

As for restaurants, our favorites are listed below ..

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*Please **ALWAYS** do call **before** going to ensure they are open, not too busy, etc.*

The Coffee Shack (GREAT breakfast & lunch place, amazing views; 20 mins south of Kona)

<https://www.coffeeshack.com/>

Fish Hopper Seafood & Steaks ... (we like this place for breakfast; dinner is good too !)

<https://www.fishhopperkona.com/>

Island Lava Java .. (breakfast, lunch, dinner .. great ocean views, good food)

<https://islandlavajava.com/>

Ultimate Burger .. (Locally sourced ingredients; a bit expensive for burgers but VERY good)

<https://www.ultimateburger.net>

Kona Brewing Company .. (Hawaiian & Pizza & Kona Brews of course)

<https://www.konabrewinghawaii.com/come-visit>

Umekes Fish Market Bar & Grill .. (Lunch / Dinner; Hawaiian / great poke bowls)

<https://www.umekesrestaurants.com/>

Huggos on the Rocks ... (great ocean views for lunch/dinner; a bit of night spot later on)

<https://huggosontherocks.com/>

Sushi Shiono .. (Japanese cuisine; NOT just Sushi / Can be expensive)

<https://www.sushishiono.com/kailua-kona/>

Izakaya Shiono .. (various Japanese cuisine; not as expensive)

<https://www.sushishiono.com/izakaya-shiono/>

Kamana Kitchen ... (excellent Indian food; good for take-out too)

<https://www.kamanakitchen.com/kailua-kona/>

Jackie Reys Ohana Grill .. (upscale, good food, more expensive; fairly close to Lako House)

<https://www.jackiereys.com>

Kai Eats & Drinks ... (new restaurant .. haven't been there yet ... at the old 'Bubba Gump' location)

<http://kaieats.com/>

Ocean Seafood Chinese Restaurant .. (buffet is inexpensive but food on menu is MUCH better)

<https://www.oceanseafoodchinese.com/menu.aspx>

Royal Thai Café ... (we think it's the best Thai food in the Kona area; 'Keauhou' is just south of Kona)

<https://keauhoushoppingcenter.com/stores/royal-thai-cafe/>

Manago Hotel Restaurant ... (famous for their pork chops, liver & onions is also great; south of Kona)

<https://www.managohotel.com/restaurant/>

Fosters Kitchen ... (great views & food; consider going before sunset; Covered dining room; night spot)

<https://www.fosterskitchen.com/>

Gypsea Gelato ... (AMAZING Gelato .. Best dessert in Kona town; there's also a south Kealahou location)

<https://www.gypseagelato.com/>