



## EatBeat: Copper Canyon Grill Preview for Charity Tonight

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Boca's newest American eatery, the **Copper Canyon Grill**, kicks off tonight with a charity event for the Junior League of Boca Raton. (It's a sell-out – sorry). The restaurant opens to the public Monday night (Sept. 7).

I wrote about the Canyon and its background [previously](#) – now, I've had a chance to see it and sample their menu at a media lunch earlier this week. Olive-studded Margarita



Warm, casual interior

### **COMFORT AMBIANCE AND FOOD**

It's a nice, comfortable spot for mid-level dining — full entrees billed mostly as “comfort food”

are mostly in the \$14-\$24 range.

There's a huge horseshoe bar in the center of the room that overlooks the theater kitchen, with tables all around the perimeter on two levels. A small wine room is set up for small (8 or so) private parties. A rustic white arched ceiling over the bar, black leatherette booths, and warm woods below give it a nice contrast. Though the neon over the main open kitchen is a bit jarring, at night and with a full house, it might not be so obtrusive.