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68 FUN DATE IDEAS

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**BRUNCH  
SPOTS**  
FOR EVERY  
WEEKEND  
OF THE YEAR



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Señor Croque  
at The Crack Shack



# GREAT ♥ DATES

Whether you've known someone a lifetime or a hot minute, coming up with fresh ways to entertain can make even the most steadfast romantic turn to Netflix and takeout. It's time to cancel that reservation at the same old pizza joint down the street and upgrade your movie night. Here are 68 ideas for you and your boo, from line-dancing and night golf to sunset bike rides and Mexican meals with skyline views. Now if only we could help you find (or like) your soul mate.

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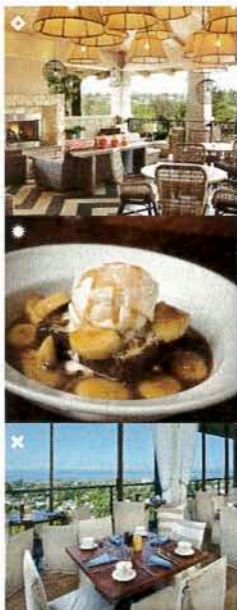
# Best Bets

You can't go wrong with our favorite cafés, cozy restos, and things to do



## ROMANTIC RESTAURANTS

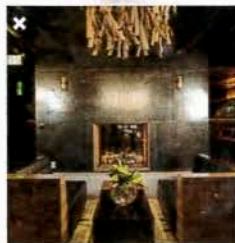
- Bleu Bohème  
Kensington
- Mister A's  
Bankers Hill
- ♦ Avant  
Rancho Bernardo
- BO-beau Kitchen + Bar  
Ocean Beach
- Bencotto  
Little Italy
- Piacere Mio  
South Park
- Cafe Chloe  
East Village
- \* The Smoking Goat  
North Park
- Hanna's Gourmet  
Normal Heights
- The Wellington  
Mission Hills
- \* Cusp  
La Jolla
- Alexander's on 30th  
North Park
- Q'ero  
Encinitas
- Jaynes Gastropub  
Normal Heights
- The Marine Room  
La Jolla



## DRINK SPOTS

- Stone Brewing  
World Bistro & Gardens  
Liberty Station and Escondido
- Prepkitchen  
Little Italy
- Juniper and Ivy  
Little Italy
- Jimmy's Famous American Tavern  
Point Loma
- \* Fairweather  
East Village
- Sycamore Den  
Normal Heights
- The Rose  
South Park
- Park & Rec  
University Heights
- Starlite  
Middletown
- \* Kettner Exchange  
Little Italy
- Pacifica  
Del Mar
- Searsucker Del Mar  
Carmel Valley
- Noble Experiment  
East Village
- The Nolen  
Gaslamp
- Solterra Winery & Kitchen  
Leucadia
- Luce Bar & Kitchen  
Bay Park
- Polite Provisions  
Normal Heights
- The Pony Room  
Rancho Santa Fe

MEET FOR HAPPY HOUR AT THE BAR (PICTURED LEFT). DAILY FROM 3-6 PM



## COFFEE SHOPS

- ♦ Bird Rock Coffee Roasters  
Bay Park, Bird Rock, and Little Italy
- Juice Saves / Coffee & Tea Collective  
East Village, or Coffee & Tea Collective in North Park
- Hawthorn Coffee  
Normal Heights
- Con Pane  
Liberty Station
- \* James Coffee Co.  
Little Italy
- Kettle & Stone  
Mission Hills
- Coffee Coffee  
Encinitas
- \* Caffe Calabria  
North Park
- Bean Bar  
East Village
- Pannikin  
La Jolla and Encinitas



## ACTIVITIES

- Kayaking  
Rentals and tours at Everyday California in La Jolla
- Sailing  
Rentals and classes available at Mission Bay Aquatic Center
- \* Hiking  
San Diego's Top 50 Trails at sandiegomagazine.com
- Trampoline Park  
Rockin' Jump in Mira Mesa, Sky Zone in Chula Vista and San Marcos, Jump Around Now in Chula Vista
- Night Golf  
The Loma Club in Liberty Station
- ♦ Bowling  
Tavern & Bowl in the East Village, Eastlake, and Escondido
- Stand-up paddleboarding  
Rentals at SUP Diego, SUP Coronado, OEX Point Loma, and Paddle Planet
- Bocce Ball  
Oakcrest Park in Encinitas, Stone Brewing World Bistro & Gardens in Liberty Station, The Coronado Lawn Bowling Club, Solterra Winery & Kitchen in Leucadia
- Bike Riding  
Coronado rentals available at Holland's Bicycles, Bikes & Beyond, and PeDels at Hotel del Coronado
- Disc Golf  
Morley Field in Balboa Park, Sun Valley Golf Course in La Mesa, Montiel Park in San Marcos

