



Eating and Drinking

Dinner & More

The Southerner – 800 Holland St., Saugatuck, MI The best fried chicken you'll find, with many other southern treats. Scratch-cooking and a Michigan-centric beer & spirits menu, accented by a cocktail menu that features the classics (and co-written by Fred.) Co-owners Chef Matt Millar and Amy Cook are long-time farm to table advocates having previously founded The Journeyman in Fennville. Indoor/outdoor seating.

No reservations, drinks on the patio if they're on a wait. (269) 857-3555 thesouthernermi.com

Order online for carryout

Salt of the Earth – Fennville

A nice dining room with a small patio for outdoor seating. They feature an elevated American-rustic menu with a focus on MI grown ingredients, including some from their adjacent garden and their wood-fired oven. Michigan focused beer, wine and spirits that support an eclectic cocktail menu.

Reservations available & suggested.

(269) 561-7258

www.saltoftheearthfennville.com

Pennyroyal – Saugatuck

Missy Corey & team are very agriculturally focused, including growing produce on their own Fennville farm for the restaurant and for sale in their eclectic, MI- focused provisions market. Small scale space with a beautiful outdoor patio. Refined drink menu and excellent desserts.

Reservations available & suggested.

(269) 455-5133

www.pennyroyalprovisions.com

Borrowed Time – Douglas

Sprawling outdoor space along with a comfy indoor dining room and bar. They specialize in small plates covering many different cuisines. Great for sharing and ordering for the table. A well curated wine list is supported by an intentional cocktail and beer list as well.

Reservations available. (269) 455-5256

www.borrowedtimesaugatuck.com

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What Not Inn – Fennville

Old-school roadside joint. Long-time locals. Monday night jazz. Check for hours, sometimes breakfast.

Closed Tuesdays

El Jaripeo – Fennville

Dining in or reliable and quick carryout, El Jaripeo brings tasty Mexican cuisine to downtown Fennville

Phil's Bar & Grill – Saugatuck

A tavern-style restaurant with upscale food and tasty drinks. Phil's is a cozy, usually bustling place.

Walkups only

Wally's Bar & Grill – Saugatuck

The definition of bar and grill, Wally's is a local legend. Lunch, dinner, and late-night drinks. Music on the weekends.

Everyday People Café – Douglas

Multi-faceted Americana menu with a deep wine list. Indoor and outdoor seating.

Marro's – Saugatuck

Classic Italian – seasonal hours. Try the clam sauce.

Bodie's - Saugatuck

Steakhouse menu. Cozy indoor space and lovely patio.

Coast 236 – Saugatuck

A menu that focuses on seafood from around the world with a local flair.



Craft Beverage & Tasting Rooms

Breweries

Waypost Brewing – Fennville (Seasonal Food)

Saugatuck Brewing – Douglas (+ Food)

Guardian Brewing – Saugatuck (+ Food)

Mitten Brewing – Saugatuck (+ Pizza)

New Holland Spirits – Saugatuck, South Haven
(Full brewery in Holland)

(More in Holland, Pullman, Allegan and South Haven!)

Wineries

Fenn Valley Vineyards – Fennville

Modales Winery – Fennville Michigan

Wine Co. - Fennville

Wyncroft/Marland Wines (by appt. only)

Cideries

Crane's - Fennville

Virtue – Fennville

Lunch, Deli & Carryout

Farmhouse Deli, Douglas

Dine in, carryout or stock up on tasty ingredients to take home. Delicious sandwiches, salads and sides.

Root Coffeehouse & Café, Fennville

Coffeehouse, art gallery featuring local artists and tasty and diverse scratch-made menu for lunch and early dinner.

Pizza Quest

Fennville's newest addition and we love 'em. Tasty carryout pizza. (269) 722-3180

Blue Goose Café, Fennville

Our local diner has classic breakfast and lunch with homemade chicken noodle soup.

Isabel's Market, Douglas

Market with a combination of pre-made food and drink to go, and sundries, including beer, wine and spirits. Some seating available indoor and out.

Back Alley Pizza, Douglas

Another local legend. An innovative pizza menu that doesn't disappoint. Takeout only, unless you get one of the two chairs.

Red Dock – Douglas

A bar at the end of a pier will transport you to island time. Food and drink – and they close some time before sundown. Hours and days vary, Memorial Day to Labor Day. If the flag is up, they're open. Sunday music is a local treasure.

LOCAL RESOURCES:

City of Fennville

www.fennville.gov

Saugatuck Douglas CVB

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

Saugatuck Douglas Business Association

<https://saugatuckdouglas.com/>

Getting Around:

Taxis – Uber – Lyft: We have two local taxi companies in our little lake community. Not much for uber or Lyft, but you can get lucky. If you're catching a ride from Grand Rapids, especially the airport – Uber/Lyft can work well but getting back to the airport or around town locally is another story – there are rarely drivers in the area.

Local Taxis:

Douglas Taxi (269) 543-3355

Cyndi's Moonlight Express (269) 910-3222