

PANCHO & JANE OPENS IN GOLDEN

Scratch-made, seasonal Mexican favorites made with rebellious twists make up new taco spot's menu, complemented by cocktails, bourbon and tequila

GOLDEN, Colo. – May 30, 2024 – [Pancho & Jane](#), a new taco spot serving Mexican favorites with a rebellious twist opens today, May 30, 2024. From the team behind The Eddy Taproom & Hotel – Judge's Choice winner at Denver's 2023 Top Taco – the vibrant, down-to-earth neighborhood joint offers a menu of scratch-made tacos, family-style sides, cocktails, extensive lists of bourbon and tequila and more.

"I am so excited to open the doors to Pancho & Jane today," says Nate Andzulis, chef de cuisine. "Bringing an outlaw spirit to our menu of classic Mexican dishes that everyone knows and loves means that we get to infuse creative flair and unexpected flavors throughout the menu while also working with fresh ingredients, sourced locally as often as possible."

The seasonal menu at Pancho & Jane offers simple, surprising and intentional dishes. Tacos anchor the menu and include crispy Brussels, carnitas, suadero (confit beef belly) lamb birria and more. Entrées include a selection of quesadillas, burritos, bowls and salads. Additional menu items include shareable appetizers such as pistachio guacamole, potato sorados, Bandit Bites and the Instagram-worthy queso flameado, among others. Sides include black beans, green rice and esquites, while desserts include a churro funnel cake served with dulce de leche and paletas. Plus, diners can choose from seven scratch-made salsas from house salsa to Outlaw Sauce.

An equally thoughtful, high-quality beverage program complements the vibrant taqueria-style menu and features house-made margaritas and palomas, several additional specialty cocktails and an extensive list of bourbons and agave spirits. More than 80 percent of the agave spirits are additive-free, and the bourbon list focuses on variety, offering diners plenty to choose from – including many created in Colorado. Local brews are available, too, such as a signature Mexican lager in partnership with CODA Brewing and other local favorites.

The centerpiece of Pancho & Jane is the massive 30-seat bar with spirited blue tiling and a custom bar top. Bartenders, in addition to mixing up cocktails, will curate the vibe with vinyl of their choice, spun on the bartops's record player. Music will set the tone for casual daytime hangouts, leading into an energetic atmosphere nightly – with weekly vinyl programming to debut later.

The interior, designed by Colorado-based Studio R, features bright uses of color, Western imagery and "punny" taglines – even disco balls and neon paint in the bathrooms. The exterior features a to-go window with street access for food and drink pick-up – perfect for those enjoying a Golden bike ride or those headed to a concert at Red Rocks – and a dog-friendly 50-seat patio.

"Our name takes inspiration from Francisco "Pancho" Villa, a Mexican revolutionary leader of the early 20th century, and Jane Kirkham, a 19th century Colorado stagecoach bandit," says Jonathan "J.J." Ziemke, general manager. "Our food, drinks, energy and community programming evokes their distinct outlaw spirits."

Located at 16500 S. Golden Rd. – a quick 10-minute drive from downtown Golden, just outside of the city's main street and on the growing S. Golden Road corridor – Pancho & Jane is both community-driven and a welcoming host to catch a game, grab a bite after a bike ride through Golden or savor post-

work margaritas. Guests can find weekly offerings, such as Mines Mondays during which students, teachers and alumni of The School of Mines receive 15 percent off. Plus, residents of the GW Apartments above Pancho & Jane receive 15 percent off daily, while all Confluence residents receive 10 percent off.

Pancho & Jane is open from 3-10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday and 3-11 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Pancho & Jane serves dinner nightly with lunch soon to follow.

For more information, visit panchoandjane.com.

About Pancho & Jane

[Pancho & Jane](http://panchoandjane.com), located in Golden, Colorado, and from the team behind The Eddy Taproom & Hotel, is a brand-new taco spot that serves Mexican favorites with a rebellious twist, including a creative menu of scratch-made tacos, family-style sides, cocktails, extensive lists of bourbon and tequila and more. Set amongst a vibrant atmosphere – both in colorful design and dynamic energy – Pancho & Jane evokes the distinct outlaw spirit of its namesakes. The down-to-earth neighborhood joint is both community-driven and a welcoming host to catch a game, grab a bite after a bike ride through Golden or savor post-work margaritas. Dinner is served nightly – lunch soon to follow – with both indoor and outdoor seating, including a dog-friendly patio, plus a to-go window with street access for menu favorites on the run. For more information, visit panchoandjane.com and follow @panchoandjane on [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/panchoandjane).

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