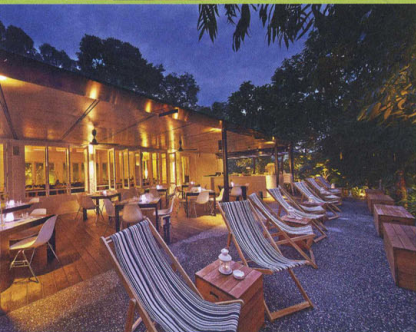


all in the family

To stand out in the foodie paradise that is Katong, the new **Zaffron Kitchen** has pulled out all the stops to ensure it will appeal to the entire family. There's a play area laden with toys to keep the kids busy, while the adults nosh on a robust menu of Northern, Southern and local Indian dishes. Try the dum chicken biryani (S\$10.50) or the signature khatti meethi gobi (fried cauliflower served with yoghurt, S\$7.50). There's also a children's menu with the likes of a masala chicken burger meal or dosai meal with chicken or vegetables (S\$6.50 each). To indicate their choices, kids paste stickers of the dishes on the menu card. What fun!

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SADDLE UP

Located in the verdant Bukit Timah Saddle Club, **Pantry @ the Stables** (Marmalade Pantry's second outlet) marries modern chic with rustic charm beautifully. Natural ash timbre chairs crafted by Finnish designer Alvar Aalto meet Paolo Rizzato's lantern lamps amid lofty French windows and a sprawling alfresco deck. The result is a delightfully modish space with good food to match. Perennial Pantry favourites like crab meat linguine (S\$24+) and sticky date and toffee pudding (S\$14+) are served alongside new creations such as spaghetti carbonara crowned with a quivering 62°C sous vide egg (S\$24+). The bistro runs afternoon tea specials, weekend brunches and an all-day bakery, too.

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Affordable Quality

Rakuzen's flagship restaurant at Millenia Walk has been drawing a firm following since 2006, thanks to its quality food at affordable prices. Its second outlet serves the same noteworthy dishes such as kushiyaki moriawase (skewered meats and produce grilled over charcoal, S\$20) and yaki onigiri (grilled rice, S\$5 a piece).

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