

Executive Chef Scott Brandon presents Tavern Nights at Fireside Tavern

Crowne Plaza eatery to feature live entertainment and weekly specials highlighting specialty ingredients

Costa Mesa, July 2014 – Executive Chef Scott Brandon has introduced a lineup of rotating weekly offerings to his already celebrated menu at **Fireside Tavern**. The “**Tavern Nights**” highlight an exciting special from 4–10 p.m. every Tuesday through Friday evening, allowing guests to experience exciting food, beverage, and live entertainment offerings with a tavern twist. These nightly specials will be available alongside the restaurant’s popular Happy Hour offerings.

The following **Tavern Nights** specials will run Tuesday through Friday from 4–10 p.m.:

Taco Tuesday: Chef Scott Brandon presents specialty tacos, including fish, chicken, and beef for \$2 each

Wine Down Wednesday: Brown Bag Bottles for \$15 – don’t worry, we won’t judge

Burgers & Brew Thursday: An over-the-top specialty burger that changes weekly, paired with a craft beer on tap for only \$15

Live Music Friday: begin your weekend with live music from local talent (schedule will vary)

“We take pride in our Tavern menu offerings, small-batch craft beers, and wines here at Fireside,” commented Chef Scott Brandon, Executive Chef at Fireside Tavern. “The introduction of our *Tavern Nights* allows us to present our unique offerings to our guests in a fun and exciting manner.”

In addition to the **Tavern Nights** specials running 4–10 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, Fireside Tavern also features **Happy Hour** 7 days a week from 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. and again from 10 p.m. - midnight. During Happy Hour, guests will enjoy select wines by the glass for \$4, mules and margaritas for \$6, and draft beers for \$5, accompanied by an array of specially priced bar snacks. On Sundays, the American tavern will feature a multi-course, family-style Sunday Supper where guests can enjoy a uniquely social dining experience prepared and presented by Chef Scott.

Fireside is located in the Crowne Plaza at 3131 Bristol St., off the San Diego Freeway, in Costa Mesa. The restaurant is open for a breakfast buffet from 6 to 9 a.m., lunch from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., and dinner from 5 to 10 p.m. There are two Happy Hours, from 3 to 7 p.m. and again from 10 p.m. until midnight. Fireside can be reached at (714) 557-3000.

About Fireside Tavern

Fireside is an American gastropub helmed by Executive Chef Scott Brandon. The Costa Mesa eatery offers a contemporary menu of upscale tavern fare for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. With a focus on artisanal cuisine, a menu of American favorites features carefully sourced meat, seafood and cheeses. The bar boasts an array of American wine, craft beers on draft, and handcrafted signature cocktails. The inviting interior features warm woods,

rustic colors and fire-tone accents. In the dining room, guests will enjoy lounge and bar seating, and plush booths. The outdoor patio, with a fire feature, beckons locals and visitors alike to mingle over modern tavern fare and libations.

About Crowne Plaza

The Crowne Plaza in Costa Mesa is an upscale boutique hotel located in the heart of Orange County and surrounded by Fortune 500 Companies, world class shopping at South Coast Plaza, hundreds of restaurants, the arts, movie theaters, golf courses and beautiful beaches. Renovated in 2010, the hotel has 224 rooms, including six suites, as well as Fireside Tavern. The Crowne Plaza Costa Mesa Orange County is independently owned by Westport Capital Partners and Urban Common LLC and operated by Brighton Management, under a license agreement with a company in the InterContinental Hotels Group.

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