

SOLON BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

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RESTAURANT + LOUNGE

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How would you best describe your vision for Elle?

Elle (which is translated into “she” in many countries around the Mediterranean sea) serves as an homage to the women who taught us about life. Both our families have a history of amazing women who not only raised their family, but fed communities of families from their restaurants and catering business. It’s very important to us that Elle symbolizes and embodies their accomplishments. We offer the highest quality ingredients made entirely from scratch. Our food is unique, yet classically made. We feature Italian and French dishes, and offer hand crafted cocktails and thoughtfully selected wines to pair with any dish.

What made you go with a Mediterranean focus?

We believe that the countries (and cultures) that surround the Mediterranean offer a large variety of ingredients that allows us to make creative, dishes that are full of flavor. This region also allows the menu to have a variety of options, including vegan, gluten free and healthy choices.

There is a good variety of restaurants in Solon, what makes Elle stand out?

We want our guests to have an upscale experience in an

inviting atmosphere. The experience starts with the look and feel of the space which is both elegant and approachable. It carries on to the tables, dishes, and menu. Our servers also offer a more refined service.

What is it about this concept and location that makes you confident that this restaurant will be a success?

The former restaurant was more upscale, and was there almost 10 years. Solon was in need of a fine dining experience and we are trying to make Solon more of a dining destination, and it’s starting to happen.

Tell us about the Elle team that you’ve put in place and why:

We are so fortunate that in these times we were able to gather some incredibly talented and passionate people. We have assembled a team that has extensive skills and is committed to making sure everyone has a great dining experience at every visit.



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