

# East Valley Restaurant Guide

## Daphne's Greek Cafe

I went to Daphne's Greek Cafe for the first time today. I wasn't really expecting much. I thought, "A fast-food Greek place? Nah, it won't work." Luckily, I was pleasantly surprised!

I went to the Daphne's Greek Cafe on Val Vista and Baseline in the Dana Park shopping center. When I parked the car and started walking in, there was Greek music playing over speakers outside. I thought that was a nice touch. Inside, I was promptly greeted by a cashier and by my confused look, he could obviously tell I hadn't been there before. He handed me a menu, pointed out the lunch specials and left me alone to pick out my meal.

There were 8 lunch specials to choose from including a classic Gyro Pita Lunch with Greek Salad and rice pilaf, a Ka-bob lunch, 1/4 lemon chicken, vegetarian lunch and a Greek chicken salad. I wasn't feeling especially venturesome today so I went with the Gyros pita and french fries lunch for \$6.99.

I took the gyro back to my office and dug in. The pita was piled high with meat, lettuce, tomatoes and red onions. It also came with a side of tzatziki sauce. The portion was just right for a lunch. It wouldn't have been enough for dinner but unless you're looking to engorge yourself during lunch, I found the portion satisfying.

Was it the best Greek food I had ever had? No, not really. But it was really a good meal for a reasonable price. I will definitely go back again.

Daphne's has three locations in the Phoenix area: the Mesa location at Dana Park on Baseline and Val Vista; a Chandler location at The Falls on Queen Creek Road; and in Scottsdale at The Promenade on Scottsdale Road.

One thing I would do before going is head over to the [Daphne's Greek Cafe web site](#) and sign up with their eClub. Then when you go into the store, you can give them your phone number and start earning points towards a free meal at Daphne's. You'll also get a coupon on your birthday and at the anniversary of when you signed up for the Daphne's Greek Cafe eClub.

Check it out and let me know what you think in the comments below!