



DISHING UP THE TOP 100 RESTAURANTS FOR 2021, ACCORDING TO HUNGRY AUSTRALIANS

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TheFork, Australia's leading restaurant booking platform, has released its annual wrap-up of the most sought after restaurants for 2021, according to Aussie diners.

TheFork's Dished Up Top 100 showcases the top dining picks of thousands of Australian diners who have booked through TheFork this year, taking into account high booking numbers, diner ratings and positive user reviews.

After what has been another difficult year for the hospitality industry, the 2021 Dished Up Top 100 list aims to shine a light on Australia's vibrant dining industry, and encourage Australians to continue to get out and support restaurants as we come into the busy Christmas season.

TheFork Country Manager, Gary Burrows says "Congratulations to all the restaurants on this list. It is so impressive to see that not only have they weathered the storm of repeated lockdowns, but that through it all they've continued to delight customers. This is a testament to their sheer dedication and agility as they've kept diners safe while giving them a wonderful dining experience."

The top ten restaurants in Australia, as decided by diners, are:

1. Tulum Restaurant, Balaclava, (VIC)
2. Contact Bar & Kitchen, Woolloomooloo (NSW)
3. Vizio Caffè e Cucina, Woolloomooloo (NSW)
4. Bouzy Rouge, Richmond (VIC)
5. Sono Japanese Portside, Hamilton (QLD)
6. Balcon By Tapavino, Sydney (NSW)
7. Mister Walker, South Perth (WA)
8. Lezzet, Elwood (VIC)
9. Tsindos Greek Restaurant, Melbourne (VIC)
10. Wild Sage Barangaroo, Barangaroo (NSW)

Owner and executive chef from Tulum Restaurant, Coskun Uysal, says the ranking means a lot to the restaurant and all of its staff.

"Having Tulum recognised as the Fork's #1 restaurant for 2021 is surprising, but such a testament to the hard work of our Tulum family, who continues to push the envelope and constantly evolve and adapt during turbulent times. We'd like to thank our loyal diners for continuing to support us on our journey, we wouldn't be here without them," he says.



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As well as the overall ranking of Australia's top 100, the list also breaks down the top restaurants by:

- State
- Most searched cuisine breakdown (Italian, Indian, Asian, Fine Dining)
- Cheap Eats
- Ones to watch (best performing new restaurants)
- Hall of Fame

“After the two toughest years ever for the hospitality industry, this is a welcome boost, showing them just how much Australians have missed them and love them.”

[See the full Top 100 list of 2021.](#)

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For any more information or to arrange interviews with TheFork or one of the top 100 restaurants please contact Diah Lateri on 0434 574 345.

About TheFork

TheFork, a Tripadvisor® company, is the leading online restaurant booking platform in Europe & Australia. Thanks to its network of nearly 60 000 partner restaurants in 12 countries, TheFork is bringing happiness through amazing dining experiences to millions of diners. With more than 30 million downloads of its app, 20 million reviews posted by our active community and more than 20 million monthly visits, TheFork has become the essential platform for foodies to find and book a table!

Through TheFork (website and app), as well as through Tripadvisor, users can easily select a restaurant according to their preferences, consult user reviews, check real-time availability and instantly book online 24/7. From the restaurant side, TheFork provides them with a software solution, TheFork Manager, to optimise reservation management, streamline operations and ultimately improve service and boost revenue.

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