-made lemonade. Known for its friendly service and clean dining areas, Chick-fil-A offers a variety of meal

options, including salads and breakfast items. While closed on Sundays, it's a popular choice for a quick, high-quality meal with Southern hospitality.

#### Hours

Monday through Saturday: 6:00 AM – 10:00 PM

• Sunday: Closed

## Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 786-2274

#### Menu

For an accessible menu, refer to the Chick-fil-A app.

Chick-fil-A on the App Store

Chick-fil-A on Google Play

Chipotle Mexican Grill

400 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.6 Miles (driving)

Chipotle is a fast-casual restaurant known for customizable burritos, bowls, tacos, and salads made with fresh, responsibly sourced ingredients.

Choose from proteins like grilled chicken, steak, barbacoa, or sofritas

(tofu), and top it with rice, beans, salsas, cheese, and more. It's a great

option for a quick, hearty meal with vegetarian, vegan, and gluten-free

choices available.

Hours

Monday through Sunday: 10:45 AM – 11:00 PM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 682-2747

Menu

To see the Chipotle menu, download their app.

Chipotle on the Apple App Store

Chipotle on Google Play

Jersey Mike's

175 E Altamonte Drive

Unit 1030

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 0.8 Miles (driving)

Jersey Mike's is a sub shop known for its fresh-sliced deli meats,

cheeses, and bread baked in-house. They offer both cold and hot subs,

including their famous Philly cheesesteaks. Most subs can be ordered

"Mike's Way" with onions, lettuce, tomatoes, vinegar, oil, and spices. It's a

great option for a quick, satisfying sandwich made to order.

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 637-2975

Hours

Monday through Thursday: 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM

• Friday through Saturday: 10:00 AM – 10:00 PM

• Sunday: 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM

Menu

An accessible menu is available below.

Restaurant Menu (can order pickup here as well)

**McDonalds** 

224 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.4 Miles (driving)

McDonald's is a popular fast food chain known for its burgers, fries,

chicken nuggets, and breakfast items. It's a reliable option for a quick meal

at any time of day, and it's open 24 hours. This location also offers mobile

ordering and deals through the McDonald's app.

Hours

Open 24 hours

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 862-4777

Menu

For the McDonalds menu, refer to the McDonalds website, or

McDonalds on the Apple app store or Google Play Store. In addition, the

app has featured deals that can help lower the price of your overall meal.

McDonalds Menu

McDonalds on the Apple App Store

McDonalds on Google Play

Panda Express

275 E Altamonte Dr

#1020

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 0.8 Miles (driving)

Panda Express is a fast-casual chain serving American Chinese

cuisine. Popular dishes include Orange Chicken, Beijing Beef, and Honey

Walnut Shrimp, served with sides like fried rice, chow mein, or steamed

vegetables. Meals are served cafeteria-style, allowing you to mix and

match entrees and sides for a quick, customizable experience.

Hours

Monday through Thursday: 9:30 AM – 10:00 PM

• Friday through Sunday: 10:00 AM – 10:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 831-6893

Menu

Panda Express offers a menu through their website.

Panda Express Menu

Popeyes Louisiana Kitchen

460 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.6 Miles (driving)

Popeyes is a fast food chain known for its Southern-style fried

chicken, buttery biscuits, and bold Louisiana flavors. Signature items

include spicy and mild fried chicken, chicken tenders, and the popular

chicken sandwich. With flavorful sides like red beans and rice, mashed

potatoes, and Cajun fries.

Hours

Monday through Wednesday: 10:00 AM – 11:00 PM

• Thursday through Sunday: 10:00 AM – 12:00 AM

• Sunday: 10:00 AM - 11:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 862-1012

Menu

Popeyes offers a menu through their website.

Popeyes Menu

Raising Cane's Chicken Fingers

780 E Altamonte Dr

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 2 Miles (driving)

Raising Cane's is a fast food restaurant that specializes in one thing done exceptionally well: chicken fingers. The simple menu features tender, juicy chicken fingers, crinkle-cut fries, Texas toast, coleslaw, and their signature Cane's Sauce. Don't like coleslaw? Yu can substitute Coleslaw for extra fries. Known for quality and consistency, it's a great pick for a quick, no-frills meal that hits the spot. Also, try there sweet tea with their signature crushed ice.

Hours

Sunday through Thursday: 10:00 AM – 1:00 AM

• Friday and Saturday: 10:00 AM – 2:00 AM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 452-6900

Menu

You can find the Raising Cane's menu on their website or through

their app.

Raising Cane's Menu

Raising Cane's on the Apple App Store

Raising Cane's on Google Play

Steak 'n Shake

295 E Altamonte Dr

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 0.9 Miles (driving)

Steak 'n Shake is a classic American diner-style chain known for its steakburgers, shoestring fries, and hand-dipped milkshakes. The menu includes a variety of burgers, melts, and breakfast options, all at budgetfriendly prices. With its retro vibe and 24-hour service at many locations, it's a great spot for a casual meal, day or night.

Hours

Monday through Sunday: 10:00 AM – 4:00 AM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 830-1500

Menu

For the Steak 'n Shake menu, you can refer to their website.

Stake 'n Shake Menu

Wendy's

516 E Altamonte Dr

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 1.4 Miles (driving)

Wendy's is a well-known fast food chain offering burgers, chicken sandwiches, salads, and their signature Frosty desserts. They're known for using fresh, never frozen beef and offering a variety of combo meals and value deals. Wendy's is a solid choice for a quick, satisfying meal with consistent quality and friendly service.

Note: This location has a Coca-Cola freestyle machine. Check to see

if there is a QR code on the top of the machine, usually on the top left. The

QR code allows you to control the machine with your phone. You will have

to rescan the QR code every time you wish to use the machine.

Hours

Monday through Sunday: 6:00 AM – 2:00 AM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (407) 831-1840

Menu

The Wendy's menu can be found on their website and their app.

Download their app for rewards and exclusive deals.

Wendy's Website (enter 32701 on the restaurant search field)

Wendy's on the Apple App Store

Wendy's on the Google Play Store

# Latin/Mexican

Whether you're craving the bold spices of Mexican street tacos, the comfort of Cuban sandwiches, or the vibrant flavors of Spanish cooking, Altamonte Springs has plenty to offer. This section highlights Latin and Mexican restaurants that serve everything from fast-casual bites to full sit-down meals. Whether you're in the mood for a plate of arroz con pollo, fresh-made guacamole, or a warm empanada, you're sure to find a place that hits the spot.

#### Fiesta Cancún Mexican Restaurant

260 Douglas Ave

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.2 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Fiesta Cancun Mexican Restaurant brings the vibrant flavors and festive spirit of Mexico to Altamonte Springs. This family-owned establishment offers a warm, colorful atmosphere reminiscent of a lively Mexican fiesta. The menu features a wide array of traditional dishes, including Enchiladas Suizas, Chori Pollo, and Pineapple Fajitas, all

prepared with fresh ingredients and time-honored recipes. Seafood lovers

can enjoy specialties like Camarones al Mojo de Ajo and Arroz con

Mariscos. Complement your meal with one of their handcrafted margaritas,

such as the popular Jalapeño Margarita.

#### Hours

Monday through Thursday: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

• Friday through Saturday: 11:00 AM – 10:30 PM

• Sunday: 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM

## Restaurant Website

Phone: (321) 295-7635

#### Menu

The restaurant offers a PDF menu that is mostly accessible.

# Restaurant Menu

# Lechonera Altamonte Springs

1370 E Altamonte Dr

Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Distance from Hotel: 3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Lechonera Altamonte Springs offers a taste of authentic Puerto Rican

cuisine in a casual, welcoming setting. This family-owned restaurant serves

a variety of traditional dishes, including pernil (roast pork), mofongo, and

arroz con gandules. Guests can choose from combo meals featuring

proteins like beef stew, fried chicken, or shrimp, paired with sides such as

white rice, potato salad, or fried plantains. The menu also includes

appetizers like alcapurrias and empanadas, as well as desserts like flan

and tres leches cake. They also offer breakfast.

Hours

• Monday through Sunday: 7:00 AM – 8:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (321) 422-0054

Menu

The restaurant does not have a menu that is accessible.

Santiago's Bodega

1185 Spring Center S Blvd

#1080

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 2.9 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$30-\$50

Santiago's Bodega offers a vibrant dining experience with globally inspired tapas-style dishes in a colorful neighborhood setting. This

restaurant is renowned for its diverse menu, featuring both cold and hot

tapas such as beef carpaccio, shrimp and chorizo skewers, and goat

cheese-filled dates wrapped in prosciutto. The weekend brunch, served on

Saturdays and Sundays from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM, includes an array of

offerings like prime rib, croissant French toast, and bottomless mimosas

and sangrias. They offer a full bar, and daily happy hour specials from 3:00

PM to 6:00 PM.

Hours

Monday through Friday: 11:00 AM – 10:00 PM

Saturday through Sunday: 10:00 AM – 10:00 PM

**Restaurant Website** 

Phone: (407) 960-2605

Menu

The restaurant offers a menu that is mostly accessible. Prices are not

included.

Restaurant Menu

Vida Cocina & Tequila

275 W State Road 436

Altamonte Springs, FL 32714

Distance from Hotel: 1.3 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Vida Cocina & Tequila offers a modern twist on traditional Mexican

cuisine, blending authentic flavors with creative flair. This vibrant restaurant

features a diverse menu that includes classic dishes like tacos de asada

and enchiladas verdes, as well as unique offerings such as sushi rolls with

Latin-inspired ingredients. Guests can enjoy a lively atmosphere perfect for

both romantic dinners and friendly gatherings. The bar boasts an

impressive selection of tequilas and handcrafted cocktails, including the

popular Kiwi Margarita and Tiramisu Espresso Martini.

Hours

Sunday through Thursday: 11:00 AM – 10;00 PM

• Friday through Saturday: 11:00 AM – 11:00 PM

Restaurant Website

Phone: (321) 972-4373

Menu

The restaurant offers a accessible menu. A popup may appear regarding voting for the restaurant for an award; just click the "Back to Site" button to make the alert disappear.

Restaurant Menu

**Local Favorites – a Taste of Orlando** 

Want to try something different? Looking to explore beyond the typical chain restaurants? This is the section for you. Here, you'll find some of the must-tr'y local restaurants that showcase the unique flavors and culture of the Orlando metro area. Whether you're craving bold Latin fusion, hearty Southern comfort food, or a cozy spot with unforgettable desserts,

these local gems, all within 20 miles of the convention hotel in Altamonte Springs, are sure to add a little adventure to your dining experience.

# Beefy King

424 N Bumby Ave

Orlando, FL 32803

Distance from Hotel: 13 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Phone: (407) 894-2241

## Restaurant Website

The main website also contains the restaurant menu.

Beefy King is an Orlando institution located in the Milk District known for its no-frills, old-school approach to one thing done exceptionally well: roast beef sandwiches. Family-owned and operated since 1968, this beloved sandwich shop serves its signature roast beef hot and steamed to order, tucked into soft Kaiser rolls and wrapped in foil for that classic, nostalgic fast-food feel. The menu also features other favorites like pastrami, corned beef, turkey, BBQ pork, and hot Reubens, along with crave-worthy sides such as tater tots (known as "Beefy Spuds"), crispy

onion rings, and hearty chili. Hand-spun milkshakes in flavors like orange, cherry, and chocolate round out the experience. Loved by locals and food critics alike, Beefy King has earned numerous awards and has stayed true to its roots through decades of change, even surviving arson and the pandemic thanks to a fiercely loyal fan base.

Caribbean Sunshine Bakery

2528 W Colonial Dr

Orlando, FL 32804

Distance from Hotel: 11 miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Phone: (407) 839-5060

**Restaurant Website** 

Restaurant Menu

Caribbean Sunshine Bakery is a vibrant and long-standing Jamaican eatery known for its bold flavors, generous portions, and welcoming atmosphere. Family-owned and serving the Orlando community for over 30 years, this bakery and restaurant is a favorite for authentic Caribbean comfort food. Their flaky patties—filled with saltfish, beef, or callaloo—are a

popular grab-and-go option, while heartier meals like curry goat, oxtail, jerk chicken, brown stew chicken, and snapper escovitch offer satisfying, fullplate experiences. Diners often rave about the authenticity of the food, friendly service, and the sweet finish provided by homemade desserts like carrot cake, coconut cake, and rum cake.

### DOMU

East End Market

3201 Corrine Dr

Suite 100

Orlando, FL 32803

Distance from Hotel: 9.9 Miles (driving)

Price Range \$20-\$30

Phone: (407) 960-1228

**Restaurant Website** 

# Restaurant Menu

DOMU is a vibrant, locally loved ramen bar that brings bold flavor and serious style to the Central Florida food scene. A Michelin Bib Gourmand

awardee, DOMU is known for its house-made noodles, rich and layered broths, and inventive small plates, all served in a sleek, modern space with warm lighting, wood accents, and a laid-back yet upscale vibe. Signature dishes like the Tokyo ramen, made with shoyu chicken broth, crispy chicken thigh, and a touch of duck fat, showcase the kitchen's commitment to depth and quality, while popular sides like the crispy wings are perfect for sharing. The menu also includes vegan ramen options, rotating specials, and a full bar with Japanese whiskies, sake, and standout craft cocktails.

El Cilantrillo Restaurant – Semoran

2500 S Semoran Blvd

Orlando, FL 32822

Distance from Hotel: 16 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

Phone: (407) 530-3995

Restaurant Website

Restaurant Menu (not screen reader accessible)

El Cilantrillo is a lively, family-owned Puerto Rican restaurant that's earned a devoted following for its bold flavors, generous portions, and

festive atmosphere. Nicknamed "La Casa del Afrentao," this local favorite

serves up Puerto Rican staples like mofongo, pernil, arroz con gandules,

pastelillos, and seafood-packed arroz con mariscos, all prepared with

authentic seasoning and flair. The restaurant is known for being a great

spot for groups and families, offering a full bar, happy hour specials, and

both indoor and outdoor seating. With colorful decor, upbeat music, and a

welcoming energy, El Cilantrillo is more than just a meal; it's a celebration

of Puerto Rican culture and hospitality.

Gideon's Bakehouse

East End Market

3201 Corrine Dr

Orlando, FL 32803

Distance from Hotel: 9.9 miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Restaurant Website

Restaurant Menu (it is best to preorder)

Gideon's Bakehouse at East End Market is one of Orlando's most

popular dessert spots, renowned for its massive half-pound cookies,

indulgent cakes, and gothic, storybook-style atmosphere. The demand is no joke; long lines form almost every day at the East End location, and at their Disney Springs outpost, wait times can often stretch up to three hours. To avoid the crowds and ensure you don't miss out on your favorite flavors, the best option is to place a next-day online preorder through Gideon's website. This system allows you to select and pay for your cookies ahead of time, then swing by for a quick and easy pickup; no lines, no hassle. With rotating limited-edition flavors and an obsessive local fanbase, Gideon's is a must-visit for any dessert lover, and preordering is handsdown the smartest way to experience this Orlando favorite without the wait.

#### Hollerbach's German Restaurant

205 E 1st St

Sanford, FL 32713

Distance from Hotel: 16 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

Phone: (407) 321-2204

**Restaurant Website** 

Restaurant Menu

Hollerbach's German Restaurant in historic downtown Sanford is a lively and authentic spot known for its hearty German fare, festive atmosphere, and warm hospitality. A Central Florida favorite since 2001, Hollerbach's captures the spirit of Gemütlichkeit, that cozy sense of togetherness shared over good food and drink. Guests can enjoy generous portions of classic dishes like schnitzel, bratwurst, pretzels, and spaetzle, as well as decadent desserts such as Black Forest cake and Bienenstich. It's a great place to share with friends, especially thanks to their traditional German platters that are perfect for sampling and passing around the table. The vibrant beer hall and rooftop biergarten often feature live music, themed events, and a full lineup of German beers, schnapps, and specialty cocktails, including their famous 2-liter beer boot. Whether you're coming for a festive dinner, a fun night out, or a group celebration, Hollerbach's delivers an unforgettable dining experience full of flavor, laughter, and community spirit.

Nile Ethiopian

7048 International Dr

Orlando, FL 32819

Distance from Hotel: 19 miles (driving)

Price Range: \$20-\$30

Phone: (407) 354-0026

Restaurant Website

Restaurant Menu

Nile Ethiopian Restaurant has been delighting diners since 2006 with

its authentic, house-made Ethiopian cuisine and warm, family-style

hospitality. The cozy space is adorned with woven baskets and terra-cotta-

hued walls, creating an inviting ambiance for communal dining—there's

even seating at traditional straw hut-style mesob tables. Shared platters are

the norm: vibrant vegetable and meat stews (tibs and wat), lentil dishes like

misir wat and shiro, and fresh, tangy injera made from teff flour form the

basis of a colorful, flavorful experience. Popular options like the "Taste of

the Nile" vegetarian platter are vegan-friendly, and diners may also enjoy

unique offerings such as kitfo (spiced minced beef) or sambusa pastries. A

highlight of the visit is the traditional Ethiopian coffee ceremony, beans

roasted tableside and brewed in a jebena pot, a ritual of hospitality and

connection.

Sticky Rice

1915 E Colonial Dr.

Orlando, FL 32803

Distance from Hotel: 10 Miles (driving)

Price Range: \$10-\$20

Phone: (321) 800-6532

Restaurant Website

Restaurant Menu (not screen reader accessible)

Sticky Rice Lao Street Food brings the bold, vibrant flavors of Laotian street food to the heart of Orlando in a casual, urban-style setting. With its colorful murals, bamboo decor, and communal tables, Sticky Rice offers a fun and laid-back atmosphere perfect for sharing a meal with friends. The menu is packed with flavorful dishes meant for passing around, including crispy rice lettuce wraps, pork tapioca dumplings, savory pork laab, and comforting bowls of khao piek sen noodle soup. One standout is the lemongrass beef jerky, tender, marinated strips packed with deep flavor and served with sticky rice, ideal for dipping and sharing. Sticky Rice also serves their signature purple sticky rice with coconut sauce and mango for dessert, along with unique drinks like Thai tea and Lao Beer. With many items priced under \$15 and a Michelin Guide nod for its quality and authenticity, this is a must-visit for adventurous eaters looking to enjoy

delicious food in a lively, communal setting. Also, its one of the few places where you will not look weird eating rice with your hands.

## The Ravenous Pig

565 W Fairbanks Ave

Winter Park, FL 32789

Distance from Hotel: 8.1 miles (driving)

Price Range: \$30-\$50

Phone: (407) 628-2333

Restaurant Website

# Restaurant Menu

The Ravenous Pig is a celebrated gastropub that seamlessly blends elevated Southern comfort food with modern culinary flair. Owned by James Beard-nominated chefs Julie and James Petrakis, this Michelin Bib Gourmand recipient is known for its seasonal, locally sourced menu, house-cured charcuterie, and inventive dishes like chestnut tortellini, herbcrusted prime rib, and expertly prepared seafood. The space is stylish yet relaxed, with a bustling indoor dining area, a lively bar, and an inviting outdoor beer garden that features craft brews made on-site. Guests can

pair their meals with small-batch beers or creative cocktails like the baconinfused Old Fashioned, making it a perfect spot for food lovers seeking a refined but approachable dining experience. With its strong local following and consistently high demand, reservations are highly recommended, especially for dinner and weekend brunch.

### The Stubborn Mule

100 S Eola Dr

**Unit 103** 

Orlando, FL 32801

Distance from Hotel: 10 Miles (Driving)

Price Range \$20-\$30

Phone: (407) 730-3400

Restaurant Website

Lunch / Dinner Menu (somewhat accessible PDF)

Trendy, vibrant, and full of flavor, The Stubborn Mule is a local favorite known for its creative American cuisine and fun, energetic atmosphere. The menu features inventive takes on comfort food, think candied bacon, truffle tots, and signature burgers, paired with a rotating selection of craft cocktails and, of course, their namesake mules served in classic copper mugs. With indoor and outdoor seating in the heart of Orlando's Thornton Park district, it's a great spot for brunch, dinner, or just a well-earned cocktail after a day of convention events.