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HARBOUR HOUSE

• For sea-view seekers

You'd be hard-pressed to find a better table with a sea view in Cape Town. Bar an interiors tweak here and there, this Kalk Bay icon that's perched on the rocks hasn't changed its recipe much since it opened – and judging by the loyal fans, it works. Book ahead. And if there's one thing you need to try it's the tempura prawn and avocado nian – it's sensational! **Insider tip:** A window table at full moon is unforgettable! harbourhouse.co.za



CAPE POINT VINEYARDS

• For gourmet picnickers

Despite the name, you don't have to drive to the ends of the peninsula for a country picnic, simply head to this estate in Noordhoek and enjoy a picnic basket while lounging on the lawns. Each basket (R395) is crammed with meats, cheeses, pâtés, salad, olives and artisanal breads and, with beautiful beach views and a laid-back family-friendly vibe, be prepared to settle in for the afternoon. **Pisst** ... you need to order your basket 24 hours in advance. cpv.co.za

BEAU CONSTANTIA

• For sushi-loving wine tasters

With its ridiculously beautiful Constantia valley views and tasty estate wines, it's no surprise that this contemporary wine bar has proven a hit with locals and visitors alike. The Sushi Box sushi platters round off the elegant experience perfectly. beauconstantia.com



KALKY'S

• For fish-and-chips fiends

Place your order, take your place in the queue at this harbourside institution, then head for the harbour wall to tuck into it all. The combination of sea air, the sound of the gulls and the sight of families fishing off the walls (who knows if they ever catch anything!) makes for a #roughly memorable al fresco eating experience. **Must try:** You can't go wrong with freshly battered hake and chips, but the family platter with prawns and calamari added to the mix is outstanding. [facebook.com/kalkys.seafood](https://www.facebook.com/kalkys.seafood)

DEL MAR

• For modern Mex heads

The owners (of Bukhara fame) have made things absolutely authentic at this classy Mexican eatery – from the food (ceviche, adobo marinades and real-deal streetfood starters), to the custom crockery and delicious cocktails. Add a view of Camps Bay and you've got a winning spot. No wonder the city's glossy posies are heading here in their droves. We love the attention to detail – they have no less than nine salsas to choose from! bukhara.com



Del Mar offers modern Mexican done properly



THE CREAMERY

• For the ice-cream aficionados

This delightful mint-trimmed parlour in Newlands (it also has a branch in Salt River and a stand at the Watershed market at the Waterfront) is a haven of creamy, dreamy ice creams made using the very best ingredients. Think the likes of sea-salt caramel, barley malt and 65% chocolate. And the waffles are wonderful! thecreamery.co.za



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