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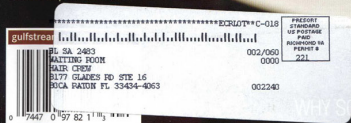
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THE BEST OF SOUTH FLORIDA 131 WINNERS

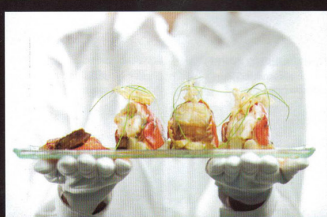
BEST RESTAURANTS, SHOPS,
PERSONALITIES, HIDDEN
GEMS AND MORE

PLUS
PAUL CASTRONOVO'S
TOP PICKS

>> 32 East's
Grilled Filet of Beef on
Buttermilk Sauce with Soft Polenta



THE PERFECT MURDER
WHY SOUTH FLORIDA BREEDS MYSTERY WRITING



BEST OVERALL RESTAURANT FOR FINE DINING

CERO
>> Cero is everything that it claims. The modern fare is sophisticated, refined and showcases a theme of pure and organic ingredients infused with touches of citrus. Located in the Ritz-Carlton off A1A, Cero is a welcomed break in the strip of beachside dining. Executive Chef Christian Clair shows off his range of seafood and poultry knowledge, creating innovative dishes with scallops and squash.

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GRILL ROOM
>> If servers donned in crisp tuxedos with coattails are any indication of the high-class cuisine served at the Grill Room, then restaurant patrons should expect an affair fit for royalty. The stately restaurant gives the dining experience an elegant twist, even preparing and serving its ceasar salad tableside. The menu changes, though guests can expect dynamic New American cuisine to come standard with every meal.

BEST OVERALL RESTAURANT FOR CASUAL CHIC DINING

32 EAST
>> With an eclectic menu that changes daily, 32 East has become a hip joint known equally for its cuisine as it is for its swanky vibe. But by no means is the food to be overshadowed. Executive Chef Nick Morfogon has created an exciting dining experience covered by diners both local and visiting.

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CANYON
>> The flavors are memorable, the atmosphere is energetic, and there's never a bad meal. Expect to find "normal" items on the menu, only they are kicked up with Southwestern flavors, making Canyon a one-of-a-kind gem here in South Florida. The drinks and dessert are also not to be missed. Be...

BEST DIVE SOUTHPORT RAW BAR

>> Located on the Intra-coastal; great seafood; the clam chowder is a must

BEST DIVE THE DUCK TAVERN

>> Casual atmosphere with a selection of beers from around the world

BEST CHEESE COURSE JOHNNY V

>> Menu features more than 40 cheeses from around the globe

BEST CHEESE COURSE 3030 OCEAN

>> Innovative selections of cheeses paired with an assortment of chutney

WINE LIST RUSTIC CELLAR

>> More than 350 hand-selected vintages; weekly wine tastings

WINE LIST ZED451

>> Glass-enclosed wine cellar holds hundreds of selections

BEST PIZZA ANTHONY'S COAL FIRED PIZZA

>> Fresh ingredients combine on a crispy, thin crust

BEST PIZZA UMBERTO'S OF LONG ISLAND

>> Pizza crusts are cooked to your individual preference

BEST RESTAURANT-TURN-LATE-NIGHT HOTSPOT

DADA
>> Creative takes on mojitos and margaritas

BEST RESTAURANT-TURN-LATE-NIGHT HOTSPOT

BOVA PRIME
>> Host to a private champagne room for a \$1,000 minimum

BEST NEW RESTAURANT DA CAMPO OSTERIA

>> Branchchild of the renowned Chef Todd English; northern Italian fare; flatbreads are a must

BEST NEW RESTAURANT VIC & ANGELO'S

>> Rustic Italian cuisine with great pizza selections

BEST GELATO THE GELATO SHOPPE PETRINI

>> More than 120 dairy and non-dairy flavors; all-natural and kosher-certified products

BEST GELATO SONNY'S GELATO

>> Authentic Italian gelati, also serves fresh baked goods and pastries