

Deep-Rooted & Delicious



food for more than 15 years

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The grit and dedication that goes into building a restaurant is impressive. These restaurants put their heart and soul into creating that first menu. They lost sleep over hand selecting the first paint stroke to touch those restaurant walls. They created an establishment for you, the community, to indulge in. The skill it takes to keep a restaurant up and running for more then 15 years is remarkable. And that's exactly what the following five eateries have done. Their dreams have become an untouchable and powerful reality. These restaurants are household names, and rightfully so - they've spent many years fine-tuning and polishing their craft. We encourage you to visit the chefs and see for yourself why they've been open and successful for more than a decade.

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Lucky 32 Southern Kitchen

7307 Tryon Road, Cary

Serving food for 28 years

In 1989, Lucky 32 Southern Kitchen opened its first location in Greensboro. The success of this farm-to-table, Southern fare restaurant encouraged them to open their second location in Cary in 2002. The restaurant is working with nearly 18 NC farmers and nine North Carolina beverage makers to supply a well-rounded and locally sourced menu.

Lucky 32 Kitchen is open for lunch, dinner, and Sunday brunch. The fried chicken is served on Sundays starting at 3pm and Wednesdays starting at 4pm. Multiple media outlets statewide have praised the dish. The menu, however, offers many succulent items. The jambalaya is a Cajun-spiced dish with wild-caught American shrimp, chicken and Andouille sausage. Collard greens, grit cakes, and cornbread can accompany any dish to give it that final touch of Southern style. The kitchen is a long-time staple in the community and a supporter of locally sourced goods; pop by for a taste of your own backyard.