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Look for a love of fabulous food in all the right places this Valentines Day. As V-Day approaches and romantic plans begin to solidify, those celebrating will undoubtedly be in search of dim-lit ambiances for their dining experience.



Luckily, Tucson eateries are stepping up their Valentine's Day creds with sweet deals for you and yours.

Boca AZ - 828 E. Speedway Blvd., 520.777.8134. In addition to their regular menu, Boca will be serving dinner for two plus a bottle of wine for \$30 (not including tax or gratuity). Dinner includes six tacos, rice and beans. Hours are 11:30am-12am.

Chad's Steakhouse & Saloon - 3001 N. Swan 520.881.1802, www.chadssteakhouse.com. In addition to the regular menu, Chad's will offer a 10 oz. NY Strip Steak with three jumbo fried shrimp for \$19.95 (not including tax or gratuity). Hours are 11am-9pm. Reservations are recommended.

Cup Café/Hotel Congress - 311 E. Congress, 520.622.8848, <a href="www.hotelcongress.com/cup">www.hotelcongress.com/cup</a>. The Cup Café is serving a five course prix fixe meal with choices for \$35/person (not including tax and gratuity). Hours are 5pm-close. Reservations are recommended.

DOWNTOWN Kitchen + Cocktails - 135 South 6th Avenue, 520.623.7700, <a href="https://www.downtownkitchen.com">www.downtownkitchen.com</a> They will be serving a four course tasting menu for \$45/person, wine pairings also available (tax and gratuity not included). Hours are 5pm-9:30pm.

Eclectic Pizza - 7065 E. Tanque Verde Rd. 520.886.0484, <a href="www.eclecticpizza.com">www.eclecticpizza.com</a>. In addition to the regular menu, Eclectic Pizza will serve a three course meal including two glasses of wine and coffee for \$35 per couple (not including tax or gratuity). They will also be hosting a local artist who will be selling mosaic hearts and other sweet gifts. Hours are 11am-9pm.

Elle Wine Bistro - 2970 N. Campbell Avenue. 520.327.0500, <a href="www.ellerestaurant.com">www.ellerestaurant.com</a>. Elle will offer Valentine's Day specials from Feb. 11th – Feb. 14th. On February 13th, in addition to the regular menu, Elle will host their fifth annual "All Red" wine dinner. A wine paired dinner for \$55/person (including tax and gratuity) starting at 6pm. Hours are Mon. – Sat.11:30 AM to 9 PM and Sunday 4 to 9 PM.

Feast - 3719 E. Speedway Blvd. 520.326.9363, <a href="www.eatatfeast.com">www.eatatfeast.com</a>. Feast, normally closed on Monday, will be opening especially for Valentine's Day, serving a four course prix fixe menu with choices for \$65/person or \$95/person with wine pairings (not including tax and gratuity). Hours are 5pm-9pm. Reservations are recommended.

Janos Restaurant - 3770 E Sunrise Dr. 520.615.6100, <u>www.janos.com</u>. Janos will offer a four course tasting menu for \$65/person; wine pairings are also available (not including tax and gratuity). Hours are 5pm-close. Reservations are recommended.

*J BAR* - 3770 E Sunrise Dr. 520.615.6100, <u>www.janos.com</u>. J BAR will be serving a three course tasting menu for \$45/person, wine pairings also available (not including tax and gratuity). Hours are 5pm-10pm. Reservations are recommended.

Jonathan's Cork - 6320 E. Tanque Verde Rd. 520.296.1631, <a href="www.jonathanscork.com">www.jonathanscork.com</a>. Serving their regular dinner menu along with Valentine's Day specials. Entrée specials range from \$20 - \$30. Hours are 5pm-close. Call for reservations.

Le Rendezvous - 3844 E. Fort Lowell Rd. 520.323.7373, <a href="www.lerendez-vous.com">www.lerendez-vous.com</a>. Le Rendezvous will be offering a four course menu with choices, including house made Sangria for \$65/person (not including tax or gratuity). Hours are 5pm-10pm.

Lodge on the Desert - 306 N. Alvernon Way. 520.325.3366, <a href="www.lodgeonthedesert.com">www.lodgeonthedesert.com</a>. Lodge on the Desert will be offering a special three course, prix fixe menu with choices over Valentine's Day weekend, February 11th-14th. Prices range from \$42-\$60 (tax and gratuity not included). Price includes a champagne toast, amuse and rose. Hours are 5pm-10pm.

Maynards Market & Kitchen - 400 N. Toole Ave. 520.545.0577, <a href="www.maynardsmarket.com">www.maynardsmarket.com</a>. Chef Addam from Maynards Market & Kitchen is serving a four-course prix fixe menu featuring lots of delicious aphrodisiac food items. Cost is \$45 per person or \$160 for double dates (not including tax or gratuity), a \$20/person wine pairing is also available. Reservations are recommended.

Pastiche Modern Eatery - 3025 N. Campbell Ave. 520.325.3333, <a href="www.pasticheme.com">www.pasticheme.com</a>. In addition to the regular menu Pastiche will offer a special three course meal the week leading up to Valentine's Day. Starting on Feb. 10th thru Feb 15th enjoy a three course meal with choices for \$30/person or \$60/couple (not including tax or gratuity). Pastiche will be open on St. Valentine's Day from 11:30am until 10pm, serving a special limited menu in addition to the three course menu offered. Hours are Tuesday-Friday11:30am until Midnight, Saturday and Sunday 4:30pm until Midnight, closed on Mondays.

## V-Day Dining Deals in Old Pueblo

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Tavolino - 2890 East Skyline Drive. 520.531.1913, <u>www.tavolinoristorante.com</u>. Tavolino will be open from 5-10pm on Sunday the 13th in honor of Valentine's Day. They will be offering several specials including champagne specials in addition to their regular menu on both the 13th and 14th.