

spending

Best Tattoo Artist

1. **Wendy Kai, Pure Devotion** 304 E. 13th Ave. 221-2048. www.puredevotiontattoo.net
2. (tie): **Chris Rohaley, Area 51** 3585 Main St., Spfd., 747-3110, www.a51tats.com; and **Dr. Julien, Black Lotus Tattoo** 1011 W. 6th Ave. 434-8282. www.julientattoo.com

Wendi Kai, lady tattooer, inks her customers in her much-anticipated new parlor, Pure Devotion Tattoo, located inside Antrican on 13th. The space is welcoming and showcases Kai's devotion to her art, as well as the local artistic community. When asked how it feels to finally have her own space, she says, "Besides raising my son, it is the most rewarding investment of my time and energy." Kai has been tattooing in Eugene for the past five years and she "feels lucky and grateful to get to do this as a profession."

Best Glassware

1. **Midtown Direct Smoke Shop** 133 E. 13th Ave. 345-3337. www.midtowndirect.us
2. **Cornerstone Glass** 1068 W. 2nd Ave. 341-1788. <http://cornerstoneglass.com>
3. **Glass Menagerie** 980 W. 5th Ave. 344-4865. Gorgeous swirls of color and plucky little dots decorate the pipes at Midtown Pipe and Tobacco. They range in style from Sherlocks to hookahs to one-hitters. In addition to glassware, Midtown has pipe tobacco, hookah supplies and incense. Just don't mention any less-than-legal substances that could be smoked out of the glassware — it's a quick ticket out of the shop.

Best Pet Supply Store

1. **Mini Pet Mart** 974 W. 6th Ave., 344-9603; 2636 Willamette St., 345-3399; 2775 River Rd., 688-8619; 1999 Main St., Spfd., 744-0665.
2. **The Healthy Pet** 2777 Friendly St. 343-3411. www.thehealthypet.com
3. **Wags! Dog Emporium** 485 Coburg Rd. 338-8801. www.wagsdog.com

While it may seem completely backwards for a place that promotes the health and well being of domesticated animals to sell cigarettes, we love that Mini Pet Mart does. Besides the extremely cheap smokes, though, Mini Pet Mart has everything you could possibly imagine needing for your moggies and doggies, and let's not forget your birds and reptiles either. The scratch-off bonus cards are also a nice touch.



nightlife

Best Bar Food

1. **Horsehead** 99 W. Broadway. 683-3154.
2. **Jackalope** 453 Willamette St. 485-1519. jackalopelounge.com
3. **Sam Bond's Garage** 407 Blair Blvd. 343-2635. www.sambonds.com

Fried pickles, hush puppies, burgers and BLTs, Horsehead has just about everything — from fried to cheesy — to satisfy those late night munchies. And the more unique bar food is still kickin' good — gooey mac and cheese, rice and beans, collard greens. And those nachos piled high with beans, green salsa, tomatoes, sour cream and guacamole are a sure-fire way to end any night, as long as you're down with garlic breath!

Best Designer Drinks

1. **The Davis Restaurant & Bar** 94 W. Broadway. 485-1124. www.davisrestaurant.com
2. **Izakaya Meiji** 345 Van Buren St. 505-8804. izakayameiji.com
3. **The Vintage** 837 Lincoln St. 349-9181. www.thevintageeugene.com

Davis' drizzles out the best designer drinks, like the AZ 1070 made with jalapeño-infused vodka. Choose from a variety of delicious drinks on their bar menu or get to know your bartender like Rio, who will let you spin the proverbial — and imaginary — "Rio-lette" wheel and leave the fate of your drink in her hands.

Best Happy Hour/Drink Specials

1. **Starlight Lounge** 830 Olive St. 343-3204.
2. **Granary Pizza Co.** 259 E. 5th Ave. 343-8488.
3. **Izakaya Meiji** 345 Van Buren St. 505-8804. izakayameiji.com

Starlight Lounge retains its title — and appropriately so, with drink specials like the daytime happy hour's \$2 white Russians (made with Crater Lake Vodka), local microbrews and Hinman wines (4 pm-7 pm). And really, where else can you go to get a \$2 shot of Patron? Plus, Starlight gets bonus points for its cozy atmosphere, complete with dim lighting and plush velvet armchairs.