

San Diego Food Finds Blog

Summer Night Out On The Town

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Choosing a restaurant with a fun and light-hearted atmosphere with exquisite food and drinks can make all the difference, and these spots are perfect for couples looking for a Summer night out on the town!

Transport your date to the Mediterranean with divine flavors at [Romesco Mexiterranean Bistro](#). Enjoy an intimate dinner of crisp salads, fresh seafood and award-winning Paella prepared with shrimp, clams, mussels, calamari, chicken, port short rib and Spanish chorizo. Looking to spice up the night? Head there on Sunday from 8:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. for live music from Gypsy Menco. You and your date will want to move your hips to the rhythms of the Spanish guitar.

[Barrel Republic](#) in Oceanside and Pacific Beach offers an out-of-the-box date night with their pour-your-own draft system. Here you and your date can try one, two or 40 different beers and learn about

their flavor palates through interactive screens above the taps. Grab bracelets and have your hands at beer-tending while starting conversation over the brews you like most. Not to mention, it's a great way to break the ice on a first date!

What could be more romantic than a candlelit French dinner? Known as the gem of Escondido, [Bellamy's](#) offers upscale dining made by French Master Chef, Patrick Ponsaty. Start off the night with a rich selection of protein from their summer menu such as the Braised Leg of Lamb Gratin made with eggplant mousska, penne pasta and basil oil. Complement these French delicacies with an endless selection of luscious French wines and travel to the City of Love. Insider tip: have your date night on Wednesday and get a bottle of wine for half-off!

Have a taste excursion through Latin America with [Sirena Cocina Latina](#) in Little Italy. You'll want to share their new ceviche flight featuring three of their most popular ceviches. Dive into their Campechana made with white fish, shrimp, octopus, squid, tomato, cucumber, red onion avocado and crackers. Next, take a bite of their ceviche inspired by Chef Jaime's upbringing in Chile with their Chileno (white fish, salmon, scallops, octopus, squid, red onion, cilantro and peppers). The third Ahi ceviche is just as delicious, mixing ingredients of red onion, cilantro, sesame, soy sauce, mayo, yuzu, cucumber and avocado.

[Woodstock's Pizza](#), with locations in College Area and Pacific Beach, offers slices of love to share! Their fun and laidback atmosphere is perfect for a casual date night or first rendezvous with a crush. Share one of their unique pizza combinations like their Pesto Primavera or BBQ Bird. Have a sweet ending to the date by splitting their famous Cinnabread, a warm dessert pie covered in cinnamon, sugar and icing. Fun fact: over 20 couples have come out of the Woodstock's locations after being co-workers or meeting there- now that's a saucy love story!

Mission Hills' [Farmer's Bottega](#) will kick your love into gear! Besides their charming shabby-chic atmosphere with reclaimed wood and dim lights, Farmer's Bottega hosts a Date Night catered for two. On Wednesday, sit on their back patio under the stairs and fall in love with their Wednesday Date Night Menu. This fixed-price dinner per couple comes with choices of starters, entrees and desserts. Indulge in dishes such as their Gorgonzola Bruschetta, Wild Boar Risotto or Molten Chocolate Cake.

After a romantic stroll on the beach, head to [Miss B's Coconut Club](#) for some fun for two! Impress your date by ordering one of their tropical cocktails meant to share. For example, their Havana Good Time with vodka, pamplemousse, house grapefruit/cucumber cordial and kombucha. Best part? You can sit on their outdoor patio and watch the sun go down while sipping in style.