

RISTO- RANTE SOCIALE

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Newly-opened Ristorante Sociale brings a unique culinary celebration to Toronto's King West neighbourhood

The team behind Michelin-award recipient Enoteca Sociale brings a new dinner-party destination to the city's west end where fine dining transitions to an alluring evening with Italian flair

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TORONTO, June 7, 2023: The team behind Toronto's [Enoteca Sociale](#), a Michelin Bib Gourmand award recipient, have launched their latest dining venture — **Ristorante Sociale**. Located in the city's lively King West neighbourhood at 545 King Street W., guests are invited to a convivial experience featuring upscale dinner service that transitions into a sophisticated celebration with live entertainment including dining room dancers and a nightly DJ. *Ristorante Sociale* is open Wednesday through Saturday, offering dinner from 5:30 to 11:00 p.m., with bar service through to 2:00 a.m. from Thursday through Saturday. The space is available for private events on Sundays.



Ristorante Sociale Dining Room

On Fridays and Saturdays beginning at 8:30 p.m., Ristorante Sociale offers a truly immersive experience as enchanting dancers emerge from the wings, visiting guests at their table throughout the night. On Thursday through to Saturday beginning at 11:00 p.m., the exciting nighttime energy King West is known for is embraced: anticipation builds as the restaurant's lights are dimmed and the dining room transforms into a lively celebration while the DJ continues to spin. Guests can mingle and visit the bar or order bottle service until last call. Experiences can be tailored to large groups with advance reservations.

Known for some of the best Italian dishes in the city and their accompanying restaurant concepts, *Ristorante Sociale* was conceptualized by Partners Deni Di Tullio, Chef Kyle Rindinella, Chef Rocco Agostino and restaurateur Max Rimaldi of Michelin-awarded *Enoteca Sociale*. In addition to Chef Kyle Rindinella's extensive culinary knowledge, Deni Di Tullio's 30 years of entrepreneurial and management expertise are a driving force behind this new venture and the continuing growth of Sociale Group.

"Ristorante Sociale is a restaurant concept that's been years in the making. The culinary experience has been carefully refined by Executive Chef and Partner Kyle Rindinella and the approach to an elevated party atmosphere is unlike anything else in the city," said Deni Di Tullio, Partner at Ristorante Sociale. "Our goal was to create an all-night affair, where guests can come for exceptional food and drink and stick around for an exciting party reflective of the celebratory approach and traditions in Italy."



Partner and Executive Chef Kyle Rindinella brings his passion for traditional Italian cuisine and the inclusion of local and seasonal ingredients to the menu at *Ristorante Sociale*. Driven by his expertise in Roman cuisine and Italian wines he has curated a sophisticated menu of Roman flavours with Tuscan influence, including fresh pasta, seafood and steaks as well as classic Roman wines and signature cocktails that capture the essence of Italian gastronomy.

“When creating the menu at Ristorante Sociale, the intention was to have it be a companion to Enoteca Sociale, building on the quality and approach that guests have come to expect from us over the last 10 years,” said Kyle Rindinella, Partner and Executive Chef at Ristorante Sociale. “We’ve developed an array of new dishes as well as twists on Enoteca Sociale staples like our Beef Crudo and will also be offering a couple of beloved signature items across both restaurants, such as our Cacio e Pepe and Branzino.”

Ristorante Sociale's 3,700 square floor plan can seat up to 110 guests. The upscale space was inspired by 1970s Italian steakhouses, featuring deep, earthy hues paired with gold accents and chic walnut for an air of antique luxury. Designed by **Westgrove Design Ltd.**, the restaurant features millwork by **J.C Millwork & Cabinetry** and furniture by **Studio 22**.

Reservations available via [OpenTable](#).

Operating Hours

Wednesday: 5:30 p.m. to 11.00 p.m.

Thursday - Saturday: 5:30 p.m. to 2:00 a.m.

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ABOUT RISTORANTE SOCIALE:

Ristorante Sociale, developed by the team of Michelin-awarded Enoteca Sociale, is the newest Italian dinner-party destination in Toronto's lively King West neighbourhood. The sensational dining experience created by Chef Kyle Rindinella embraces authentic Roman flavours with Tuscan influences, including fresh pasta, seafood & steaks in a white tablecloth setting. The convivial vibe caters to large groups with unique and sophisticated offerings with dinner party ambiance. As the evening unravels, lights dim and music ascends the party takes over at 545 King St West.

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