



Dining

Satisfy your appetite for epicurean delights in this historic city that caters to the tastes of the most discerning of diners. From lobster boils on the beach, to white-glove dining in truly elegant surroundings, St. John's offers up the best in culinary creativity. Whether you want a simple meal or a gourmet one, a traditional Newfoundland jigs dinner or French cuisine, fish and chips or caviar; you will find the right place to dine. If you are visiting St. John's for the first time, you are in for a treat!



**“NEWFOUNDLAND NEEDS TO BE YOUR
NEXT CULINARY DESTINATION!”**

-Serious Eats

“TOP RESTAURANT IN CANADA 2014!”

(Raymonds Restaurant)

-VayCay.ca

**“ST. JOHN'S IS CANADA'S NEW
CULINARY CAPITAL 2012!”**

-Meetings and Incentive Travel Magazine

**“TOP 10 CANADIAN FOODIE
ESCAPES 2012!”**

-Sympatico Travel

Below is a list of the TOP restaurants in St. John's and surrounding areas, which includes: "Canada's Best New Restaurants 2015, 2014, 2011 and 2007", "One of the Top Chefs in Canada", "National Award for Hyper-local Food and Innovation", "Awards of Excellence" and "Four-Diamond Award Winning"! All restaurants have private rooms for booking unless otherwise noted.

Name	Category	Location	Description
Adelaide Oyster House	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 3 minute walk from Delta; 15 minutes from Sheraton	St. John's premier Oyster House has a lively atmosphere. Chef Steve Vardy also features no-pretense dishes like tacos, fried chicken and kale Caesar salad. Named to En Route Magazine's 2015 "Top 10 Best New Restaurants in Canada".
Bacalao	Upscale	Downtown - 10 minute walk from Delta (uphill)	"Nouvelle Newfoundland Cuisine". Sourcing quality local ingredients from passionate producers.
Blue on Water	Upscale	Downtown - 3 minute walk from Delta; 15 minutes from Sheraton	A contemporary, modern hotspot with a focus on fresh local seafood with a varied and extensive menu.
Chinched Bistro	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 3 minute walk from Delta; 15 minutes from Sheraton	Dishes are created with locally sourced, seasonal ingredients and regional flavours. Chef Shaun Hussey, winner of Gold Medal Plates St. John's 2012 uses traditional methods as inspiration.
evo in the Courtyard	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - located in the Murray Premises Hotel	An energetic Mediterranean restaurant featuring pastas, risottos, wood fired pizza & other classic dishes from the Adriatic Coast.
Exile Restaurant & Lounge	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - located in JAG Hotel	Thrill your senses with a dining experience at JAG's Exile Restaurant, with exquisite plates to tantalize your tastebuds and an embracingly warm atmosphere.
Granite	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - Across from the Sheraton, 15 minute walk from Delta	Enjoy spectacular views of the harbour in this upscale eatery and lounge. The a la carte menu includes gourmet pub fare, entrees and appetizers.
Gypsy Tea Room	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 3 minute walk from Delta; 15 minutes from Sheraton	Located in the historic Murray Premises, their menu includes local favourites, European cuisine and unique daily features.
The Harbour Room	Mid to Upscale	Located in the Courtyard Marriott	Classic, ocean-view dining in a casual atmosphere with a focus on fresh ingredients for a creative, affordable dining experience: American, Breakfast, Brunch, Seafood and Steak.
Magnum & Steins	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 10 minute walk from Delta or Sheraton	Creative dining with a specialty in great steaks, fresh seafood and homemade desserts.
Mallard Cottage	Mid to Upscale	Quidi Vidi Village - 5 minute drive from downtown	Mallard Cottage focuses on presenting local ingredients and a unique dining experience in one of the oldest buildings in North America.
The Merchant Tavern	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 3 minute walk from Delta; 15 minutes from Sheraton	The Merchant Tavern pays homage to hard-working people who appreciate fine fare and spirits. Using fresh ingredients from local purveyors and some inspiration, they create dishes that will make you feel sated.
Portobello's	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - Across from the Sheraton, 15 minute walk from Delta	Relaxing atmosphere; mixture of contemporary North American cuisine with frontal ocean views.
Raymonds	Fine Dining	Downtown - 8 minute walk from Sheraton; 12 minutes from Delta	Fine dining located in the east end of downtown with harbour front views. Winner of En Route Magazine's 2011 "Best New Restaurant in Canada" as well as "Best Restaurant in Canada 2014" by Vacay.ca.
The Reluctant Chef	Upscale	Downtown - 8 minute walk from Delta or Sheraton	Fresh, local ingredients come together in a multi-course meal served with your choice of fine wine chosen by our Sommelier. With no set menu, they prepare for you a diverse selection of dishes: daily inspired unique menus.
Tavola	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 10 minute walk from Delta or Sheraton	Fresh and innovative flavours from the Mediterranean.
Yellowbelly	Mid to Upscale	Downtown - 3 minute walk from Delta; 15 minutes from Sheraton	This Brewery and Public House offers specialty wood-fired items, with seating in the dining room or a cozy pub setting.