

Best Hungarian Restaurants

HALÁSZBÁSTYA RESTAURANT



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Opening Hours: daily 12:00 – 23:00

Concept / Dress code: Smart-Casual

Cuisine: Updated Hungarian & International

Distance from the hotel: 5-10 minutes car drive

THE CONCIERGE RECOMMENDS:

Best International Restaurants

ARANYKAVIÁR BISTRO



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Cuisine: International fine dining

Specialty: Caviar / Traditional Russian dishes

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Opening Hours: Wednesday to Sunday 18:30 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Elegant

Cuisine: French

Distance from the hotel: 5 minutes car drive

CONCIERGE RECOMMENDATIONS

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BARAKA RESTAURANT



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Opening Hours: Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 23:00

Concept/ Dress Code: Smart-Casual

Cuisine: International, Modern

Distance from the Hotel: 4 minutes walking

CONCIERGE RECOMMENDATIONS

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BABEL RESTAURANT



Babel Budapest is a Hungarian regional fine dining restaurant, which is quite convenient to become your favorite spot and special enough to become a noted station. It provides an unprecedented fine dining experience in Budapest. It focuses on regional cuisine with inspirations of local traditions, but it fits in today's international expectations. 75% of the raw material comes from Hungary, just like the equipment and accessories of the restaurant.



Opening Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 18:00 – 24:00

Concept/ Dress Code: Smart-Casual/Elegant

Cuisine: International, Modern

Distance from the Hotel: 10 minutes walking

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ASZÚ RESTAURANT



ASZÚ Restaurant is a new dining hotspot near to St. Stephens's Basilica. The restaurant's wine list is stunning selected and presented by Tamás Kovacsik Wine cavalier of Tokaj and restaurant owner. The cellar is dedicated to Tokaj, hometown of TOKAJI ASZÚ (typical noble sweet wine) with a great ion of wines from historical Tokaj-Hegyalja (part of World Heritage as „Hungaricum”). The menu offers an extended variety of Hungarian dishes and welcomes its guests with elegance and a timeless atmosphere with its inviting golden walls and wonderful artistic wood carvings. Aszú offers an outstanding dining experience in Budapest and has fast became one of the capital's hottest restaurant since its opening.

Opening Hours: daily 12:00 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Smart Casual

Cuisine: Updated Hungarian

Distance from the hotel: 4 minutes walking

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RÉZKAKAS BISTRO



In its near 50-year history, the Rézkakas has become one of the most distinctive restaurants in the Hungarian capital. The menu is characterized by traditional Hungarian cuisine, prepared from excellent, traditional ingredients to reflect both authentic Hungarian tastes, and modern gastronomic requirements. From April 2012 the renewed Rézkakas bistro is glad to welcome its guests in the heart of the downtown, only a few steps from the St. Stephen's Basilica.

The restaurant has a nice comfortable terrace as well. The attentive staff makes every effort to give patrons to a perfect dining experience. A virtuoso gypsy band takes care about an enjoyable atmosphere every evening.

Opening Hours: daily 12:00-24:00

Concept / Dress code: Smart-Casual

Cuisine: Traditional Hungarian

Distance from the hotel: 4 minutes walking

CAFÉ KÖR



CAFE KÖR It is the high quality food at reasonable prices and friendly service that makes every visitor feel like a welcome guest. Chef Ádám Répás offers one of the most imaginative menus based on traditional Hungarian cuisine, but prepared following a lighter western taste. It is not by chance that half of its clientele consists of expatriates working in Budapest.

The chef chooses the freshest ingredients of the market to offer an additional list of daily specials.



Opening Hours: From Monday-Saturday 10:00-22:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Traditional Hungarian & Mediterranean

Distance from the hotel: 6 minutes walking

RÉTESHÁZ RESTAURANT



The First Strudel House of Pest started its operation in 2007, uniquely in Hungary, in the heart of Budapest, in a historical building built in 1812, with the mission to preserve, hand down and popularize this real Hungarian tradition; the experience gained in preparing and consuming strudels in order to provide guests with gastronomic adventures that carry weight, history and values.



Opening Hours: daily 09:00-23:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Traditional Hungarian & Excellent strudel specialties

Distance from the hotel: 7 minutes walking

EVIDENS BISTRO



In the centre of Budapest, in Sas street restaurant Evidens awaits its guests with its international and Hungarian cuisine. A restaurant in the heart of the city center where wonderful catering according to the old school can be presented. Where they cook in front of the guests. Where regulars need only to think of what he would like to eat and the chef already cooks it in the open kitchen. Where foreign guest see why the Hungarian catering and cuisine is the best. Where the elegance of the inner city is accompanied by affordable Hungarian reality.



Opening Hours: daily 11:00-24:00

Concept/ Dress Code: Casual

Cuisine: Traditional Hungarian

Distance from the Hotel: 4 minutes walking

TIGRIS RESTAURANT



Restaurant is located in the centre of Budapest. The style of the meticulously refurbished restaurant is in harmony with the architectural masterpiece, which revives the golden era of Budapest. The furniture, the accessories together with the classic white Zsolnay table set all represent long-lasting values. The cuisine is mainly of Hungarian character. The traditional tastes are created using state-of-the-art kitchen technology, while the presentation of dishes is unique. The wealth of Hungarian flavors and the variety of ingredients are both represented in the Menu, through sumptuous dishes like 'Crawfish in Spicy Garlic White Wine Sauce' or 'Rabbit "Vadas" Style Served with Dumplings'.

Opening Hours: From Monday-Saturday 12:00-24:00

Concept / Dress code: Smart-Casual

Cuisine: Mainly Hungarian with excellent Wine selection

Distance from the hotel: 5 minutes walking

PEST BUDA RESTAURANT



PEST BUDA BISTRO (located in the castle area) Grandma's home style Hungarian kitchen, using the best ingredients, with love and care. They only carry Hungarian wines with a true character and like to select those special volumes that are reserved for the true wine lovers. Pest-Buda is one of the oldest restaurants of Hungary. The building was originally built as an inn and has been used as such until 1800. It has an original baroque roof structure and the ground floor has been a tavern or restaurant for several centuries.

Opening Hours: daily 11:00-24:00

Concept/ Dress Code: Casual

Cuisine: Traditional Hungarian

Distance from the Hotel: 4 minutes walking

21 RESTAURANT



21 HUNGARIAN KITCHEN (located in the castle area) They have strived to create a “traditional” Hungarian restaurant that we have been missing since the World War, but in an original new way passing over the typical Hungarian restaurant clichés in the cuisine and in the design. This is a Hungarian restaurant as the Hungarians like it, and we hope this will make it even more appealing for you, dear visitor! With love! Please enjoy yourselves and feel free to relax, eat a little more, talk a little louder and try a few more wines than usually...



Opening Hours: daily 12:00 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Smart-Casual

Cuisine: Hungarian

Distance from the hotel: 10 minutes car drive

BALTAZAR RESTAURANT



BALTAZÁR HUNGARIAN GRILL (located in the castle area)
Baltazár is a gastronomic adventure based on sharing and tasting, high quality ingredients, simplicity and the world's best hand made charcoal grill, the Jospser of Catalunya, Spain. Romantic cobble stoned terrace, playful atmosphere and unique design. Honest and authentic ingredients prepared to perfection in the handmade Jospser Charcoal grill by one of the country's most decisive chefs, Mr Zsolt Litauszki and his team. Gourmet street food, foer for sharing, serious meats, vegetarian options. Simple, yet creative dishes.

Opening Hours: daily 07:30 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Hungarian grill

Distance from the hotel: 10 minutes car drive

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ONYX RESTAURANT



ONYX is one of Budapest's most exceptional restaurants, offering a unique experience coupled with an extraordinary interior design. Tradition-based gourmet cuisine is prepared from the best, select fresh ingredients. It is for those gourmards who not only enjoy distinctive foods, but who seek time-honored flavors as well. The selection of beverages and wines is incomparable. The wine list is comprised of the finest Hungarian wines – as recommended by the vintners themselves – and the classic wines of Europe. Michelin Star awarded restaurant.

Opening Hours: Tuesday - Friday 12:00 – 14:00 Tuesday - Saturday 18:30 – 23:00

Concept / Dress code: Elegant

Cuisine: Rendez-vous with Hungarian tradition and evolution

Distance from the hotel: 1 minute walking

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CYRANO RESTAURANT



Budapest's first trendy downtown restaurant, continues on the cutting edge due to the vision of owner, Zoltán Fehér. Since its 1993 premier, it has undergone numerous metamorphoses, and its cool, sophisticated setting now seems more intimate, with the upstairs Cosmo Room available only for private parties. In season, its outdoor seating in the heart of the downtown pedestrian zone is always in demand for discerning guests to see and be seen.

The cuisine has also kept pace with contemporary gastronomy, both in ingredients and artful presentation. Chef Csaba Kirják is equally adept at international classics and innovative dishes reflecting the availability of market-fresh ingredients.

Opening Hours: daily 08:00 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Mediterranean & International

Distance from the hotel: 4 minutes walking

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Cuisine: French

Distance from the hotel: 5 minutes car drive

SPOON RESTAURANT



In the heart of Budapest, at the foot of the Chain Bridge, sits one of the most interesting modern establishments of the city. Spoon Cafe & Lounge is a 75 meter long three-deck docked boat with a unique interior design. Foreigners as well as local residents have made Spoon a favorite place for quality food and entertainment in Budapest. Two restaurants, a huge panoramic open terrace, a convertible winter garden, five bars and an underwater Oriental bar, guarantee comfort and relaxation, which is unique in Budapest.



Opening Hours: daily 12:00-24:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: International

Distance from the hotel: 10 minutes walking

CAFÉ PIERROT



This restaurant (located at the Castle district) has been an institution for more than 25 years. Owner Ilona Zsidai has renovated the medieval site with elegance and refinement, which serves as a stylish setting for the wonderful food. In addition, its unparalleled quality of service has made it a favorite of savvy guests who return frequently. You may even spot a few celebrities among the sophisticated crowd.

Opening Hours: daily 12:00-24:00

Concept/ Dress Code: Casual

Cuisine: style of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy updated to the 21st century

Distance from the Hotel: 5-10 minutes car drive

PRIME STEAKHOUSE



The word prime - which we define as perfection - serves to demonstrate the philosophy guiding our restaurant; that is, to offer perfection in all areas of catering. Steak and Wine is one of Budapest's best and most enjoyable restaurants with its high standards, up-to-date kitchen technology, unmatched wine selection and attentive service. Prime Steak & Wine accommodates its guests with business lunches, a wide selection of a-la-carte dinner entries, approximately 200 different wines, expansive selection of cocktails, along with matching service.



Opening Hours: Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 24:00
Sunday 12:00 – 18:00

Concept / Dress code: Smart-Casual

Cuisine: large variety of steaks

Distance from the hotel: 8 minutes walking

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Cuisine: International, Modern

Distance from the Hotel: 4 minutes walking

Top 3 Italian Restaurants



1. TOM & GEORGE

Originally Tom George, received the name Italiano after its image switch in 2009, whereas, the place using the recipes of the Italian culture in gourmet style and interior design, changed for good.

The restaurant located very downtown, in the heart of Budapest, has been welcoming guests for years now. The atmosphere of the Basilica, the precise and clean surroundings of the area, the stylistic design elements all together extend the panorama and the beauty of the place!



One is free to choose from a hundred food that are made from only quality fresh and varied stock under professional chefs` supervision! Over the past few years, a lot of celebrities have stopped by within the walls expressing their appreciation of the place.

Opening Hours: daily 12:00 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Italian

Distance from the hotel: 5 minutes walking

Top 3 Italian Restaurants



2. DA MARIO

Just few minutes walk from the downtown in a little street near the Parliament where this cosy Italian restaurant can be found with understatement elegance. A small island of cuisine-art where you can order from delicate selection of Italian courses and traditional pizzas and pastas as well. Very nice wine list with Hungarian and Italian quality wines.



Opening Hours: daily 8:00 – 23:30

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Italian

Distance from the hotel: 5 minutes walking

Top 3 Italian Restaurants



3. TRATTORIA TOSCANA

It is said, mostly by the Italians themselves, that there is no 'Italian' cuisine, only Tuscan, Sicilian, or Neopolitan cuisines. „*The Italian cuisine is very broad and diverse which is why, we decided to develop our own profile by opening up Budapest's first Trattoria. In Trattoria Toscana we want to introduce you to our carefully selected and expansive food and wine selections for you to enjoy over many visits to our fine establishment.*”



The original Tuscan cuisine is focused on simplicity, an it is known for the wide range of fresh quality vegetables, but another very important ingredient is the beef.

Opening Hours: daily 12:00 – 24:00

Concept / Dress code: Casual

Cuisine: Italian

Distance from the hotel: 5 minutes car drive