

## CASACC Venue Report.

Restaurant:	New Shaan		
Field Reporter:	Leom Holley	Date:	26-Sep-24
The Show:	7		
Attendance:	Excellent	Yellow Cards: 0	Red Cards: 0
President:	Leom Holley		
Members:	Josh	8.5	
	Ryan	8.1	
	Nate	7.9	
	Rob B	8.7	
	Stephan	5.4	
	Kenny	7.5	
	Leom	6.8	
Totals:			
General Comments:			
<p>Ah, the delights of a group dining experience – an evening filled with curry, conversation, and just a touch of culinary critique. Our latest gathering took place at New Shaan, an Indian restaurant that left us with some mixed, yet mostly positive, impressions.</p> <p>The food was the highlight for most of us, with perfectly cooked rice, flavorful dishes, and spice levels that generally hit the mark for those who appreciate a bit of heat. The ambiance of the restaurant was pleasant, though some felt it was a tad on the chilly side – almost as though we'd wandered into an Arctic retreat rather than a warm, spicy haven. Service, unfortunately, was not the restaurant's strong suit. The pace was slow, testing the patience of even our most laid-back members. However, the cleanliness of the bathroom and overall environment helped soften the blow of the leisurely delivery. Some of us longed for a more lively atmosphere, noting the lack of music and alcohol as missing ingredients to what could have been a more vibrant dining experience.</p> <p>One recurring theme throughout the evening was disappointment with the papadoms – once a reliable staple of any Indian meal, but sadly not up to scratch this time. The condiments, too, failed to pack the punch we were hoping for. In the end, the food was generally good, the service had its quirks, and the papadoms left us dreaming of crispier days. However, the cleanliness and spice levels managed to keep the evening enjoyable overall. Our collective thoughts averaged out to a score of <b>7.56/10</b> – not quite a curry masterpiece, but certainly a solid effort.</p> <p>It was voted that we would be brining the October meeting in 1 week due to Halloween. As a final note, Stephan will be taking on the esteemed role of President for our next gathering, and we can only hope he'll bring a bit more fire to the proceedings – both in terms of warmth and spice!</p>			
Final Average Score:	7.56 / 10		

