



## CHAMPLAIN ORCHARDS

“THIS LAND PRODUCES A FINE APPLE. OUR PROXIMITY TO LAKE CHAMPLAIN BUFFERS THE WEATHER, OUR HILLS PROVIDE EXCELLENT DRAINAGE, AND THE MIX OF STONY LOAM AND CLAY SOILS THAT YOU FIND HERE IN ADDISON COUNTY ARE IDEAL FOR OUR TREES’ ROOT SYSTEMS. MY NEIGHBORS AND I HAVE WORKED WITH THE VERMONT LAND TRUST TO PERMANENTLY CONSERVE THESE ORCHARDS AND THE SURROUNDING FARMLAND.

I PURCHASED AND BEGAN FARMING THIS LAND WHEN I WAS 27 AND HAVE WORKED WITH OTHER SHOREHAM GROWERS TO LEARN THE SUBTLETIES OF THIS TRADE. GRADUALLY, YOU COME TO KNOW HOW TO GET HONEY BEES TO POL-LINATE JUST THE RIGHT NUMBER OF BLOSSOMS, HOW TO PROTECT THE FRUIT WHEN YOU SENSE A STORM COMING IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT, HOW TO PRUNE SO THAT SUNLIGHT PENETRATES TO THE FRUITING WOOD, HOW TO KEEP HUNGRY MICE AWAY FROM THE TENDER TRUNKS OF THE SAPLING TREES THROUGH THE WINTER.

AS A 100 YEAR-OLD FAMILY-OWNED AND OPERATED FARM, CHAMPLAIN OR-CHARDS STRIVES TO PRESERVE THE BEST TRADITIONS OF VERMONT APPLE FARM-ING, WHILE TAPPING THE BEST OF NEW FARMING ADVANCES. IN THIS SPIRIT, WE GROW BOTH OLD TIME NEW ENGLAND VARIETIES SUCH AS THE NORTHERN SPY, AND NEW DELICIOUS FLAVORS SUCH AS HONEYCRISP AND ZESTA. SIMILARLY, WE CARE FOR THE LAND AND THE TREES IN MANY WAYS THAT DATE BACK TO THE FIRST AMERICAN SETTLERS, BUT ALSO PRACTICE INTEGRATED PEST MANAGE-MENT, HAVE A TRANSITIONAL ORGANIC ORCHARD, AND TAKE A THOUGHTFUL, FORWARD-THINK-ING APPROACH TO GROWING SAFE APPLES AND BEING EXCELLENT STEWARDS OF THIS LAND.”

BILL SUHR

**Open: M/W/Th 7am until 8pm  
Fri 7am until Sun 8pm (open 24 hours)**

**802.458.0455**

**Closed Tuesday**

FARMERS DINNER

# BEVERAGES



## Fountain Pop

Coke, Diet Coke, Cherry Coke, Ginger Ale, Sprite, Raspberry Iced Tea, Lemonade, and Orange Fanta ~ 2

## *Strafford Organic Creamery Milkshakes*

Made fresh to order. True flavor from fresh Guernsey cream; a Farmers Diner classic ~ 5

**Vanilla, Chocolate, Coffee**  
**(Maple & Strawberry seasonally)**

## *Monument Farms Chocolate Milk*

A chocolate milk lover's must. Kids ~ 2 Adults ~ 3

## *Monument Farms Hot Cocoa with Cabot Whipped Cream ~ 3*

## *Monument Farms Milk Kids ~ 1 Adults ~ 2*



## *Organic Orange Juice*

Enjoy loading up on your daily dose of Vitamin C with our fresh squeezed organic OJ Kids ~ 3 Adults ~ 4

## *Juice*

Champlain Orchards pasteurized apple cider in season and available hot or chilled Kids ~ 2 Adults ~ 3

Cranberry Juice Cocktail, Apple Juice, Tomato Juice

## *Fresh Brewed VT Coffee Company Coffee ~ 2*

## *Fresh Brewed VT Coffee Company Iced Coffee ~ 2*

## *Soothing Tea (Red items from Vermont Liberty Tea Company)*

Black, Peppermint, Jasmine Gold Dragon Green, Fruit & Lavender, Chamomile ~ 2

## *Black Iced Tea*

Fresh Brewed in House ~ 2



## *Catering Services*

Planning a wedding, family gathering, business lunch or holiday party? Your event deserves better than the same old 'franken-food' from who knows where. The Farmers Diner has a full catering menu for every occasion of any size. Invite us to your event and we'll bring 'food from here'. Delicious, fresh area food, that will delight your guests. Our menu features local farmer and producer culinary sensations that accommodate myriad requests. So, invite us to serve the fare at your next function and we'll invite you to 'Think locally and eat neighborly'.

Our goal is to purchase 80% of our ingredients from area farmers and producers. However, due to the seasonal nature & availability of local farm raised produce we may substitute items from more distant vendors.

 - denotes fair trade items

# STARTERS

*All items in red from area farmers & producers!*



## *South of the (Canadian) Border Nachos*

Crispy corn chips topped with Butterworks mildly spicy black beans, smothered with Cabot Cheddar Cheese sauce.

Served with house made Pico de Gallo & a dollop of Cabot sour cream ~7

~add spicy roasted Misty Knoll Chicken ~3 ~add guacamole ~2

*Harvest Soup of the Day* - Served with Westminster Oyster Crackers

Bowl ~6 Mug for the lighter appetite ~4

*Loaded Fries* - Cheddar fries with Vermont Smoke & Cure Bacon, Cabot cheddar cheese & scallions ~8



*Gravy Fries* A generous portion of hand cut fries smothered with house made beef gravy ~5

*Cheddar Fries* - A generous portion of fresh cut fries smothered in melted Cabot cheddar & jack cheese ~5



*Hush Puppies* - Crispy corn fritters with Nitty Gritty organic corn meal, in house made VT Maple BBQ ~5



*Harvest Salad* - A perfect addition to any meal with choice of house, balsamic or low fat ranch dressing ~6

Dressing Choices: House Italian, Balsamic, Low Fat Ranch, Blue Cheese



# SMALL PLATES



*Polenta Fries* - Wonderfully crispy and creamy Nitty Gritty Organic polenta fries served with house made Maple BBQ sauce. A great starter! ~6



*Tomato Sliders* - Long Wind Farm organic tomatoes dredged in parmesan cheese, lightly griddled, joined with Maplebrook mozzarella, wilted basil and a balsamic reduction drizzle ~6

*Caesar Salad* - Classic Caesar, house made dressing, Klinger's garlic butter croutons & parmesan cheese ~7

Add Misty Knoll roasted chicken ~3

(Classic caesar dressing is made with anchovy paste)

*Farmers Salad* - A bed of fresh greens, Vermont Smoke & Cure ham & turkey, Cabot cheddar cheese, tomato, cucumber, red onion, carrots & Klinger's garlic butter croutons ~10

*Crisped Smoked Trout* - Cold Duck Trap Farm smoked trout, herbed VT chevre over Klinger's olive oil brushed and baked bread crisps, topped with a marinated scallion cap ~7

*Smoke & Cure Board* - Featuring handcrafted pepperoni & summer sausage rounds with Cabot cheddar & jack cheese cubes along side a honey dijon dipping sauce ~7



*Farmers Cheese Board* - Experience local farmstead cheeses; cheddar, blue, chevre & swiss served with Champlain Apiaries honey and crusty artisanal bread ~9



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**Seperate checks available - please request when ordering**

# LUNCH ALL DAY

All sandwiches are served with your choice of fresh cut French Fries or Chef's creamy Cole Slaw, and a zesty dill pickle spear!


*Smoking Boar* – A traditional club sandwich, begins with VSC bacon, lettuce and Long Wind Farm tomato on bottom, slice of Cabot cheddar, VSC ham & turkey on top snuggled between Klinger's toasted wheat bread and side of mayo. ~10



 *Cock and Fire* – Tender Roasted Misty Knoll Chicken, finished with house made buffalo sauce, topped with local blue Cheese, all wrapped in a soft flour tortilla ~10

 *Blushing Goat* – Vermont Butter & Cheese Company's Chevre joined with roasted red peppers, wilted baby spinach and sauteed mushrooms, all bundled up in a lightly griddled tortilla and served with our house made sweet balsamic sauce. ~9

*Sappy Squealer* – Slow roasted Vermont raised pulled pork in our Maple BBQ sauce. Served on a lightly griddled Klinger's Bakery Roll ~9

 *Tanned Cow* – Classic grilled cheese with your choice of Cabot jack or cheddar cheese on Klinger Bakery wheat or sourdough white bread ~5

Tanned Cow with Tomato slices ~6

Tanned Cow featuring Vermont Smoke & Cure ham ~7

Tanned Cow with tomato and Vermont Smoke & Cure ham ~8



*Meatropolitan* – NY style Reuben with Farmers Diner house cured corned beef, Boggy Meadow Swiss, sauteed sauerkraut, creamy 1,000 Island Dressing on grilled Klinger's rye ~9

 *Sticky Hen* – Slow roasted Misty Knoll Chicken, coupled with our own Vermont Maple Syrup sweet and spicy BBQ sauce served on a Klinger's Bakery Roll ~9

 *Bear Burger* – Made in house with Butterworks Farm organic beans ~7

*Hog Heaven* – 2 Farmers Diner hot dogs wrapped in Vermont Smoke & Cure bacon, deep fried, snuggled deep in a bed of coleslaw, served on a lightly griddled bun ~9

## WHERE'S THE BEEF ...FROM? NATIVE VT & NH 6oz BEEF BURGERS

Served on a Klinger's Bakery bun with lettuce, tomato and onion

*Hamburger* – Fresh burger patty with lettuce, Long Wind Farms Tomato, and onion ~7

*Cheeseburger* – Our burger with your choice of Cabot jack or cheddar ~8

*Bacon Cheese Burger* – Crispy VT Smoke & Cure bacon top Cabot cheddar or jack cheese ~10

Upgrade to Boggy Meadow Swiss - local blue Cheese - VT Butter & Cheese Chevre ~1

We grill your burgers over an open flame at high temperature to sear in flavor.

Rare - very red center

Medium Rare - red, warm center

Medium - cooked through



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# BREAKFAST ALL DAY

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Egg Whites available for \$1.50

Try pasture eggs from hens running around the barn yard and out in the field for \$.95 per order for a house made English Muffin instead of toast only \$.50

*Omelette* - 3 eggs with choice of Cabot cheddar or jack cheese, one addition (see below), Klinger's white or wheat toast and homefries ~9

## \*Omelette Additions\*

Peppers - Onions - Pico de Gallo - Mushrooms - Broccoli - Spinach - Tomato - Vegetarian Sausage - Cheddar - Jack - Swiss \$.95 each  
Bacon - Ham - Maple Sausage - Chevre or Blue \$1.25 each

*Kitchen Sink Omelette* - 4 eggs with 5 add-ins of your choice, Klingers white or wheat toast & homefries ~13

*Hash & Eggs* - A Farmers Diner Favorite! 2 local eggs cooked your way, over our house cured corned beef hash, Chapelle potatoes, sauteed onions and green peppers, served with Klingers white or wheat toast & homefries ~9

*Farmers Breakfast* - 2 eggs cooked to your way, 2 fluffy buttermilk pancakes with your choice of Vermont Smoke & Cure bacon or maple sausage & homefries ~10

*Vermonters* - 2 eggs cooked your way, with your choice of Vermont Smoke & Cure bacon or maple sausage (upgrade to a maple cured ham steak for \$1.50), Klingers wheat or white toast & homefries ~7



 *Breakfast Burrito* - 2 fluffy scrambled eggs, Chef's mildly spicy Butterworks Organic beans, melted Cabot jack cheese, all wrapped in a soft, warm flour tortilla, served with house made Pico de Gallo & a dollop of Cabot sour cream & homefries ~9

 *Vegetarian Breakfast* - Veggies scrambled with marinated Vermont Soy Company Organic Tofu with veggie sausage, your choice of wheat or white toast & homefries ~ 10

 *Buttermilk Pancakes* - Gleason Grains Organic Wheat flour blended with local eggs & dairy, served with pure Vermont maple syrup & Cabot sweet cream butter ~ 6

 *Golden Griddled French Toast* - Local eggs royale kiss Klinger's Challah bread, lightly griddled to perfection & served with real Vermont maple syrup and Cabot sweet cream butter. ~ 8

## LIGHTER

## APPETITE

 *Nutty Steph's Granola*  
All natural and delicious! ~5

 *Organic Yogurt*  
Butterworks Farm Plain yogurt ~3

 *Organic Yogurt Parfait*  
Nutty Steph's, Champlain Apiaries honey & seasonal fruit compote ~5

## SIDES

*VSC Ham steak or Maple Sausage* ~4

*VSC Bacon or Veggie Sausage* ~3

*House Made Corred Beef Hash* ~4

*Chapeller Farm Home Fries* ~2

*House Made English* ~2

*House made Coleslaw* ~2

*Vegetable of the day* ~2

*Extra Maple Syrup* ~2

Modern Society has grown increasingly separated from the farmers and producers who make our food. This separation has led to the consolidation of food into factories far away from here. It has led to the loss of local farmers and has led to the government insisting on regulations to try and quell citizen's fears about the safety of food. Therefore we are required to inform you that consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.

# KIDS MEALS

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## RISE & SHINE BREAKFAST

**Lil' Chicks** - 2 farm fresh eggs, slice of Klingers toast, homefries & cider, cranberry juice, or milk ~7

**Piglet** - Cabot jack cheese in a 2 egg omelette, slice of Klingers toast, homefries & cider, cranberry juice, or milk ~7

**Pony** - A slice of French toast or a pancake, served with VT maple syrup, homefries & cider, cranberry juice, or milk ~7

**Add a monkey dish of our seasonal fruit compote ~ 2**

## AFTER CHORES LUNCH

**Little Pup** - Farmers Diner all Vermont hot dog, french fries or coleslaw & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~ 6

**Big Dog** - Two Farmers Diner dogs, french fries or coleslaw & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~ 7

**Little Bull** - Local beef burger, french fries or coleslaw & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~ 7

**Big Bull** - Cabot cheese tops a local beef burger, french fries or coleslaw & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~ 8

**Big Chicken** - Local BBQ chicken on a Klingers bun, french fries or coleslaw & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~10

**Scare Crow** - Cabot cheese sauce nachos, Cabot sour cream, Pico de Gallo, & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~7

**Jersey Heifer** - Cabot cheddar or jack, grilled on Klingers white or wheat, french fries or coleslaw & fountain beverage, milk or cider ~ 6



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## SWEET ENDINGS

**Brownie Sundae** - A moist fudge brownie topped with your choice of **Stafford Creamery organic ice cream** (vanilla, chocolate, coffee), finished with Cabot whipped cream and hot fudge. ~4

**Fruit Cobbler** - Our seasonal local fruit compote baked with a sugar cookie topping served warm. Yummy! ~ 4  
Add a scoop of **Stafford Ice Cream** ~ 2

**Lemon Mound Cookie** - Fresh squeezed lemon juice & zest combined with local dairy, topped with sweet icing drizzle, create the perfect companion for a cup of tea or milk! ~ 1.50

Create an ice cream sandwich with **Stafford Vanilla** for ~4

**The Scoop** - A dish of **Stafford Creamery vanilla, chocolate, or coffee**, with or without Cabot whipped cream ~ 3

**Please let your server tell you about our daily dessert specials!**



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