

SANTA CRUZ DINER

A Santa Cruz classic since 1998

BREAKFAST

Omelettes, benedicts, pancakes & more

LUNCH

Burgers, sandwiches, salads, & more

DINNER

Steaks, seafood, pasta & more

ASIAN

Pho, noodle/rice bowls & more

VEGAN & VEGETARIAN

Pasta, tofu/Asian specialties & more

SENIORS, KIDS, & DESSERTS

Super-friendly pricing & decadent desserts!

Classic East Coast diner meets Santa Cruz!

Santa Cruz Diner: Think traditional New Jersey- style diner; large eclectic menu, affordable pricing with a Santa Cruz twist! There's truly something here for everybody, locals and visitors alike: from your favorite classic breakfast goodies to flame-broiled burgers and steaks to comfort foods meat loaf and Italian pasta dishes to Asian-style curries and soups. For those who crave a little panache in their vegetarian and vegan dining experiences, we've got that covered as well.



4.85% surcharge is applied to each bill to better compensate labor, operations and excessive increase in all costs.

Thank you for your support of a local Santa Cruz business!

All major credit cards accepted.

No checks.

Parking reserved for customers only.

We reserve the right to refuse service to anyone.

In case of pricing discrepancy with other published media, in-house menu shall prevail.

“As a child my family’s menu consisted of two choices: take it or leave it.” –Buddy Hackett

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We ♥ Santa Cruz Diner
bumper stickers

Open 7 days

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BREAKFAST

OMELETTES

Three cage-free eggs with hash browns, plus pancakes or toast. Substitute egg whites 1.59. To change ingredients in omelettes, please choose from Build-Your-Own below.

Surf's up: ham, bacon, sausage, Cheddar - 19.79

Denver

Ham, bell pepper, onion - 19.79

Monterey: mushroom, avocado and Monterey Jack - 19.79

Ranch: ham, mushroom, onion and Monterey Jack - 19.79

California: bacon, avocado and Monterey Jack - 19.99

Veggie: tomato, artichoke, bell pepper, mushroom and Monterey Jack - 19.79

Build-Your-Own with choice of any three: tomato, bacon, olive, mushroom, pineapple, spinach, bell pepper, sausage, ham, onion, cheese or artichoke - 19.79

SKILLETS

Eggs and home fries plus toppings, and toast or pancake.

Vegetarian: artichoke, avocado and Monterey Jack - 19.79

Mexican: bell pepper, onion, ground beef, salsa and Monterey Jack - 19.79

SCRAMBLES

With hash browns, plus pancakes or toast, plus choice of three: onion, bell pepper, tomato, olive, spinach, mushroom, artichoke or cheese.

Tofu: lightly seasoned with curry - 19.79

Eggs: three eggs, scrambled - 19.79

* COMBOS

Two eggs any style: with hash browns, plus pancakes or toast - 15.49

Add ham or Canadian bacon: 18.39

Add link or country sausage: - 18.39 Substitute chicken-apple sausage, add 1.99

Add bacon: four - 19.79

***Add top sirloin:** - 21.49

***Add New York steak:** - 22.49

Ultimate combo: three eggs, two bacon slices, link sausage and ham - 21.69

* SUPER COMBOS

Two eggs with hash browns. Please order by #

1: two bacon, three pancakes and sausage - 19.79

2: two bacon, French toast and sausage - 19.79

3: Two bacon, half waffle and sausage - 19.79

Substitute chicken-apple sausage or vegetarian patty - 1.99

Vegetarian patty substitution only allowed for sausage.

* WAFFLES

Add whipped cream to any waffle, .99 extra.

Strawberries and cream

In season - 16.99

Bacon and cheese: 16.99

Buttermilk: 15.29

Blueberry or chocolate chip: 16.99

Waffle special: two eggs, two bacon and sausage - 19.29

PANCAKES

Buttermilk: short stack, four - 12.99; full stack, five - 15.39

Blueberry or chocolate chip: three - 15.39

Banana walnut: three - 15.39

Strawberry: three, in season - 15.39

***Pancake special:** three pancakes with two eggs, two bacon & link sausage - 16.99

***Potato Pancakes (3):** made from scratch with egg, potato, onion, plus gravy or applesauce - 15.69

***Potato cakes special:** two, includes two eggs, 2 link sausage & 2 bacon plus gravy - 18.39

* BENEDICTS

Poached eggs on English muffin topped with our rich hollandaise sauce plus hash browns and fruit, 7am-2pm only.

Canadian bacon Benedict

19.79

Avocado: vegetarian - 19.79

CREPES

Vegetarian: egg, Cheddar, onion, spinach with side of salsa and hash browns - 19.79

Chicken: Cheddar, bell pepper, mushrooms, onion, spinach, sour cream plus French fries - 19.99

Dessert: chocolate drizzle, banana, walnuts and ice cream, topped with fruit - 19.79

QUESADILLAS

Breakfast: tortilla, scrambled egg, onion, bell pepper, salsa & shredded Cheddar & Monterey Jack plus bacon, ham or sausage - 16.99

Vegetarian: tortilla, scrambled egg, onion, bell pepper, shredded Cheddar and Monterey Jack and salsa - 15.69

BREAKFAST BURRITO

Scrambled eggs, hash browns, salsa and Cheddar in soft flour tortilla - 13.49

* FRENCH TOAST

French kiss

Two thick slices - 14.69

French toast special: two thick slices, two eggs, two bacon and sausage - 19.99. Substitute chicken-apple sausage or veggie patty, add 1.99

* COUNTRY STYLE

Country fried steak: served with two eggs, hash browns, biscuit and country gravy - 19.79

House-made corned beef hash: made with onions, parsley, potatoes and seasoning. Served with 2 eggs and potatoes and biscuit and country gravy - 19.79

Country scramble: sausage patty and eggs on a biscuit smothered in country gravy - 19.79. Substitute two veggie patties, add 3.30

* BREAKFAST SANDWICH

Ham, bacon or sausage:

with egg and American cheese on bagel, English muffin or pancake and fruit and hash browns - 17.69

BREAKFAST SIDES

Hash browns: 4.29

House-made biscuits and gravy: one 6.59, two 8.79

Breakfast ham: one slice - 4.59

Bacon: 1.99 each. Canadian bacon - 3.29 each

Sausage: Link - 3.29 (2) Patty - 3.29 each Veggie, Morning Star - 3.29 Chicken apple, one ounce - 3.89 (2)

Oatmeal: 7am - noon only. Does not include milk - 3.89

English muffin: 3.89

French toast: 7.59 each

Toast: 1.99 each Add cream cheese - 2.79 Add peanut butter - 2.79

***One egg:** 3.59

One pancake: 4.59

Mixed fruit: bowl 7.99, cup 3.29 in season.

Strawberries: in season - 7.99

Sides are designed to be ordered as an addition to entrees, not as entrees.



"The Birds" was directed by Alfred Hitchcock and was based on Daphne du Maurier's book and an actual birds invasion of Santa Cruz in 1961. Wally Trabing of the Santa Cruz Sentinel wrote: "A massive flight of sooty shearwaters collided with shoreside structures from Pleasure Point to Capitola to Rio del Mar." The film was released in 1963.

"I was at this restaurant. The sign said 'Breakfast Anytime.' So I ordered French toast in the Renaissance." – Steven Wright



BEVERAGES

Milk: skim, whole, 2%, chocolate - 4.95

Milk alternatives: soy, almond, oat - 5.49

Hot chocolate: - 4.95

Juice: orange, tomato, cranberry, apple - 4.95

Carafe of juice: 9.95

Lemonade, raspberry-lemonade: - 4.95

Root beer float: - 9.69

Cappuccino, latte, mocha: - 6.49

Espresso: single - 3.95, double - 5.49

Chai: hot or cold - 6.49

Vietnamese iced coffee: - 6.49

Arnold Palmer: iced tea and lemonade - 4.95

Shirley Temple: - 4.95

Italian soda: mango, strawberry, cherry, vanilla or raspberry - 4.95

Smoothies: mango, berry, mocha frappuccino - 9.29

Coffee, hot tea, iced tea: - 4.79

One free refill, in-house consumption only.

Soft drinks: Coke, Diet Coke, Coke Zero, Sprite, root beer, Mr. Pibb, orange - 4.79

Free refill, in-house consumption only.

Wine 8.29

No discounts apply.

Chardonnay

Rosé

Pinot Grigio

Cabernet Sauvignon

Champagne

Mimosa: 11.49

CENTR: sparkling CBD drink, regular or sugar-free 7.89

Beer 7.89

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Bud/Bud Light

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Heineken

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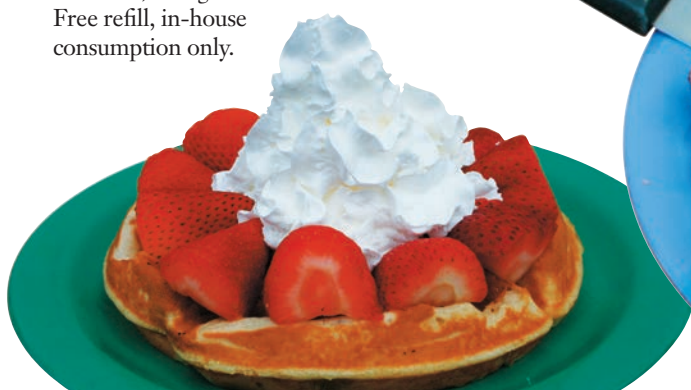
Truly Seltzer

Red Bull: - 6.09

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"The laziest man I ever met put popcorn in his pancakes so they would turn over by themselves." – W.C. Fields



* Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.

LUNCH

Sandwiches and burgers include French fries, coleslaw, salad or applesauce.

Substitute cup of soup, curly fries or onion rings, add 3.29.

Add cup of soup 3.59, lunch menu only.

HOT SANDWICHES

*Steak Sandwich

Tender New York served on a flaky French roll with lettuce, tomato and onion rings - 21.29

California chicken: flame-broiled chicken breast topped with bacon, avocado and Monterey Jack cheese on a whole wheat bun - 18.29

Salmon: grilled filet with lettuce, tomato and tarter sauce, on whole wheat bun - 18.29

French dip: thinly sliced beef on a French roll, au jus - 16.59

Philly Cheesesteak: Roast beef with Jack cheese, grilled onions, mushrooms, green peppers on a French roll - 17.29

Turkey bacon avocado melt: turkey sliced thin with Monterey Jack and tomato - 17.29

Monte Cristo: French toast filled with turkey, ham, American and Swiss cheese, grilled to a golden brown - 18.49

***Sourdough supreme:** 1/2-lb. beef patty, melted Monterey Jack and grilled onions on grilled sourdough bread - 18.49

***Patty melt supreme:** flame-broiled beef on rye with Swiss and American cheese, tomato, bacon and grilled onions - 18.49

Tuna melt: tuna salad, cheese and tomato on grilled sourdough - 17.29

Reuben: corned beef, sauerkraut and Swiss cheese on rye bread - 17.29

Grilled cheese: Swiss, Cheddar, American and Jack cheese with sliced tomato on thick Texas toast - 12.99

Grilled ham & cheese: 14.59

JUMBO HOT DOG

All beef with sauerkraut and fries: 11.29

FROM THE DELI

Classic club: triple-decker piled high with turkey, bacon, crisp lettuce and juicy tomato - 16.99

California club: turkey, Monterey Jack, lettuce, bacon, avocado, tomato - 17.99

Deli sandwich: choice of: roast beef, turkey, ham, tuna on white, whole wheat, rye, or sourdough with lettuce, tomato, pickle, onion, mayo - 15.29

Sesame, whole wheat bun, or French roll, add 1.69

BLT: crispy bacon, fresh lettuce, juicy tomato on toasted white bread with mayonnaise - 14.99

FLAME-BROILED BURGERS*

Flame-broiled burgers are healthier and taste better! All come with lettuce, onion, tomato and pickles.

Bacon double cheeseburger

A feast! Two flame-broiled patties, crispy bacon, Swiss and American cheese - 19.89

California burger: tasty! Topped with avocado, Monterey Jack and crisp bacon - 17.19

Humdinger: Cheddar cheese, bacon, BBQ sauce and onion rings - 16.99

Da Bomb: Topped with bacon, cheese and 1 egg any style - 17.99

Bacon burger: classic! Topped with American cheese and crispy bacon - 16.69

Mushroom burger: covered with sautéed mushrooms and melted Swiss cheese - 16.29

Hamburger deluxe: with all the fixings, served on a sesame bun - 15.69

Hawaiian burger: Jack cheese, pineapple, teriyaki sauce - 16.29

VEGETARIAN

Crepes: egg, Cheddar cheese, onion, spinach and salsa - 19.79

Veggie burger: served on a whole wheat bun with cheese and avocado - 15.69

Omelette: tomato, mushroom, artichoke, Monterey Jack, plus pancake or toast and hash browns - 19.79

***Avocado Benedict:** 6am to 2pm - 19.79

Quesadilla: grilled tortilla filled with scrambled egg, onion, bell pepper and topped with melted Cheddar and Monterey Jack - 15.69

Skillet: scrambled eggs, artichoke, avocado and Monterey Jack with home fries - 19.79

Burrito: scrambled egg, hash browns, Cheddar cheese - 13.49

House-made potato pancakes (3): - 15.69

Grilled cheese: Swiss, Cheddar, American and Jack cheese with sliced tomato on thick Texas toast - 12.99

VEGAN

Coconut curry stew

Tofu, potato, onions and carrots in a tasty coconut curry broth with bread or rice. - 16.99

Tofu scramble: seasoned with curry and choice of three: bell pepper, tomato, artichoke, onion, spinach, mushrooms, or olives with hash browns and toast - 19.79 Addition of vegetarian sausage, add 3.29

Tofu rice bowl: with sautéed veggies and teriyaki sauce on a bed of rice - 15.69

Jumbo veggie dog: served with French fries and sauerkraut - 11.29

FRESH SALADS

Substitute spinach or romaine, add 1.99. Garlic toast, add 1.99

Caesar salad: crisp romaine with Parmesan cheese, croutons and Caesar dressing - 14.29

Chicken Caesar: crisp romaine with Parmesan cheese, croutons and Caesar dressing served with sliced grilled chicken - 18.49

***Steak Caesar:** crisp romaine with Parmesan cheese, croutons and Caesar dressing served with sliced grilled top sirloin - 19.79

Salmon Caesar: crisp romaine with Parmesan cheese, croutons and Caesar dressing served with warm grilled salmon filet - 19.79

Chef's salad: iceberg lettuce topped with julienne ham, turkey, cheese, olives, sliced egg and tomato - 18.49

Chinese chicken salad: grilled chicken, lettuce, crispy noodles, green onion, crunchy bean sprouts and zesty Asian dressing - 16.99

Cobb salad: crisp iceberg lettuce topped with turkey, bacon, blue cheese, olives, tomatoes and avocado - 16.99

LUNCH ENTREES

11am-close

Fettuccine Alfredo: - 15.99
Add chicken or shrimp 19.79

Hot roast beef or turkey: house-roasted and served on bread, plus mashed potatoes and gravy - 16.99

Clam chowder or soup of day in bread bowl: 14.69



"The man who invented the hamburger was smart; the man who invented the cheeseburger was a genius."
 – Matthew McConaughey



ASIAN

Chicken curry stew: tender chicken, potatoes, onions and carrots in a tasty coconut curry broth with bread or rice. - 17.99

Vietnamese Pho noodle soup

Chicken or beef in a savory broth with rice noodles, scallions, cilantro, sprouts, onion and basil. - 17.49

Spring Roll

11am till gone: hand-made and stuffed with shrimp, rice noodles, pork, lettuce and a hint of mint. Healthy, not fried! Served with a side of peanut dipping sauce - 5.69 each

Chicken teriyaki rice bowl: stir-fried teriyaki chicken with veggies, served on a bed of rice - 15.49

Salmon teriyaki rice bowl: stir-fried teriyaki salmon with veggies, served on a bed of rice - 16.99

Teriyaki chicken plate: served with rice - 15.99

BEVERAGES

Milk: skim, whole, 2%, chocolate - 4.95

Milk alternatives: soy, almond, oat - 5.49

Hot chocolate: - 4.95

Juice: orange, tomato, cranberry, apple - 4.95

Carafe of juice: - 9.95

Lemonade, raspberry-lemonade: - 4.95

Root beer float: - 9.69

Cappuccino, latte, mocha: - 6.49

Espresso: single - 3.95, double - 5.49

Chai: hot or cold - 6.49

Vietnamese iced coffee: - 6.49

Arnold Palmer: iced tea and lemonade - 4.95

Shirley Temple: - 4.95

Italian soda: mango, strawberry, cherry, vanilla or raspberry - 4.95

Smoothies: mango, berry, mocha frappuccino - 9.29

Coffee, hot tea, iced tea: - 4.79
 One free refill, in-house consumption only.

Soft drinks: Coke, Diet Coke, Coke Zero, Sprite, root beer, Mr. Pibb, orange - 4.79.
 One free refill, in-house consumption only.

Wine 8.29
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Chardonnay

Rosé

Pinot Grigio

Cabernet Sauvignon

Champagne

Mimosa: - 11.49

CENTR: sparkling CBD drink, regular or sugar-free 7.89

Beer 7.89

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Truly Seltzer

Red Bull: - 6.09

SIDES

Green salad: 6.09

Scoop of tuna fish salad: 4.99

Soup of day: cup 3.99; bowl - 5.69

Clam chowder: cup 3.99; bowl - 5.69

French fries: 4.99

Curly fries: 7.99

Cheesy fries with bacon: 10.59

Onion rings: 7.99

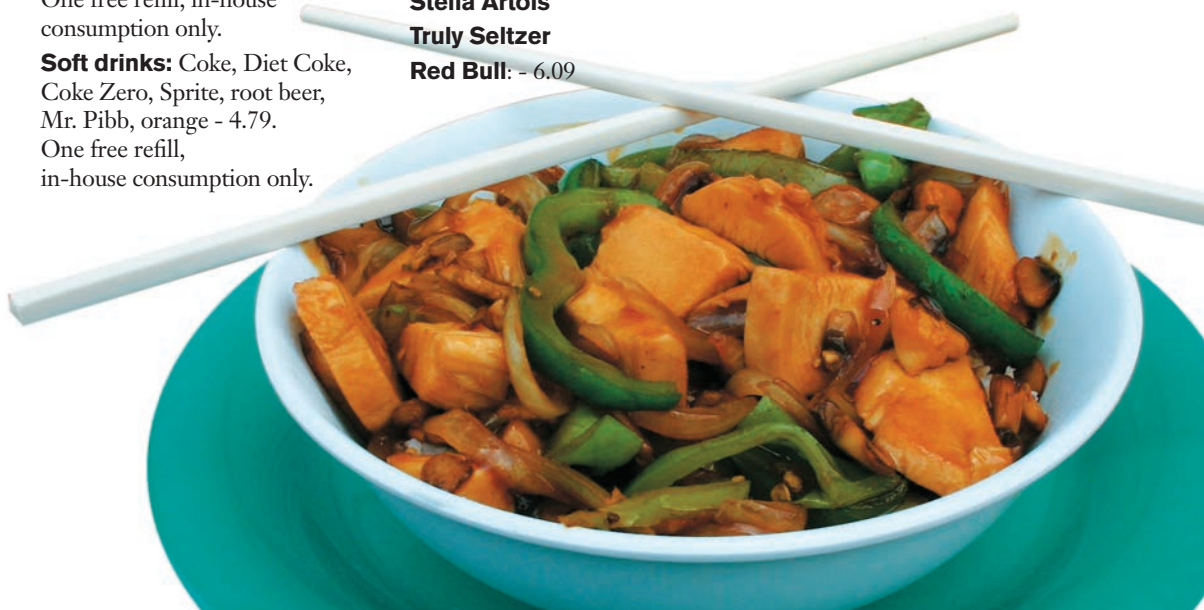
Mashed potatoes & gravy: 11am-close only - 5.79

Biscuits and gravy: one - 6.59, two - 8.79

Cup of jasmine white rice: 4.69

Mixed fruit: bowl 7.99; cup 3.29

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Huntington Beach may have the legal right to call itself Surf City, but Surfer magazine, which rates the top 10 surf towns, proclaims Santa Cruz to be "The Real Surf City, USA." The magazine considered the surf, food and vibe of the nations' best known surf towns, "plus any surfer who's ever paddled out at Steamer Lane knows the judge got it wrong," Surfer magazine stated.

DINNER

Served 4pm–close daily.

Please see lunch menu for salads and sandwiches.

*STEAKS

All Steaks are USDA choice beef and marinated and flame-broiled. Served with potatoes, vegetables and salad or soup. Warm bread upon request.

New York Steak

Eight ounces of tender, juicy steak topped with onion rings - 22.99

Mushroom steak: tender, juicy sirloin smothered with sautéed mushrooms and onions - 21.49

Teriyaki top sirloin: Sirloin marinated in teriyaki sauce - 21.49; add prawns - 3.89

Country fried steak: tenderized beef, breaded and seasoned and served with country gravy - 18.49

Salisbury steak: two round beef patties smothered in brown gravy with sautéed onions and mushrooms - 18.99

SEAFOOD

Most come with mixed veggies, rice pilaf and choice of salad or soup. Warm bread upon request.

Salmon Castroville

Grilled with garlic, wine, artichokes and mushrooms - 21.49

Prawns: lightly breaded and fried golden brown - 18.49

Fisherman's platter: deep-fried calamari, whitefish, prawns - 18.49

Fish and chips: battered cod, deep-fried, with French fries - 18.49

Grilled Salmon: - 19.99

HOUSE-MADE SPECIALTIES

Served with mashed potatoes, fresh mixed veggies and soup or salad. Warm bread upon request.

Yankee pot roast: slow-roasted and topped with brown gravy - 18.59

Jambalaya Santa Cruz: Fresh fish, mussels and shrimp in a spicy creole sauce. Served on a bed of steamed rice. - 19.79

Clam chowder or soup of day in a bread bowl: does not include salad - 14.69

PASTA

Includes soup or salad. Garlic toast or bread upon request.

Seafood Fettuccine

Fresh fish, shrimp, mussels, mushrooms and tomatoes in Alfredo sauce, with soup or salad - 19.79

Substitute chicken or shrimp - 19.79
Fettuccine Alfredo - 15.99

Lasagna: egg noodles layered with spinach, mushrooms, garlic, mozzarella, ricotta, Romano, Parmesan cheeses and marinara sauce - 18.39

Spaghetti: plus soup or salad: house-made marinara sauce - 16.99; add meatballs - 5.69

CHICKEN

Served with mashed potatoes, fresh mixed veggies and soup or salad. Warm bread upon request.

Chicken Castroville: with wine, artichokes, mushrooms and garlic - 18.49

Spicy chicken Santa Cruz: boneless skinless chicken breast sautéed with mushrooms, onions, garlic and spicy peppers - 18.49

Chicken Florentine: Boneless filet served with fresh tomatoes, mushrooms, basil, garlic, parsley and spinach in a creamy Alfredo sauce - 19.79

Chicken crepe: Cheddar, bell pepper, onion, mushrooms, spinach and sour cream served with French fries. Does not include soup/salad/bread/mashed potatoes/veggies - 19.99

ASIAN

11am–close

Vietnamese Pho noodle soup: chicken or beef in a savory broth with rice noodles, scallions, cilantro, sprouts, onion and basil. - 17.49

Chicken curry stew: tender chicken, potatoes, onions and carrots in a tasty coconut curry broth with bread or rice. - 17.99

Spring roll: 11am–till gone: Hand-made and stuffed with shrimp, rice noodles, pork, lettuce and a hint of mint. Healthy, not fried! Served with a side of peanut dipping sauce - 5.69 each

Chicken teriyaki rice bowl: stir-fried teriyaki chicken with veggies, served on a bed of rice - 15.49

Salmon teriyaki rice bowl: stir-fried teriyaki salmon with veggies, served on a bed of rice - 16.99

Teriyaki chicken plate: served with white rice - 15.99

VEGETARIAN

Spaghetti plus soup or salad: fresh pasta with house-made marinara sauce. Bread upon request - 16.99

Crepe: egg, Cheddar cheese, onion, spinach and salsa - 19.79

Veggie burger: served on a whole wheat bun with cheese and avocado - 15.69

Omelette: tomato, artichoke, mushrooms and Monterey Jack cheese with pancakes or toast and hash browns - 19.79

Quesadilla: grilled tortilla filled with scrambled egg, onion, bell pepper and topped with melted shredded Cheddar and Monterey Jack - 15.69



The Santa Cruz Wharf was built in 1914, the last of six built on the site. With a length of 2,745 feet, it's the longest pier on the West Coast of the United States. Currently, the City of Santa Cruz is embarking on a study of the half-mile long landmark to identify structural improvements and increase economic opportunities.

“The only time to eat diet food is while you’re waiting for the steak to cook.” – Julia Childs



VEGAN

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Tofu, potato, onions and carrots in a tasty coconut curry broth with bread or rice. - 16.99

Tofu scramble: seasoned with curry and choice of three: bell pepper, tomato, artichoke, onion, spinach, mushrooms, and olives with hash browns and toast - 19.79

Vegetarian sausage, add 3.29

Tofu rice bowl: with sautéed veggies and teriyaki sauce on a bed of rice - 15.69

Jumbo veggie dog: served with French fries and sauerkraut - 11.29

BEVERAGES

Milk: skim, whole, 2%, chocolate - 4.95

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Hot chocolate: 4.95

Juice: orange, tomato, cranberry, apple - 4.95

Carafe of juice: 9.95

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Root beer float: 9.69

Cappuccino, latte, mocha: 6.49

Espresso: single - 3.95, double - 5.49

Chai: hot or cold - 6.49

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Scoop of tuna fish salad: 4.99

Soup of day: cup 3.99; bowl - 5.69

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French fries: 4.99

Curly fries: 7.99

Cheesy fries with bacon: 10.59

Onion rings: 7.99

Mashed potatoes and gravy: 11am-close only - 5.79

Biscuits and gravy: one - 6.59; two - 8.79

Cup of rice: 4.69

Mixed fruit: - bowl 7.99; cup 3.29



Mission Santa Cruz was a Spanish mission founded by Franciscan priests in 1791. Holy Cross Church is next to a replica of the original mission: one was destroyed by a flood, the other by fire. Currently, it remains an active parish of the Diocese of Monterey.

SENIOR MENU

“Everything you see I owe to spaghetti.” – Sophia Loren

Reserved for our guests age 65 plus who prefer lighter portions.

Senior Discount
Our valued customers who are 65 plus also receive a 15% discount on any regular menu item. Not combinable with any other offers, coupons or discounts. Please request discount when ordering.

BREAKFAST

***Egger:** two eggs any style, two strips of bacon or sausage - 11.89
Plus your choice of the following, order by number:

- 1: Two buttermilk pancakes
- 2: A slice of French toast
- 3: Half waffle
- 4: Hash browns and slice of toast
- 5: Biscuit and country gravy

Cakers: choice of two strips of bacon or link sausage:

Buttermilk, nut, blueberry or banana walnut pancakes - 11.69

Toaster: two full slices of thick French toast, plus choose two strips of bacon or link sausage - 11.69

Minnie: two scrambled eggs with minced ham served with hash browns and toast - 11.69



APPETIZERS

Choose either salsa, marinara, BBQ or ranch dip for any of the appetizers except for fries. We use soy oil in our fryers for good taste without unhealthy trans fats.

Captain's plate: deep-fried calamari, prawns, and battered fish. No substitutions on this item - 16.99

Sampler: chicken strips, poppers, cheese sticks and onion rings. No substitutions on this item - 16.99

Poppers: eight fried jalapeño peppers stuffed with cream cheese - 15.49

Cheese quesadilla: 12.69
Add chicken, beef (after 4:00), or shrimp, - 3.39each.

Mozzarella sticks: (8) - 12.29

Cheesy fries with bacon: 12.29

Vietnamese spring roll: Hand-rolled and stuffed with shrimp, rice noodles, pork, lettuce and mint. Healthy, not fried! Served with peanut sauce. Served 11am till gone. - 5.69

BASKETS

Includes French fries and dipping sauce.

Prawns: (6) - 14.29

Chicken strips: (3) - 14.29

Calamari: tubes and tentacles - 14.29

Hot wings: 14.19

Fish and chips: 14.59



LUNCH

Chef's salad: 15.49

Chicken Caesar salad: 15.49

Half sandwiches: with fries or slaw. White, wheat, sourdough or rye. Choose from roast beef, turkey, ham, tuna, BLT, or grilled ham and cheese - 11.29

Grilled cheese half-sandwich: 9.49

Addition of soup or salad, add 3.29



DINNER

Breast of chicken: grilled boneless breast of chicken, plain or with a choice of teriyaki or BBQ sauce - 14.99
Served with your choice of mashed or French-fried potatoes, veggies and warm bread, plus your choice of a cup of soup or a tossed green salad, or get both for an additional 3.29

Spaghetti: spaghetti noodles covered with house-made marinara sauce - 13.69
Add meatballs - 4.69
Includes warm bread and soup or salad, or both for 3.29

YUMMY HOUSE-MADE DESSERTS

ICE CREAM

Thick hand-scooped milkshakes: vanilla, chocolate or strawberry. All shakes served with whipped cream on request - 10.09

Cappuccino shake: double shot of espresso - 11.39

Oreo Flurry Shake

Oreo cookie pieces - 11.49

Crepes: chocolate sauce drizzle, bananas, walnuts and scoop of ice cream - 19.59

Sundae or hot fudge sundae: - 12.49

Ice cream: one scoop - 4.69, two scoops - 5.99

Root beer float: - 9.69

Death by brownie: ice cream, hot fudge, nuts, and whipped cream on a house-made brownie - 12.29

Brownie: - 4.69

*Housemade Tiramisu

10.49

New York cheesecake: - 10.49

Dark chocolate layer cake: - 10.49

Carrot cake: - 9.99

FRUIT AND CREAM PIES

Apple: - 8.49

Berry: -8.49

Cherry: -8.49

Lemon meringue: -8.49

Chocolate cream: -8.49

Coconut cream: -8.49

Add whipped cream to any pie, extra .99



Santa Cruz Chinatown: 1865 - 1955. Fact is there were several Chinatowns, and the last one was located downtown, along the San Lorenzo River. Flooding of the river's banks had always been a problem to the town's wooden sidewalks and first-floor structures. In 1955, disaster struck: the river's banks overflowed during a storm, forcing the few remaining residents to leave.