



Foodie getaway itinerary: New Braunfels, TX

We've put together two days of Hill Country flavor, perfectly balanced. Check out the itinerary, grab some friends and get ready for an unforgettable foodie weekend in New Braunfels!

Day 1: Downtown Flavors

For breakfast, start at [Naegelin's Bakery](#), Texas's oldest bakery, in business since 1868 and famous for its apple strudel, or grab scratch-made pastries and espresso at [2tarts Bakery](#), home to a Food Network baking champion. [Krause's Cafe](#) serves up German American breakfast in a historic beer garden setting, and [New Braunfels Coffee](#) is a solid stop for your morning cup.

For lunch, [Alpine Haus](#) serves authentic German cuisine like schnitzel and spaetzle inside a 164-year-old home. [Huisache Grill's](#) lunches are about as famous as its beautiful historic courtyard setting. Speaking of historic check out [Old City Hall](#) downtown which once was the original City Hall in 1929. Craving seafood? [McAdoo's Seafood Co. & Oyster Bar](#) serves up Texas creole favorites in the historic post office building. For something more casual, Muck & Fuss Craft Beer and Burgers offers gourmet burgers and a dog-friendly biergarten.



Spend the afternoon sipping local. [New Braunfels Brewing Co.](#) is a small-batch, family-run brewery downtown, and check out Water2Wine where flavor meets fun and you can even bottle your own vintage!

[Wilhelm & Werner](#) at the newly renovated Faust Hotel offers a Texas brasserie menu, plus a hidden speakeasy tucked below. Swing by [Clubhouse on Castell](#), an intimate wine lounge with cozy vibes and exceptional wine!

For dinner, Myron's Prime Steakhouse offers fine dining and a great wine list. Cody's Restaurant offers an elevated culinary experience and hand-crafted cocktails. For more local flavor head over to [Favorite Neighbor](#), a European style bistro or [Saludo's](#) where you can find fresh flavorful dishes inspired by the lively street fare of Mexico City.

Day 2: Gruene Eats & Sips

Plan for brunch at [The Birdhouse](#). The entire menu is outstanding and yes, they serve mimosas. If tacos are your vibe, check out [Tacos Y Tequila](#) for weekend brunch, both in the heart of Gruene.

For lunch, get a table with a view of the Guadalupe River at [Gristmill River Restaurant & Bar](#) or [Gruene River Grill](#). You can't go wrong either way.



Spend the afternoon tasting your way through Gruene. [The Grapevine](#) in Gruene is a cozy Texas wine tasting room and a relaxing outdoor space to sip your beer and wine while listening to live music. [Winery on the Gruene](#) is another stop to explore a wide range of Texas wines and more!

You'll love [The Gruene Door](#) or [Mozie's](#) for dinner depending on what you're in the mood for. The Gruene Door's chef-driven menu is as inviting as its ambiance. Mozie's is surrounded by original brick walls and has the longest bar in town. Save room and grab ice cream or fudge at [Gruene General Store](#) before you head out. There is also a cool crepes truck, [Rocky Mountain Crepes](#), serving up breakfast, lunch and dinner with a few frozen treats and drinks!

[Dry Comal Creek Vineyards](#), just a short drive from Gruene is known for its Black Spanish wines, bred for the Texas climate.

Bonus Brunch

If breakfast food is your fave we have a few more must stops in store for you! [Breakfast](#) is family owned and operated bringing a new take on "the most important meal of the day" while [Waffleicious](#) serves up waffles in ways you've never imagined, you can even build your own masterpiece. [Fork & Spoon](#) and [Pat's Place](#) serve up breakfast favorites with good ol' New Braunfels hospitality.

Foodie Extras: Markets, Butchers & Breweries

If you and your friends want to bring a taste of New Braunfels home with you, stop by [Granzin's Meat Market](#), a family-run butcher since 1981 with fresh sausage and smoked meats, or [New Braunfels Smokehouse](#), a local institution known for hickory-smoked meats. For legendary Texas barbecue, check out [Black's Barbecue](#).

Stop in [Otto's](#), the biggest little cheese shop in New Braunfels with artisan cheese, incredible wine and unforgettable experiences.

On Saturdays, don't miss the [New Braunfels Farmers Market](#), where over 60 local vendors offer fresh produce, home goods, and more. Looking for one more stop? [5 Stones Artisan Brewery](#) is a hidden countryside taproom nine miles west of downtown, pouring seasonal artisan beers alongside weekend food trucks. [Guadalupe Brewing Company & Pizza Kitchen](#) pairs award-winning craft beer with wood-fired pizza and live music too!



Where to Stay

Stay close to the downtown restaurants at [Sophie's Gasthaus](#), [The Schmitz Hotel](#), or the newly renovated [Faust Hotel](#). Just down the road in Gruene check out, [Gruene Mansion Inn](#), [Gruene River Hotel & Retreat](#) and [Hacienda del Rio](#). For a familiar hotel brand, the [Courtyard by Marriott](#) is centrally located, along with other national brands located right off I-35, and you can [browse more places to stay in New Braunfels](#).

Come hungry! New Braunfels' food scene blends German tradition, local flavor and a craft beverage scene that keeps growing. We look forward to welcoming you, your appetite and your friends soon!

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