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BENNU

To Rise. To Shine.
A Rebirth. A New Beginning.

The wonderful Bennu, with its brilliant red and golden plumage, was the sacred bird of Heliopolis. The Bennu bird serves as the Egyptian correspondence to The Phoenix. It is said to be the soul of the Sun-God "Ra" and fabulous stories were told about it.

In Heliopolis, the Bennu bird played a major role in Egyptian mythology, for it was in the City of the Sun where the work of creation began. As the 'soul of Ra,' the sun rose in the form of the Bennu to shine out across the world renewed each morning. Some of the titles of the Bennu bird were "He Who Came Into Being by Himself," "Ascending One," and "Lord of Jubilees." The name is related to the verb "weben," which means "to rise brilliantly," or "to shine." The Bennu bird being the mythological Phoenix of Egypt, was associated with the rising of the Nile, resurrection, and the sun. Because the Bennu represented creation and renewal, it was connected with the Egyptian calendar. Indeed, the Temple of the Bennu was well known for its time-keeping devices. According to ancient Egyptian myth, the Bennu had created itself from a fire that was burned on a holy tree in one of the sacred precincts of the temple of Ra. Other versions say that the Bennu bird burst forth from the heart of Osiris. The Bennu was said to have rested on the sacred pillar that known as the benben-stone. The Egyptian priests showed this pillar to visitors, who considered it the most holy place on earth.

We hope you enjoy the rebirth of the Cafe.

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whitestown shopping plaza

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soups

{ everyday }

chicken & vegetables with pastine or broccoli and cheese

call for our additional daily soup specials
8 oz cup
4.99
12 oz bowl
5.99
1 full quart
13.99

burritos/nachos

chicken / pork / veggie served with salsa & chips

pequeño 9.99 grande 10.99

- includes -

rice, black beans, onions, cheese, mushrooms, peppers, corn, salsa, sour cream

burrito bowl 10.99

cheese quesadilla

tortilla filled with mexican cheese, served with sour cream and salsa { add chicken or pork 3.99 }

loaded nachos 9.99 loaded nachos w/meat 13.99

8.99

- extras avocado, guac add 2.25 each -
- extras cheese, salsa, sour cream add 2.25 each -
 - extra meat add 3.99

bennu burgers

1/2 lb. certified Angus Beef burgers served on a kaiser roll with lettuce, tomato, onion with fresh cut fries

basic burger	11.49
cajun burger, cajun seasoning	11.49
bleu burger with melted crumbly bleu	12.99
mushroom & swiss burger	12.99
bacon & cheddar burger	13.49
hickory burger, cheddar, bacon, bbq sauce, onion rings	13.99

salads

we toss to order - just ask to make any salad a chopped salad

spring mix / romaine / baby spinach 7.49

toss-ins / no charge

carrots, croutons, cucumber, red onion

"A" toppings / add 1.50 ea

grape tomatoes, cranberries, corn, raisins, green peppers, kalamata olives, black olives, chopped egg, chickpeas

"B" toppings / add 2.00 ea

sunflower kernels, walnuts, roasted red peppers, cheddar, crumbly bleu, sliced almonds, shaved parmesan cheese, apple slices, grapes, mandarin oranges

"C" toppings / add 2.25 ea

sundried tomatoes, artichoke hearts, bacon, goat cheese, feta, gorgonzola, avocado

"D" toppings / add 3.99 ea

grilled shrimp, albacore tuna (dry) grilled chicken, lemon chicken, blackened chicken

> fried chicken / add 4.99 filet / add 7.99

- dressings -

house, caesar, creamy bleu, balsamic vinaigrette, russian, ranch, olive oil & vinegar, honey dijon, raspberry vinaigrette

- fat free -

raspberry vinaigrette, honey dijon, sundried tomato

house salads

ahi tuna salad

spring mix, cranberries, walnuts, mandarin oranges, grilled veggies, chow-mein noodles, seared ahi tuna, sesame ginger dressing 14.99

apple spinach salad

baby spinach, cranberries, walnuts, red onions, gorgonzola, apple wedges, house dressing 9.99

classic caesar

romaine, shaved parmesan,
caesar dressing, croutons 7.99
{ add chicken 3.45 }

fresh mozzarella salad

fresh mozzarella, roma tomatoes, kalamata olives, red onion, fresh basil, house dressing with a balsamic reduction

taco salad

Your choice of chicken or pork, on a bed of lettuce with sour cream, shredded cheddar, homemade salsa and crushed tri-colored corn chips

nutty mixed up

spring mix, grapes, grilled chicken, goat cheese, walnuts, cranberries, sunflower seeds, raisins, apple wedges with balsamic vinaigrette 13.99

cobb

grilled chicken, avocado, smoked bacon, crumbled egg, crumbled bleu cheese, tomato, iceberg and romaine lettuce with house dressing or steakhouse bleu cheese 13.99

buffalo chicken salad

romaine, tomatoes, chopped egg, bacon, black olives, fried buffalo chicken, creamy blue 13.99

filet salad

romaine, tomatoes, chopped egg, crumbly bleu, fried onions, filet, house dressing

14.99

11.99

11.99



sandwiches

All sandwiches come with a deli pickle and your choice of homemade chips or tri-color chips and salsa or our side of the week.

{ upgrade to fresh cut fries or sweet potato fries for 1.99 }

new vorker

corned beef, pastrami, swiss, deli mustard on rye bread

9.99

pacino

breaded chicken breast, prosciutto, pesto mayo, sundried tomato, artichoke hearts, provolone on ciabatta bread 11.59

albacore tuna, chicken or egg salad

lettuce & tomato /choice of albacore tuna, chicken or egg salad, choice of rye, white or wheat bread 9.99

don corleone

turkey, salami, pastrami, provolone, lettuce, tomato, garlic/hot 11.59 pepper mayo, on ciabatta

jimmi

grilled chicken, bbg sauce, sautéed red onion, bacon, mayo, 10.99 lettuce, cheddar on ciabatta { also available buffalo-style }

the warrior

roast beef, sautéed onion, cajun mayo, and pepper jack cheese served warm on ciabatta bread

east utica steak

tenderloin, sautéed green peppers and onions, demi glaze, provolone cheese on toasted garlic Italian loaf 14.99

bennu black & bleu

tenderloin, sautéed onion, gorgonzola, on toasted garlic Italian loaf 14.99

triple decker club

turkey, ham, bacon, lettuce, tomato, cheddar cheese and 3 pieces of toasted wheat bread with garlic aioli

{ sandwiches continued }

hot tamale

cappy, turkey, pepper jack cheese, lettuce, hot peppers, pesto/cajun mayo, balsamic vinaigrette on 11.59 Italian loaf

blt

classic bacon, lettuce, tomato, mayo on grilled panini bread 9.99

fish sandwich

beer battered haddock, lettuce, tomato, cheddar, tartar sauce on italian loaf { served with fries } 11.99

deli

classic deli sandwich prepared with mayo lettuce and tomato with your choice of turkey, ham or roast beef { on white, wheat or rye bread } 9.99

soup & sandwich combo

a cup of soup and a half deli sandwich tuna, chicken or egg salad combo 11.99 11.99 blt or deli combo 10.99 grilled cheese combo

panini

All paninis come with a deli pickle and choice of homemade chips or tri-color chips and salsa

firecracker

breaded chicken breast, roasted peppers, salsa, sautéed onions, 10.99 pepper jack cheese

omaha

roast beef, provolone, red onion, 10.49 horseradish mayo

tony montana

ham, pulled pork, mustard, 10.99 sliced pickle, provolone on rye

soprano

prosciutto, cappy, provolone, salami, mixed greens, balsamic vinaigrette 10.99 on ciabatta bread

caprisi

fresh sliced mozzarella, fresh basil, tomato, mixed greens, balsamic 9.99 vinaigrette on focaccia

{ panini continued

deniro

salami, prosciutto, roasted peppers, fresh mozzarella, kalamata olives 10.99 on ciabatta bread

all american

turkey, bacon, cheddar cheese 9.99

reuben or rachel

grilled cornbeef or turkey, sauerkraut, swiss, russian dressing, 10.49 on rye

osiris

turkey, cheesy spinach, artichoke spread, caramelized red onions and provolone cheese on 10.49 grilled focaccia bread

eggplant

fried eggplant, feta cheese, cucumbers, spinach, garlic aioli on focaccia

cleo

hot pastrami, deli mustard, swiss 9.99 cheese on rye bread

wraps

All wraps come with a deli pickle and choice of homemade chips or tri-color chips and salsa

pesto grilled chicken

tomato wrap, grilled chicken, pesto mayo, roasted peppers, mixed greens, asiago cheese 10.49

california club

tomato wrap, bacon, grilled chicken, lettuce, sliced tomato, 10.99 avocado ranch dressing

chicken spinach salad

spinach wrap, grilled chicken, spinach, red onion, bacon, 10.99 parmesan, raspberry vinaigrette

roast beef

white wrap, roast beef, horseradish mayo, tomato, lettuce, red onion, 10.49 provolone

sanzini

fried chicken, bacon, mozzarella cheese and fry sauce on a grilled white wrap 10.49 { wraps continued }

turkey bacon

tomato wrap, bacon, artichoke hearts, turkey, fresh mozzarella, honey 10.49 mustard dressing

veggie

spinach wrap, roasted peppers, artichoke hearts, mixed greens, tomato, swiss, provolone, kalamata olives, 9.99 red onion, balsamic vinaigrette

ham & cheese

white wrap, lettuce, 9.99 tomato, swiss, dijon mayo

the pharaoh

lettuce, onion, bacon, cheddar cheese and cajun mayo in a white wrap with your choice of chicken or shrimp 10.99

buffalo chicken

fried buffalo chicken, lettuce, tomato, onion, bleu cheese, 10.49 white wrap, grilled

chicken caesar

chopped romaine, grilled chicken 9.99 with classic caesar dressing

avocado

spring mix, tomatoes, avocado with house dressing 9.99 grilled in a spinach wrap

twister

grilled roast beef, pickles, hot pepper mayo, fried onions, cheddar, lettuce, white wrap

stir fry wrap

fresh stir fried vegetables and seasoned rice with sun-dried 9.99 tomato dressing in a white wrap

the phoenix wrap

fried chicken, bacon, lettuce, sautéed onion, chipolte sauce, pepper jack cheese grilled in a jalapeño wrap

kicken' chicken

grilled chicken, honey garlic sauce, grilled spinach, sautéed red onion, bacon, mozzarella grilled in a jalapeño wrap 10.99

bar bites

chicken wing dip

3 cheese dip with a spicy kick 9.99 served with tri-colored chips

spinach artichoke dip

our special spinach, artichoke and cheese dip served with 9.99 tri-colored chips

chicken tenders

hand breaded chicken with 9.99 your choice of dipping sauce

fresh-cut fries

a generous portion of house cut 6.99 potatoes

garlic fries

a generous portion of house cut potatoes tossed in our garlic 7.99 herb butter sauce

loaded cheese fries

yet another generous portion of house cut potatoes, topped with cheddar jack cheese and chopped bacon served with a side 9.99 of sour cream

sweet potato fries

crispy coated sweet potatoes served with our homemade honey garlic sauce

loaded nachos 9.99 loaded nachos w/meat 13.99

6.99

- extras avocado, quac add 2.25 each

- extras cheese, salsa, sour cream add 2.25 each -

- extra meat add 3.99

*all prices subject to change *all prices subject to tax