

Dreamwave Studios

NEW IN TOWN

Tim and Liza Goodell of Domaine Restaurants have partnered with Chris Brigandi, Sugar Ray singer Mark McGrath and high-profile movie director McG on A Restaurant in Newport Beach. Designer Betsy Van't Hoff and Liza Goodell transformed the historic beach-side home of the Arches restaurant, crafting a "speak-easymeets-clubhouse" interior with plaid carpeting and chestnut paneling. Chef Vartan Abgaryan — most recently at Red Pearl Kitchen in Hollywood — has written an American-Italian menu, including roasted tomato tart with goat cheese, Italian sausage with grapes and broccoli rabe, and specials such as Tuesday tagliatelle with lamb ragù, sheep's milk ricotta and mint. The Paloma tops the cocktail list, combining tequila, grapefruit and Bubble Up. 3334 West Coast Highway, (949) 650-6505