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MASTER DONUTS

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Serving locally-made ice cream since 1975. Shakes, sundaes, ice cream pies, coffee drinks, espresso shakes & more. LG. Noon-11pm daily. All cards. \$.

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redwagoncreamery.com.
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SWEET LIFE PÂTISSERIE

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879 E. 13th Ave.

Vegetarian

CAFÉ YUMMI!

See Northwest

CORNbread CAFE

1290 W. 7th Ave. 505-9175.
cornbreadcafe.com
An entirely vegan menu with a focus on organic & local. This family-friendly diner is stocked w/board games & a Ms. Packman video game from Blairally. First-timers are encouraged to try Cornbread's signature sandwich, the Eugenewich. We aim to please every palate! 11am-9pm M-F, 9am-11pm Sa, 9am-9pm & 9am-2pm Su. All major cards. \$\$.

★ BEST VEGETARIAN/VEGAN FOOD, BEST COMFORT FOOD (2ND)

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LAUGHING PLANET

760 Blair Blvd. 868-0668.
2864 Willamette St. 505-5399.
127 NW 2nd St., Corvallis. 826-4048.
Burritos, bowls & beyond, including international wraps (aka "portable nutrition devices"), rice bowls, soups, salads, vegan & vegetarian options, as well as raw juices & smoothies. 11am-10pm daily. \$.

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LOTUS GARDEN VEGETARIAN RESTAURANT

810 Charnellton St. 344-1928.
Serving Chinese vegetarian entrées for lunch & dinner. Take-out. Some LG. Wheelchair accessible. 11:30am-2:30pm & 4:30pm-8:30pm M, W-F. Noon-8:30pm Sa. MCV/DC. \$-\$\$.

MORNING GLORY CAFE

See Cafes

NEW ODYSSEY JUICE & JAVA

See Coffeehouses

TRU VEG

2055 Patterson St. 808-264-5959.
themaivegetarian.com
International vegan cuisine: natural & wholesome food without chemicals, additives or preservatives. Gluten-free & delicious. 11am-7pm M-Th, 11am-5pm F. V/MC. \$\$.

VIVA! VEGETARIAN GRILL

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Corvallis

& OTHER AREAS

American

BONANZA DRIVE-UP

505 Hwy 99 S., Cottage Grove. 942-4188.
facebook.com/bonanzaburger

Serving 1/4 to 2 lb. hamburgers for more than 40 years. Ice cream, milkshakes, cyclones, sandwiches & soups. Same local quality, same friendly service. All lottery games. Vegetarian options. 10:30am-9pm M-Th, 10:30am-9:30pm F & Sa, 11:30am-8:30pm Su. V/MC. \$.

CALAPOOIA BREWING CO.

140 Hill St. NE, Albany. 740-6339.
calapooiabrewing.com
Mid-valley's premier craft brewery, w/15 hand-crafted beers on tap & what they say are the best burgers in town. Located on Albany's waterfront. Live local music three nights a week. Vegetarian entrées. 11:30am-10pm M-W, 11:30am-12:30am Th-Sa, 1pm-9pm Su. Kitchen closes about an hour earlier each night. MCV. \$\$.

CLOUD & KELLY'S

126 SW 1st, Corvallis. 753-9900
Located in the heart of the downtown Corvallis waterfront park, Cloud & Kelly's has hearty Irish pub fare, delicious homemade farm-to-table daily specials and \$5 kids' meals. 11:30am-10pm S-Th, 11:30am-midnight F & Sa. All major cards. \$\$-\$\$\$.

DARRELL'S RESTAURANT & LOUNGE

2200 NW 9th St., Corvallis. 752-6364.
Serving breakfast, lunch & dinner, full bar. 6am-2am M-Sa, 6am-11pm Su. V/MC. \$\$.

DOWNWARD DOG

130 SW First, Corvallis. 753-9900.
Located in the heart of the downtown Corvallis waterfront park, a cozy local watering hole specializing in handcrafted cocktails, combined w/hand-made, slow-cooked comfort food & local microbrews. Vegetarian entrées. Some OG/LG. 4pm-1am M-Th, 4pm-2am F & Sa. All major cards. \$-\$\$.

EMERALD VALLEY GOLF CLUB FRONTIER RESTAURANT

83301 Dale Kuni Rd., Creswell. 895-2174.
Serving breakfast, lunch, dinner. Down-home comfort food bistro w/from-scratch cooking, organic fair trade coffee. Catered events, daily specials, full bar, take-out. Outdoor summer seating & monthly international dinners. Banquet facilities available. 7am-7pm Su-M, 7am-9pm Tu-F. All major cards. \$-\$\$.

GRIDIRON SPORTS BAR & GRILL

262 Smith St., Harrisburg 995-5051
facebook.com/gridironsportbar
Serving burgers, sandwiches, baskets & entrées, appetizers, salads, soups, breakfast served 8am-2pm Sa & Su, kid friendly til 8pm, take-out. 11am-12am M-Th, 11am-2:30am F, 8am-2:30am Sa, 8am-12am Su. \$.

MURPHY'S RESTAURANT & LOUNGE

2740 SW 3rd St., Corvallis. 758-9000.
Serving lunch & dinner, full bar. 11am-11pm M-Th, 11am-1am F & Sa, 10am-11pm Su. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

SQUIRREL'S TAVERN

100 SW 2nd, Corvallis. 753-8057.
Serving lunch & dinner, full bar. 11:30am-1am M-Th, 11am-1:30am Sa, 5pm-midnight Su. No cards. \$-\$\$.

TOMMY'S 4TH STREET BAR & GRILL

350 SW 4th St., Corvallis. 754-7622.
Serving great breakfast, lunch & dinner. Full bar & lounge open late on weekends. Some OG/LG. Smoking. 6am-1am daily. All major cards. \$-\$\$\$.

Bakeries

BACKSTAGE BAKERY & CAFÉ

25 S. 7th, Cottage Grove. 767-0233.
Backstage to the Axe & Fiddle pub & connected to Kalapuya Books in the historic Burkholder Woods Building. Usually some vegetarian entrées. Salad specials. Some OG/LG. 6am-3pm M-W & F-Sa, 6am-6pm Th. No cards. \$-\$\$.

NEW MORNING BAKERY

See Cafes

TAYLOR STREET OVENS

1025 NW 9th St., Corvallis. 757-0166.
Serving bagels, coffee drinks & more. 7am-7pm M-F, 7am-2pm Sa. All major cards. \$.

Barbecue

BIG STUFF BBQ

733 E. Main St., Cottage Grove. 942-3999.
Serving lunch, dinner: Authentic, slow-smoked BBQ w/choice of brisket, pork shoulder, chicken, ham, hot links & ribs & choice of homemade side dishes. Family-friendly atmosphere. Catering for 40-400 people. 11am-8pm Tu-Sa. MCV. \$-\$\$\$.

PINK HOUSE, THE

1408 E. Main St., Cottage Grove. 942-0533.
facebook.com/pinkhousebbq
Serving breakfast F-Su, lunch & dinner every day. Espresso, home-baked goods, plus BBQ ribs, brisket, chicken, pulled pork — all house-smoked — and burgers, sandwiches, soups, shakes, sundaes & 16 ice cream flavors. All Lotto games. 8am-9pm M-W, 8am-10pm Th-Sa, 9am-9pm Su. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

Burgers

CLODFELTER'S PUB

1501 NW Monroe Ave., Corvallis. 758-4452.

Serving breakfast, lunch & dinner, homemade soups daily. TVs, full bar, sports pub. Late night menu served from 9pm-midnight. 10am-1am M-W, 10am-2am Th-Sa, 10am-midnight Su. V/MC/AE/D. \$.

JAMIE'S GREAT HAMBURGERS

1999 NW Circle Blvd., Corvallis. 758-7402.
Burgers, fries, sandwiches, soft drinks & shakes. 11am-8pm Tu-Th, 11am-9pm F & Sa. V/MC/D/AE. \$.

Cafés

BACKSTAGE BAKERY & CAFÉ

See Bakeries

COZMO CAFÉ

510 E. Main St., Cottage Grove.

CRESWELL COFFEE COMPANY

See Coffeehouses

LOCAL BOYZ HAWAIIAN CAFÉ

1425 NW Monroe Ave., Corvallis. 754-5338.
Aloha-style plate lunches, served in three different sizes, w/steamed rice & macaroni salad or steamed veggies. Wheelchair accessible. LG. 11am-8pm M-F, noon-7pm Sa. V/MC/Debit. \$-\$\$.

NEW MORNING BAKERY

219 SW 2nd St., Corvallis. 754-0181.
Now serving fine wine & microbrews. Italian espresso bar. International specialties from scratch w/all-natural fresh ingredients. Soups, salads, sandwiches, Italian breads, pastries, cookies & desserts. Catering & wedding cakes available. Wheelchair accessible. Some OG/LG. 7am-9pm Mo-Sa; 8am-8pm Su. V/MC. \$.

PITA PIT

1425 NW Monroe, Corvallis. 738-PITA.
Serving lunch & dinner: pitas stuffed w/alfalfa, baba ghanouj, gyros, roast beef, chicken & a variety of other selections. Choose your own toppings & sauce. Delivery. 11am-3am M-W, 11am-4am Th-Sa, noon-2am Su. \$.

QUIZNO'S CLASSIC SUBS

1573 SW 53rd St., Corvallis. 752-1600, fax 752-2316.
700 NE Circle Blvd., Ste 103, Corvallis. 753-7827, fax 753-6769.
Serving lunch & dinner: Sub sandwiches, fresh soups & salads made daily. Vegetarian entrées, catering available. Delivery now available: \$8 minimum order, \$2 delivery fee. Order online at quiznos.com or phone it in. LG. 10am-9pm M-Sa, 10am-8pm Su. All major cards. \$.

SUNNYSIDE UP CAFE

116 NW 3rd St., Corvallis. 758-3353.
Organic coffee, loose leaf teas, soup, salads, sandwiches, wraps, baked goodies, all-day breakfast

fast w/organic eggs. Eclectic menu. Wheelchair accessible. Some OG/LG. 6am-4pm daily. MCV. \$.

TOGO'S GREAT SANDWICHES

2317 NW 9th St., Corvallis. 753-1444.
Hot & cold sandwiches, soups & salads. Wheelchair accessible. 10am-10pm daily. MCV/AE/D. \$.

UNIVERSITY HERO

211 SW 5th St., Corvallis. 754-7827.
2307 NW Kings Blvd., Corvallis. 758-1070.
Serving specialty sandwiches on fresh sub rolls, made from scratch daily, along w/fresh made soups, salads & baked goods including the giant cookie, cheese bread & pizza sticks. Also now offering Healthy Kids' Meals. Wheelchair accessible. LG. 10am-8pm M-Sa, 11am-8pm Su. V/MC. \$.

YOGURT HILL

943 NW Kings Blvd., Corvallis. 758-3337.
Frozen yogurt, ice cream, sandwiches, light lunch & dinner menu. 11am-9pm M-F, 11am-7pm Sa, closed Su. \$.

Chinese

BLUE SKY CHINESE RESTAURANT

1585 SW 53rd St., Corvallis. 752-7528.
Serving lunch & dinner, lunch specials daily. Wheelchair accessible. 11:30am-9:30pm M-Th, 11:30am-10pm F-Sa, noon-9:30pm Su. AE/MCV/DC. \$-\$\$.

CHINA BLUE RESTAURANT

2307 NW 9th St., Corvallis. 752-8088.
Serving lunch & dinner. 11:30am-10pm Su-F. 4pm-10pm Sa. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

CHINA DELIGHT

325 NW 2nd St., Corvallis. 753-3753.
Serving lunch & dinner, specializing in Szechwan, Mandarin, traditional Chinese & vegetarian cuisine. Some OG. 11am-9pm Su-Th, 11am-10pm F & Sa. All major cards. \$-\$\$.

JADE GARDEN

503 SW 5th St., Corvallis. 752-7455.
Lunch, dinner, orders to go, banquet facilities, lounge. 11am-9:30pm Su-Th, 11am-10:30pm F & Sa. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

KIM HOA'S KITCHEN

1875 NW Circle Blvd., Corvallis. 754-9751.
Serving lunch & dinner. 11am-9pm M-F. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

KING TIN

1857 NW 9th St., Corvallis. 752-1722.
Serving lunch & dinner. 11am-9:30pm daily. V/MC. \$-\$\$.

PANDA EXPRESS

Oregon State University, Corvallis. 737-6888.
Serving lunch & dinner, Chinese cuisine for stu-

Pork Chop Sandwich

FROM THE BLIND PIG

According to Blind Pig owner Rick George, the pork chop sandwich is to his hometown of Butte, Montana, as the cheesesteak is to Philly. George moved to Eugene in 1982 and worked for years as a stagehand at the Hult Center. He missed his pork chop sandwiches from Butte, so he started making his own.

"I've had friends from Montana say that mine are 100 times better than the sandwiches they got in Butte," George says. "I even had a lady come here to try my sandwiches who used to work at the top pork chop sandwich place in Butte for 30 years, and she said mine are better." Though the sandwich is called a "chop sandwich," it's actually made with a tenderloin. George also makes delicious smoked salmon chowder, made with salmon smoked in-house.

George says he always wanted to have his own bar, and after getting out of the stagehand business he ran his own place before purchasing the Blind Pig six years ago. In a nod to the Prohibition era, the name refers to the practice of getting patrons into the drinking establishment through some sort of attraction. "They'd have a spotted chicken or a two-headed goat or a blind pig that people would want to see," George explains. "So after people paid their admission to see the spectacle, they would get their complimentary beverage."



George says in Prohibition-era parlance, a speakeasy was considered more of a nightclub while a "blind pig" was more of a casual neighborhood bar, which is the feel he was going for. His ongoing remodeling is an attempt to bring back some of that early ambience, including stained glass above the bar. When the power went out last year, George set up candles and played old shellac records on a gramophone. The Blind Pig opens at 6:30 am seven days a week for breakfast service, and doesn't close until 2:30 am. — Vanessa Salvia

- 1 pork tenderloin, sliced 1/2-inch thick
- 2 cups flour
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1 1/2 cups beer
- oil for frying

Pound pork to tenderize and to make the slice a uniform thickness.

Combine batter ingredients and stir until well-blended. Coat pork thoroughly with batter. Deep fry at 350 degrees until golden brown. Drain on paper towel while assembling bun. Serve on a hamburger roll with onion, pickle, mustard and lettuce. George serves these sandwiches with yellow mustard, but offers hot Chinese mustard for those wanting a little more kick.

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