



Kihei

Alexander's Fish, Chicken & Chips

1913 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American/Seafood
874-0788

A very popular neighborhood hangout and takeout with a patio and just a few tables out front that add to its popularity. Alexander's dishes out broiled, tempura and grilled ono, mahimahi, ahi or other fish, shrimp, calamari, Cajun and teriyaki chicken, ribs and more at reasonable prices, a la carte or in combos. "Secret" sauces and a special batter enhance the flavors of various snacks and dishes. 11am-9pm daily
LOCAL FAVORITE, FAMILY FARE

Antonio's

Long's Center, 1215 S. Kihei Rd

Italian
875-8800

In a cozy and friendly atmosphere, Antonio's serves a delicious variety of antipasti like the Calamari and Sauteed Eggplant Slices, Wild Mushroom and other pasta, lasagna, ravioli, veal dishes, lots of veggie dishes, and everything you would expect from a really good Sicilian-style Italian restaurant, even more creatively and at very reasonable prices. Try the Veal Osso Bucco with saffron risotto or the Smoked Salmon Penne Pasta with sun-dried tomato, garlic, lemon, peas and other items in a creamy vodka sauce. 5-9:30pm, Tues.-Sun., 11:30am-2pm, Tues.-Fri
FAMILY FARE

Aroma D'Italia Ristorante

Foodland Shopping Center, Rd 1881 S. Kihei.

Italian
879-0133

Owner/chef Maria Akina uses her family's recipes and marvelous culinary cooking skills to prepare delicious sauces and meatballs from scratch, like it's supposed to be done. Maria's Spinach and Sausage Lasagna is a specialty. With a warm welcome, meals are served indoors or on the patio. Homemade cannolis and tiramisu. Share the spumoni wedge. Very reasonable prices. 5-9pm daily
DINNER UNDER \$20, FAMILY FARE

Bad Ass Coffee Company

1941 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Coffee House
879-1950

These folks certainly picked a memorable name for their coffee and gift merchandise (clothing, cigars, candy and other items). Try some Bass Ass Kona Peaberry one morning and see if it kicks ass with finesse for you. 6:30am-6pm
LOCAL FAVORITE

Bada Bing!

Kihei Kalama Village, 1945 S. Kihei Rd.

Italian
875-0188

This is what happens when two East Coast guys arrive in Kihei and start whippin' up New Jersey-style Italian classics in a fun, funky atmosphere. Executive Chef Steve Rossi delivers good value with his "secret sauces" and thin-crust pizzas, Spinach, Artichoke & Roasted Garlic Dip, Chicken Picatta and other picatta-style dishes, and Mozzarella En Carozza. The "served-all-day" menu features GIANT meatballs to marsala dishes that try to make you say "Mama Mia!" Sicilian-style thin crust pizzas, an appetizer list with all your favorites, and a well thought-out wine list round out a broke da mouth menu that won't break da bank. 11am-10pm daily
DINNER UNDER \$20, LOCAL FAVORITE

Beach 'n Bagelz Café

2395 S. Kihei Rd., Dolphin Plaza, Kihei

Coffee House/Light Fare
875-7668

Beach 'n Bagelz tries to make up for the galactic distance between Lower East Side Manhattan and Kihei by toasting bagels, smearing them with cinnamon-honey butter, cream cheese, and hummus, stuffing them generously with roast beef, turkey, ham, chicken salad, salami and other goodies for take-out lunch or to eat on the air-conditioned premises. In addition to tasty bagel sandwiches, order salad plates with chicken, antipasto or plain garden salads and one of a dozen tasty smoothies and be on your way to nearby beaches for a picnic.
BREAKFAST UNDER \$10, LOCAL FAVORITE

Big Wave Café

Long's Shopping Center, 1215 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American/Pacific Rim
891-8688

Locals and visitors make repeat visits for the large menu of excellent breakfasts, especially banana and mac nut pancakes, and Big Wave Beef and Vegetarian Burgers, Grilled Roast Beef, baby-back ribs, Maui Reuben and other sandwiches. Fresh fish preparations and other delicious dinner entrées show off Chef Raul Bermudez's talents. Early bird dinner specials (5-6pm) are an excellent value. 7:30am-2pm, 2-5pm, 5-9pm daily
BEST KEPT SECRETS, BREAKFAST UNDER \$10

Café O'Lei Kihei

Rainbow Mall, 2439 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

New American/Sushi
891-1368

Salads, sandwiches, and small selection of lunch entrées, and sushi from a full sushi bar, are as good as you'll find on the South Shore. Baked manila clams or oysters and other brick oven and other specialty appetizers can take care of dinner, but innovative beef, chicken, seafood, braised lamb shank, and roast duckling entrees on the menu deserve your attention. 10:30am- 10:30pm Tu-Sun
FAMILY FARE, SUSHI

Canton Chef

2463 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Chinese
879-1988

Sharing the upstairs of Kama'ole Shopping Center with Denny's, the menu selections all are traditional Cantonese favorites like Chow Mein, Egg Fu Young, Mu Shoo Pork, Chicken with Cashews, Fried Rice, Kung Pao Chicken, Lemon Chicken, Black Mushrooms with Snowpeas, Stir-fried Scallops and others that you'll immediately recognize. A full service bar and carry out are available. 11am-4pm, 5-9pm daily
FAMILY FARE, DINNER UNDER \$20

Cyberbean Internet Café

1881 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American

879-4799

Located next to Foodland, Cyberbean is one of the best places on Maui to access the Net (9 computers or your own laptop + WiFi), play computer games or just upload good java and grinds. With eggs on toast or in a tortilla, croissants filled with ham or other choices, breakfast burritos, a variety of bagels, a surprisingly large choice of hot and cold sandwiches, decent pepperoni pizza, veggie dishes and more, no one will go hungry while cavorting in cyberspace or just frivolously playing computer games. Mon-Sat 7-9pm, Sun 8am-8pm

LOCAL FAVORITE, INTERNET CAFE

Da Kitchen

Rainbow Mall, Kihei

Local Grinds

875-7782

Serving BIG portions of local kine grinds -- tasty teriyaki chicken, pork lau lau, chicken katsu and Kalau pork, Shrimp Scampi, two scoop rice, mac salad and loco moco, all cheap and nothing resembling lo-cal. No one goes away hungry after a Teriyaki Plate or Hawaiian Plate Lunch, the equivalent of a luau without hula dancing. All plate lunch meats can be ordered in sandwiches. 11am-8pm Mon-Fri, 11am-3pm Sat

FAMILY FARE, LOCAL FAVORITE, DINNER UNDER \$20

Enrique's

Dolphin Plaza, 2395 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Mexican

875-2910

The chef brings a taste of Veracruz cuisine to a tiny back corner of Dolphin Plaza that feels like you suddenly entered Mexico. Wine or cold beer is conveniently available next door to consume in a small patio dining spot with your chicken barboca or mole chocolate, shrimp tequila, chipotle or garlic, Mexican fish or fajitas, flautas, quesadillas, taco salads and other tasty dishes. 10am-9pm Mon-Sat., 10am-8pm Sun

FAMILY FARE, DINNERS UNDER \$20

Five Palms Beach Grill

Mana Kai Resort, 2960 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Pacific Rim

879-2607

On the patio next to marvelous Keawakapu Beach enjoy breakfast items like Hawaii Sweet Bread French Toast, baked apple cinnamon pancake or kualua pork omelete. Lunch features Oriental Chicken Salad Wrap, Lobster BLT and salads. Dinner entrées include Szechuan Rack of Lamb, Wok-fried Whole Opakapaka and other appealing dishes. 8am-2:30pm, Pupus 3-6pm, Dinner 5-9:30pm

DINING WITH A VIEW, FAMILY FARE

Fred's Mexican Café

2511 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Mexican

891-8600

Everyone who's been to Fred's in San Diego or OC/CA knows the outstanding quality, taste and portions of their tacos, burritos, quesadillas and other dishes. And now Fred's rocks in Kihei! The tequila (50)/margaritas choices are awesome (please order a Reposado). Great food and atmosphere, oversize portions and friendly service. Guaranteed good time! 12noon-11pm

LOCAL FAVORITE, FAMILY FARE

Greek Bistro, The
Kai Nani Village, 2511 Kihei, Kihei S.

Greek
879-9330

Thanks to the Arabatzis family, South Kihei has had really good Greek food for many years. On the lanai enjoy Stuffed Grape Leaves, sautéed calamari, of course a Greek Salad, Lamb Souvlakia, Moussaka Salonika, Spanokopita, and shrimp, lamb, and chicken dishes prepared with tasty garlic, fresh herbs, lovely tomato and mushroom sauces, and a variety of other authentic Mediterranean and Hellenic dishes and daily specials. 5-10pm FAMILY FARE, MEALS UNDER \$20

Hanafuda Saimin
Azeka Mauka, 1279 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Local Hawaiian/Asian
879-9033

A popular saimin house, you can add teri strips, won ton, kim chee, char sui pork or other favorites to saimin plate lunches, order a variety of mixed and combo plates, teri chicken, Korean chicken, grilled ribeye, seafood combo (mahi mahi, shrimp tempura) and more. 7am-11pm Mon-Thu, 3am Sat, 9pm Sun LOCAL FAVORITE, FAMILY FARE, DINNERS UNDER \$20

Hapa's Brew Haus
Lipoa Center, 41 E. Lipoa, Kihei

Tavern
879-9001

THE place in Kihei and on Maui for live music, from hip-hop to punk rock, and for dancing on the BIG dance floor. Great light and sound system. Eat pasta, stirfry, sashimi and pizza, drink, dance and be merry at a former microbrewery that still serves a good choice of pale ales and dark beers on tap, \$2 from noon to 7pm, and half-off pizzas on Wed. night. (Horhito's next door takes care of more substantial food.) Willi K performs Monday night. Watch for (or watch out for) a weekly teen night and the "ultra-fabulous" alternative lifestyles night on Tuesday night. 10am-2am daily FUN HAPPY HOURS, LOCAL FAVORITE

Hawaiian Moons Natural Food Store
2411 S. Kihei, Kihei

Vegitarian
875-4356

Kihei's numero uno health food minisupermarket and eatery provides a buffet of prepared food and salads that you can purchase as well as organic products for sale that are grown on the island like onions, vine-ripened tomatoes, Maui shiitake mushrooms, lemongrass, okra, coffee, and also free-range Big Island turkeys and chickens, fresh Maui juices and the like. 8am-9pm daily DINNER UNDER \$20, LOCAL FAVORITE

Hirohachi Restaurant
Foodland Shopping Center, 1818 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Japanese/Sushi
875-7474

Only a few doors away from renowned Sansei, authentic, comfortable Hirohachi more than holds its own for delicious sushi, sashimi and its traditional Japanese menu served at a half-dozen tables and the sushi bar. Just try the melt-in-your-mouth yellowtail or the scallops and you'll order more. 5-9:30pm Tu, Sat, Sun, 11:30am-2:30pm, 5:30-9:30pm Wed-Fri., closed Mon. SUSHI, BEST KEPT SECRETS

Horhitos Mexican Cantina
Lipoa Center, 41 E. Lipoa, Kihei

Mexican
891-6394

Hapa's late night menu actually is the menu of Horhito's Mexican Cantina next door. Mondays, when Uncle Willie K plays at Hapa's, Wednesdays, Aloha Nite, when it's \$2 drinks at Hapa's til midnight, Saturday night, when Flava Zone at Hapa's means drink specials all night, and on Ultra-Fabulous Tuesdays at Hapa's, the best gay night on Maui, these "party events" really takes place at Hapa's and at Horhitos. Horihito's reciprocates with its own Festive Fiesta Night. Any night at Horohitos is a festive occasion at the l-o-n-g bar for frosty margaritas (muy grande amigo) with some Ono Ceviche, Baked Artichoke Hearts and other delectable appetizers. Come with friends and share delicious and inexpensive dinner specials such as Tori Tostada with seared Ahi, chicken/beef fajitas, and on and on. 5-9pm to 2am
DINNERS UNDER \$20, FAMILY FARE

Isana Restaurant
515 S. Kihei Rd., N. Kihei

Sushi/Korean
874-5700

If you're craving really fresh maguro or unagi sushi for lunch, Isana is the only sushi restaurant on Maui that is open for lunch. Isana? Located in a two-story building next to the huge lawn of the Aston Maui Lu on South Kihei Rd., Isana has a spacious dining room but the end of the sushi bar is the ideal place to start the evening watching ocean sun and sunset views with a beverage and delicious tuna or salmon hand rolls, nigiri or other sushi. From there move to grill food on yakiniku tables with recessed steel plates that run the length of the very attractively decorated dining room in front of the picture window. Cook your own Kal Bi, Bulgogi, Shrimp and Vegetables and other Korean barbecue or else leave the cooking to a very able chef. 11am-10pm
SUSHI, BEST KEPT SECRETS

Joy's Place
1993 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Vegetarian/Vegan Deli
979-9258

Located in a small storefront on the Auhana St. side of the high-rise Island Surf Building (across from Kalama Park), Joy's organic menu for vegetarian and health-oriented customers is one of the better-kept secrets on Maui. Locals know about her generous and fresh organic salads, low-fat, low salt, wheat free menu items and sandwiches and organic tortilla wraps made with organic greens and turkey, locally caught tuna, Maui avocado, homemade soy cheese, carrot almond pate, cheeseless pesto, plain or curried hummus and other tasty ingredients. For a picnic, take out a Joy Roll, a large rice wrapper stuffed with all kinds of organic veggies, sea nori and ginger sesame sauce, and maybe add some albacore. Pick up some homemade sugar-free cookies and brownies and enjoy a fruit smoothie made with rice and soy. Mon-Sat 10am-5pm
BEST KEPT SECRETS, LOCAL FAVORITE

Kihei Caffé
Kihei Kalama Village, 1945 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American
879-2230

Tiny Kihei Caffé consistently serves good coffee, yummy raspberry twisties and other baked goods, and sandwiches to take out. No hype, no frills, what you see on the menu is more or less what you get: scrambled eggs and chorizo, biscuits and gravy, grilled steak and eggs, loco moco, burgers, honey cashew chicken, pork-fried rice and, oh yes, muesli for the health-conscious. 5am-2pm
BEST KEPT SECRETS, LOCAL FAVORITE

Life's A Beach
1913 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Eclectic
891-8010

Tasty burgers with all of the fixin's, fish & chips, burritos and Mexican dinners, roast chicken and other lunch and dinner menu items fit perfectly in style and quality with the heart and soul of this bar and entertainment spot that jumps until 2am every night (morning?). Happy hour with good drink prices 4-7pm. 11am-1:30am
FUN HAPPY HOUR, LOCAL FAVORITE

Marco's Southside Grill
1445 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Italian/American
874-4041

Marco's duplicates the popularity of its sister restaurant in Kahului, Marco's Grill & Deli. One of the better breakfasts on the South Shore is served in a grand restaurant facility with pleasant Italian Mediterranean décor. If the chocolate cinnamon French toast doesn't appeal to you, the eggs benedict or Apple Cinnamon Pancakes probably will. The lunch menu includes a nice variety of tasty garden and pasta salads that can make full meals, a Ribeye Steak Sandwich, Meatball Parmigiano, homemade Italian sausage, grilled mahimahi, chicken breast, tuna melt and others. For lunch and dinner the portions are large and invite sharing: prime rib, Opakapaka cooked to perfection, Chicken and Veal Parmigiano, Seafood Pasta over linguini with crabmeat, mahimahi, shrimp, scallops and clams in a light garlic cream sauce, and more. Sauces, dressings and everything else is made fresh daily and beef is ground on the premises. 7:30am-10pm daily
BREAKFAST UNDER \$10

Maui Tacos
Kama'ole Beach Center, 2411 S. Kihei Rd, Kihei

Mexican
879-5005

Dishes out big Surf Burritos made with fish, charbroiled chicken or steak, some of the best hard and soft tacos on the island, a choice of chicken, steak, fish or vegetarian combos, and a popular Maui-Mex menu with chicken chimichangas, quesadilla, and more. Ingredients and preparation (no lard, no MSG) are healthy, and salsa and guacamole made fresh daily. 9am-9pm Mon-Sat, 9am-8pm Sun.
LOCAL FAVORITE, DINNER UNDER \$20

Moose McGillycuddy's
2511 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American

Start the day with an excellent breakfast value -- the early-bird special at a table with a view -- or breakfast anytime, and begin the end the day with one of the best happy hours on the island. The day really ends at Moose with late-night entertainment that keeps people hopping until closing time. In between enjoy the burgers, French dip, fresh fish and other tasty sandwiches, fajitas and pasta, and an extensive menu of dinner specials including prime rib, mac nut mahi, Italian and Mexican dishes with one of Moose's tropical drinks. 7:30am-11am, 11am-4pm, 4-10pm
FUN HAPPY HOUR, BREAKFAST UNDER \$7, FAMILY FARE, LOCAL FAVORITE

Outback Steakhouse

Piilani Village Shopping Center, 281 Piikea Ave.

Steak N Seafood
879-8400

Hungry, mate? Aussie-tizers, Kookaburra wings, a huge, fried Bloomin' Onion, Walkabout Soup O' The Day and a multitude of Down Under entrées and desserts really translate into generous portions of tasty steak, ribs, fish, chicken and something for everyone, at reasonable prices. Families can share meals, including the Chocolate Thunder from Down Under (pecan brownie with ice cream and chocolate sauce). 4-10pm daily
STEAK N SEAFOOD, FAMILY DINING

Peggy Sue's

Azeka Place II, 1279 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American
875-8944

This old-fashioned soda shop dishes out huge Big Bopper bacon-cheeseburgers, mammoth pineapple and cheese teriyaki burgers (made with Maui Cattle Beef) loaded with onions, Elvis' own favorite King's Chili Cheeseburger, NY Strip Steaks, charbroiled Mahi Mahi, BBQ ribs, tasty sandwiches, cherry cokes, egg creams, chocolate malts and shakes and velvety, smooth Roselani Tropics Ice Cream. 11am-9pm Sun-Thurs., 11am-10pm Fri-Sat.
FAMILY FARE, DINNER UNDER \$20

Pita Paradise

Kihei Kalama Village, 1913 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Greek/Mediterranean
875-7679

On the outside deck of this small dining spot, Pita filled with lamb, Chicken or fresh catch is served for lunch. Food and service are excellent and a really good value. Chef/owner John Arabaty catches the fish served fresh daily. Try the chef's fish special any night or gyros, Lamb Kabob, pan-seared calamari, sautéed Paradise Shrimp, Steak and Kula Onions and other very tasty menu options. Try the Baklava Ice Cream Cake for dessert. 11am-9:30pm Mon-Sat., 5-9:30pm Sun.
DINNERS UNDER \$20, LOCAL FAVORITE

Roy's

303 Piikea Avenue, Safeway Plaza, Kihei

Hawaiian Regional
891-1120

Now you can enjoy Roy's fusion or Euro-Asia menu, bustle and style in Kihei as well as Kahana Gateway Shopping Center. Some people understandably never get past Roy's dozen amazing appetizers. The pasta and pizza dishes are unlike any you've ever tasted. The seafood entrees take opakapaka, ahi, opa, mahimahi, and other fish into uncharted culinary waters. Call the cuisine Euro-Asian or Hawaiian Fusion, its highlights are the freshest seasonal ingredients, eclectic fare, an incredible array of 20-25 nightly specials, a great selection of wines and signature desserts that cunningly wreck all resolve for dieting (especially the Chocolate Soufflé). If you choose the nightly "cross-cultural" mixed plate or the group tasting menu of six courses and six wines, you've leave the restaurant a complete convert to Roy's and have to figure out how to try other restaurants. Good luck! 5:30-10pm
SUSHI, SEAFOOD

Sansei Seafood & Sushi Bar

1881 S. Kihei Rd., Foodland Shopping Center, Kihei

Asian Fusion

879-0004

D.K. Kodama brought the same superb quality of cuisine, décor and atmosphere to Kihei in 2002 as you'll find in his original Kapalua restaurant. Expect perfect tempura, sushi rolls of endless variety, and other delicious dishes plus a great sushi bar. Start with a Japanese Calamari Salad or the Sansei Special Roll of spicy crab, fresh cilantro and veggies enhanced by sweet Thai chili sauce. For an entrée the Grilled Fresh Hawaiian Ahi and Asian Rock Shrimp Cake are hard to surpass. Early birds (before 6pm) and night owls (11pm-2am) get very attractive discount deals. 5:30-10pm, 10pm-2am Thur-Sat
SUSHI

Sarento's on the Beach

2980 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Italian/Mediterranean

875-7555

Located on a beautiful beach, luxuriating in gorgeous views, diners seated at white-linen tables enjoying first-class service have complete confidence that Chef George Gomes will provide a superb cuisine up to the rest of the setting. Dine in one of the cozy booths with as much privacy as you want or al fresco at Sarento's on the Keawakapu beachfront. Start with a signature Greek Salad. For a dish with a very creative Hawaiian flair order Swordfish Saltimbocca with prosciutto, Bel Paese cheese and porcinis. For a dish with an Italian flair, veal lovers choose the Osso Buco or Cotolette Capricciosa. Quality wines in all price ranges will satisfy most palettes. Fans of Tiramisu will not be disappointed. 5-10pm daily
DINING WITH A VIEW, ROMANTIC DINING

Sausage Shack

1913 S. Kihei, next to Foodland, Kihei

Local

874-6444

Sells delicious homemade sausage sandwiches on freshly baked buns, and really good cheeseburgers, with a vast variety of condiments. 11am-7pm daily
LOCAL FAVORITE, DINNER UNDER \$20

Shaka Sandwich & Pizza

1770 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Pizza/Italian

874-0331

A local favorite for New York-style pizza with thin crust and thick Sicilian Pizza, Shaka is equally popular for its Philly cheese steaks, homemade Italian bread and other Italian sandwiches. Spinach pizza, pizzas with wonderful Maui onion, anchovies, and jalapeño toppings all can come together as an ono Shaka Combo. Take-out & delivery.
10:30am-9pm Sun-Thu
10:30am-10pm Fri & Sat.
PIZZA, FAMILY DINING

Spices

Maui Coast Hotel, 2259 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

American w/Island Flavors

891-8860

From biscuits and gravy to vegetable omelets for breakfast, calamari strips to classic club sandwiches for lunch and Hawaiian style cioppino to grilled lamb chops for dinner, Spices serves a varied menu that will satisfy most tastebuds. The chef features prime rib on Fri. & Sat. nights. The Tradewinds Poolside Café is a local favorite for live music nightly 6-9pm.
ROMANTIC DINING, FAMILY FARE

Stella Blues Café

Azeka Place II, 1279 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

New American Comfort Food

874-3779

Besides classic Banana Macadamia Nut Pancakes and Nova scramble, Stella features creative south of the border dishes like a tortilla wrapped around sautéed tofu covered with sprouts, onions and sour cream topped with salsa and avocado. For lunch in addition to cobb and other salads, tasty sandwiches include French Dip and pastrami melt. Fresh fish of the day is served at three meals from fish omelets to fish sandwiches and four different preparations (blackened, pan-seared, roasted and grilled) for dinner, each one with a special sauce that fits perfectly. Delicious dinner choices include Lamb shank slowly braised in red wine, slow-roasted baby-backed ribs rubbed with “secret spices,” roast chicken, pot roast, meat loaf, a tantalizing seafood stew, and a surprising variety of pasta, including vegetarian lasagna, and crispy pizzas from the kiawe oven. Vegetarians will be extremely happy here three meals a day. 7:30-11pm LOCAL FAVORITE, FAMILY DINING

Thailand Cuisine

Kukui Mall Shopping Center, 1819 S. Kihei, Rd., Kihei

Thai

875-0839

In nicely decorated and comfortable surroundings, choose from over 160 delicious dishes including many vegetarian choices including Thai Spring Rolls and Crispy Calamari as appetizers, and papaya, shrimp and beef salads, Thai Red Curry Shrimp, Chicken Panang and other curry dishes for entrées. All dishes include fresh herbs grown by the restaurant’s owners, Brian and Ana. 11am-2:30pm Mon-Sat., 5-10pm daily
FAMILY DINING, LOCAL FAVORITE

The Coffee Store

Azeka Place II, 1279 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Coffee/Light Fare

875-4244

You can’t get veggie-and-shrimp quesadillas at Starbucks but, along with a couple dozen types of coffee drinks, you can at The Coffee Store along with bagels, pizza, lasagna and desserts and a very nice cup of pure Kona. 6:30am-7pm
LOCAL FAVORITE, LIGHT FARE

Vietnamese Cuisine Restaurant & Bar

1280 S. Kihei Rd., Kihei

Vietnamese

875-2088

Azeka Place I is not a very exciting, upbeat shopping mall. Its main claim to fame is Ace Hardware store. Inside Vietnamese Cuisine, however, all that matters is that the décor is attractive, the service excellent, and the food is exceptionally good: Feast on fresh summer rolls with shrimp, several kinds of Pho, Crispy Egg Noodle w/Seafood and other noodle dishes, Sauteed Lemon Fried Spring Rolls, Chicken Pho, Curried Chicken w/Lemon Grass (a rice plate), various vegetarian dishes made with tofu, chicken, beef and seafood dishes made in a wok, catfish, shrimp and pork dishes made in claypots, and much more that takes full advantage of locally grown vegetables and herbs. 11am-9:30pm daily
FAMILY FARE, LOCAL FAVORITE