

WHERE to eat? Places we like to eat at in the area:

Ask us for the Fine Dining Options & reservations if desired.

Towns	Restaurant	Location Heading northward	Comments	Price
Lincolnville Beach	The Beach Store	Rt 1 – just .5 miles north	If you want great pizza go no further (try the pastrami!). Super hamburgers, steak sandwiches, chicken parmesan, & ice cream. Not much room for dining in, very casual, good view. No toilet.	low
	McLaughlin’s Seafood Shack	Rt 1 at Rt 173	Maine seafood, great view, casual, indoor and outdoor dining, self-serve.	medium
	Lobster Pound	Rt 1	Maine seafood, home-style dishes, good view, early dinner specials.	medium
	Whales Tooth Pub	Rt 1	Maine seafood, continental cuisine, excellent fish and chips, desserts to die for, good view, happy hour/bar. Early dinner specials.	medium
	Chez Michel	Rt 1	Maine seafood, continental cuisine, great steak, crisp clean open-air ambiance, upstairs views. Early dinner specials.	med-high
Northport	Copper Grill	Off Rt 1 at Point Lookout	Interesting seafood selections at breakfast. Note: Specials for the dining room atop Pt. Lookout (sign is on the highway – Rt 1)	medium
Belfast – 12 miles north	Chase’s Daily	Main St. Downtown	Vegetarian, great desserts, farmer’s market. Michelin star chef!	low-med
	Darby’s	High St. Downtown	Yummo! Great salads, soups, and entrees. Locally sourced foods.	low-med
	La Vida	High St. Downtown	Mexican fare with a Maine twist – locally sourced meats. Very fresh!	low
	Young’s Lobster Pound	Off Rt 1 .5 miles past bridge (turn right)	Seafood galore the good old fashioned way – picnic tables, outdoor seating, can bring your own drinks and side dishes. Select your lobster!	medium
	Wasses Hot Dogs	Off Rt. 1 at Reny’s Plaza	Best hot dogs (and good hamburgers) in Maine. Note: They also have two drive-ins in Rockland for the same quality hot dogs/burgers.	low
Searsport	The Angler	Rt. 1 – 20 miles north	Local hangout with everything from fried seafood to bread pudding. Rated “Best in Waldo County” by residents.	low
Heading south from Bay Leaf Cottages				
Camden	Boynton & McKay	Rt 1 (Elm St.)	Best blueberry pancakes in Maine. Excellent array of eclectic dishes, none will disappoint. Great pastries. Best coffee.	low
	Long Grain	Rt 1 (Elm St.)	Inventive Thai dishes – just outstanding. Reservations suggested!	medium
	Mediterranean	Rt 1 (Elm St.)	Greek and Middle-Eastern Cuisine	medium
	Graffam Bros	At the harbor	Traditional Maine seafood with great view on the harbor.	low-med
	Fresh	Off Bay View St	Fresh ingredients and creative cuisine, bakery	medium
	Harbor Dogs	Public Landing	Amazing seafood wraps with chutney (hot dogs with chutney!).	low
	The Mariner	Rt 1 (Elm St.)	Lobster or Crab breakfast items! A good traditional breakfast spot.	low
Rockport	Rockport Diner	Rt 90	Local diner-style with good salad bar included with each dinner. Wide array of Maine comfort foods and fried seafood	low
	Mr. Wat	Rt 1 south of Camden	Yummy Thai and Japanese Cuisine (Noodles, Sushi, etc.)	low
	Shepherd’s Pie	Downtown Rockport	Amazing restaurant with inventive cuisine. NYT rating.	m/h
	Salt Water Cafe	Downtown Rockport	New café –marketplace with local fresh fare.	medium
Rockland	Rockland Cafe	Rt 1 (northbound) Main Street	Family-run diner-style with wide array of local specialties. “All you can eat” fried seafood options. Don’t forget a cannoli for desert!	low
	Café Miranda	South of Farnsworth behind Rock City Cafe	Delightful array of salad and entre choices sure to please any foodie! Can’t go wrong with CM! Indoor and outdoor dining.	low - medium
	Home Kitchen Cafe	Rt 1 heading south on right before road splits	Friendly, eclectic array of breakfast and lunch options. You will not be disappointed in either – the problem will be deciding what to order!	low-medium
	The Compass	Rt 1 (northbound) Corner of Park	There’s one thing you MUST order here: Lobster BLT. They won the “throw-down” with Bobbie Flay on Food Network.	low-medium
	Primo	South Main (heading to Owl’s Head)	Travel Channel’s Anthony Bordain recommends. Top NY Chef creates amazing dishes from on-site raised/grown meats & vegetables. Make reservations for main level – drop in for 2 nd Fl.	high
	Conte’s	148 South Main just 1.5 blocks south of Park intersection with Main	Travel Channel’s Anthony Bordain recommends: John Conte – recluse and all-around nut – he gets only the freshest seafood daily. Home-style salad, crusty bread, decent wine, and amazing Italian sauces.	medium
Thomaston	Thomaston Cafe	At the traffic light in downtown (on Rt. 1)	3 times a day they serve up amazingly good options from twists on favorites to lobster ravioli & German sauerbraten. Haddock chowder!	low - medium
	Slipway	Thomaston harbor	Very creative, fun, outdoor dining is on the pier, can’t miss this chef!	medium
Waldoboro	Morse’s	Rt 220 off Rt 17	Morse’s Sauerkraut brings out the best in German dining plus a big deli!	low-med
	Moody’s Diner	Rt 1	Diner’s Drive-ins and Dives eatery with old-fashioned diner food.	low-med
Owl’s Head	Owls Head General Store	On Rt 73	Known throughout the state for “the Best Hamburger” according to Food Network. It’s a great burger in a little hole in the wall country store. You’ll feel like a local. From there go see the local lighthouse.	low
Port Clyde	Port Clyde General Store	Rt 131 at harbor	With only 8 stools in the store, try Linda Bean’s Lobster Roll, Linda Bean’s Lobster Ravioli! You can also dine outside on the pier with view.	low
	Dip Net	Rt. 131 at harbor	Indoor and outdoor dining with a very good seafood menu	medium