



## Readers' Best of Richmond

### Best French fries

Before we reveal our favourite, first a hint to restaurants. The French fry was not actually perfected by the French, but the Belgians. The key is to deep-fry the fries, or *frites*, twice—once to cook through, then at a higher temperature to give them a lovely blonde-brown crispness. Our favourites are at Tapenade Bistro (3711 Bayview St.).

#### Place to take out of the guests

1. Steveston
2. Pajo's
3. Tapenade Bistro

### Fine Dining

1. Tapenade Bistro
  2. Papi's Ristorante
  3. Steveston Seafood House
- Also mentioned: "Wendy's."

### First Date

1. Steveston
2. Tapenade Bistro
3. The Zone Bowling

### Server

1. Jacqueline Herchert, Foggy Dew
2. Tina from Tapenade
3. Greg Z, The Keg