

Eating out?

Here's our Top 15

Brighton has more restaurants than there are days in the year – and new ones spring up all the time.

With a creatively diverse foodie scene within a stone's throw of the beach, you will be amazed at the array of affordable eateries in the city.

It is almost impossible to create a Top 15 of recommendations but after much discussion, the VisitBrighton team have managed to do that. The eateries below are in no particular order but all are within walking distance of your conference venue.

All the restaurants listed can accommodate bookings – big or small.

Pizza: Pizza Pilgrim

35 Ship street, Brighton, Sussex, BN1

Pizza Pilgrims serves slow proved Neapolitan pizza from their newest restaurant in Brighton.

All of their dough is made fresh daily and they source the best ingredients Italy has to offer in order to bring you the best possible pizza base going. As any Neapolitan will tell you – its all about the crust.

The restaurant even has a subterranean five-a-side football pitch you can hire!

Vegetarian: Terre a Terre

71 East Street, Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 1HQ

Award winning local restaurant, bib gourmand and voted best for Vegetarian in UK - observer food awards 2008, offering fantastically versatile menus from quirky sharing plates to multicourse set menus.

Renowned for its personal yet professional service and providing an outstanding organic wine, beer and spirits list. A dining experience you will want to repeat time after time!

Curry: Curry Leaf Café

60 Ship Street, Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 1AE

Named one of the best 12 Indian restaurants in Britain by BBC Good Food Magazine.

Curry Leaf Cafe's original restaurant in the Brighton Lanes serves up authentic South Indian food and (officially) the UK's finest range of craft beers in a colourful, laid-back dining space decked out with wooden tables, exposed brick walls and vintage Indian design touches.

Curry Leaf shown in picture

Pub Grub: The Basketmaker's

12 Gloucester Road, Brighton, East Sussex, BN1 4AD

The Basketmaker's is an award-winning traditional British pub in central Brighton.

A cosy retreat in the heart of the bustling North Laine district, we are proud to pair our fantastic menu of British fare with an excellent range of draught ales, beers, wines & spirits to whet your whistle. With friendly staff and an instantly recognisable vibe, the Basketmakers has become a much beloved Brighton institution over the past few decades.

Fish & Chips: The Regency

131 Kings Road, Brighton, Brighton Seafront

The Regency Restaurant is one of the oldest and most popular seafront restaurants, offering its customers quality and value for money since the 1930's.

With good quality food, generous portions, reasonable prices, spectacular sea views and cheerful atmosphere, it is no wonder that the restaurant has won national acclaim

Thai: Giggling Squid

11 Market St, Brighton BN1 1HH

Their beloved, first restaurant is housed in an old fisherman's cottage. With its chic, floral interior, friendly service and a menu inspired by Thailand's abundance of exotic ingredients, individually or as a group you can enjoy a feast for all the senses.

Small Plates / Grazing: Burnt Orange

59 Middle Street, Brighton,

There's nothing quite like catching up with friends, so our menus are built around social food: simple, flavour-packed dishes designed for grazing.

Order them in individual courses, as a feast for the table or as a snack with your drinks. We cook quality seasonal ingredients over fire and serve them with well-crafted drinks.

We take the quality of drinks seriously. So, whether you order cocktails, soft drinks, wine or beer, you'll end up with a well-made beverage in your hand.

Burnt orange shown in picture

Curry: The Chilli Pickle

17 Jubilee St, Brighton BN1 1GE

The Chilli Pickle Brighton opened in 2008 and expanded to its current site at Jubilee Street in 2010 and has become a Brighton institution in the seaside town.

Lunch focuses on light bites, kebabs, salads & street food with Grand Thalís showcasing India with a kaleidoscope of exciting flavours. Dinner offers the chance for the full Chilli Pickle sharing experience with classic & creative twists on street food, regional curries and succulent kebabs with their signature Barbecue Surf & Turf all with a nod to the seasons and sourcing the best quality ingredients.

Seafood: Riddle & Finns The Beach

65 Kings Road, Brighton, BN1 1NA

Since opening their first Brighton restaurant in 2006 Riddle and Finns Champagne and Oyster Bars has become established as a premier destination for lovers of seafood on the south coast.

Their friendly, experienced hosts ensure you enjoy a relaxed and distinct dining experience. Envious locations coupled with an award-winning combination of Champagne and Oysters, locally sourced shellfish, show-stopping fruits de mer platters and delicious, sustainably sourced fish dishes. A MUST visit for all seafood and foodie lovers!

Great Pub Food: The Walrus.

10 Ship St, Brighton BN1 1AD

A stone's throw from the beach, on historic Ship Street in Brighton's famous Lanes, you'll find the Walrus with its labyrinth of eclectically-decorated rooms and endless winding passageways. You'll also discover a wonderful hidden two-storey roof garden.

They offer a wide variety of culinary tastes from all over the world. Whether you're in for a three course meal, a sandwich or some small plates, they have something for everyone at The Walrus.

Italian: Donatello

1-3 Brighton Pl, Brighton BN1 1HJ

Situated in the heart of Brighton's famous Lanes, Donatello is a family run Italian restaurant frequented by locals, visitors and celebrities alike.

Serving authentic and genuine ristorante cuisine accompanied by award winning wines all at affordable, value for money prices, makes Donatello a longstanding popular restaurant in Brighton.



Brighton's Food Hall: Shelter Hall

Lower Promenade, Brighton Seafront

Shelter Hall is a Brighton's food and drink market celebrating the best of Sussex under one roof.

Featuring seven kitchens and two bars, the seafront market has two floors of indoor dining and a large outdoor terrace.

Shelter Hall Ground Floor shown in picture

European: Coppa in the Lanes

12-16 Brighton Square, Brighton BN1 1HD

Down a maze of narrow streets, you'll find Coppa in the Lanes. A snug, bar and restaurant that opens out onto a private courtyard in Dolphin Square with cosy igloos and festoon lighting.

And for dessert?: Boho Gelato

6 Pool Valley, Brighton, BN1 1NJ

This traditional Italian ice cream parlour, with a twist, has a daily choice of at least 24 flavours, ranging from Vanilla to Violet, Mango to Mojito and Apple to Avocado.

Their list currently stands at more than 150 with new ones regularly being introduced. All ice creams are made fresh on site using Sussex milk and cream and they were included in Rose Prince's 'The Good Produce Guide 2011' as one of the best ice cream shops in the UK

Fine Dining: The Ivy

51A Ship St, Brighton BN1 1AF

The Ivy in the Lanes brings sophisticated and friendly all-day dining to the heart of Brighton and Hove. From great British classics to Asian-inspired cuisine and fantastic vegan and vegetarian dishes, you'll find something for everyone to love.

The brasserie offers a haven from the everyday bustle, full of informal luxury and locally-inspired artwork. You'll find glamorous Art-Deco detail including our striking onyx bar and burnt orange leather banquettes so you can relax in style while enjoying breakfast, brunch, dinner, lunch, afternoon tea or our range of bespoke cocktails.

Japanese: Moshimo

Bartholomew Square, The Lanes, Brighton

Voted both by the Independent and the BBC as one of the top 50 restaurants in the UK and described by the The Times as having a "fanatical following", Moshimo has become one of the leading restaurants on the South Coast.

Known for its fresh, handmade sushi and authentic approach to hot Japanese dishes, MOSHIMO is Brighton's best-loved Japanese restaurant, located in Bartholomew Square in the heart of the Lanes.

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