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Here they are - the 400-plus best restaurants, dishes, stores, services, people and places in Delaware.

The List includes familiar places that we all know and love as well as new discoveries.

Each July after we run our Best of Delaware list, we always get several calls from readers who want to know how we picked the winner. We dutifully explain the process every year, but apparently nobody reads it.

SO READ THIS:

HOW WE PICK THE WINNERS

We ran a ballot of food and restaurant categories in our February issue of Delaware Today. More than 700 readers responded with their choices.

In the March issue, we ran another ballot with retail and service categories, and again received more than 700 responses. So when you see Readers Choice, that means the winner ended up with the most votes when we counted the ballots.

Editors Choice winners were picked by the Delaware Today editors and our all-volunteer Dining Out Advisory Board.

The lists are organized according to Editors and Readers Choices, upstate and downstate.

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FOOD UPSTATE • EDITORS CHOICE

Bellini

Moro, Wilmington • Bartenders start with the basic building blocks, sparkling wine and peach schnapps. But Moro's secret ingredient is a splash of blood orange juice. It gives the drink its signature color and citrus-y tang that makes it the best.