

OUR HISTORY

Sortino's Italian Kitchen is all about good food, rich tradition and a healthy splash of sauce. This authentic, old-school Italian restaurant continues the Sortino family's legacy of culinary excellence, bringing their Sicilian roots and recipes to the heart of Kalahari Resorts & Conventions.

Established over 60 years ago by Giorgio and Giacomo (Jimmy) Sortino in Sandusky, Ohio, Sortino's began as a family-owned business. Brothers George and Jimmy Sortino carried the torch, sharing their father Michele's authentic Sicilian recipes with the community since 1974. Today, Kalahari Resorts proudly partners with the Sortino family to continue their story.

"Our family has shared our love of Sicilian cuisine for generations, and it's a blessing to see Sortino's thrive within Kalahari Resorts," said George Sortino. "This partnership allows us to bring our cherished recipes to new guests while staying connected to our roots."

First introduced at Kalahari's Pocono Mountains location in 2017, Sortino's has since become a guest favorite. With its continued presence at Kalahari Resorts in Sandusky, Ohio, Round Rock, Texas, and now Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin, guests can enjoy the flavors of Sicily alongside the resort's many amenities and attractions.

Whether gathering for a meal with friends, hosting a business dinner, or simply feeding the kids, Sortino's Italian Kitchen satisfies the appetite and soothes the soul with the flavors of Italy and the warmth of family—making every meal a celebration.





COCKTAILS

NAPOLITANO OLD FASHIONED Redemption bourbon, Nonino Amaro, Luxardo cherry syrup, Peychaud Bitters	18
BLUEBERRY LEMON DROP Fresh muddled blueberries, Three Olives Blueberry vodka, Tuaca, fresh squeezed lemon juice, cane sugar syrup	16
MARGARITA ITALIANO Sauza Tres Generaciones tequila, Disaronno Amaretto, fresh lime juice, cane sugar syrup	17
ESPRESSO MARTINI Smirnoff Vanilla vodka, Kahlua, Frangelico, a shot of espresso, fresh Disaronno Amaretto whipped cream available upon request	18
ORANGE MINT SORBETTO MARTINI Housemade Orangecello, muddled mint, fresh lime juice, cane sugar syrup, topped with La Marca Prosecco, scoop of housemade orange sorbet	17
SICILIAN SOUR Disaronno Amaretto, housemade Limoncello, fresh lemon juice, cane sugar syrup	16
BASIL LIMONCELLO MARTINI Housemade Limoncello, muddled with fresh basil, served with a basil ice cube	17
VENICE BELLINI White Peach puree, La Marca Prosecco	15
RASPBERRY CREME SODA Chambord, Smirnoff Vanilla vodka, fresh cream, club soda, topped with fresh Disaronno Amaretto whipped cream	16
FULL MONTY Bulleit bourbon, Amaro Montenegro, Luxardo Maraschino Cherry liqueur, Cherry Vanilla Bark bitters	17
APEROL SPRITZ Aperol, La Marca Prosecco, club soda	15
NEGRONI ROSSO Aviation gin, Campari, Carpano Antica sweet vermouth	18
CUCUMBER VESPA Bombay Sapphire gin, muddled fresh cucumber, fresh squeezed lemon juice, cane sugar syrup, San Pellegrino Limonata	15

FOR THE WHOLE TABLE

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ITALIAN TRIO Housemade meatballs, tomato bruschetta, sausage & peppers	20
MEAT & CHEESE BOARD Salami, cured meats, Italian cheeses, olives, pickled vegetables	21
SORTINO'S "CRISPY" PLATTER Calamari, shrimp & mozzarella, fried crisp, housemade marinara, lemon aioli	17
LOVE DIP Parmesan-Reggiano, extra virgin olive oil, basil, garlic, capers, red chile, balsamic reduction, fresh bread	6
APPETIZERS	
CRISPY CALAMARI Served with housemade marinara & lemon aioli	16
HOUSEMADE MEATBALLS Beef, veal, & pork meatballs topped with ricotta, served with grilled bread	15
TOMATO BRUSCHETTA V Fresh diced tomatoes, garlic, hand-torn basil, shaved Parmesan	11
SAUSAGE & PEPPERS Kalamata olives, peppers, onions with red wine & housemade marinara-caper sauce	13
BREADED MOZZARELLA Crispy mozzarella, housemade marinara	14
SIGNATURE MOZZARELLA GARLIC BREAD Toasted Italian bread, mozzarella, housemade marinara	12
GARLIC BREAD Toasted Italian bread with garlic-herb butter	10
SOUP	
ITALIAN WEDDING SOUP Chicken broth, meatballs, spinach, pearled cous cous	9
TUSCAN SAUSAGE & WHITE BEAN Seasonal vegetables, kale, crushed red pepper, olive oil	8

SALAD

*TRADITIONAL CAESAR Parmesan, romaine, croutons, soft-cooked egg, classic housemade Caesar dressing	7/13
ANTIPASTO Romaine, spinach, provolone, salami, artichokes, olives, red onion, pepperoncini, red wine vinaigrette	7/13
ITALIAN CHOPPED ♥ Romaine, radicchio, chickpeas, olives, red onion, marinated tomato, cucumber, fresh mozzarella, Sortino's vinegarette	8/15
$ \begin{array}{c} \textbf{PANZANELLA V'} \\ \textbf{Kale, butternut squash, pulled bread, pomegranate seeds, white balsamic vinaigrette, Parmesan} \end{array} $	8/15
ADD TO ANY SALAD	
GRILLED CHICKEN	7
SAUTÉED SHRIMP	10
SEARED SALMON FILLET	12
HANDHELDS	
Served with hand-cut black pepper & Parmesan fries	
HALF-POUND BUILD YOUR OWN BURGER Lettuce, tomato, red onion, pickle spear, toasted brioche bun, choice of three toppings American · Wisco Cheddar · Swiss · Provolone · Sautéed Mushroom · Sautéed Onions · Bacon	15
HALF-POUND PEPPERONI PIZZA BURGER Housemade marinara, mozzarella cheese, toasted brioche bun	18
ITALIAN BEEF Shaved roasted beef, provolone, mild giardiniera, au jus, Italian bread Dry · Dipped · Baptized	18
CHICKEN PARMIGIANA SUB Breaded cutlet, fresh mozzarella, basil pesto, housemade marinara, Italian bread	17
MAMA'S MEATBALL PARMIGIANA SUB Housemade marinara, mozzarella, Parmesan, fresh basil, Italian bread	17
SAUSAGE & PEPPER SUB Grilled sausage link, roasted peppers & onions, housemade marinara, Italian bread	17
ITALIAN PUB DUO Sausage & pepper sub, shaved Italian beef, Italian bread	19

HAND TOSSED PIZZA

FOUR CHEESE Mozzarella, Parmesan, Romano, ricotta	14
MARGHERITA Fresh garden basil, extra virgin olive oil, fresh mozzarella	12
ITALIAN MEATS Sausage, pepperoni, capicola, mozzarella	14
MEDITERRANEAN Kalamata olives, sausage, feta cheese, red onion, tomato, herb & lemon pesto, mozzarella	16
CREAMY CHICKEN PESTO Parmesan & mozzarella cheeses, herb & lemon pesto, grilled chicken	15
SHRIMP SCAMPI Parmesan & mozzarella cheeses, diced shrimp, garlic-herb butter	16
BUILD YOUR OWN PIZZA	
10" HAND-TOSSED PIZZA San Marzano Pizza Sauce	12
TOPPINGS Pepperoni · Sausage · Meatballs · Chicken · Garlic Spinach · Banana Peppers · Roasted Red Peppers Mushrooms · Artichokes · Onions · Eried Egg · Green Olives · Black Olives · Anchovies	2

 $Mushrooms \cdot Artichokes \cdot Onions \cdot Fried Egg \cdot Green Olives \cdot Black Olives \cdot Anchovies$ $Roma\ Tomatoes \cdot Fresh\ Mozzarella$

PASTA CLASSICO

SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS Beef, veal, & pork meatballs, housemade marinara, grated Parmesan	23
THREE CHEESE RAVIOLI Parmesan, ricotta & mozzarella cheese, housemade marinara	25
THREE CHEESE TORTELLINI Baby spinach, mushrooms, garlic alfredo sauce, basil pesto drizzle, Parmesan & tomato relish	25
FETTUCCINE ALFREDO Housemade Parmesan cheese sauce	22
BUCATINI CARBONARA Pancetta, onion, egg, garden peas, Parmesan	24
CAPELLINI SCAMPI Fresh herbs, garlic & lemon	30
PENNE ALLA VODKA SAUCE Pasta, fresh herbs & cream, grated Parmesan	23
NONNA'S LA DOLCE VITA PASTA Olive oil, garlic, pancetta, caramelized onion, fresh cream, parmesan, fettuccine pasta, tossed with Nonna's Sweet Marinara Sauce	22
"100 LAYER" LASAGNA BOLOGNESE Layered with housemade meat sauce, ricotta & mozzarella cheeses, grated Parmesan, finished with vodka sauce	28
STUFFED SHELLS Italian sausage, spinach, ricotta & mozzarella cheeses, vodka sauce, grated Parmesan	24
FETTUCINE BOLOGNESE Housemade meat sauce, grated Parmesan	24
ADD TO ANY PASTA CLASSICO	
FRESH BROCCOLI	3
SAUTÉED CHICKEN	7
SAUTÉED SHRIMP	10
SEARED SALMON FILLET	12
MEATBALL OR SAUSAGE LINK	7

GEORGE'S FAVORITES

PASTA MAFIA "A DISH YOU CAN'T REFUSE" Sliced steak, olive oil, garlic, scallions, broccoli, Parmesan cream sauce, Calabrian chile, fettuccini pasta	35
CHICK-A CHICK-A BOOM "DINE-O-MITE!" Cheese stuffed purses, chicken, Italian sausage, bell peppers, housemade marinara	29
FRUTTI DI MARE "A FISHERMAN'S FAVORITE" Baby clams, mussels, shrimp, calamari, spicy garlic white-wine sauce, capellini pasta	35
CHICKEN BAMBINO Sautéed chicken breast, shrimp, lemon-caper butter sauce, garlic spinach, artichokes, capellini pasta	34

ENTRÉES

 $Penne \cdot Ziti \cdot Capellini \cdot Fettucine \cdot Spaghetti$

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CHICKEN MARSALA Sautéed chicken cutlet, Marsala mushroom sauce, garlic butter, capellini pasta	31
CHICKEN PARMIGIANA Lightly breaded, housemade marinara, mozzarella, ziti with vodka sauce	28
EGGPLANT PARMIGIANA Lightly breaded, housemade marinara, mozzarella, ziti with vodka sauce	24
SEARED SALMON Italian salsa verde, citrus fennel salad	29
CHICKEN MILANESE Pan-fried breaded chicken cutlet, arugula & radicchio salad, fresh avocado, jewel box tomato, toasted pine nuts	24
SIDES	
ROASTED BROCCOLI WITH LEMON, PINE NUTS, SHAVED PARMESAN	5
PARMESAN GARLIC GREEN BEANS	5
PASTA WITH HOUSEMADE MARINARA OR ALFREDO SAUCE	8

DESSERTS

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CLASSIC NEW YORK CHEESECAKE Raspberry coulis	8
TIRAMISU Edible chocolate coffee cup filled with classic Italian-style tiramisu	8
ITALIAN GELATO Dark Chocolate · Vanilla · Pistachio	6
MINI CANOLI DUO Fried pastry dough, sweet creamy filling, chocolate chips	6
BEVERAGES	
PEPSI PRODUCTS Pepsi · Pepsi Zero · Wild Cherry Pepsi · Mountain Dew · Starry · Orange Crush Mug Rootbeer · Tropicana Lemonade · Sweet & Unsweet Brisk Iced Tea	4
STARBUCKS® COFFEE Served with mini biscotti	4
ESPRESSO Served with mini biscotti Regular · Decaf	5
RED BULL	5
HOT TEA	4
TÖST Non-alcoholic sparkling white tea, ginger, white cranberry	8
TÖST ROSÉ Non-alcoholic sparkling white tea, ginger, elderberry	8
SAN PELLEGRINO LIMONATA, POMPELMO OR ARANCIATA ROSSA SODAS	6
ITALIAN SODAS Limoncello • Passion Fruit • Strawberry Lemonade	5
BOTTLED WATER 500 ML / 1 L San Pellegrino Sparkling • Acqua Panna Natural Spring	5/8