

# 2018 People's Choice WINNERS

Based on Finalist Voting conducted 12:01 A.M. AUG. 15 – 11:59 P.M. OCT. 14, 2018

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Below are the 2018 People's Choice WINNERS based on public Nominations, Semi-Final Voting (including Write-Ins) and Final Voting. All 1<sup>st</sup>-place winners will receive a certificate suitable for framing and authorization to use the People's Choice Winner's emblem in print and web promotion.

Certificates will be delivered available for pick-up after Nov. 15 at the Guadalajara Reporter office, first floor in Plaza Bugambilias Ajijic. Winners should contact Imagen at email address above to arrange transfer of digital winner's emblems.

As always, watch our Facebook page, Best of Lake Chapala, for current announcements. Please don't forget to leave a "Like," on the page. Thanks!

## SECTION 1 - DINING & ENTERTAINMENT

**Best Steaks** – 1) Ajijic Tango, 2) Bruno's, 3) Arileo Steakhouse

**Best Mexican Food** - 1)Teocintle Maiz, 2) Viva Mexico, 3) Fonda Doña Lola

**Best Restaurant (Overall)** – 1) Jardin de Ninette, 2) Ajijic Tango, 3) Viva Mexico

**Best Seafood** - 1) Mariscos Lety, 2) Tabarka 3) Isla Cozumel

**Best Pizza** - 1) M & J Royal, 2) Jitomate, 3) Perry's

**Best Hamburger** - 1) Trips, 2) Lakeside Food Container, 3) California Rest

**Best International Cuisine** - 1) Jardin de Ninette, 2) Palé 3) Le Go Bistro

**Best Italian Restaurant** - 1) La Taverna del Quattro Mori, 2), Pasta Trenta 3) Alex's Pasta Bar

**Best Asian/Oriental Restaurant** - 1) Masayume, 2) Chopsticks, 3) Min Wah

**Best Misc. Ethnic Restaurant** - 1) Gossip's 2) Kamellos Food Truck, 3) Le Go Bistro

**Best BBQ or Parillada** - 1) Bruno's, 2), Rangers BBQ 3) Smoke House

**Best Breakfast** - 1) Sunrise Cafe, 2), David's 3) Mom's Deli

**Best Vegetarian Food** - 1) La Casa del Cacao, 2) Casa Domenech, 3) Huerto Cafe

**Best Home Delivery** - 1) M & J Royal, 2) Perry's, 3) Hot Rod Burrito

**Best Baguette / Sandwich** - 1) Panino's, 2) Panaderia Scandinavia, 3) Subway

**Best Coffee** - 1) Café Grano, 2) Black Coffee Gallery, 3) Café Luna

**Best Place to Take Guests** - 1) Ajijic Tango, 2) Chac-Lan, 3) Isla Cozumel

**Best Desserts & Pastries** - 1) Vicky's Sourdough Donuts, 2) Marissa, 3) La Casa del Cacao

**Best Economical Eatery** - 1) Kamellos Food Truck, 2) Taqueria Jessica, 3) American Legion

**Best Bar (Overall)** - 1) Cocktail Bar 2) Ironhorse Bar & Grill, 3) El BarCo

## SECTION 2- QUALITY OF LIFE

**Best Retirement Home** - 1) Nursing Home Lake Chapala 2) Mi Casita, 3) Ohana Assisted Living

**Best Private School** - 1) Loyola, 2) Instituto Internacional, 3) Colegio Chapala

**Best Medical Facility** - 1) Maskaras, 2) Quality Care, 3)Hospital Ajijic

**Best Emergency Care** - 1) Maskaras, 2) Cruz Roja/Red Cross, 3) Hospital Ajijic

**Most Valuable Web Site or Forum** - 1) Bestflakechapala.com, 2) Beg Barter Buy Sell - Chapala (Facebook page), 3) Chapala.com

**Most Valuable News Media** - 1) Guadalajara Reporter (online & print), 2) Lake Chapala Reporter (online & print)3) El Ojo del Lago (online & print)

### **SECTION 3 - SHOPPING AROUND**

**Best Clothing Boutique (New or Used)** - 1) Mia's Boutique, 2) Terry's Tianguis, 3) Mi Mexico

**Best Supermarket** - 1) Superlake, 2) El Surtidor, 3) Walmart

**Best Bazaar/Thrift Shop/Consignment** - 1) Barbara's Bazaar 2) Casi Nuevo Thrift Shop, 3) Chapala Consignment Shoppe

**Best Gallery or Gift Shop** - 1) Diane Pearl, 2) White Moon, 3) Sol Mexicano

**Best Furniture** - 1) Arden, 2) Nomad, 3) Home Decor

**Best Meat Market** - 1) Tony's, 2) Carnes Selectas, 3) Sonora Carnes Finas

**Best Fish Market** - 1) Pacifico, 2) Costalegre, 3) Street Markets/Tianguis

**Best Appliance Outlet** - 1) El Tio Sam, 2) Coppel, 3) Electro Venta

**Best Hardware & Construction Supplies** - 1) Jara Hardware, 2) Truper (Various Locations), 3) Amutio

**Best Auto Parts** - 1) Auto Zone, 2) Orma Auto Parts, 3) Pro One Don "Pepe"

**Best Paint Store & Paint Supplies** - 1) Prisa, 2) Sherwin Williams, 3) Comex

**Best Pet Supplies** - 1) Memo's, 2) Pet Avenue, 3) Lakeside Friends of the Animals

**Best Pharmacy** - 1) Farmacia Cristina, 2) Farmacia Guadalajara, 3) Benavides Pharmacy

**Best Plants & Landscaping Supplies** - 1) Vivero Azucena, 2) Vivero San Antonio, 3) Vivero La Paz

### **SECTION 4 - LEISURE, DIVERSION, FITNESS**

**Best Fitness Center** - 1) Zona Fitness, 2) Family Fitness Center, 3) Fit for Life

**Best Diversion Overall** - 1) Lake Chapala Society, 2) Balneario San Juan Cosalá, 3) Foliatti Casino

**Best Family Activity** - 1) Balneario San Juan Cosala, 2) Cristiania Park, 3) Movie Space Cinema

**Best Live Entertainment** - 1) Adelita's, 2) Ironhorse, 3) El Barco

### **SECTION 5 - TRAVEL & LODGING**

**Best Travel Agency** - 1) Charter Club Tours, 2) Ajijic Travel Agency, 3) Viajes Ajijic

**Best Tours** - 1) Charter Club Tours, 2) Ajijic Concierge Luzma Grande, 3) Lidia & Noe Raygoza

**Best Hotel** - 1) La Nueva Posada, 2) Bellissimos Boutique Hotel, 3) Real de Chapala

**Best B&B** - 1) Casa Tres Leones, 2) Quinta Quetzalcoatl, 3) Estrellitas Inn

### **SECTION 6 - LAKESIDE SERVICES**

**Best Beauty Products & Services** - 1) Gloriosa, 2) Hilda Worldwide, 3) Yoly's

**Best Massage** - 1) Blanca Salazar Respiro Spa, 2) Total Body Care, 3) Ganesha Spa

**Best Legal Service** - 1) LCS Becerra, 2) ABC Legal Azucena Bateman, 3) Chapala Legal Spencer McMullen

**Best Insurance Provider** - 1) Boomers in Paradise, 2) Bellon, 3) Parker

**Best Primary Care Physician** - 1) Carlos Garcia, Maskaras Clinic, 2) Angelica Quintero Palomino, 3) Sam Thelin

**Best Dermatologist** - 1) Tania Sanchez/Dermika, 2) Martha Ballesteros, 3) Annamaria Palacios

**Best Psychologist/Counselor** - 1) Michele Boudreau, 2) Kat Miller, 3) Claudia Martinez

**Best Cardiologist** - 1) Ramon Garcia Garcia/ICMI, 2) Hector Briseño Garcia, 3) Jose Pascual Salas

**Best Optician or Ophthalmologist** - 1) Rigoberto Rios León, 2) Claudia Camacho Choza, 3) Luz Zepeda/LCS

**Best Architect or Builder** - 1) Roberto Millan, 2) Gerardo Romero, 3) Sergio Cabrera Construction

**Best Alternative Care** - 1) Erin Dixon/4 Aspects, 2) Alejandra Collignon, 3) Natural Health Center

**Best Diagnostic Lab** - 1) GO Lab, 2) ISI Lab, 3) Dilabim

**Best Dentist or Dental Clinic** - 1) Cristina Barreto/Leend Dental, 2) Candy Ugalde 3) Don Olivera

**Best Veterinarian** - 1) Drs Ladron de Guevara, 2) Pepe Magaña, 3) Pet Place Berenice Martinez

**Best Mailing/Shipping Service** - 1) Ishop Mail, 2), Handy Mail 3) Sol y Luna

**Best Real Estate Agency**- 1) All-in-1 Mexico Real Estate, 2) Century 21 AccessMex, 3) Lake Chapala Real Estate

**Best Rental Agency** - 1) Century 21 AccessMex, 2) Ajijic Rentals, 3) TIED Rental Center & Roma

**Best Computer Services** - 1) Gadgets Guy, 2) Axixic Net Adrian Ramos, 3) Computerland (Ruben)

**Best Chiropractic/Spinal Manipulation** - 1) Jorge Ulloa P.T., 2) Eric Phariss D.C., 3) Dra Gabriela Flores Teón

**Best Auto Body & Paint** - 1) Frats, 2) Fernandos, 3) Monkey's Paint

**Best Auto Repair** - 1) Frats, 2) Auto Repair Ron Young, 3) Francisco Automotive

**Best Mani-Pedi Nail Salon** - 1) Gloriosa, 2) Gloss Nail Salon, 3) Total Body Care

**SUMMARY:** All tallies are the result of public voting ONLY. If you do not agree with who won in any particular category, please voice your opinion through your votes in the upcoming year.

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