

CHOW! RESTAURANT LISTINGS 2003

Serving lunch and dinner: Thai style hotpot, deep fried bass fillet, grilled sea scallops, roast duck with lemon-rosemary pan juices, BBQ pork and sweet potato pie, baked winter squash, portabella mushroom raviolis. Vegetarian entrées and salads. Wine and microbrews. Some OG/LG. 11:30 am-9 pm M-Th, 11:30 am-10 pm F, 5-10 pm Sa. MC/V. \$\$-\$\$\$.

- ★ Best Northwest (Second Place)
- ★ Best Overall Restaurant (Second Place, tie)

MAC'S AT THE VET'S CLUB

1626 Willamette St. 344-8600.
Dining at the Vet's Club supports your local veterans. Enjoy the exceptional cuisine by chef Bill McCallum. Open to the public. All ages until 9 pm. Live music Wednesday through Saturday, free Wed. and Thurs. Low cover Friday and Saturday. Reservations accepted. Some OG/LG. 11:30 am-2 pm Tu-F, 4-10 pm Tu & W, 4-11 pm Th, 4 pm-2:30 am F & Sa. V/MC/AE/D. \$\$.

MCMENAMINS NORTH BANK

22 Club Rd. 343-5622.
Serving burgers, pastas, crayfish and sausage gumbo, hot and cold sandwiches, salads, steamer clams, salmon, atti and a variety of appetizers for lunch and dinner. Vegetarian entrées. Wine, microbrew and full bar. Deck seating along the Willamette River. Take-out. Smoking on patio. LG. 11 am-11 pm M-Th, 11 am-1 am F & Sa, noon-11 pm Su. Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas. MC/V/AE/DC. \$-\$\$.

- ★ Best Atmosphere (Third Place)
- ★ Best Northwest (Third Place)
- ★ Best Happy Hour (Third Place)

NEIGHBORS BOURBON STREET LOUNGE

1417 Villard. 338-0334.
Serving lunch and dinner: Burgers, sandwiches, specialty salads, home-made soups, lasagna. Full bar. Take-out. 2 pm-2 am M-Sa, 7 pm-2:00 am Su. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

OLD PAD

3355 E. Amazon. 686-5022.
Serving breakfast (all day), lunch, dinner. Omelettes, burgers, sandwiches, homemade soups, salads, vegetarian entrées, steak, lasagna, fish, broasted chicken, daily specials. Wine, beer, 12 microbrews on draft, imported beer. Brass and wood atmosphere. ATM. Take-out. 7 am-2:30 am, daily. Minors welcome from 7 am-9 pm. MC/V/AE/D. \$-\$\$.

ORIGINAL PANCAKE HOUSE

782 East Broadway. 343-7523.

Serving breakfast all day: Pancakes, waffles, crepes, omelettes, breakfast meats. All pancakes made from scratch. 6 am-2 pm daily. MC/V. \$\$.

POUR HOUSE TAVERN

444 N 42nd St., Springfield. 746-1337.
Serving breakfast, lunch and dinner: Home cooked meals, breakfast specials and prime rib dinner on Fridays. Full bar. Take-out. 7 am-2:30 am M-Sa, 7 am-12 am Su. MC/V/D. \$-\$\$.

RED ROBIN

1221 Executive Pkwy. 484-9588.
Serving lunch, dinner: Burgers, pastas, garden burgers, barbecued chicken salad, clam chowder, chicken tortilla soup and French onion soup. Full bar. Take-out. 11 am-11 pm Su-Th, 11 am-midnight F-Sa. Checks not accepted, MC/V/AE/D. \$\$.

ROBINSON'S FAMILY GRILL

645 River Rd. 463-7632.
Serving breakfast, lunch and dinner: Soup of the day, daily specials, steaks and fish, vegetarian entrées. Full bar. Take-out. 7 am-8:30 pm Su-M, 7 am-9 pm Tu-Sa. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

ROSE'S DINER

207 South A St., Springfield. 747-9482.
Serving breakfast, lunch. Breakfast: Large pancakes, biscuits and gravy, fresh-grated hashbrowns, homemade cinnamon rolls. Lunch: homemade soups, cornbread, old fashioned hamburgers, fresh-cut fries, potato skins. Live music on Fridays, noon-2 pm. Take-out. 3:30 am-3 pm M-F. No cards. \$.

SAM'S PLACE

825 Wilson St. 484-4455.
Serving breakfast, lunch and dinner: Charbroiled steaks, burgers and seafood. Breakfast served all day. Full bar. Take-out, delivery, outdoor patio. West Eugene's friendly, local bar. 9 am-2:30 am M-F, 7 am-2:30 am Sa, 7 am-midnight Su. MC/V/DC/AE. \$.

SHARI'S RESTAURANT

2950 W. 11th Ave. 344-1155.
35 Division Ave. 689-2688.
900 Bellline Rd., Springfield. 741-6044.
1807 Pioneer Pkwy., Springfield. 747-8515.
Serving breakfast, lunch, dinner: Skillet breakfasts, omelettes, sandwiches, pasta, garden burgers, variety of salads, home-style dinners, ice cream and pies. Children's menu. Senior menu. Special menu on Duck game days. Take-out. 24 hours, daily. Open all holidays. All major credit cards. \$\$.

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Happening Server



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Traci Treadwell

After nearly a decade of office jobs in Newport, Traci Treadwell discovered the joys of restaurant service at Mo's in 1999. "It was a lot more fun," she admits. "Sometimes it got really busy." A single mother of two, Treadwell moved to Eugene in the spring of 2002 to start college at LCC. "My focus seems to be ethnic studies and history," she says. A year ago this week, she began work at the Oregon Electric Station. "I serve dinners four nights a week," she says. "I really like it - every table is so different. I work hard to be considerate to the needs of our diners."

- Paul Neevel

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