

# BIZBASH

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## Cloak and Petal

The upscale Japanese eatery opened in Little Italy in December. Dramatic cherry blossom trees anchor the wraparound bar in the 7,500-square-foot restaurant, which includes 2,000 square feet of private event space. Buyouts are also available. Overall, the restaurant has room for 117 seated or 333 standing guests. (1953 India St., [cloakandpetal.com](http://cloakandpetal.com))



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## **Hotel Republic**

The hotel debuted in downtown San Diego in November as part of Marriott's Autograph Collection. Along with 258 rooms, the venue features 16,000 square feet of indoor-outdoor meeting spaces. The Grand room is 1,900 square feet and holds 200 for a reception or 160 theater-style, and attaches to a nearly 1,000-square-foot patio. Other spaces can hold 200 for theater-style events or as many as 225 guests for a reception. The



Topside Terrace and Kitchen Bar can hold receptions of as many as 200 guests. (421 West B St., [hotelrepublicsd.com](http://hotelrepublicsd.com))



## **Mavericks Beach Club**

The Pacific Beach eatery and entertainment center boasts 15,000 square feet over its two stories with room for 777 standing guests. Along with a dance floor and several outdoor games, the space specializes in casual fare like burgers, tacos, and sandwiches. It opened in February. (860 Garnet Ave., [maverickssd.com](http://maverickssd.com))

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## **WATERBAR**

Located in Pacific Beach, the seafood restaurant has floor-to-ceiling views of the boardwalk and beach. Spanning 6,700 square

feet with a bar anchoring the dining room, the space accommodates 225 seated guests or about 515 for reception-style events. The concept opened in January. (4325 Ocean Blvd., [waterbarsd.com](http://waterbarsd.com))

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