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The week started with sad news of **All'Angelo** on Melrose closing. Owner Stefano Ongaro announced via email, "It is with profound sadness that I must inform you that All' Angelo is no longer in business. Like many other restaurants here in this city and across the country we have become a victim of this unpredictable economy, and despite all of our efforts we are no longer able to keep our doors open. We had a great run." How unfortunate Ongaro only got around to hosting [one special ancient](#) Venetian dinner.

[Fuego at the Maya Hotel](#) (700 Queensway Dr., Long Beach) brings a coastal oriented, pan-Latin menu and a non-chain option to the Long Beach waterfront. The restaurant, bar and lounge incorporates an indoor/outdoor flow, faces expansive views of the port and beyond, and shows off a mixture of polychromatic materials and textures designed by the firm Arya. In addition to Texas native Executive Chef Jesse Perez's regular breakfast, lunch and dinner service, the Fiesta Domingo brunch tries to keep the weekend party going. Sundays feature live entertainment to go with mariscos, *barbacoa*, and menu items grilled on Fuego's terrace. Fuego also stokes the good times with its full cocktail and tequila program.