

Crêpes & Co

18/1 Sukhumvit Soi 12, located 300 m down the soi on right hand side

Crêpes & Co. is like my favorite pair of old Nike running shoes: it's comfortable and I keep returning to it in spite of the newer models that keep cropping up. Now a veteran amongst Bangkok restaurants, this classy little eatery continues to play to full audiences from its pleasantly converted villa and attractive garden on Sukhumvit Soi 8.

The restaurant opens at 9:00 am (8:00 am on Sundays) and quickly fills with Bangkokians enjoying its legendary brunch that can be enjoyed until midnight. At B450++, it isn't cheap, but includes pastries, juices, eggs, pancakes, coffees, teas and a host of other items. For those with smaller appetites, there are smaller and less expensive brunches on the menu.

In addition to crêpes, the bill of fare contains numerous Mediterranean dishes, including a delicious Tajine of Lamb at B430++ and some of those smashing salads for which the



Mediterranean region is famous. There are over 100 crêpes available. My favorites are the B180++ 'Roquefort' served with cheese, apple and nuts and the B270++ Smoked Salmon served with salmon in a wine and cream sauce.

Another Crêpes & Co feature is its rotating food promotions. These include a 'Moroccan Food Fantasia', a Greek Food Promotion' and a 'Spanish Tapas Festival' – all places where the family who run this restaurant have lived. During February, the month of Valentine's Day, there is a special 'Love is in the Air' promotion for those with romance on their minds.

All of this is accomplished in a small, but pleasantly converted villa with lots of wood, plants and fabrics. There is a terrace and outdoor eating area and an alcove adjacent to the main dining room with three tables and children's toys. Kids are not just tolerated here – they are positively welcomed.

Do yourself a favor and join the legions of Crêpes & Co customers. We promise you'll be glad that you did.