





# WHO WE ARE

We are the Rosas Bailon Family. Mayte Bailon is the mom, the owner, the chef, and the businesswoman who brought the idea to life. Nate, Ezra, and Kevin are the sons, university students, and the workers who keep the business going. Juan Rosas is the dad, the financial wiz who helped get the business up and running. Ofe, Yair, and Andy, extended family, are also part of the team, helping with the day to day.

We immigrated from Queretaro, Mexico to Edmonton in the mid-2010s. It all started as a started as a small taco stand at the Edmonton City Farmers' Market on 104 Street in the summer of 2017. Frida Urban Taqueria opened its doors in December 2020.

The restaurant was named after renown artist Frida Kahlo, a painter and poet from Mexico City who gained world-wide popularity and fame during the 1930s-50s. Her art and poetry captivated audiences due to its raw portrayal of the human body and spirit. Frida championed for women, indigenous and queer rights during a time when it was dangerous to do so. Further, she refused to conform to societally constructed gender norms, which is why she sported her famous unibrow.

Frida suffered many tragedies during her life, including polio and a bus accident which left her paralyzed for a time. Her spirit of perseverence and freedom of expression is what inspired us to use her as the motif for the restaurant.

### THE FOOD

At Frida Urban Taqueria, we celebrate the richness and history of Mexican gastronomy. Modern Mexican cuisine is the principal child of the Old World and the New World. The Aztec and Mayan empires had immense gastronomies which fused with Spanish and Arabic gastronomies to create one of the most extensive and exquisite national cuisines in the world. Aztec salsa made its way aorund the work to Italian pasta and pizza, chocolate and vainilla traveled to France to flavor desserts, and zucchini, squash, spices and peppers traveled to India and East Asia to further liven their cuisines.

Here at Frida Urban Taqueria, we honor this legacy with recipes true to our native country. We make every tortilla by hand, and accompany our tacos with house-made salsas, chopped onion and cilantro, and lime,



APPETIZERS

SIDES

GUACAMOLE AND CHIPS | 13 avocado, tomato, onion, cilantro, jalapeño. not customizable .

PICO DE GALLO AND CHIPS | 11 tomato, onion, cilantro, jalapeño. not customizable.

FRIJOLES AND CHIPS | 11 refried beans.

SALSA VERDE AND CHIPS | 10 green tomato salsa.

SALSA ROJA AND CHIPS | 10 red tomato salsa.

GUACAMOLE PLATTER | 24 guacamole, refried beans, and salsa roja.

PICO DE GALLO PLATTER | 22 pico de gallo, refried beans, and salsa roja.

SALSA PLATTER | 20 avocado salsa, salsa verde, and salsa roja.

ENSALADA MAYTE | 12

salad: mixed greens, sweet potatoes, roasted corn, onion, grape tomatoes, queso fresco, and cilantro dressing.

GUACAMOLE | 8 avocado, tomato, onion, cilantro, jalapeño. not customizable .

PICO DE GALLO | 7 tomato, onion, cilantro, jalapeño. not customizable.

FRIJOLES | 7 refried beans.

SALSA VERDE | 6 green tomato salsa.

SALSA ROJA | 6 red tomato salsa.

CHIPS | 6 homemade corn tortilla chips.

# TACOS

### MEAT

VEGAN

AL PASTOR | 6 | single pork shoulder marinated in guajillo and achiote sauce, pineapple, cilantro, onion.

CARNE ASADA | 6.5 | single grilled steak, grilled onions, cilantro.

FAJITAS | 6 | single grilled chicken breast, sautéed bell peppers and onion, cilantro.

## PREMIUM

#### CARNITAS

single: 6.5 | order of three: 17 confit pork, pickled jalapeño, pico de gallo, cilantro. included in taco tuesday classic special, not premium.

#### **SUADERO**

single: 7 | order of three: 19 tender confit beef brisket, onions, cilantro.

PESCADO: FISH | 21 (order of three) beer-battered basa, chipotle coleslaw, avocado, valentina.

CAMARONES: SHRIMP | 21 (order of three) beer-battered shrimp, chipotle coleslaw, avocado, valentina.

PAPAS CON FRIJOLES | 5.5 | single refried beans, roasted potatoes, sautéed bell peppers and onions, optional queso fresco.

CAMOTE | 5.5 | single sweet potato, kale, corn, cilantro, and onion, optional queso fresco.

CALABAZA | 5.5 | single sautéed zucchini, bell peppers, onions, and corn, optional queso fresco.

CHAMPIÑON | 5.5 | single sautéed baby portabello mushrooms, bell peppers, and onions, optional queso fresco.

Tacos served with salsa, cucumber, raddish, and lime

### EHTRAS

AVOCADO | 4 SOUR CREAM | 2 CHEESE: QUESO FRESCO | 2 ADDITIONAL SALSA | 2 HABANERO SALSA | 2 REFRIED BEANS | 4 LIMES | 1 VALENTINA | 1 JALAPEÑOS | 2

## PLATILLOS

### QUESADILLAS

#### QUESADILLAS | 19

order of two, artisanal corn tortillas, grilled cheese, and your choice of filling. choice of steak, pork, chicken, birria (+2), shrimp (+2), brisket (+2), potato, zucchini, or mushroom.

#### GRINGA I 14

double flour-tortilla, grilled cheese, al pastor and carne asada, onion, cilantro.

#### QUESADILLA SENCILLA | 8

double flour-tortilla stuffed with cheese.

### PASTAIES

#### GORDITA | 11

single, hand-made fried corn-flour pastry stuffed with mozzarella, pork carnitas, salsa roja, lettuce, queso fresco.

#### EMPANADAS | 21

order of two, hand-made fried pastries filled with you choice of filling, topped with lettuce, sour cream, pico de gallo, salsa.

choice of steak, pork, chicken, zucchini, or mushroom .

### PLATES

#### ENCHILADAS | 22

order of four, potato and mozzarella on corn tortillas, smothered in tomatillo salsa, topped with lettuce, sour cream, queso fresco. chicken +2

#### MOLACAJETE | 64

(serves 2-3)

meat platter, chorizo, carne asada, al pastor, fajitas, shrimp, nopales (cactus), refried beans, salsas, eight tortillas. additional four tortillas +3



### FROM MEXICAN LIQUEURS

#### FRIDA KAHLO | 15

margarita: nodo reposado 2 oz, hibiscus, squeezed lime, agave, shaken.

#### EL AMOR | 16

paranubes oaxaca rum 2 oz, hibiscus, elderberry, angel's trumpet/ nightshade, agave.

#### NATE | 19

mezcal derrumbes san luis potosi 2 oz, chocolate, guava, orange, agave.

#### SOREN | 17

sauvignon blanc, root of lime tree, grapefruit peel, parsley, dried butterfly pea flower, blueberry.

#### PRIDE: LAVERNE COX | 19

margarita: nodo reposado 2 oz, cointreau, avocado, orange, agave, blended.

#### KEV'S ELIXIR | 16

sangria: berry wine, ginger, mango, blueberry, turmeric.

#### EL CAIDO | 16

mezcal el occidental 2 oz, ginger, turmeric, coriander seeds, cardamom seeds.

#### XILA HORCHATA | 19

mezcal 2 oz, horchata with caramelized pineapple, ancho chili, cinnamon, black pepper, cloves, lavender.

COURTESY OF THE BEVERAGE COLLECTIVE

## **TEQUILA**

### MARGARITAS

### ON THE ROCKS

#### HOUSE | 12

nodo blanco 2 oz, squeezed lime, agave, shaken.

#### COCONUT | 14

1800 silver coconut 2 oz, squeezed lime, agave, shaken.

#### SPICY | 14

tradicional silver 2 oz, mexican spices, squeezed lime, agave, shaken.

#### PREMIUM | 16

choice of premium tequila 2 oz, fresh lime, agave,

#### ULTRA PREMIUM | 19

choice of ultra premium tequila 2 oz, fresh lime, agave,

#### PREMIUM | 8

select tequilas 1 oz: 1800 plata, 1800 reposado, tradicional añejo, patron añejo, don julio plata.

#### ULTRA PREMIUM | 10

select tequilas 1 oz: 1800 añejo, don julio reposado, don julio añejo, hornitos añejo, dobel diamante.

### PALOMAS

#### HOUSE | 13

nodo reposado 2 oz, squeezed lime, grapefruit juice, grapefruit soda, agave.

#### PREMIUM | 17

choice of premium tequila 2 oz, fresh lime, grapefruit juice, grapefruit soda, agave.

#### ULTRA PREMIUM |20

choice of ultra premium tequila 2 oz, fresh lime, grapefruit juice, grapefruit soda, agave.

## MEZCAL

### COCHTAILS

### ON THE ROCKS

#### MARGARITA | 19

400 conejos 2 oz, fresh lime, agave, shaken.

#### PALOMA | 20

400 conejos 2 oz, fresh lime, grapefruit juice, grapefruit soda, agave.

#### MEZCALES | 10

creyente, 400 conejos, el occidental, or montelobos, 1 oz.

#### MEZCALES DERRUMBES | 12

oaxaca, michoacan, san luis potosi, zacatecas, tamaulipas, or durango, 1 oz.

## WINE

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HOUSE RED : EL COTO CRIANZA five oz:10 | eight oz:14 | bottle:42 spain, tempranillo, 2016

**HOUSE WHITE: SAUVIGNON BLANC** five oz:10 | eight oz:14 | bottle:42

portugal, cabriz, 2021

ESTATE MALBEC | five oz:10 | eight oz:14

argentina, 2020

COLHEITA ROSE | five oz : 10 | eight oz : 14

portugal, cabriz, 2021

MISTINGUETT BRUT NATURE | five oz: 10 | eight oz: 14

spain, cava, sparkling

### SANGAIA

SANGRIA ROJA | 14

house red, señoral, orange, berries.

SANGRIA BLANCA | 14

house white, señoral, orange, berries.

## MISC

### HIGHBALLS

BOMBAY SAPPHIRE AND TONIC | 10 classic gin and tonic, 2 oz.

ABSOLUT AND TONIC | 10 classic vodka and tonic, 2 oz.

### BEERS

CORONA | 8 DOS EQUIS LAGER | 8 MODELO ESPECIAL | 8.5 MODELO NEGRA | 8.5 PACIFICO | 8

CHIQUITA LAGER | 9 TROUBLED MONK GOLDEN ALE | 6 TROUBLED MONK DAYCATION | 9

MICHELADA CON CLAMATO | 6

### RUM

MOJITO | 14

blanco 2 oz, fresh lime, mint, soda.

PIÑA COLADA | 16

bacardi blanco 2 oz, pineapple, coconut, blended.

PIÑA COLADA PREMIUM | 18

havana 7 or bumbu xo , 2 oz, pineapple, coconut, blended.

CUBA LIBRE | 12

classic rum and coke, 2 oz.

RONCHATA | 12

bacardi blanco 2 oz, horchata, cinammon.



STILL

CARBONATED

HORCHATA | 6 rice, cinnamon, cold.

JAMAICA | 6 habiscus iced tea.

CAFE DE OLLA | 6

traditional homemade coffee with chocolate, sugar cane, cinnamon. optional milk (recommended) or oatmilk.

AMERICANO | 4

TEA | 4

ask your server for tea options.

COCA COLA (MEXICAN) | 5 DIET COKE | 3 CANNED COKE | 3

SANGRIA SEÑORAL | 6 non-alcoholic carbonated wine

JARRITO | 5

mango, guava, lime, strawberry, pineapple, mandarin, watermelon, tamarind, habiscus, grapefruit, tamarind.

CLUB SODA | 3 GINGER ALE | 3

## **DESSERTS**

TRES LECHES | 10 vanilla sponge cake doused in three milks, topped with pineapple.

FLAN NAPOLITANO | 8 custard topped with peaches.

CHURROS | 8 choice of chocolate, caramel, or white chocolate.

+ VANILLA ICE CREAM | 3

## **SPECIALS**

### TACO TUESDAY

OTHER

THE CLASSIC 5 TACOS | 25

must mix and match. choose between: al pastor, carne asada, fajitas, carnitas, papas con frijoles, camote, calabaza, or champiñon.

THE PREMIUM 4 TACOS | 25

must mix and match. choose between: suadero, camarones: shrimp, pescado: fish. MONDAY house margarita | 9

WEDNESDAY two gorditas | 18

THURSDAY shrimp quesadillas | 19

FRIDAY house paloma | 9.5

## HAPPY HOUR

3-6 PM WED TO SAT

DRIMKS

FOOD

HOUSE MARGARITA | 9.5 HOUSE PALOMA | 10

HOUSE WINE | five oz:6 | eight oz:9

AL PASTOR TACO | 5 single FAJITA TACO | 5 single

GRINGA | 11

