



Where to Eat Now
Maine's top chefs pick fifty favorite restaurants.
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The Maine Diner

2265 Post Rd., Wells, 207-646-4441.

Steve and Michelle Corry, of Five Fifty-Five, discovered this Maine favorite when they used to work at the White Barn Inn in Kennebunkport. "There was always a long wait to be seated," they recall, "but well worth it! Now when Steve's parents come to visit us in Portland they still insist we take them to the Maine Diner." This York County culinary holdout serves iconic diner food with a distinctly New England twist. Whether you go for their house specialty, Lobster Pie, the Clam-O-Rama (clam chowder, fried clams, and clam cakes), or the Eddie Andelman, homemade macaroni and cheese served with two quarter-pound Grilled Pearl Kountry Klub franks (this dish is named after Boston's first sports radio personality), you are guaranteed not to leave hungry.

Sweet Showstopper: Don't miss the authentic New England Indian pudding: corn meal, molasses, light cream, butter, brown sugar, ginger, and cinnamon. They serve it warm, topped with vanilla ice cream.