

Wild West

A new frontier will soon be explored in Anaheim, and we've got Andrew Edwards to thank for it. The Ranch Restaurant & Saloon is a longtime vision of Edwards'-the founder and owner of Extron Electronics, who also harbors a love of American regional cuisine and country tunes. The 20,000-square-foot restaurant, wine cellar and saloon will serve a seasonal menu-a portion of the produce will be plucked from Edwards' ranch in the Santa Ana Mountains, Joining Edwards will be Michael Jordan-master sommelier and former president of The Beachcomber Restaurant Group-as VP of food and bey, and Executive Chef Michael Rossi, formerly of Ambrosia. (Jordan and Rossi also spent time together at



The Ranch's signature popovers

Disney's Napa Rose.) Guests will be well fed on Rossi's bold yet refined from-scratch dishes, like the signature popovers with homemade jam. And that Western theme gets a kick in the seat of the pants with the dining room's walnut tables and leather chairs. It's all topped off by the saloon, which will feature concerts from top country performers. Not to worrydance lessons are also on the table. 1025 E. Ball Road, Anaheim, 714.817.4200, theranch.com -AB