



Avalon  
*Beach Cottage.*  
GUIDE BOOK

# FOOD SCENE

## CLASSIC COFFEE

*South Avalon Headland, Avalon Beach*

Open from 6am daily, offering incredible views of Avalon Beach with fantastic coffee and snack offering. Essential to visit year round to take in the scenery.

## CAFE RELISH

*1 North Avalon Road, Avalon Beach*

Great for quick bites across breakfast and lunch, dine in or take away. A real local favourite just two-minutes down the road.

## FERNANDO'S PERUVIAN ROTISSERIE

*1 North Avalon Road, Avalon Beach*

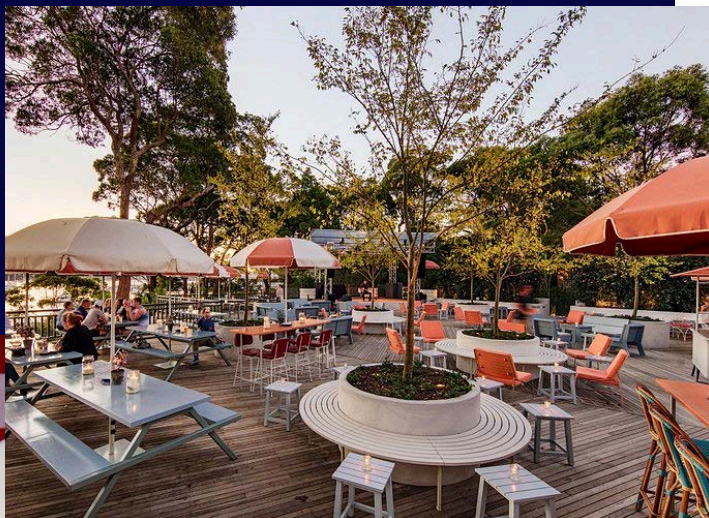
Great Coffee and food. Roast Chickens, Hamburgers and so much more. Open 7 Days.

## GRAZE N CAKES

*3/38 Burrawong Road, Avalon Beach*

A hidden local treasure tucked away off the main strip, Graze N Cakes offers amazing baked treats daily with great coffee and their famous Banh Mi rolls. Well worth a visit.





## DINING SCENE

### **POCKET PIZZA**

*1 Simmonds Lane, Avalon Beach*

A salute to the back lanes of New York's pizza capital, Little Italy, Pocket Pizza is a must visit pizza restaurant in Avalon. Serving up a range of creative pizzas and modern twists on classics including: Pasta Alla Vodka, truffle mac'n'cheese and an extra caffeinated Tiramisu. The vibes are perfectly complemented with live music on the occasional Friday and Saturday.

### **ALMA AVALON**

*47 Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach*

Alma, established in 2017, offers a fresh and flavourful take on coastal Mexican street cuisine. with an emphasis on locally sourced seafood and produce.

### **THE NEWPORT**

*2 Kalinya Street, Newport*

The Newport is one of Sydney's most iconic venues, with an alfresco marketplace feel, you can choose your own adventure with a variety of food outlets overlooking the water.



# TAKE AWAY

## **OCEANA TRADERS**

*31 Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach*

Established by the Frazer family in 2014, they first began at local farmers markets in the Northern Beaches of Sydney specialising in the highest quality, local seafood served fresh or made to order.

## **SABIANG THAI RESTAURANT**

*49 Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach*

Sabiang's menu is designed to be shared in the traditional Thai style with delicious entrées, multiple mains or noodles and rice. Sabiang has something for everyone.

## **CURRY BY THE CURVE**

*1 North Avalon Road, Avalon Beach*

Whether you're a connoisseur of curry or a novice explorer of Indian dishes, Curry by the Curve offers something for every discerning palate. From the rich and creamy textures of their curries to the delicate complexities of tandoori delights.





## ESSENTIALS

### BREAD AND PASTRIES

There are two excellent bakeries in Avalon Village – La Banette on Avalon Parade and Bonfire Bakery on Old Barrenjoey Road (those streets are the two main roads of Avalon Village).

### AVALON ORGANICS

*25 Avalon Parade, Avalon Beach*

Avalon Organics has a wonderful selection of organic produce as well as meats, condiments and prepared meals – 25 Avalon Parade.

### WOOLWORTHS METRO

*74 Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach*

Woolworths covers everything, the Avalon branch is a mid-size one and has a good range of groceries and fruit and vegetables. And the gelato store is right next door!

### AVALON VILLAGE MEATS

*30 Avalon Parade, Avalon Beach*

There is a great old-school butcher shop on Avalon Parade called Avalon Village Meats opposite Mitre 10.



# ACTIVITIES

## **Bangalley Headland Walk:**

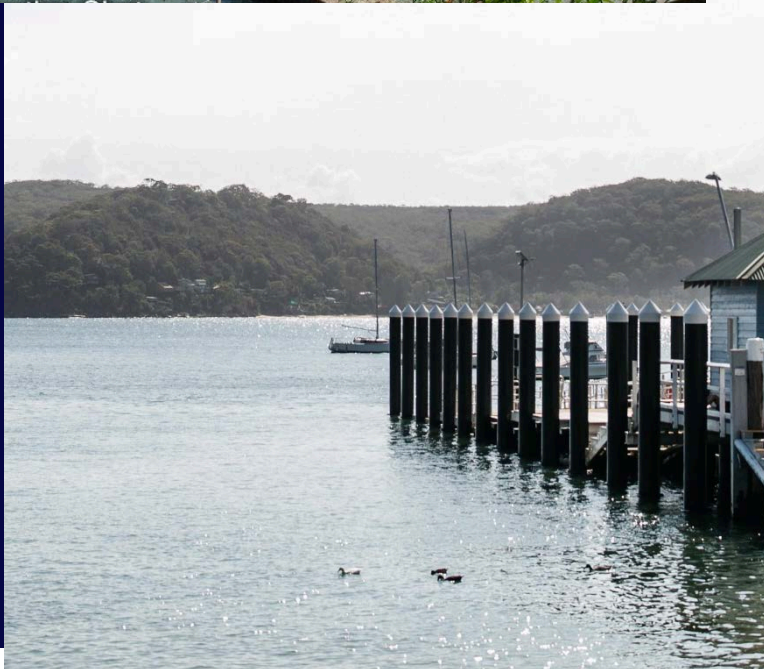
Great coastline views south to Sydney and north to Broken Bay and the Central Coast. The Headland is the highest point on Sydney's northern coastline. The entrance to the coastal path is nearby, an easy 10-min walk from the Cottage. Turn left from the front gate, take the second right at Urara Road then left onto Marine Parade down to the coastal path between 2 Watkins and 97 Marine Parade. Signs and route markings start from there. Even the first part is worth the trip!

## **Barrenjoey Lighthouse Walk & Summer Bay:**

A bit further afield is the famous Barrenjoey Lighthouse at Palm Beach. The lighthouse is one of the most iconic sights on Sydney's northern beaches. Built in 1881 from sandstone quarried on site, the lighthouse, its oil room and keepers' cottages remain unpainted in the original stone finish.

There is a parking area at Governor Phillip Park at Palm Beach (drive north to the end of the road!) and from there the walk is about 30mins each way, whether by the main route or you could choose to walk Smugglers Track instead, for a more challenging hike to the top. The name comes from customs officers who built the track to monitor smugglers bringing contraband into Broken Bay around 1850. Smugglers Track offers a steeper and shorter trek up to the lighthouse, but it's well worth the effort.





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### **Pittwater Ferries:**

The wharf at Palm Beach (opp Barrenjoey House) has regular ferry departures to the Central Coast (Ettalong and Patonga) and to the small communities on the western shores of Pittwater like the Basin and Mackerel Beach.

The Basin roundtrip is fun and a great way just to see what the little bays around Pittwater are like. It takes about 45mins in total and the whole area is beautiful. [Fantasea.com.au](http://Fantasea.com.au)  
There is a Boathouse Group bar and restaurant at Patonga which can be a fun day trip for lunch. Ferries from the same wharf, [boathouseferryco.com.au](http://boathouseferryco.com.au)

### **Paradise Beach Pool:**

At the bottom of Paradise Avenue in Avalon is a stunning little spot with a recently renovated shark-netted swimming pool on Pittwater. When the ocean beach is too windy from nor'easters or southerlies, this secret location is worth the short drive.



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