

OpenTable Reveals 100 Most Scenic Restaurants in America for 2017

Restaurants in California and North Carolina Receive Most Honors; Winners Span 34 States

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 1, 2017 /PRNewswire/ -- Those in search of awe-inspiring views during their travels this summer need not limit themselves to trails, lookout points, or observation decks, as <u>OpenTable</u>, the world's leading provider of online restaurant reservations and part of The Priceline Group (NASDAQ: PCLN), today unveiled the <u>100 Most Scenic</u> <u>Restaurants in America for 2017</u>. These awards reflect the combined opinions of more than 10 million restaurant reviews submitted by verified OpenTable diners for more than 25,000 restaurants in all 50 states and the District of Columbia.



Celebrated for their stunning vistas, both rural and urban, and sublime settings, forty restaurants return to the list from 2016, while the remaining 60 make their 2017 debut, among them <u>Joseph's by the Sea</u> in Old Orchard Beach, Maine, and <u>The Restaurant at Gideon Ridge</u> in Blowing Rock, North Carolina.

While California once again reigns supreme with the most winning restaurants (13), and North Carolina in second place with six, accolades were more evenly distributed this year among the remaining featured states. Florida, Nevada, Ohio, Virginia, and Wisconsin each receive five honorees apiece, while Colorado, New Jersey, and Texas each have four. Spanning east to west, from New York to Alaska, and north to south, from Vermont to Georgia, 24 additional states are also represented.

"A meal becomes a moment when it transcends the ordinary and becomes a true feast for all senses," said Caroline Potter, OpenTable Chief Dining Officer. "This year's winning restaurants deliver on taste and sight in spades, offering delectable menus and breathtaking surroundings for the ultimate dining experience. They are also a great way for both locals and travelers to immerse themselves in a destination and relish in some of the best views the area has to offer."

Those in search of American fare with a side of splendor can pick from more than 40 restaurants on the list, while seafood and steak lovers will delight in more than a dozen options, each, across several states. The complete list represents a diverse mix of menus for all palates, including Asian, French, Italian, Latin American, among other top cuisines.

The 100 Most Scenic Restaurants in America list is generated from more than 10 million restaurant reviews submitted by verified OpenTable diners between July 1, 2016, and May 31, 2017. All restaurants with a minimum "overall" score and number of qualifying reviews were included for consideration. Qualifying restaurants were then scored and sorted according to the percentage of qualifying reviews for which "scenic views" was selected as a special feature.

Based on this methodology, the following restaurants, listed in alphabetical order, comprise the 100 Most Scenic Restaurants in America according to OpenTable diners. The complete list may also be viewed at https://www.opentable.com/m/most-scenic-restaurants-2017/.

2017 100 Most Scenic Restaurants in America

<u>15 Point Road</u> - Portsmouth, Rhode Island <u>360 Steakhouse - Harrah's Council Bluffs</u> - Council Bluffs, Iowa <u>Alpenglow Stube</u> - Keystone, Colorado <u>Al's Upstairs</u> - West Columbia, South Carolina <u>Altius</u> - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania <u>Baxter's Lakeside Grille</u> - Lake Ozark, Missouri <u>Bay Harbor</u> - Sandusky, Ohio <u>Beachcomber Cafe - Crystal Cove</u>, Newport Coast, California <u>Bertrand at Mister A's</u> - San Diego, California <u>Beverly's</u> - Coeur d'Alene, Idaho <u>The Bistro at Childress Vineyards</u> - Lexington, North Carolina The Bistro at Gervasi Vineyard - Canton, Ohio The Bistro at Topsail - Surf City, North Carolina Black Bass Hotel - Lumberville, Pennsylvania Blue Ridge - Asheville, North Carolina The Boathouse - Multiple locations Boat House Waterfront Dining - Tiverton, Rhode Island Bon Appetit - Dunedin, Florida Brave New Restaurant - Little Rock, Arkansas Bridges Restaurant - MD - Grasonville, Maryland Cafe Pacific - Palos Verdes, California Camp Verde General Store and Restaurant - Camp Verde, Texas Canyon Kitchen - Sapphire, North Carolina Chart House - Multiple locations Chateau Morrisette - Floyd, Virginia The Chateau on the Lake - Bolton Landing, New York Citico's - Lenoir City, Tennessee Coast Guard House - Narragansett, Rhode Island Coco Palm - Pomona, California The Comus Inn at Sugarloaf Mountain - Dickerson, Maryland Cygnus 27 - Grand Rapids, Michigan Dauphin's - Mobile, Alabama Different Pointe of View - Phoenix, Arizona Edgewood Restaurant - Stateline, Nevada Eleven at Crystal Bridges - Bentonville, Arkansas Five Sixty by Wolfgang Puck - Dallas, Texas Flagstaff House - Boulder, Colorado The Fort - Morrison, Colorado Four Winds Steakhouse - Wills Point, Texas Golden Mast - Okauchee, Wisconsin Grand View - San Jose, California Harbor House - Milwaukee, Wisconsin Highlawn Pavilion - West Orange, New Jersey The Hobbit Restaurant - Ocean City, Maryland Iridescence - Detroit, Michigan JB Hooks - Lake Ozark, Missouri Joseph's by the Sea - Old Orchard Beach, Maine Kemoll's Italian Restaurant - St. Louis, Missouri King Estate Restaurant - Eugene, Oregon Latitudes on Sunset Key - Key West, Florida Log Haven - Salt Lake City, Utah The Marine Room - San Diego, California The Mariner's Inn - Madison, Wisconsin Martini's Grille - Burlington, Iowa Mesquite Grill at Tonto Verde - Rio Verde, Arizona Middleton Place Restaurant - Charleston, South Carolina Monterey Bay Fish Grotto - Mt. Washington - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania Nick and Nino's Penthouse Steakhouse - Springfield, Illinois Ocean - Kennebunkport, Maine The Ocean House Restaurant - Dennis Port, Massachusetts Ophelia's on the Bay - Sarasota, Florida Oyster Loft - Pismo Beach, California Panini Bay Waterfront Restaurant - Tuckerton, New Jersey Pepper Tree Restaurant - Colorado Springs, Colorado Pier W - Cleveland, Ohio Portland City Grill - Portland, Oregon Primavista - Cincinnati, Ohio The Pump House - Rock Hill, South Carolina Queensview Steakhouse - Long Beach, California Range Steakhouse - Harrah's Laughlin - Laughlin, Nevada Region's 117 - Lake Frederick, Virginia The Restaurant at Gideon Ridge - Blowing Rock, North Carolina The Restaurant at Patowmack Farm - Lovettsville, Virginia The Roof Restaurant - Salt Lake City, Utah River Crab - St. Clair - St. Clair, Michigan River's End - Jenner, California **RIVUE Restaurant and Lounge** - Louisville, Kentucky Rupert's at Hotel McCall - McCall, Idaho Salute E Vita Ristorante - Richmond, California Sea Venture - Pismo Beach, California Seven Glaciers - Girdwood, Alaska Shearns Seafood and Prime Steaks - Galveston, Texas Simon Pearce Restaurant - Quechee, Vermont Sir Winston's Aboard The Queen Mary - Long Beach, California Spinners Rooftop Revolving Bistro & Lounge @ Grand Plaza Hotel-St Pete Beach - St. Pete Beach, Florida Sunset Terrace - Omni Grove Park Inn - Asheville, North Carolina Tarragon at The Inn at Honey Run - Millersburg, Ohio The Sun Dial Restaurant at the Westin Peachtree Plaza - Atlanta, Georgia Thirty-two - Biloxi, Mississippi Timmer's Resort - West Bend, Wisconsin Top of Binion's Steakhouse - Las Vegas, Nevada Top of the World Restaurant - Stratosphere Hotel - Las Vegas, Nevada TS Steakhouse at Turning Stone - Verona, New York Twenty Eight Atlantic at Weguassett Resort - East Harwich, Massachusetts Vast - Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Venezia Restaurant - Boston, Massachusetts Ventana Grill - St Pismo, California Vivace Restaurant - Tucson, Arizona The Waterfront Restaurant and Tavern - La Crosse, Wisconsin X2O Xaviars on the Hudson - Yonkers, New York

Diners can also read more about the 100 Most Scenic Restaurants in America for 2017 by visiting the OpenTable blog.

About OpenTable:

OpenTable, part of The Priceline Group (NASDAQ: PCLN), is the world's leading provider of online restaurant reservations, seating more than 22 million diners per month via online bookings across more than 42,000 restaurants. The OpenTable network connects restaurants and diners, helping diners discover and book the perfect table and helping restaurants deliver personalized hospitality to keep guests coming back. The OpenTable service enables diners to see which restaurants have available tables, select a restaurant based on verified diner reviews, menus, and other helpful information, and easily book a reservation. In addition to the company's website and mobile apps, OpenTable powers online reservations for nearly 600 partners, including many of the Internet's most popular global and local brands. For restaurants, the OpenTable hospitality solutions enable them to manage their reservation book, streamline their operations, and enhance their service levels. Since its inception in 1998, OpenTable has seated over 1 billion diners around the world. OpenTable is headquartered in San Francisco and has bookable restaurants in more than 20 countries, including Australia, Canada, Germany, Ireland, Japan, Mexico, United Kingdom and the United States.

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