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Drink with a View

Jimmy Buffet's Margaritaville

Mohegan Sun, Uncasville, (860) 862-2626 (margaritavillemohegansun.com)

Casinos are generally not known for their outdoor features, but one of the lesser-known pleasures at Mohegan Sun is the Porch of Indecision at Margaritaville. Here, casino-goers can find an elevated deck overlooking the Thames River, a great spot for a drink and something to eat before heading back indoors. If you really have a hard time choosing from the drink menu, consider one of these: Off to See the Lizard, 5 O'Clock Somewhere, License to Chill and the always popular Incommunicado.

Fiesta

SolToro Tequila Grill

Mohegan Sun, Uncasville, (860) 862-4800 (soltororestaurant.com)

With 198 (!) super-premium 100-percent blue-agave tequilas on the menu you can be certain that, as the saying goes, "It's always a fiesta" at SolToro. This Michael Jordan restaurant can also be counted on for happening Mexican eats like "Crispy Duck Tacos," "Mahi Mahi Veracruzana" and hot, hot, hot "Quesadilla Picante." Get the party started during the "Daily Dos": \$2 bites menu, \$3 beers and \$6 SolToro margaritas between 4 and 6 p.m. in the bar.

Burger

David Burke Prime, Foxwoods, Mashantucket, (800) 369-9663 (foxwoods.com)

Prime dry-aged steak is the name of the game at David Burke. But with all that top-quality beef around, why not offer a premium burger, too? Dubbed the Bad Boy, it's a beaut: a succulent patty of Creekstone Farms beef topped with candied bacon, "a whole lot o' cheese" and fried onions, with chipotle mayo and coleslaw, cooked as you like it, for \$13.50. (There's also a more basic version for \$10.50.) The big deal: Thursday through Saturday, noon to 4, you can get a very decent burger here for \$5.