

## DINING OUT

## DINING IN BRIEF

## Rockin' on weekends

A bar closed on a Saturday night?

That was business as usual for Fingers Saloon until bartender Sherri Yarnell and her boyfriend, Greg Zubal, began promoting bands once a month in the Southfield tavern.

"My boyfriend is in a band and they were going to rent a hall," she explained.

Instead, Yarnell convinced Fingers owner Bill Williams and manager Penny James, to open the tavern doors to local bands and their fans every third Saturday of the month.

"We've done it for three months now and it is working well," she noted.

The monthly music roster includes the house band "6 a.m." and two other local groups. Yarnell describes the house band's sound as "good heavy rock."

"We get a versatile crowd, young and old. It down't fill up."

Doors open at 8 p.m. and close at 2 a.m., on Saturday band night.

The cover charge is \$5.

Regular hours are 11 a.m.-2 a.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday; until midnight on Tuesday and Thursday.

Fingers Saloon menu includes sandwiches, pizza and "lots of Mexican food."

"Our cook is Mexican," Yarnell said. "We have lunch specials every day. We have pitas and roll-ups, quesadillas, burritos and fajitas."

"We also have cruise night on Tuesdays through September," she added.

Patrons can cruise into the tavern's parking lot in their old cars or on motorcycles and mingle from

5-8 p.m.

Fingers Saloon is located at 28221 Telegraph, Southfield. (248) 363-3910

## Breeze without bugs

Too Chez Bistro in Novi is serving brunch on its screened patio every Sunday through summer.

The patio seats about 60 patrons and is open daily, weather permitting.

The buffet-style brunch runs from 10 a.m.-2 p.m., and includes such special dishes as Crab and Asparagus Quiche, Chicken and Mushroom Fettuccine, Baked Salmon and Brown Rice with roasted Vegetables, in addition to traditional brunch favorites.

Also new at Too Chez Bistro are menu specials that won't break your budget.

They're offered Monday-Friday and include entrees such as Petite Filet Mignon and Cold Water Lobster Tail with Corn-on-the-Cob and Roasted Redskin Potatoes (\$14.95); Chicken Parmesan over Angel hair Pasta with Marinara Sauc and Broccoli (\$11.95); and Fettuccine Alfredo with a Green Salad (\$9.95), also available with chicken (\$11.95) or shrimp (\$13.50).

Cost of Sunday brunch is \$14.95 for adults, \$7.95 for children, ages 6-12 and free for children age 5 and under. Reservations are accepted on the half hour.

Too Chez Bistro is located at 27155 Sheraton Drive in Novi, at the corner of I-96 and Novi Road, across from Twelve Oaks Mall.

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