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# THE 5 BEST PLACES IN BYRON BAY FOR COCKTAILS



## 1 The Byron at Byron

If you're looking to have a relaxed afternoon with friends this is the place to be. Wide verandas furnished with large lounge sofas around the main resort building, allowing guests and visitors to soak in the view of the pool and the surrounding rainforest. The area is serviced by six bars, drinks and snacks. As well as a fabulous cocktail menu, The Byron at Byron also features a wine list that showcases a range of wines produced by boutique vineyards from around Australia.

[thebyronatbyron.com.au](http://thebyronatbyron.com.au)  
1300 354 362



## 2 The Balcony

It's all about fun at The Balcony. Reflecting the famous Byron Bay experience, the bar is well-known for its extensive range of delicious tapas of street food, relaxed, friendly and funky atmosphere. The bar has a well thought out wine list that will appeal to most tastes and a cocktail list that has great versions of classic cocktail plus a very nice selection of their own special concoctions.

[thebalcony.com.au](http://thebalcony.com.au)  
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## 3 The Italian at the Pacific

Perfectly positioned next to the Beach Hotel, this relatively new venue has been beautifully designed and furnished.

The ambience is laid back, sophisticated and very cool. The venue has funky wait staff, attentive service, a small but excellent menu and stunning views of the Pacific Ocean. The bar at the front of the restaurant features a couple of outdoor tables (perfect for romantic couples or people watching) and offers an interesting mix of traditional cocktails (Negroni, Martini) and originals (A Byron becomes fresh - pear and passionfruit, vodka, cranberry and apple).  
[theitalianatthepacific.com.au](http://theitalianatthepacific.com.au)  
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## 4 Targa

Targa was conceived as a bistro style Italian restaurant, which by day is a restaurant and at night it transforms into a bar with a sophisticated atmosphere catering to a young, groovy crowd. The cocktail list, devised by No. Carnon, concentrates on a small selection of classic designs to complement the restaurant's menu.

[targabyron.com.au](http://targabyron.com.au)  
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# BYRON AT BYRON

*Betina Arndt "Why Wives Would Rather Eat Chocolate"*

- 1. Corinne Desmarco and Angela Connelly
- 2. Marie Lisen, Maria Durand, and Jane Collett
- 3. Anna Haddad, Bettina Arndt, and Sally Yvonne
- 4. Cheryl Bookor and Heather West
- 5. Daniela, Jodi and Malinda Dunn
- 6. Kaylene Fogarty and Jenny Pryce
- 7. Joy Clotter, Michele Shannon, Elaine Thomson, Karasha Farrell and Christine Camidge
- 8. Back row: Helen Fry, Louise Owen, Deb Lewis, Debra Hooper, Barry "Smoked". Front row: Nikki Pitt, Jacqueline Blackford, Leanne Cowan and Melissa Cookford
- 9. Celia McCowell, Meredith Betts and Tish McCarthy
- 10. Robert Raymond and Kim Reid
- 11. Sheree O'Connor, Renee Derry and Jack O'Leary
- 12. S. Lee Wong-Lewis and Christine Taylor
- 13. Nicki and Tommaso Northedge
- 14. Del, Derry and Pauline