

Five Years of Culinary Excellence: Common Restaurant Celebrates Milestone in Historic Savannah

A true landmark in Savannah's vibrant culinary scene, Common Restaurant is proudly celebrating its fifth anniversary this month. Since opening its doors on October 7, 2019, Common Restaurant has solidified its reputation as a leading destination for elevated Lowcountry cuisine, fine dining, and unforgettable experiences in the heart of historic Savannah.

Reaching the 5-year milestone is a testament to Common Restaurant's consistent dedication to quality, innovation, and exceptional hospitality. Located in a beautifully restored historic building in the heart of Broughton Street's boutique district, Common has become a beloved fixture for both Savannah locals and visitors seeking a premier dining experience.



Over the past five years, Common Restaurant has continually evolved its offerings, delighting patrons with its unique take on Southern flavors. Led by Executive Chef Sean Freeman, the kitchen is renowned for its commitment to fresh, seasonal ingredients, inventive dishes, and a menu that seamlessly blends tradition with contemporary flair. From its highly sought-after raw bar featuring pristine oysters curated by Poissonnier David Gibbons, to its signature entrees and chef-curated tasting menus, every aspect of the dining experience at Common is designed to impress.

Beyond its culinary prowess, Common Restaurant has also cultivated an impressive beverage program. Under the guidance of Bar Curator Jessica Myers, the craft cocktail menu offers creative and expertly balanced drinks, while Wine Director Shawn Crowley ensures a thoughtfully selected wine list that perfectly complements the restaurant's diverse flavors. Common is currently the only restaurant in the city of Savannah with the prestigious 2-glass Wine Spectator Award. The recent addition of Trombone Bakery, helmed by Pastry Chef Chelsea Clarkson, further enhances the experience, providing freshly baked breads, pastries, and decadent desserts in-house.

The success of Common Restaurant is also deeply rooted in its commitment to the community. Over the past five years, the restaurant has been a proud participant in numerous Savannah community events and has served as a stunning private event venue for corporate celebrations in downtown Savannah. Its distinctive private dining spaces, including the elegant The Room at Common and the historic mezzanine, have hosted countless memorable occasions.

As Common Restaurant embarks on its next chapter, it remains a cornerstone of Savannah's fine dining scene, promising continued innovation, impeccable service, and unforgettable culinary journeys. Join them in celebrating this significant anniversary and discover why Common Restaurant has become a true Savannah favorite.