



CHICO'S HOMETOWN BARBERSHOP

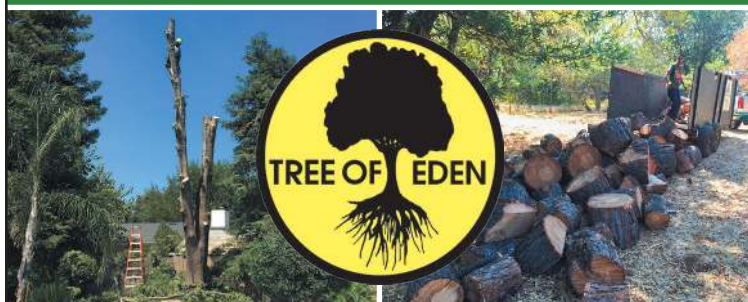
**"CHICO'S FAVORITE
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back in competition shape, theirs is the go-to shop for Chicoans.

SECOND Place: Knockout Collision Repair
3225 Esplanade, 899-9202

THIRD Place: JP's Paint & Body Works
1840 Park Ave., 342-1328

Auto Repair Shop

FIRST Place: Affordable Automotive
2106 Park Ave., 892-1774

Celebrating its 25th year in business, Affordable Automotive can handle any repair, from preventive maintenance to transmission work to diagnosing and fixing all those mystery rattles we all know too well. With the shop's guarantee and warranty promise, customers know they're getting service they can trust.

SECOND Place: D & E Auto Repair
3328 Esplanade, Ste. D, 343-9703

THIRD Place: Superior Auto Clinic
2862 Esplanade, 343-3568

Baby/Kids' Clothier

FIRST Place: Apple Blossom Baby
977 East Ave., Ste. 90, 345-1617

Kids grow! (It's science.) And one of the keys to Apple Blossom Baby's popularity is featuring gently used resale items to help clothing budgets from getting out of hand. Of course, the store also has a wide selection of new styles of clothes, toys and any other kid gadgets a parent might need.

SECOND Place: Once Upon A Child
801 East Ave., Ste. 106, 592-3824

THIRD Place: Kat's Meow
138 W. Third St., 899-8811

Bank/Credit Union

FIRST Place: Tri Counties Bank
multiple locations, tcbk.com

Founded over 40 years ago right here in Chico, Tri Counties Bank is no longer just in three counties; it has branches all over the state. Customers have come to know the bank by its core values of trust, respect, integrity, communication and opportunity, or TRICO.

SECOND Place: Sierra Central Credit Union
Multiple locations, sierracentral.com

THIRD Place: Members 1st Credit Union
Two Chico locations: 969 East Ave. & 550 Salem St., 222-9349

Barbershop

FIRST Place: Liberty Barber Co.
240 Main St., Ste. 180, 630-7313

Liberty Barber Co. turned on its restored barber's pole downtown last March and in less than a year has already made a name for itself in Chico's crowded barber scene. A traditional shop offering cuts, beard trims and hot-towel straight-razor shaves, Liberty also features a complimentary beverage and a shoulder massage with each visit if you want. (You definitely want.)

SECOND Place: Danny's Barbershop
544 Broadway, 332-0553

THIRD Place: Gearhead Barbershop
151 Broadway, 774-2157

Bike Shop

FIRST Place: Pullins Cyclery
801 Main St., 342-1055

Finally, after more than a century, Pullins Cyclery gets some recognition! We kid, of course: Pullins started in Chico in 1918, Steve and Katy O'Bryan took over the shop in 1984, and during their tenure,

the locals' obvious favorite has accumulated Best of Chico plaques like nobody's business.

SECOND Place: Greenline Cycles
515 Main St., 894-7885

THIRD Place: North Rim Adventure Sports
178 E. Second St., 345-2453

Cab Company

FIRST Place: Taxi Dave
566-0447

A no-nonsense name for a clean, dependable, no-nonsense taxi service. Dave's got you covered 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. every day except Sunday. (Even Dave's gotta rest!)

SECOND Place: Chico Yellow Cab
893-4444

THIRD Place: G-Ride Pedi-Cab & Trolly
354-9885

Cannabis Dispensary (delivery or within driving distance of Chico)

FIRST Place: Perfect Union (Marysville)
311 F St., Marysville, 763-4826,
perfect-union.com

Perfect Union has dispensaries all over the top half of the state, from Weed (naturally) to Morro Bay. The Marysville shop is less than an hour's drive from Chico, where an enormous selection of sativa and indica products—from flowers and extracts, to edibles and topicals—keeps dispensary-deprived Chicoans stocked up.

SECOND Place: Zente Farms
zente farms.com

THIRD Place: SHÉ
shewholesale.com

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Kirk's Jewelry