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9 dishes you need to order this fall on Long Island

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Fall brings in a slew of seasonal menu additives to Long Island restaurants. What's worth it? Our food critics gathered up some of the best dishes they've tried so far this fall.

Andi Berlin's picks

Bone-in rib-eye at Hacienda Tulum in Long Beach

198 Boardwalk

There are two ways to do Hacienda Tulum, the Mexican steakhouse on the boardwalk in Long Beach. There's the taco and margarita route, and the blowout special occasion route. Most of the time I'll be doing tacos, but I have to say, the best bite of the night was a slice of devastatingly rare rib-eye steak ($98). The restaurant touts its membership in the Pat LaFrieda 850 Club, which claims to sell extremely high-quality marbled beef, from Black Angus cattle. We ordered ours medium rare. The steak does not come with flour tortillas but ask for a side of them anyway. More info: 516-882-4837, haciendatulum.com