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## Employee-owned Zachary's opens on Main Street

**Z**achary's Chicago Pizza, the 200 plus 'Best Pizza' award-winning Chicago-style pizza connoisseurs, have opened in Downtown Pleasanton. While specializing in Chicago-style stuffed pizza, Zachary's also offers traditional thin-crust pizza as well as a selection of fresh salads and appetizers in a fun, family-friendly environment.

Zachary's in Pleasanton, which opened July 29, 2021, boasts a

full bar with signature cocktails, 10 beers on draft, and two HD TVs. An intimate dining room, adorned with colorful cus-

tomer masterpieces from the bi-annual Zachary's Art Contest, leads onto an ample patio fronting

Main Street. On warm days slushies for adults and kids are available to cool patrons down as they people-watch and wait for their pizzas.

Originally opening in 1983,

Zachary's Chicago Pizza was the vision of Zach Zachowski and Barbara Gabel. After 20 successful years of making Chicago-style pizza with a California twist, Zach and Barbara decided to retire in 2003. Rather than selling their company to a buyer, they decided to give the company to their dedicated and experienced managers and crew. Not only did this decision reward long-term Zachary's employees, but it also helped preserve the founders' vision and maintain the Zachary's culture going forward. Now 100% employee-owned,

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Zachary's has five locations across the Bay Area in Oakland, Berkeley, Pleasant Hill, and now Downtown Pleasanton.

"We are delighted to be in Downtown Pleasanton and treasure the warm welcome we are receiving from customers and community members," says Zachary's COO Leandra Schuler. "We look forward to serving delicious pizza and being part of memorable experiences for years to come."

Zachary's is open for dine-in and takeout seven days a week. For those ordering takeout, short-term parking is available directly behind the restaurant for easy and quick pickups. Delivery is available via their online ordering platform, as well as through their third-party delivery partner DoorDash. For more information or to place an



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online order visit Zachary's website at [www.zacharys.com](http://www.zacharys.com) or call them directly (925) 600-0089. Questions

can be emailed to Zachary's Director of Operations Luke Vavasour at [luke@zacharys.com](mailto:luke@zacharys.com).