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Dining Out

Restaurant Review

After contemplating where to go for supper, being disappointed in a meal is the last thing one wants to experience. Choosing Zane's is one way to avoid that.

Zane's, a new restaurant in the heart of Hermosa Beach, is serving up seafood, pasta and steaks that won't make you regret going out to eat. The chic new restaurant, just blocks from the beach at Pier and Hermosa avenues, has a meal for everyone.

Upon sitting at white cloth-covered tables, diners are given freshly baked bread along with hummus and roasted peppers as a quality wine list is provided and nine appetizers are offered to

uncooked tuna covered in an oriental sesame sauce.

Zane's offers four salads for people to pick from, too. Jumbo shrimp or grilled chicken can be added to the Caesar or house salads for around \$12. The iceberg wedge salad with bleu cheese, smoked applewood bacon and chopped tomatoes or the mista salad that includes pear slices, candied walnuts, goat cheese and balsamic are recommended and cost \$9.

People who are hungry for pizza can order a 10-inch one for less than \$15. There is a vegetarian, margherita,

mediterraneo, chicken pesto or il forno available, which has spinach, mushrooms, olives, mozzarella and parmesan.

There are six types of pasta to pick from for around \$15 at Zane's. They include scampi, lobster or spinach ravioli, tomato basil and colori pasta. A New York strip, filet mignon or ribeye are also available for around \$30; or one can try the seafood, which includes grilled salmon, sea bass, cioppino,

seared ahi tuna or grilled halibut, all for around \$20. Sides include rosemary potatoes, sautéed spinach and steamed vegetables for the seafood entrees. Steak entrees also include sautéed mushrooms, a baked potato and sweet potato or french fries. Chicken and burgers are also on the menu for around \$15.

The restaurant's atmosphere is very inviting with its high-beamed ceilings, huge windows and dark interior. Corner booths and dining tables with bench seat options make up most of the room while

a bar and large flat screen take up the rest. Jazz engulfs the room, and the wait staff is very friendly and attentive.

So next time you're contemplating where to eat, try out this restaurant that's just two weeks new and has a variety of meals anyone would enjoy.

For more information, call (310) 748-3314. Zane's is located at 1150 Hermosa Ave.

— by Eric Michael Stitt



Zane's in Hermosa Beach

choose from.

Spinach and artichoke dip, sweet potato fries, ahi tuna, clam steamers, crab cakes, shrimp cocktail and bruschetta are a few of the starters. They range in price from \$8 to \$14. A special one that's often available is the tuna tartar. It's a highly recommended cylindrical mold that consists of crispy wonton pieces topped with avocado chunks and