

**50 TOP PIZZA USA 2023: UNA PIZZA NAPOLETANA IN NEW YORK HAS BEEN NAMED THE BEST PIZZERIA IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.**

**In second place is Razza Pizza Artigianale in Jersey City, and on the third step of the podium is Ken’s Artisan Pizza in Portland.**

**The Pizza Maker of the Year is Dan Richer from Razza Pizza Artigianale in Jersey City. The Performance of the Year award has been captured by Tony Gemignani from Tony’s Pizza Napoletana in San Francisco. The Pizza of the Year is the *‘NDUJA* by Jay’s Artisan Pizzeria in Kenmore.**

**Una Pizza Napoletana** in New York has once again been named the best pizzeria of the United States of America. This is the verdict according to the most influential guide in the world of pizza: **50 Top Pizza**. It was announced yesterday afternoon at 6pm (New York time) at **West Edge** inside Chelsea Market during a heavily followed ceremony broadcast live on the guide’s social network platforms and presented by **Andrew Cotto**.

It was an important achievement for **Anthony Mangieri**, who was visibly moved during the ceremony. In second place is **Razza Pizza Artigianale** in Jersey City by **Dan Richer**, who has also captured the coveted **Pizza Maker of the Year 2023 - Ferrarelle Award**. On the third step of the podium is **Ken’s Artisan Pizza**, in Portland, which has also received the only **Green Oven** award in the guide. This prize recognizes pizzerias with a particular sensitivity towards environmental sustainability.

In fourth place is **Tony's Pizza Napoletana** in San Francisco, which has also captured the **Performance of the Year 2023 - Robo Award** because it is the only business with two pizzerias present in this year’s guide: Tony’s Pizza Napoletana in San Francisco, and **Pizza Rock** in Las Vegas, at position number 18.

Fifth position has gone to **Chris Bianco** and his **Pizzeria Bianco**, in Phoenix; in sixth position is **Ribalta**, by **Rosario Procino** and **Pasquale Cozzolino**, in New York, which has also captured the **Best Pasta Proposal 2023 - Pastificio Di Martino Award**; in seventh position **0' Munaciello**, in Miami; in eighth position is **Jay's Artisan Pizzeria** in Kenmore, which has also captured the **Pizza of the Year 2023 - Latteria Sorrentina Award**, with its pizza ***‘NDUJA***; ninth position has gone to **Song' E Napule**, in New York, which also obtained the **Best Fried Food - Il Fritturista 2023 - Oleificio Zucchi Award**; closing the top ten is **Kesté**, in New York.

The other special awards which have been conferred are: **Best Wine List 2023 - Asti DOCG Award** which went to **Ops**, in Brooklyn; **Best Service 2023 - Goeldlin Award** went to **Fabrica Pizza**, in Tampa; **New Entry of the Year 2023 - Solania Award** was given to **Pizza Secret** in New York; **One to Watch 2023 - Fedegroup Award** has gone to **Pizzeria Sei** in Los Angeles, and finally the **Best Beer Service 2023 - Birrificio Fratelli Perrella Award** has been captured by **Craft 64** in Scottsdale.

This year a **Green Oven** award has been conferred in the United States for the first time. This recognition is given to pizzerias which have environmentally sustainable practices and a particular sensitivity towards our planet. It has been awarded to **Ken’s Artisan Pizza** in Portland, who has been added to a company of six other pizzerias in Europe who have already received the same special mention.

New York is the most represented city in the United States of America with an impressive ten pizzerias present in this year’s guide. It is followed by Portland, Miami and San Francisco with three locations each in the guide.

The first 15 positions in the list of the 50 Top Pizza USA 2023, have earned the right to enter into the **100 Best Pizzerias in the World** ranking. This awards ceremony will be held at the *Palazzo Reale* in Naples on the 13th of September.

*“New York has been deemed one of the greatest cities in the world for pizza,”* underscore the project curators **Barbara Guerra**, **Luciano Pignataro** and **Albert Sapere** “*and it is the city with the most pizzerias in the world, with more than 7000 businesses which serve pizzas. The biggest news this year is the impressive improvement in quality demonstrated by the pizzerias from the city of Portland. California is the state with the most pizzerias. The American pizza Movement is very active right now, with a new generation of artisans who are ever more careful with the quality of their product and their ingredients. It is a trend that has been particularly noticeable over the last year.”*

The after party held at **La Devozione** restaurant served as a dynamic platform for the thriving American pizza community. With almost 200 participants from all corners of the US, this celebratory event not only marked their impressive ranking but also provided a prime opportunity for the community to share ideas.

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**Birrificio Fratelli Perrella**, **Consorzio dell’Asti DOCG**, **Fedegroup**, **Ferrarelle**, **Goeldlin**, **Latteria Sorrentina**, **Oleificio Zucchi**, **Pastificio Di Martino**, **Robo 1938**, **Solania**.

**The following list is the Complete Ranking for 50 Top Pizza USA 2023:**

1 Una Pizza Napoletana - New York, USA

2 Razza Pizza Artigianale - Jersey City, USA

3 Ken’s Artisan Pizza – Portland, USA

4 Tony's Pizza Napoletana - San Francisco, USA

5 Pizzeria Bianco – Phoenix, USA

6 Ribalta - New York, USA

7 0' Munaciello – Miami, USA

8 Jay's Artisan Pizzeria - Kenmore , USA

9 Song' E Napule - New York, USA

10 Kesté - New York, USA

11 La Leggenda Pizzeria – Miami, USA

12 Pasquale's Pizzeria Napoletana - South Kingstown, USA

13 Ops – Brooklyn, USA

14 Spacca Napoli Pizzeria – Chicago, USA

15 Fabrica Pizza – Tampa, USA

16 Partenope Ristorante – Dallas, USA

17 Pizza Secret - New York, USA

18 Pizza Rock - Las Vegas, USA

19 Pizzeria Sei - Los Angeles, USA

20 Apizza Scholls – Portland, USA

21 Flour House - San Luis Obispo, USA

22 Mission Pizza Napoletana - Winston – Salem, USA

23 Inferno Pizzeria Napoletana – Darnestown, USA

24 Il Forno - San Antonio, USA

25 Coals Artisan Pizza – Louisville, USA

26 Nardò Italian Restaurant - Huntington Beach, USA

27 Robert's Pizza and Dough Company – Chicago, USA

28 Bricco Coal Fired Pizza - Haddon Township, USA

29 Nostrana – Portland, USA

30 Craft 64 – Scottsdale, USA

31 Spark Pizza – Redmond, USA

32 San Matteo - Pizzeria e Cucina - New York, USA

33 A 16 - San Francisco, USA

34 Salsa - New York, USA

35 Antico Pizza Napoletana – Atlanta, USA

36 Tribute Pizza - San Diego, USA

37 Don Antonio - New York, USA

38 Zeneli - New Haven, USA

39 Pizza Delicious - New Orleans, USA

40 PizzElla - Miami Beach, USA

41 Slice & Pie – Washington, USA

42 Pasquale Jones - New York, USA

43 Basil & Barley Pizzeria Napoletana - Colorado Springs, USA

44 Pomo – Scottsdale, USA

45 Oven & Tap – Bentonville, USA

46 Angelina's Pizzeria Napoletana – Irvine, USA

47 Posto – Somerville, USA

48 A Modo Mio - Arlington , USA

49 Yellow Moto Pizzeria - San Francisco, USA

50 786 Degrees - Los Angeles, USA

**USA Special Awards 2023**

• **Pizza Maker of the Year 2023 - Ferrarelle Award**

**Dan Richer** - Razza Pizza Artigianale - Jersey City, USA

• **Performance of the Year 2023 - Robo Award**

**Tony Gemignani** - Tony's Pizza Napoletana - Pizza Rock - USA

**• Best Pasta Proposal 2023 - Pastificio Di Martino Award**

Ribalta - New York, USA

**• Pizza of the Year 2023 - Latteria Sorrentina Award**

**‘NDUJA** - Jay's Artisan Pizzeria – Kenmore, USA

**• Best Fried Food - Il Fritturista 2023 - Oleificio Zucchi Award**

Song' E Napule - New York, USA

**• Best Wine List 2023 - Asti DOCG Award**

Ops – Brooklyn, USA

**• Best Service 2023 - Goeldlin Award**

Fabrica Pizza - Tampa , USA

**• New Entry of the Year 2023 - Solania Award**

Pizza Secret - New York, USA

**• One to Watch 2023 - Fedegroup Award**

Pizzeria Sei - Los Angeles, USA

**• Best Beer Service 2023 - Birrificio Fratelli Perrella Award**

Craft 64 – Scottsdale, USA

**50 Top Pizza USA - Green Oven 2023**

**•** Ken’s Artisan Pizza – Portland, USA

**Next events for 50 Top Pizza 2023**

• **50 Top Pizza Italia 2023** – July 12th, Rome

• **50 Top Pizza World 2023** – September 13th, Naples

• **50 Top World Artisan Pizza Chains 2023** – November 23rd, Naples

*As with all of the rankings under the 50 Top brand, 50 Top Pizza USA 2023 has also been realized thanks to the annual assessment carried out by our inspectors which collaborate with this project. They have examined an enormous number of pizzerias located throughout the continent. Inspections are always performed anonymously as per policy of the guide. The criteria for assessment include factors which ensure the wellbeing of the client on the whole, beginning from the most essential, the quality of the products used.*