

# TRAVELHOST

Cuisine Scene Spotlight

## REMY'S BISTRO



### Chef Frederick

**Executive Chef Frederick L. Futrell, is a graduate of Johnson & Wales University, a native of Ohio, and a family man. He has 23 years of culinary experience, having worked in top restaurants, hotels, country clubs and summer resorts nationwide. Fred has cooked for a U.S. President and top ranking military as well as many other well-known officials. He was the winner of the March of Dimes Chef Auction at Naples Ritz Carlton. Chef Fred's Philopophy: "Simplicity is the key to success. Our dishes are simple yet tantalizing to the eye and the palate. The cuisine should fit the theme of the establishment and understanding your patrons is crucial. You get only one first impression, so make it count. You should be able to come to our establishment, day or night, and feel that you have had an elegant meal. Our flavors are neutral and will please the pickiest connoisseur. Be on the lookout for new upcoming surprises which are in the works for the near future at Remy's."**

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## TRAVELDINING

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### NAPLES

**REMY'S BISTRO** *Fine Continental/European*  
A French-Mediterranean style bistro where Chef Frederick likes to remind us that "taste enhances life." His flair for culinary creations is making this a well-established fine-dining restaurant. Located in the Target Plaza at the corner of Pine Ridge and Airport Roads, Remy's is the perfect place for lunch or a relaxing dinner. Outside dining under the stars is available and there is live entertainment Fri. and Sat. evenings. Remy's Bistro welcomes hotel guests - simply present your room key-card before ordering and receive a 10% discount on the food portion of your bill. Signature Dishes: Pork Tenderloin Au Tu Tu; Veal Mediterranean; Filet Mignon; Fruits de Mer; Shrimp Provencal. Open: Mon.-Sun. 11:30 a.m.-Close. Reservations: Yes-Recommended. Located at 2300 Pine Ridge Road, Naples. Call 239-403-9922.

**ALEXANDER'S** *Fine American & European*  
Chef-owned and operated for 10 years, Alexander's is a small, warm-decor restaurant with a beautiful outdoor patio, offering some of Naples finest cuisine. The hands-on chef, Alex Bernard, creates fine American and European specialties with an amazing attention to detail, making this establishment well worth the visit. Signature Dishes: Osso Bucco; Peppercorn Crusted Tuna; Pastas; Steaks; Vegetarian Entrees. Open: Mon.-Fri. 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. and Mon.-Sat. 5 p.m.-Close. Reservations: Yes-Recommended. Located at 4077 Tamiami Trail North, Naples. Call 239-262-4999.

**FIRST WATCH** *Classic American* - "Where your vacation begins, every day." Serving classic American breakfast, brunch and lunch fare, First Watch is as its name implies - a place to start your day and exchange stories about your trip so far. 4 locations in Southwest Florida (2 in Naples and 2 in Fort Myers). Signature Dishes: American Breakfast and Lunch. Open: Mon.-Sun. 7 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Reservations: No. Located at 1000 Immokalee Road, Naples, 239-596-7395 and 225 Banyan Blvd, Naples, 239-434-0005.

**SPECTATORS** *Sports Pub* - Voted "Best Sports Restaurant in SW Florida," Spectators has a menu that includes award-winning food from Angus beef to seafood, a children's menu and even "Weight-Watchers" items. Add gigantic TV screens and you've got the winning combination and the best place to watch any sporting event. Happy Hour Mon.-Fri. 2-7 p.m. Signature Dishes: Bacon Wrapped Scallops; Angus Beef Fillets. Open: Mon.-Sun. 11 a.m.-Close. Located at Parkway Plaza, 4955 Golden Gate Parkway, Naples, call 239-353-6978 and Sunshine Plaza, 9144 Bonita Beach Road, Bonita Springs, 239-992-6111.

**MARGAUX'S** *Country French* - French food for the American appetite, Margaux's has fabulous cuisine, wonderful wine list, moderate prices and warm service. Signature Dishes: Bistro's Bouillaaise; Tournedos Alexandra. Open Mon.-Fri. 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. and Sat. 5-9 p.m. Reservations: Yes. Located at 3080 Tamiami Trail North, Naples. Call 239-434-2773.

**RANDY'S FISHMARKET & RESTAURANT** *Seafood* - A bit of traditional old Florida charm where you can kick back and relax! Enjoy fresh scrumptious seafood, a fine selection of wine, beer and a full liquor bar. Signature Dishes: Fresh Seafood. Open: Mon.-Sun. 11a.m.-9:30 p.m. Reservations: Only for Parties of 10 or More. Located at 10395 Tamiami Trail North, Naples. Call 239-593-5555.

**WATERMARK GRILLE** *Classic American* - Experience one of Naples' favorite family restaurants in a casual relaxed atmosphere that is a step above the franchise restaurants. Children's menu. Signature Dishes: Steak; Seafood; Pasta. Open Mon.-Sun. 4 -11 p.m. Reservations: No. Located at 11280 Tamiami Trail North, Naples. Call 239-596-1400.

### MARCO ISLAND

**DA VINCI RISTORANTE** *Classic Distinctive Italian* - A classic Italian atmosphere and an attentive staff, combined with true Italian dishes make this a must-stop on Marco. Signature Dishes: Home Made Pastas, Osso Bucco, Risotto Milanese. Open: Mon.-Sun. 4:30-10 p.m. Reservations: Yes-Recommended. Located at Marco Walk, 599 Collier Blvd. South, Marco Island. Call 239-389-1888.

**SNOOK INN** *Seafood and Steaks* - Waterfront dining, a chickee bar, live entertainment and watching the dolphins at play make Snook Inn a long-established favorite on Marco. Signature Dishes: Black Angus Beef; Fresh Fish & Seafood. Open: Mon.-Sun. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. and 4:30-10 p.m. Reservations: No. Located at 1215 Bald Eagle Drive, Marco Island. Call 239-394-3313.

**TARA'S STEAKHOUSE & LOBSTER** *Classic American Steakhouse* - Top quality beef (they are renowned for their Porterhouse Steak), pork, lamb, veal and fresh seafood, combined with quality service, a refined atmosphere and live entertainment make Tara's a truly unique dining experience. Signature Dishes: Porterhouse Steak; Live Maine Lobster; Jumbo Lump Crabcakes. Open: Mon.-Sun. 5:30 p.m.-Close. Reservations: Yes-Recommended. Located at 969 North Collier Blvd, Marco Island. Call 239-394-0212.