



Big Fish

Where :

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This restaurant is situated a little farther down the road from the more popular Siglap Centre area. In fact, it's tucked somewhere near the end of the food stretch, next to a car dealer selling Hyundai cars.

As the name implies, Big Fish is renowned for its fish dishes, which are cooked in various ways and can range from trout to perch to cod to snapper – basically, whatever they can import. Also imported is the shellfish – scallops, mussels, and clams, et al.

What to try: Are you kidding? The fish dishes, of course. The old fave is the fish 'n' chips, but we say go for the daily specials that – surprise, surprise – change daily, depending what the chef can get his hands on.

And you have to try their signature dish, the Big Fish Grilled Hot Seafood Platter – a mouth-watering mix of Australian Queen Scallops, Morton Bay Bugs, Fish Skewers, barbecue Squid, New Zealand Mussels, Prawn Kebabs all char-grilled to perfection, and served with raisin butter rice and crisp fries, tartar sauce and a homemade piquant sweet-spicy dip. Although they say this serves two, we're thinking they actually mean two large WWE wrestlers.

As for appetisers, try the lobster bisque (note: you have to ask for it, it's not on the menu – it's one of those 'in the know' things, but hey, we can't keep a good thing down) and the clams in white wine sauce with chilli, which gives it a zesty pick-up. The tiramisu and soufflé are a great way to end the meal.

Torque note: The portions are fairly large, so make sure you bring enough stomach space. The only glitch is that parking can be a bit of a problem as there doesn't seem to be a lot of space. Be prepared to walk a little – or just say that's your exercise after stuffing yourself silly.