

San Diego Food Finds Blog

Create Your Own Dishes



The Haven Popeye

Do you like out of the ordinary dishes? Do you like making your own meals and adding exotic twists? We've found the best restaurants in the county that let you create your very own edible dishes!

Get a little slice of heaven or a whole pie at [The Haven](#) in Kensington. Family friendly and fun, The Haven has dishes for everyone, but the best option on the menu is building your own pizza pie! Make your own 9" or 14" pizza on white, wheat or gluten-free pizza and sauce it up with your choice of bbq, garlic, olive oil, pesto, pizza and spicy pizza. Choose from over ten different types of cheeses and top it off with fresh veggies and hearty proteins like meatballs, sausage and prosciutto.

At the [Encinitas](#) and [Pacific Beach Fish Shop](#) you can have it your way. Offering the freshest seafood in the San Diego area, the Fish Shops let you choose your fish, your marinade and your style. Get your creation served up in a taco, over a salad, in a sandwich or on a plate with your choice of two sides. Spice things with a chipotle glaze or stick to the always delicious salt and pepper. Dozens of different combinations to be made, the Fish Shop can always serve something extraordinary.

Want to switch things up at breakfast? Head to [Farmer's Bottega](#)! This farm to fork eatery lets you mix and match pancakes and French toast! Treat yourself to sweet Reese's & ice Cream Pancakes, Lemon Poppyseed Pancakes or Bonfire Pancakes. If you prefer French toast, order the French Toast sampler and choose from Tiramisu French Toast, Banana Foster French Toast and Brioche French Toast among many others. Start your day off right at Farmer's Bottega.

Spice up your meal with some flavors from South of the border! [Del Sur Mexican Cantina](#) in South Park encourages you to create your own combination plate. Pick any two items from the list including Tacos, Enchiladas, Tostadas and Tamales. Then choose your meat, protein or vegan-friendly filling to finish things off. Served with a side of rice and beans, this dish will fill you up – just the way you like!

Take the bully by the horns and build your own meat platter [Brazen BBQ](#). Choose from a platter with two meats and two sides, three meats and three sides and the Family Platter. Meat choices include pulled pork, tri-tip, brisket, baby back ribs, ¼ dark chicken, hot links and wings. Choose from mac & cheese, collard greens and corn on the cob among other delicious sides. All platters come with your choice of corn bread and Texas toast.