

Best of the Lehigh Valley 2025: Survey Categories

Food + Drink

1. Best cupcake
2. Best hibachi
3. Best cheesesteak
4. Best hoagie
5. Best grilled cheese
6. Best bread
7. Best hummus
8. Best ice cream
9. Best pierogi
10. Best frozen yogurt
11. Best cake
12. Best chocolate chip cookie
13. Best macaron
14. Best burrito
15. Best poke bowl
16. Best sandwich
17. Best mac & cheese
18. Best taco
19. Best steak
20. Best chicken and waffles
21. Best burger
22. Best French fry
23. Best barbecue
24. Best sushi
25. Best hot dog
26. Best Pad Thai
27. Best pasta
28. Best pizza
29. Best doughnut
30. Best coffee shop
31. Best iced coffee
32. Best specialty latte and/or coffee drink
33. Best smoothie
34. Best avocado toast
35. Best salad
36. Best food truck
37. Best wings
38. Best seafood market
39. Best butcher
40. Best public market/farmers' market vendor
41. Best winery
42. Best ramen

- 43. Best appetizer/small plate menu
- 44. Best patio/outdoor dining
- 45. Best lunch spot
- 46. Best sangria
- 47. Best brunch menu
- 48. Best breakfast spot
- 49. Best breakfast sandwich
- 50. Best bagel shop
- 51. Best locally brewed beer
- 52. Best local brewery experience
- 53. Best local distillery
- 54. Best cocktail menu
- 55. Best mocktail menu
- 56. Best beer menu
- 57. Best drink flight
- 58. Best happy hour
- 59. Best dirty martini
- 60. Best espresso martini
- 61. Best specialty candy
- 62. Best gourmet food shop
- 63. Best specialty grocery store/market
- 64. Best nachos
- 65. Best vegetarian/vegan menu
- 66. Best fresh pressed juice bar
- 67. Best Chinese takeout
- 68. Best date location
- 69. Best locally premade meals

Health + Self

- 70. Best personal training program
- 71. Best fitness class
- 72. Best yoga studio
- 73. Best Pilates
- 74. Best Barre
- 75. Best spin/cycle studio
- 76. Best fitness community
- 77. Best CrossFit/functional training
- 78. Best gym/fitness center
- 79. Best nutritionist
- 80. Best counseling center/therapy practice
- 81. Best life coach
- 82. Best hair stylist
- 83. Best women's salon
- 84. Best manicure & pedicure
- 85. Best waxing
- 86. Best spray tan

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- 87. Best makeup artist/studio
- 88. Best eyebrow artist/studio
- 89. Best lash artist/studio
- 90. Best facial
- 91. Best massage
- 92. Best holistic wellness experience
- 93. Best men's haircut
- 94. Best barbershop
- 95. Best permanent makeup artist/studio
- 96. Best tattoo shop

Shopping + Services

- 97. Best women's boutique
- 98. Best men's shop
- 99. Best children's store
- 100. Best accessories store
- 101. Best bookstore
- 102. Best antique/vintage goods
- 103. Best home décor shop
- 104. Best eco-friendly goods
- 105. Best home & garden store (outdoor plants, trees, accessories)
- 106. Best indoor plant shop
- 107. Best resale boutique
- 108. Best resale shop for kids
- 109. Best fine jewelry store
- 110. Best CBD store
- 111. Best cigar shop/vendor
- 112. Best pet boutique
- 113. Best pet groomer
- 114. Best pet daycare/boarding
- 115. Best dog training
- 116. Best pet-friendly business

Fun + Games

- 117. Best staycation
- 118. Best pick-your-own orchard
- 119. Best festival
- 120. Best performance venue
- 121. Best trivia night
- 122. Best place to watch the game
- 123. Best pumpkin patch
- 124. Best seasonal farmers' market
- 125. Best Christmas tree farm
- 126. Best place for kids' activities
- 127. Best escape room

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- 128. Best virtual golf
- 129. Best axe throwing
- 130. Best indoor adventure facility
- 131. Best outdoor adventure facility
- 132. Best local radio personality
- 133. Best local TV personality
- 134. Best local podcast
- 135. Best food Instagram account
- 136. Best social media account/local influencer

Events

- 137. Best party DJ
- 138. Best local band/musician
- 139. Best caterer
- 140. Best luxury picnic
- 141. Best custom baker
- 142. Best mobile bar
- 143. Best charcuterie
- 144. Best photographer
- 145. Best videographer
- 146. Best event planner
- 147. Best special occasion florist
- 148. Best balloon specialist/artist
- 149. Best event design/décor company
- 150. Best event rental company