



# FOUNDERS

TAVERN & GRILLE

*Good Friends, Great Food & the Pursuit of Happiness*

## GREAT BEGINNINGS

### SMOKE ROASTED JALAPEÑO POPPERS

large stuffed jalapeños with Asiago, sharp cheddar, cream cheese & Chorizo sausage, served with homemade bleu cheese or ranch dressing ~ 8

### BAYOU SHRIMP

two colossal butterflied gulf shrimp topped with Louisiana style Creole gravy, served over homemade polenta cakes & topped with crispy fried jalapeno rings ~ 10

### MARYLAND CRAB DIP

Founders homemade spices, creamy cheddar, topped with fresh lump blue crab & served hot in a homemade bread bowl ~ 12

### SPINACH & BLEU MUSSELS

Founders slow-cured bacon & spinach in an ale broth, leeks, roasted garlic, topped with blue cheese crumble, served with toasted bread points ~ 15

### EASTERN SHORE CHIPS

Old Bay, Founders ale cheese, fresh tomatoes & green onions ~ 8

### WINGS

choice of Chesapeake, BBQ or Buffalo style, served with homemade bleu cheese or ranch dressing & celery ~ 10

### BUFFALO BITES

Founders Maryland fried chicken, buffalo sauce, diced celery & cheddar cheese, deep fried to a golden brown, served with homemade bleu cheese or ranch dressing ~ 8

## FOUNDERS PIZZA-PIES

12 inch, fresh dough made daily & hand tossed

### FOUNDING FATHER

diced tomatoes, fresh basil, mozzarella & Founders tomato sauce ~ 12

### PAPA PEPPERONI

large sliced pepperoni, with mozzarella & Founders tomato sauce ~ 12

### YOUNG GARDENER

spinach, mushrooms, green & red peppers, red onions, mozzarella & Founders tomato sauce ~ 13

### THE WHOLE HOG

slow cooked pulled pork, homemade meatballs, Italian sausage, mozzarella & Founders tomato sauce ~ 15

### PIZZA AU GRATIN

crispy thin sliced potatoes, roasted garlic cream sauce, slow-cured bacon, mozzarella, cheddar & fresh grated parmesan ~ 13

### KALE & SQUASH

roasted butternut squash, fresh baby kale, mozzarella, sea salt, roasted garlic & olive oil ~ 12

Chef's choice with bacon ~ 13

### BLUE CRAB

with our creamy crab sauce & mozzarella, seasoned with Old Bay & topped with fresh lump Maryland crab ~ 16



## SOUPS & STEWS

### MARYLAND CRAB SOUP

OUR AWARD WINNING CLASSIC!

vegetable medley in a rich tomato broth, blue crab claw meat, seasoned with Old Bay  
cup ~ 6 / bowl ~ 8

### FOUNDERS HEARTY BEEF CHILI

black beans, sweet corn, tomatoes, mushrooms, green peppers, red peppers, onions & spices, topped with shredded cheddar  
cup ~ 6 / bowl ~ 8

### FRENCH ONION SOUP

sweet onions in a rich beef broth topped with a French baguette & your choice of melted Swiss or provolone on top, hot out of the oven  
a menu favorite! bowl ~ 8

## LEAFY GREENS

add to any salad: chicken ~ 6 / steak ~ 8 / shrimp ~ 8 / crab cake ~ market

### FOUNDERS FARMHOUSE SALAD

romaine, Parmesan, garlic, red onion, hard-boiled egg, pepperoncini, tomatoes, basil & oregano, served with our homemade red wine vinaigrette ~ 11

### COLONIAL CAESAR SALAD

romaine, shaved Parmesan & garlic croutons, tossed in our homemade Caesar dressing ~ 9

### ROASTED BEET & ARUGULA SALAD

arugula, tossed with toasted pine nuts & farm fresh goat cheese, served with our homemade balsamic vinaigrette ~ 12

### NEW ENGLAND WEDGE SALAD

quartered iceberg, homemade bleu cheese dressing, slow-cured bacon, red onions, tomatoes, drizzled with balsamic glaze ~ 11

### MINUTEMAN CHOPPED APPLE SALAD

baby spinach, diced Gala apples, toasted walnuts, bleu cheese crumble served with our homemade pomegranate vinaigrette ~ 13

### MANDARIN & CRANBERRY

baby kale, mandarin orange slices, dried cranberries, toasted walnuts, crumbled feta cheese served with our homemade balsamic vinaigrette ~ 13

*Our commitment is to source  
local, organic & GMO-free.  
All fresh, nothing frozen!*

Our beef is all fresh, no steroids, no antibiotics. Our bacon is nitrate free. Our eggs & chicken are free range & hormone free from the Eastern Shore. We buy seasonal produce from local farmers. Our coffee & tea is organic. Our pledge to you is healthy fresh ingredients.

Hope you enjoy the offerings - Cheers!

*all dressings are homemade by Founders: red wine vinaigrette / balsamic vinaigrette / bleu cheese / caesar ranch / honey mustard / oil & vinegar / pomegranate vinaigrette*

# MAIN EVENTS

## YANKEE POT ROAST

*succulent slow roasted, served with root vegetables, onions & natural jus gravy, served over red skin mashed potatoes ~ 21*

## NEW YORK STRIP STEAK

*12oz. Black Angus beef, grilled & perfectly seasoned, served with your choice of two sides ~ 25*

## SLOW SMOKED ST. LOUIS RIBS

*meaty, tender, mouthwatering, homemade rub, lightly sauced & finished on the grill, served with your choice of two sides ~ 1 ½ lb half rack 20 / or 3 lb whole 26*

## ABIGAIL'S YARDBIRD POTPIE

*slow roasted chicken, fresh garden vegetables, in a savory cream sauce, topped with homemade buttermilk drop biscuits ~ 16*

## SHRIMP & GRITS

*extra sharp cheddar, Founders slow-cured bacon & green onion, served with our homemade southern gravy ~ 19*

## SALEM FISH FRY

*beer-battered fresh Atlantic Cod, white flaky, served with Founders hand-cut fries ~ 14*

## 3<sup>RD</sup> MARYLAND REGIMENT FRIED CHICKEN

*2 pieces, perfectly seasoned & fried to perfection, with Founders' homemade chicken gravy, served with your choice of two sides ~ dark 14 / white 16*

## BLACKSMITH CHICKEN ALFREDO

*grilled, blackened & tossed with cavatappi pasta in a creamy Parmesan Alfredo with sundried tomatoes ~ 16*

## EARLY AMERICAN GARDEN PASTA

*spinach, roasted red peppers, sundried tomatoes, diced Portobello mushroom, olive oil & garlic over cavatappi pasta, topped with shaved fresh Parmesan ~ 14*

*Add chicken ~ 6 / shrimp ~ 8*

## BACON WRAPPED MEATLOAF

*our own special blend of fresh Angus beef, celery, carrots, onions & bell peppers, Founders slow-cured bacon, topped with a brown sugar Dijon glaze, served with a side of stewed tomatoes & one additional side ~ 19*

## COD & CLAM MANHATTAN CHOWDER

*an abundance of fresh cod, panko crusted, steamed middle neck clams & mussels in a tomato chowder broth with white wine & roasted garlic, served in our large entrée bowl ~ 15*

# BURGERS & SANDWICHES

*all burgers & sandwiches joined with one side of your choice*

## TAVERN BURGER

*half pound Angus beef with pickle, lettuce & tomato, on homemade sweet roll ~ 10*

## BACON & BLEU BURGER

*half pound fresh Angus beef with Founders slow-cured bacon, creamy bleu cheese, pickle, lettuce & tomato, on homemade sweet roll ~ 12*

## AMERICAN BISON BURGER

*North American Bison with Founders BBQ sauce, sautéed onions, pickle, lettuce & tomato, on homemade sweet roll ~ 15*

## PORTOBELLO MUSHROOM

*hearty thick sliced Portobello mushroom, grilled, with olive oil, balsamic & soy sauce, topped with Swiss cheese, sliced red onion, tomatoes, avocado & baby spinach, on homemade sweet roll ~ 12*

## FOUNDERS LUMP CRAB CAKE

*large jumbo lump blue crab, broiled or fried, served with our lemon aioli or tartar sauce, lettuce & tomato, on a potato kaiser roll ~ market*

## THE CHICKEN & WAFFLE

*Founders fried chicken breast, smoked sliced country ham, pickles, Swiss cheese and maple dijon glaze, served on warm Belgium waffles ~ 14*

## SPRING CHICKEN

*grilled breast with arugula, provolone, citrus mayo, on homemade sweet roll ~ 9*

## PULLED PORK BBQ

*slow roasted with Founders BBQ sauce, topped with Founders homemade slaw, on potato kaiser roll ~ 11*

## THE NEW BALTIMORE ROAST BEEF

*seasoned bottom round, slow roasted with Founders BBQ & horseradish sauce topped with slices of red onion, on potato kaiser roll, served hot or cold ~ 14*

## FISH TACOS

*fresh Atlantic cod, panko crusted, crisp shaved cabbage, cilantro & avocado infused sour cream, pico de gallo, served in three soft flour tortillas ~ 14*



## THE BUNKER HILL

*two half pound fresh Angus burgers with American cheese & Founders seasoned corned beef brisket piled high on top, served on Founders homemade sweet roll, finished with our special sauce...*

*so big its staked with a knife! ~ 18*

# VEGETABLES & SIDES

*\* Add \$2 when joined as a side*

HANDCUT FRIES ~ 4

MAC & CHEESE ~ 4

HOMEMADE SLAW ~ 3

HOMEMADE APPLE SAUCE ~ 4

FRESH VEGETABLE OF THE DAY ~ 4

FRESH BROCCOLI ~ 4

BAKED BEANS ~ 4

HOMEMADE STEWED TOMATOES ~ 4

RED SKIN MASHED POTATOES ~ 4

GARDEN SIDE SALAD\* ~ 6

CUP OF SOUP\* ~ 6

CUP OF CHILI\* ~ 6

# KIDS

*joined with one side of your choice*

GRILLED CHEESE ~ 6

CHICKEN TENDERS ~ 7

MAC & CHEESE ~ 7

PASTA & MEATBALLS ~ 8

FRENCH BREAD PIZZA ~ 7

# DRINKS

*all drinks 2.50 each*

LEMONADE

GINGER ALE

COKE or DIET COKE

SPRITE

ICED TEA

APPLE JUICE

MILK or CHOCOLATE MILK

COFFEE or TEA, organic

*Proudly serving Chesapeake Bay Roasting Co.*



*Ask to see our*  
**DESSERT OFFERINGS**