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recommendations



DINING



CASUAL DINING



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SITES & ACTIVITIES



BEACHES



GETTING AROUND



CASUAL DINING

- ✕ [Axiotissa](#) - Organic, locally sourced foods with daily specials and local specialties
- ✕ [Metaxy Mas](#) - Local touch, value option in the Old Market area
- ✕ [Vasilis Taverna](#) - Melanes Village – Local Naxian specialties served the traditional way
- ✕ [Rotonda Taverna - Café and Bar](#), Apiranthos (just before the entrance) - This mountain top taverna serves locally sourced foods with views to Mykonos, Paros and Ios on a clear day. Wonderful for sunsets
- ✕ [Vasilikos Taverna](#) - Kato Potamia – uses local organic products from their own gardens
- ✕ [Matina's Restaurant](#) - Koronos. Menu changes daily using products from the family's organic farm
- ✕ [To Elliniko](#) - traditional Greek food with local products. Chora, main town
- ✕ Taverna Leuteris – Apiranthos. Family tavern with authentic menu with the freshest local ingredients and tables in a beautiful, green courtyard overlooking the mountains of Naxos.



BEACH FRONT DINING

- ✕ [Tortuga](#), Plaka Beach - a bohemian beach front restaurant with menu by Greek celebrity chef, Lakis Lazarou



BAR / COCKTAILS

- ✕ [Swing Bar](#), Chora main town of Naxos. Cocktails and a view



SITES & ACTIVITIES

- ✕ **Temple of Apollo Portara** the 2500 year old marble doorway to nowhere remains from the unfinished 530BC temple is an iconic landmark of Naxos
- ✕ **Ancient Sanctuary of Apollo and Demeter** at Gyroulas, Sagri
- ✕ **Archeological Museum** along with smaller museums located in Apiranthos that feature the cultural heritage and natural resources of Naxos
- ✕ **Cooking & Eating:** Naxos has a rich local production of fruits and vegetables, meats, honey, liquors, and cheeses. The locally sources products make cooking and food related pursuits a mush on the island
- ✕ **Sailing:** Naxos offers an ideal base for day sails to neighboring islands including Paros, Mykonos and Delos, Koufonissia, or local caves and untouched beaches

Villages:

- ✕ **Melanes** 8km from Chora, this is one of the oldest villages on the island, named for its black soil. Here you will find magnificent scenery including olive and fruit groves along with the Kouros, a 6.4m. tall unfinished marble statue lying among the olive trees. Excellent for hiking
- ✕ **Halki** 23km from Chora, this was previously the capital of the island and remains an administrative and trade center. Here you will find neoclassical houses and buildings showing the villages wealthy history. In the center of town, find the Valindras Citron distillery, which operates since 1896. Visit the Fish and Olive Gallery and be sure to sample the local “galaktoboureko” or custard pie
- ✕ **Apiranthos** 32km from Chora and at 650m. elevation, this villages is known for its fine marble streets and stone houses. Enjoy extraordinary views from local taverans and restaurants serving local specialties



BEACHES

- ✕ [Plaka Beach](#) remains one of the most attractive and popular on Naxos
- ✕ [Agia Anna Beach](#) an extension of Agios Prokopios Beach ranks as one of Naxos's most renowned coastal spots
- ✕ [Alyko - Small Alyko - Kedros - Hawaii Beaches](#) the Alyko peninsula features many untouched inlets and beaches
- ✕ [Agios Georgios](#) is a "blue flag" beach located near Chora, a great choice for those who don't want to distance themselves from town

Find one that suites you best using the [Naxos Beach Finder](#)



GETTING AROUND

- ✕ [Taxi](#) - There is taxi service on the island but please keep in mind that the number of taxis is limited so pre-reserve whenever possible. Ask the hotel staff for assistance
- ✕ [For more freedom](#) - you may want to rent a car / moped / ATV for a day or two. The hotel staff can assist you

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