



2022 People's Choice WINNERS

Based on final voting conducted over 60 days (Aug. 15-Oct. 14, 2022)

Note: A tie is designated when vote tallies were closer than 0.01 (1%)

Winners are posted on BestofLakeChapala.com, our Facebook page (Best of Lake Chapala) and in the upcoming 2023 Chapala Directory.

SECTION 1 - DINING / RESTAURANTES

BEST STEAKS / CORTES.

- 1) Blue Rose Bistro, Ajijic
- 2) Bruno's Restaurant, Ajijic
- 3) Ajijic Tango, Ajijic

BEST MEXICAN FOOD / COMIDA MEXICANA

- 1) Teocintle Maiz, Ajijic
- 2) Mario's, San Antonio Tlay.
- 3) El Sombrero, Ajijic

BEST RESTAURANT OVERALL / EN GENERAL

- 1) Simply Joyful, Ajijic
- 2) Casa Mayabela, Ajijic
- 3) Ajijic Tango, Ajijic *Tied With...*
El Escondido, Ajijic West

BEST SEAFOOD / MARISCOS

- 1) La Pacea, San Antonio
- 2) Letra CH, Chapala
- 3) Mariscos Lety, San Antonio

BEST PIZZA

- 1) Pizza del Barrio Lakeside
- 2) La Estación, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Zuriel's Clarinet, Ajijic

BEST HAMBURGER / HAMBURGUESA

- 1) Trip's Burgers, Centro Laguna
- 2) Casa Mayabela, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Beto's Shack, Ajijic *Tied With...*
Mario's Wings Time, Chapala

BEST INTERNATIONAL CUISINE

- 1) St. Remy du Lac, Ajijic
- 2) Cocinart, Ajijic

- 3) Oui Oui, Ajijic

BEST ITALIAN RESTAURANT / ITALIANO

- 1) Mediterráneo Caffé e Cucina, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Pasta Trenta, Ajijic *Tied With...*
Alex's Pasta Bar, Ajijic
- 3) Romeo y Julieta, Chapala

BEST ASIAN-ORIENTAL FOOD / COMIDA ORIENTAL

- 1) Min Wah, Ajijic
- 2) Chopsticks, Plaza Bugambillas
- 3) Masayume, Ajijic

BEST MISC. ETHNIC / ETNICO MISC.

- 1) Emma's (Jewish) Deli, Ajijic
- 2) St. Remy du Lac, Ajijic
- 3) Magnolias (Indian), Home delivery only

BEST BARBECUE / BARBACOA o PARILLA

- 1) Ranger's BBQ, San Antonio Tlay.
- 2) Bruno's, Ajijic
- 3) Smoke House, Ajijic West

BEST BREAKFAST or BRUNCH / DESAYUNO

- 1) Sunrise Cafe, San Antonio Tlay.
- 2) Café Negro, San Antonio Tlay.
- 3) Delicias Restaurant, Chapala

BEST VEGAN or VEGETARIAN / VEGETARIANO

- 1) Vegan Town, Ajijic
- 2) 4to Sentido, San Antonio Tlay.
- 3) Huerto Café, Riberas del Pilar

BEST HOME DELIVERY / SERVICIO A DOMICILIO

- 1) Traitte.mx Online Delivery Service
- 2) Min Wah, Ajijic
- 3) Hot Rod Burrito, Plaza Bugambillas

BEST BAGUETTE or SANDWICH / LONCHES

- 1) Emma's Deli, Ajijic
- 2) Simply Joyful, Ajijic
- 3) Panaderia Scandinavia, Centro Laguna
Tied With... Vegan Town, Ajijic

BEST COFFEE / CAFE

- 1) El Gato Feo Café, Ajijic
- 2) Doppio, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Grand Avenue, San Antonio Tlay.

BEST PLACE TO TAKE GUESTS

- 1) Casa MayaBela, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Simply Joyful, Ajijic
- 3) Yves Restaurant, Ajijic

BEST BAR OVERALL

- 1) Lucky Bar, Ajijic
- 2) Iron Horse Bar & Grill, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Cocktail Bar, Ajijic

BEST DESSERTS / POSTRES

- 1) Vicky's Sourdough Donuts, Ajijic
- 2) Marissa, Ajijic
- 3) Savta, Ajijic

BEST ECONOMICAL RESTAURANT / ECONOMICO

- 1) Chile Verde, Ajijic
- 2) American Legion, Chapala *Tied With...*
Hot Rod Burrito, Plaza Bugambillas Ajijic
- 3) Dusty Chicken, Libramiento

BEST DELI

- 1) Emma's Deli, Ajijic
- 2) Lilifher Deli, Ajijic
- 3) Gourmet Garage, Riberas del Pilar

SECTION 2 - QUALITY OF LIFE / CALIDAD DE VIDA**BEST RETIREMENT HOME / CASA DE RETIRO**

- 1) Casa Nostra, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Happiness Care Residence, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Mi Casita, San Antonio Tlay.

BEST PRIVATE SCHOOL / ESCUELA PRIVADA

- 1) Instituto International, Libramiento
- 2) Tohui-Mocel, Ajijic
- 3) Instituto Loyola, San Antonio

BEST MEDICAL FACILITY / FACILIDADES

- 1) Quality Care Clinic, San Antonio Tlay *Tied With...* Hospital San Antonio, San Antonio Tlay..
- 2) Hospital Ajijic, Ajijic
- 3) Ribera Medical Center, Libramiento

BEST EMERGENCY CARE / EMERGENCIAS

- 1) Hospital San Antonio, San Antonio Tlay.
- 2) Hospital Ajijic, Ajijic
- 3) Ribera Medical Center, Libramiento

MOST VALUABLE WEB SITE OR ONLINE FORUM

- 1) AjijicNews.com
- 2) Gringos Ajijic & Lakeside (Facebook page)
- 3) InsideLakeside.com *Tied With...*
BestofLakeChapala.com

MOST VALUABLE MEXICO NEWS MEDIA

1. SemanarioLaguna.com (online & in print)
2. AjijicNews.com (online)
3. Guadalajara Reporter (online & in print)

SECTION 3 – LEISURE / ACTIVIDADES**BEST DIVERSION OVERALL**

- 1) Lakeside Little Theatre, San Antonio Tlay.
- 2) Iron Horse Bar & Grill, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Mel's Casa Social, Ajijic

BEST FAMILY ACTIVITY / ACTIVIDAD DE LA FAMILIA

- 1) Balneario San Juan Cosala
- 2) Cristiania Park, Chapala
- 3) Tobolandia, La Floresta Ajijic

BEST LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

- 1) Iron Horse Bar & Grill, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Mel's Casa Social, Ajijic *Tied With...*
Scallion Bistro, Ajijic
- 3) Casa Domenech, Ajijic

SECTION 4 – SHOPPING AROUND / DE COMPRAS**BEST CLOTHING BOUTIQUE (NEW or USED)**

- 4) Mia's Boutique, Ajijic
- 5) Bohemia, Ajijic
- 6) La Sala de Smokee, Plaza Bugambillas Ajijic

BEST LOCALLY OWNED MARKET

- 1) Gourmet Garage, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Pancho's Deli Market, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Hola! Market, Ajijic

BEST BAZAAR, THRIFT SHOP, CONSIGNMENT

- 1) It's Kinda Bazar ... and Kinda Not!, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Barbara's Bazaar, Ajijic
- 3) Make It Cash, Ajijic West

BEST GALLERY-GIFT SHOP / GALERIA y REGALOS

- 1) Diane Pearl Colecciones, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Ana Romo Gallery, Ajijic
- 3) Calli Intramuros, Ajijic *Tied With...*
Mi Mexico, Ajijic

BEST FURNITURE (NEW or USED) / MUEBLERIA

- 1) Arden Muebleria, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) It's Kinda Bazar...and Kinda Not!, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Beg, Barter, Buy & Sell FB page

SECTION 5 - TRAVEL & LODGING / VIAJES

BEST TRAVEL AGENCY / AGENCIA DE VIAJES

- 1) Ajijic Travel Agency, Ajijic
- 2) Discover Mexico, Chapala
- 3) Charter Club, Ajijic

BEST HOTEL

- 1) Hacienda del Lago Boutique Hotel, Ajijic
- 2) La Nueva Posada, Ajijic
- 3) Donaire Boutique Hotel, Ajijic

BEST BED & BREAKFAST (B&B)

- 1) Estrellitas Inn, Ajijic
- 2) Casa del Sol, Ajijic
- 3) Garden of Dreams, Ajijic

BEST TOURS AND SHORT TRIPS

- 1) Magnificent Tours, West Ajijic
- 2) Charter Club Tours, Ajijic
- 3) Miguel Lemus Martinez

SECTION 6 - PRODUCTS & SERVICES /SERVICIOS

BEST BEAUTY PRODUCTS & SERVICES / ESTETICA

- 1) Gloriosa, Centro Interlago Libramiento
- 2) Sunshine's Salon by Mirasol
- 3) Maria Teresa, Panache, San Antonio Tlay.

BEST MASSAGE or SPA

- 1) Tuliana Kline, Chapala
- 2) Total Body Care, Ajijic
- 3) Spa Termal Tlalocan, San Juan Cosalá

BEST LEGAL SERVICES / SERVICIOS LEGALES

- 1) Chapala Law (Spencer MacMullen), Chapala
- 2) ABC Legal (Azucena Bateman), Ajijic
- 3) Felipe Gonzalez, Ajijic *Tied With...*
Solbes & Solbes, Riberas del Pilar

BEST PRIMARY CARE DOCTOR

- 1) Carlos Garcia Diaz
- 2) Jessica Flores, Ajijic
- 3) Rebeca Arroyo, Happiness Care Ajijic

BEST OPHTHALMOLOGIST or OPTOMETRIST

- 1) Claudia Camacho Choza, Chapala *Tied with...*
Rigoberto Rios León, Alta Retina Mirasol

2) Luz Zepeda, LCS Ajijic

3) Humberto Ruiz Garcia, Integrity Clinic Ajijic

BEST ARCHITECT and/or BUILDER

- 1) Gerardo Romero
- 2) Roberto Millan
- 3) Steve Warwick Construction

BEST NATURAL or ALTERNATIVE CARE

- 1) Dr. Beatriz Gallagher
- 2) Erin Dixon, LMT, ABT
- 3) Alejandra Collignon, L.N.

BEST DIAGNOSTIC LAB / DIAGNOSTICOS

- 1) BestLab, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Dr Carlos Ramirez, HealthCare Diagnostics
- 3) Quality Care Lab, San Antonio Tlay.

BEST DENTIST or DENTAL CLINIC / DENTISTA

- 1) Cristina Barreto, Mojo Dental, Ajijic
- 2) Dental Express (Edgard Macias), Ajijic West
- 3) Eloy Barragan, Mirasol

BEST VETERINARIAN or VET CLINIC

- 1) José "Pepe" Magaña, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Drs. Ladron de Guevarra, Riberas del Pilar
- 3) Pet Place Dr. Berenice Martinez, Interlago

BEST REAL ESTATE OFFICE / INMOBILIARIA

- 1) All-in-1 Mexico Real Estate, San Antonio Tlay.
- 2) Lake Chapala Real Estate, Ajijic
- 3) Fenix Real Estate, San Antonio Tlay.

BEST COMPUTER SERVICES

- 1) Lakeside CompuShop Luis Algarin, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Fix My PC/Gadgets Guy, Donald Stordahl
- 3) Computerland (Ruben), Riberas del Pilar

BEST CHIROPRACTIC or SPINAL MANIPULATION

- 1) Jorge Ulloa P.T.
- 2) Lowell Stephen Birch, D.C., Plaza Interlago
- 3) Roberto Montoya, Centro Quiropractico Ajijic

BEST AUTO REPAIR / TALLER MECANICO

- 1) Robert's Automotive, Riberas del Pilar
- 2) Beto Hernandez, San Antonio Tlay.
- 3) Ron Young Auto Repair, Chapala

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ELITE (5-Year) WINNERS as of 2022

Best Chiropractic or Spinal Manipulation Jorge Ulloa Physical Therapy Center

Best Oriental or Asian Cuisine

Min Wah Restaurant

Best Gallery-Gift Shop

Diane Pearl Gallery, Art & Activities Center

Best Desserts / Postres

Vicky's Sourdough Bakery