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DISH

Saturday is Pi Day

Mathematicians and dessert lovers have reason to celebrate, thanks to Pop Pie Co. The University Heights artisanal bakery will put its crust in the hands of other chefs in recognition of the infinite number pi (3.14). San Diego chefs Andy Harris (Grand Ole BBQ y Asado), Brandon Zanavich (The Priendly), Samantha Aaron (Spoiled Vegans Cafe) and Pop Pie's chef Gan Suebsarakham help fans devour a whole lot of pie. Harris will bring his BBQ Pork Daddy Mac Pie, Zanavich will have a pot pietake on his Dirty Flat Top Cheese Burger, Aaron will provide a healthy balance with a BBQ Jackfruit Mac & Cheese Pie, and Suebsarakham will provide his personal recipe, Green Curry Chicken Pie. Sister ice cream shop Stella Jean's will serve a menu of its most popular flavors (honey rosemary, Earl Grey, salted caramel corn, s'mores and mango sticky rice), alongside flavors not normally on the menu, including ube pan desal (a purple yam bread), banana pudding, Thaitea and Golden Mylk, a caffeinefree beverage, made with a creamy nut milk base and spices. The day's festivities start at 7 a.m. with a number of specials, including free hand pies for the first 50 people in line. 4404 Park Blvd., San Diego. CO.COM

Cafe Gratitude Will offer \$5 slices of its Awakening Key Lime Pie made with avocado lime custard, cashew-eoconut whinned cream, monk fruit and sug ar-free pecan crust. 1980 Kettner Blvd., San Diego. (619) 736-5077. cafegratitude.com

Pacific Social in Carmel Valley will celebrate the infinite number with current seasonal pie flavors, including spiced apple, Key lime, s'mores, triple berry, toasted coconut and chocolate pecan dulce de leche, Purchase one 6-inch pie at its regular price, and get anotherone for \$3.14. The Village at Pacific Highlands Ranch, 6025 Village Way. San Diego. (858) 720-6645.



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St. Paddy's Sour at Primavera Ristorante in Coronado.

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Patxi's Pizza in Hillcrest will serve dine-in guests a 10-inch specialty thin-crust pizza for \$3.14, with the purchase of any 14-inch deep-dish or specialty pizza, including the pesto-infused bianco verdeand the prosciutto and arugula thin crust. 3888 Fourth Ave.,

San Diego, patrispizza.com

Tuesday is St. Patrick's Day

Barleymash kicks off the holiday with traditional Irish specials, like corned beef and cabbage and whiskey libations sponsored by Tullamore Dew. 600 Fifth Ave., San Diego. (619) 255-7373, barleymash.com

Bleu Bohème's signature green drink, the Basil Martini, is made with imported French vodka, fresh basil and a touch of citrus, 4090 Adams Ave., San Diego. (619) 255-4167. bleuboheme.com

Bruegger's Bagels brings back its shamrockgreen hagels available Saturday through Tuesday. They can be purchased individually or by the dozen on a first-come, first-served basis, while supplies last, Locations: San Diego, Coronado and Carlsbad. eggers.com

Campfire chef Andrew Santana turns corned beef and cabbage on its head with his beeflengua, plated with house-made sauerkraut, brown sugar and Champagne vinegar-pickled mustard seeds, 17-ingredient secret sauce, topped with a steamed cabbage leaf. 2725 State St. Carlsbad. (760) 637-5121, thisiscampfire.com

All Dog Haus Biergarten

locations will serve up green beer on St. Patrick's Day. Plus, venues with a full bar are offering \$6 Jameson shots and \$7 Pickle Backs. 227 E. Broadway, Vista and 969 Ninth Ave., San Diego.

Duck Dive in Pacific Beach will host a festive Taco Tuesday with \$3 green beer and \$3 corned beef and hash tacos starting at 5 p.m. If you can't wait until St. Patrick's Day, the open-air beach bar is serving weekend brunch featuring green beer a specialty shamrock shake and Irish breakfast shots, 4650 Mission Blod. San Diego. (858) 273-3825. theduckdive.com/home

The St. Paddy's Sour, a celebratory cocktail made with Jameson Irish whiskey, lime juice, lemon juice and simple syrup and a lime wheel and mint spring garnish, can be found at the end of the Primavers Ristorante rainbow. 932 Orange ave., Coronado. (619) 435-0454. primavera1st.com

Prohibition properly celebrates St. Patrick's Day with three Irish cocktails made with Proper Twelve whiskey along with offering "proper pours" for \$10. Guests can choose one or try all three: What the Fook, made with banana oleosaecharum (a combination of sugar and citurs) and R&D house bitters; Penicillin #4, made with ginger, honey, citric acid and R&D smoked bitters; and Fear of the Dark, made with cold brew coffee, orgeat and R&D sarsaparilla bitters. 548 Fifth Ave., San Diego. (619) 501-1919, prohibitionsd.com

Vard House Dutsan American twist on the traditional corned beef and cabbage with its corned beef braised in beer and aromatics. It's served with boiled red potatoes and cabbage. What would this savory dish be without a Guinness or an ice-cold green beer (available upon request), or \$5 pints available from 6 to 10 p.m. The Shoppes at Carlsbad, 2525 El Camino Real, Suite 210, Carlsbad and Mission Valley mall, 1640 Camino Del Rio N., Space 157, San Diego. yardhouse.com

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