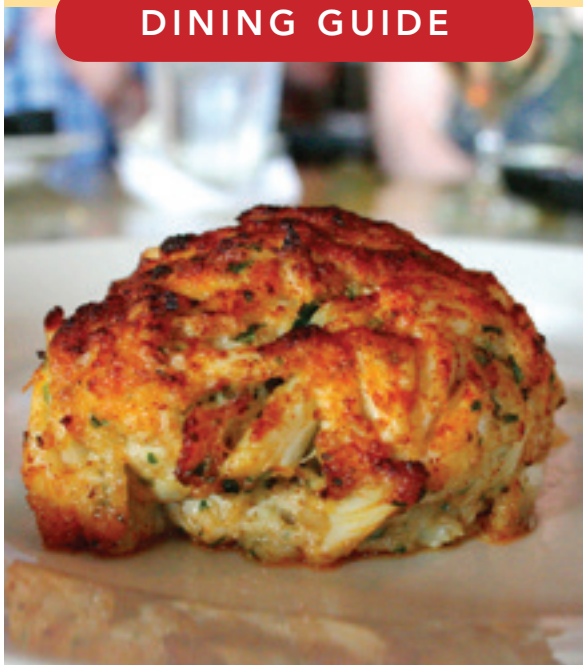


DORCHESTER COUNTY & CAMBRIDGE

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DINING GUIDE



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DORCHESTER

water moves us

Dorchester County, Maryland

VisitDorchester.org

410.228.1000

Nearly every restaurant in Dorchester County serves local Eastern Shore crabmeat and oysters.

Enjoy truly fresh and local seafood from our waterways and produce from our farms. Here you'll find destination restaurants on the water, hidden gems, and places to savor and enjoy our homegrown flavors. But we offer more than good eating. River cruises, cycling and paddling adventures, fishing, and history quests all make a visit here special. **Find out more at VisitDorchester.org.**

DOWNTOWN CAMBRIDGE

A Few of My Favorite Things Wine Bar

414 Race St., 410.221.1960

Small wine bar inside a gourmet food shop. Serving cheese, charcuterie, more.

Bistro Poplar

535 Poplar St., 410.228.4884
bistropoplar.com

Menu changes seasonally. Emphasis on local ingredients; everything is made from scratch. Famed for French onion soup. Save room for desserts made fresh in house. Voted Best French restaurant and Best Tapas by *What's Up*. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 40 seats



Canvasback Restaurant

420 Race St., 410.221.7888

Menu encompasses regional, French, Italian, and Irish dishes. Known for cream of crab soup, crab cakes, and steaks. Don't miss the crab imperial. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 200 seats



Carmela's Cucina

400 Academy St.,
410.221.8082

Casual restaurant featuring hand-tossed, thin-crust, Sicilian-style pizza and Italian dishes.



Craniums at the Beach

420 Race St., 443.225.5717

Seafood, infused cocktails, Maryland brews. Don't miss the award-winning crab nachos.



Creek Deli

106 Market Square,
410.228.1161

Breakfast and lunch. Fresh-baked muffins, sandwiches, soups, homemade desserts.



KEY



local crabmeat



steamed crabs



local oysters



outside seating



water views



kid-friendly



award winner
in past 2 years

Don Chuy Mexican Taqueria

411 Academy St.,
410.228.2969

Specializing in Mexican tacos, burritos, tortas, and more made with fresh ingredients and traditional recipes.



Black Water

429 Race St., 443.225.5948

Locally roasted coffee, donuts, baked goods (be sure to try the homemade Pop-Tarts). Light fare including soups, salads, sandwiches, and smoothies.



Gina's Sweet Treat Ice Cream Shoppe

531 Poplar St.

Serving Hershey's ice cream, floats, and classic treats. Open seasonally.



High Spot Gastropub

305 High St., 410.228.7420
thehighspotgastropub.com

Fun and friendly atmosphere in a historic building. Large selection of craft beer. Classic pub fare with a twist. The buffalo oysters are a hit.

Voted Best Happy Hour and Best Craft Brew Selection by *What's Up*. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 85 seats



Jimmie & Sook's Raw Bar and Grill

527 Poplar St., 410.228.0008
jimmieandsooks.com

Locals' favorite. Everything from mussels to meatloaf. Owner comes from a long line of Dorchester watermen. Multi-year Taste of

Cambridge winner for cream of crab soup. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 150 seats



Katie Mae's Country Shoppe

516 Poplar St., 443.477.6413

Homestyle breakfast, lunch, dinner in a shop featuring Amish baked goods, furniture, and home decor.



Overflow Cafe

400 Muir St., 443.477.6291
overflowcafesite.com

Specialty coffees, pastries, sandwiches, soups, more. Plus community events.



Portside Restaurant

201 Trenton St.,
410.228.9007, portside
seafoodrestaurant.com

On Cambridge Creek with a great view of the draw-bridge. Come by land or by water. Casual dining, friendly atmosphere. Look for crab dip, crab cakes, crab balls. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 100 seats



RAR Brewing

504 Poplar St., 410.225.5664
rarbrewing.com

Family-friendly brewpub with live music on weekends. Voted best microbrewery and best craft beer by *What's Up*. Ask about brewery tours.



Snapper's Waterfront Cafe

112 Commerce St.,
410.228.0112

snapperswaterfrontcafe.com

Located on Cambridge Creek. Come by land or by water. Wide range of American, Southwestern, and island cuisine. Outdoor Tiki Bar. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 100 seats



Stoked

413 Muir St., 443.477.6040
StokedWoodFiredEatery.com

Wood-fired artisan pizza, pasta, sandwiches, cheese and oyster selections. Voted best wings by *What's Up*. Extensive wine list, craft beers, specialty cocktails.



AROUND CAMBRIDGE

Bay Country Bakery

2951 Ocean Gateway
(Route 50), 410.228.9111
baycountrybakery.com

Coffee, bakery items, soups, sandwiches, salads. Plus specialty cakes. Closed Sundays.



Blue Point Provision Co. at the Hyatt

100 Heron Blvd. (at the Hyatt Regency Chesapeake Bay),
410.901.6410
chesapeakebay.hyatt.com

On the Choptank River with great sunset views overlooking the marina. Featuring Chesapeake seafood favorites with a modern twist. Open for dinner only. Thursday evening deck parties in the summer.

Group capacity: 50 seats



Cambridge Diner

2924 Old Route 50,
410.228.8898

Classic, no-nonsense diner. Serving breakfast, lunch, dinner. Extensive menu.



Hot Spot Cool Eats

3028 Ocean Gateway
(Route 50), 443.225.5225

Gourmet hot dogs, soft-serve ice cream, specialty sodas, boardwalk-style fries, milkshakes. Don't miss the Crabby Frank. Outside is pet-friendly.



Kay's at the Airport

5263 Bucktown Rd.,
410.901.8844

Watch small planes on the runway while you eat. Downhome cooking and homemade desserts. Don't miss the crab dip. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 70 seats



Ocean Odyssey Seafood Restaurant

316 Sunburst Highway
(Route 50), 410.228.8633
toddseafood.com

Family-owned seafood restaurant with an emphasis on locally sourced food. Try the colossal Bay on a Bun. Ever-changing list of craft brews. Crab and Beer Garden outside. Open April–November. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 60 seats



Peking House

2717 Ocean Gateway
(Route 50), 410.228.9242
Chinese food and sushi bar.
Eat in or take out. Try the
General Tso's chicken platter
or the spider sushi roll with
soft shell crab.

Group capacity: 146 seats



Pizza Ziya

308 Sunburst Hwy.
(Route 50), 410.221.8585,
pizzaziya.net
Authentic Italian food such
as pizza, subs, salads, gyros,
calzones and pasta. Eat in or
local delivery.



Plaza Tapatia

315 Sunburst Hwy.
(Route 50), 410.228.7808
Mexican restaurant with
extensive menu. Full bar.



River Marsh Gastropub

100 Heron Blvd. (at the Hyatt
Regency Chesapeake Bay),
410.228.0870,
chesapeakebay.hyatt.com
Local brews, classy comfort
food (think Chesapeake crab
hush puppies, lamb burger,
pork belly tacos, etc.).



River View at the Point

1A Sunburst Hwy. (Route 50),
410.228.0870
Casual, family-style restau-
rant. Specialties include
seafood, fried chicken,
homemade desserts.

Group capacity: 100 seats



Verona Pizza Family Restaurant

2831 Ocean Gateway
(Route 50), 410.228.2399,
veronapizza.biz
Casual fare including pizza,
pasta, wings, subs, seafood,
and salads. Open daily for
breakfast, lunch, and dinner.
Eat in, carry out, or call for
delivery.



Water's Edge Grill at the Hyatt

100 Heron Blvd. (at the Hyatt
Regency Chesapeake Bay),
410.901.6400,
chesapeakebay.hyatt.com
Sophisticated atmosphere
and fine dining with creative
takes on Eastern Shore
cooking. Open for breakfast,
lunch, dinner.

Group capacity: 40 seats



AROUND THE COUNTY

Island Grille

514 Taylors Island Road,
Taylors Island, 410.228.9094
Casual waterfront dining at
Chapel Cove Marina. Come
by land or water. In summer,
look for crab salad, crab
cakes, cream of crab soup.
Plus hand-cut steaks, board-
walk fries. Closed Sunday.
Off-site catering available.
Group capacity: 80 seats



Layton's Chance Vineyard & Winery

4225 New Bridge Rd., Vienna
410.228.1205
laytonschance.com
Taste the wines, tour the
farm and vineyard, relax in
the picnic areas at this family-

friendly winery. Tasting room open daily. Order a cheese plate and sausage or bring your own picnic.

Group capacity: 75 seats inside; many more outside



Millie's Road House Bar & Grill

200 Middle St., Vienna, 410.376.3130

Known for crab cakes, crab balls, hot roast beef, burgers. Open for breakfast, lunch, dinner. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 100+ seats



Old Salty's

2560 Hoopers Island Road, Fishing Creek, 410.397.3752
oldsaltys.com

Scenic, 23-mile drive from Cambridge. Known for jumbo lump crab cakes, homemade desserts and rolls, prime cuts of beef. Don't miss the crab imperial. Steamed crabs on request. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 300 seats



Palm Beach Willie's

638 Taylors Island Road, Taylors Island, 410.221.5111
palmbeachwillies.com

Offering floating waterfront dining and dockage for boaters at Slaughter Creek Marina. Crab cakes, seafood, pizza, sandwiches. Come by land or by water.



Suicide Bridge Restaurant

6304 Suicide Bridge Road, Hurlock, 410.943.4689
suicidebridge.com

A popular destination

restaurant on Cabin Creek; come by land or by water. Don't miss the jumbo lump crab cake. Seafood buffet on Friday evenings. Also offering river boat cruises. Off-site catering available.

Group capacity: 300 seats



University Restaurant

1042 Hudson Road, Neck District, 410.228.3924

Tucked away in the restored Lewis General Store, which dates back to 1875. Sophisticated cuisine in a small but friendly, down-home setting. About 10 miles from Cambridge.



CARRYOUT CRABS



Dorchester Crab Co.,
2076 Wingate-Bishops Head Road, Wingate, 410.397.8103

J. M. Clayton Company,
108 Commerce St.,
Cambridge, 410.228.1661

Kool Ice & Seafood,
110 Washington St.,
Cambridge, 410.228.2300

Lindy's Seafood,
1548 Taylors Island Road,
Woolford, 410.228.5032

Ocean Odyssey,
316 Sunburst Highway,
Cambridge, 410.228.8633

Paul's Pride,
3728 Golden Hill Road,
Church Creek, 410.228.3786

Rippons Bros.,
1747 Hoopersville Rd.,
Hoopersville, 410.397.3200

Soft & Salty Seafood,
5456 Ragged Point Road,
Cambridge, 410.476.3069

Tar Bay Seafood,
2501 Old House Point Road,
Fishing Creek, 410.397.3490