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VISIT US ON:



STARTERS

FRIED SHRIMP

A generous portion of shrimp served with cocktail sauce. 11

FRIED OKRA

A true southern delicacy served with chipotle ranch. 6

CRISPY MUSHROOMS

Fresh button mushrooms, lightly breaded & fried until golden brown & served with horseradish sauce. 7

CHICKEN FINGERS

Lightly hand breaded & perfectly fried with your choice of ranch, honey mustard or bbq sauce. 7

FISH NUGGETS

Delicious bite sized pieces of our flaky white fish, lightly breaded & fried to perfection. 7

CRISPY FRIED PICKLES

Lightly breaded jalapeno dill pickle chips served with chipotle ranch. 8

JOE'S OWN GATOR TAIL

Made from locally caught alligator, marinated & fried to a golden brown. Served with a creamy horseradish sauce. Traditional or Buffalo. 11

PEEL & EAT SHRIMP

A generous portion of shrimp served cold with cocktail sauce. 11
Steamed and tossed in Old Bay. 12

CORN NUGGETS

Served with ranch dressing. 7

BAHAMIAN SMOKED FISH SPREAD

A flavorful spread with a variety of veggies, crackers & jalapenos. 8.5

SESAME SEARED TUNA

Served with a balsamic glaze over a bed of spring mix greens & a side of wasabi cucumber dressing. 11

NEW ENGLAND CLAM CHOWDER

Homemade creamy clam chowder served in a fresh bread bowl. 8

JOE'S JAMBALAYA

A tasty combination of cajun spices blended with sausage, chicken & ham. Served with cornbread. 7

MOZZARELLA STICKS

A basket of 8 crispy fried mozzarella sticks served with a side of marinara sauce. 7

CALAMARI

A generous portion of tasty calamari, lightly breaded & cooked until golden brown. Served with marinara sauce. 7

JOE'S SAMPLER

A half order of gator tail & hushpuppies. 8

CRAB CAKES

Sweet claw meat mixed with bread crumbs, onions & peppers. Served with remoulade dressing. 11

 Gluten Free items

Consumer Warning: Consumption of animal foods that are raw or undercooked such as beef, fish, milk, poultry or shellfish increase your risk of foodborne illness.

SALADS

HOUSE SALAD

Spring mix greens, tomatoes, onions, cucumbers, mixed cheese, & croutons. 4.75

LAKESIDE DELIGHT SALAD

Spring mix greens, crumbled bleu cheese, mandarin oranges, pineapples, candied pecans & dried cranberries. Served with zinfandel dressing. 10

JOE'S GREEK SALAD

Spring mix greens, feta cheese, Kalamata olives, onions, artichoke hearts, tomatoes & cucumbers. Served with greek vinaigrette dressing. 11

JOE'S CAESAR SALAD

Garden fresh romaine lettuce tossed in a parmesan caesar dressing then topped with croutons & shredded parmesan cheese. 8

JOE'S CHOPPED SALAD

Garden fresh romaine lettuce, ham, turkey, tomatoes, cucumbers, onions & hard boiled eggs. Served with your choice of dressing. 11.5

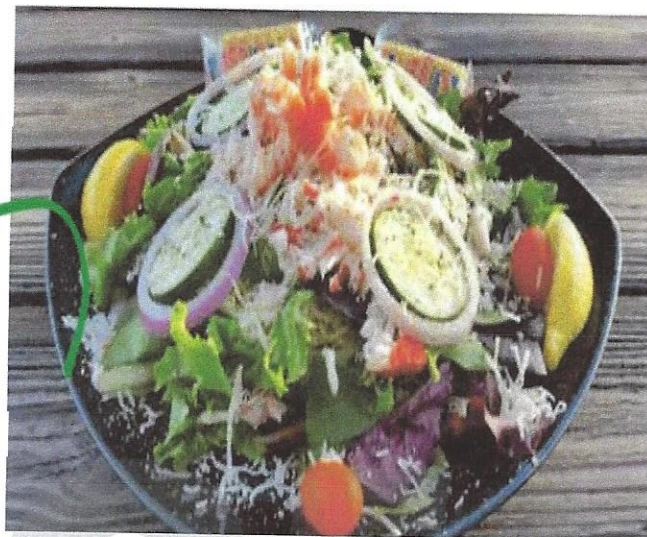
SESAME SEARED TUNA SALAD

Pan seared tuna, tomatoes, cucumbers & onions on a bed of spring mix greens. Served with your choice of dressing. 13

SHRIMP & KRAB SALAD

Spring mix greens, tomatoes, cucumbers & onions topped with a blend of shrimp and imitation crab meat. Served with Key West remoulade dressing. 11

Add Gator, Chicken, Shrimp or Seared Tuna to any salad for an additional 4.5



TASTY CHICKEN WINGS SERVED NAKED  OR LIGHTLY BREADED WITH RANCH OR BLUE CHEESE DRESSING & CELERY.



WINGS

Pick Your Flavor:

Mild, Medium, Hot or Garlic.

Tossed in BBQ or Sweet Chili Sauce 1.00

Extra sauce or dressing .50 each

All flats or all drums add 1.5 per 10 wings

5 WINGS	7
10 WINGS	13
15 WINGS	17
20 WINGS	21

 Gluten Free items

BASKETS



All baskets are served with fries & coleslaw

CHICKEN FINGER BASKET

Lightly breaded & fried until golden brown. Served with ranch, honey mustard or bbq sauce. 10

JOE'S JUMPIN

FROG LEG BASKET

Lightly hand breaded frog legs, fried until crispy & golden & served with remoulade sauce. 14

CRISPY CLAM STRIP BASKET

A generous portion of lightly breaded strips served with cocktail sauce. 9

SHRIMP BASKET

Lightly breaded & deliciously crispy fried shrimp served with a side of cocktail sauce. 14

FISH BASKET

Tender Alaskan pollock lightly breaded & fried to perfection. The best fish you can get on the lake! 10

JOE'S OWN GATOR TAIL BASKET

Made from locally caught alligator, slowly marinated & fried to a golden brown. Served with a creamy horseradish sauce.

Full order 14 / Half order 9

BURGERS

All burgers are served with lettuce, tomato, onion, chips & pickle spear.

BLACK & BLEU

A juicy half pound angus beef patty, blackened with grilled onions & melted bleu cheese crumbles. 10.5

JOE'S BIG BURGER

Build your own burger starting with a juicy half pound angus beef patty chargrilled to perfection. 9

Add bacon, cheese, sauteed mushrooms, or sauteed onions .75 each

* Gratuity will be automatically added to parties of 6 or more.*



HANDHELD

All sandwiches served with chips & pickle spear. Fries or vegetable of the day may be substituted for .99.
Onion rings may be substituted for 1.99. Substitute flatbread on any sandwich .50

OCKLAWAHA'S FAMOUS FISH SANDWICH

Two full Alaskan pollock fillets lightly breaded & fried to perfection served on a hoagio roll with lettuce, tomato & onion. 8

BLACKENED CHICKEN CAESAR WRAP

Blackened chicken breast, romaine lettuce, parmesan cheese & caesar dressing served in a whole wheat tortilla. 8.5

GRILLED SHRIMP TACOS

Two flour tortillas filled with grilled shrimp, brushed with sweet chili sauce, pico de gallo & lime. 10

CHICKEN SANDWICH

A tender chicken breast that can be grilled, blackened or fried. Served on a kaiser roll with lettuce, tomato & onion. 9

JOE'S PHILLIES

Served with sauteed mushrooms & onions, and topped with provolone or american cheese.

- Steak 10
- Chicken 10
- Gator tail 12

REDFISH SANDWICH

A delicious 1/2 pound of tasty redfish, grilled, blackened or fried. Served on a hoagio roll with lettuce, tomato & onion. 14

LAKE WEIR CLUB WRAP

Try this spin on an old favorite. Ham, turkey, bacon, lettuce & tomato served in a whole wheat tortilla. 8.5

REUBEN

Sliced corned beef topped with sauerkraut & melted provolone cheese on toasted rye. 9

MOJO FLATBREAD CUBAN

The same old cuban just got better! Mojo pork, ham, spicy pickles, melted provolone cheese & mustard on a grilled flatbread. 9

FRIED FISH TACOS

Two Alaskan pollock fillets with lettuce, pico de gallo & chipotle ranch. Served in flour tortillas. 8

FLATBREAD TURKEY MELT

Sliced turkey, onions & melted cheddar jack cheese on a grilled flatbread. 9

TUNA MELT

Albacore tuna salad, steamed on the grill, with fresh tomatoes & provolone. 9

DINNERS

All dinners come with french fries & coleslaw. Substitutions may be made upon request.

BABY BACK RIB DINNER

A full slab of tender baby back ribs dry rubbed, smoked to perfection & glazed with bbq sauce.

Joe says, "By far the best on the lake!" 19

MEDITERRANEAN PORK CHOP DINNER

Two center pork chops topped with sauteed yellow squash, zucchini, red peppers & feta cheese. 12

REDFISH DINNER

A fresh & tender half pound cut of redfish cooked your way: fried, chargrilled or blackened. 16

JERK CITRUS DINNER

Choose from two center cut pork chops or two chicken breasts topped with jamaican jerk seasoning & fresh Florida citrus glaze. 12

BEACHSIDE CHICKEN DINNER

Two perfectly seasoned chicken breasts, with your choice of preparation style, fried, chargrilled or blackened & your choice of ranch, honey mustard or bbq sauce. 11

JOE'S COMBO

Create your own crispy fried seafood basket, shrimp, fish, frog legs, clams or gator tail. choose 2 14 / choose 3 18 / choose 4 22

RIBEYE

The true "Steak on the Lake". A 12oz cut, perfectly seasoned with Joe's blend of herbs & spices. Cooked to your specification. 18

FLORIDA GRILL DINNER

A tender & flaky 10 oz Asian white fish fillet smothered in sauteed peppers & onions. Your choice: fried, chargrilled or blackened. 12

SHRIMP & GRITS

Large shrimp, red & green peppers and andouille sausage in a cajun cheese sauce served over creamy grits (does not include sides). 14

 Gluten Free items

A LA CARTE

BASKET OF CHIPS 2

BASKET OF FRIES 3

VEGETABLE OF THE DAY 2 

BOWL OF COLE SLAW 2 

BASKET OF ONION RINGS 4

BOWL OF SAUTEED MUSHROOMS & ONIONS 2 

CELERY & BLUE CHEESE 3

BASKET OF HUSHPUPIES 5

EXTRA SAUCE OR DRESSING .25

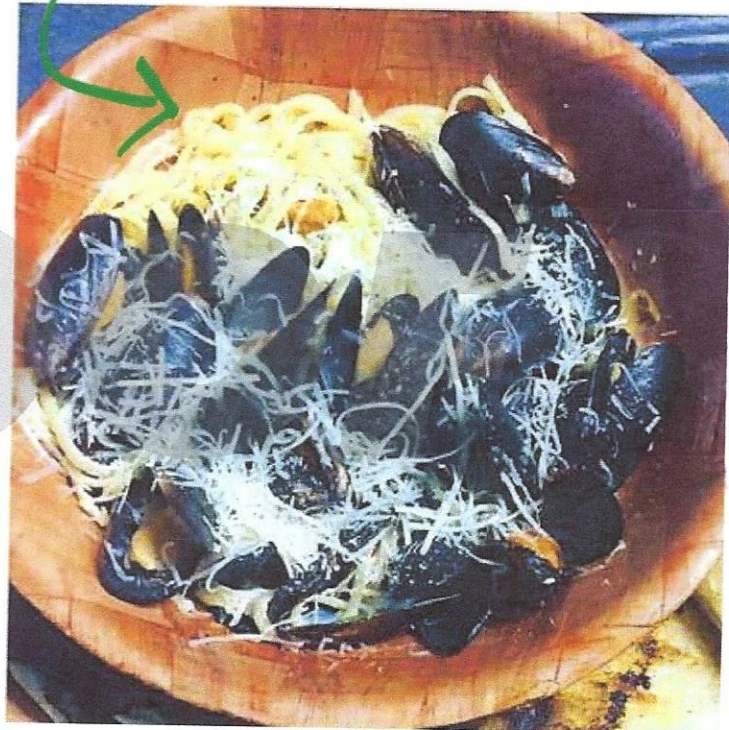
 Gluten Free items

PASTA

Served with toasted garlic bread

MUSSELS LINGUINE

A full pound of mussels tossed over linguine with white wine butter cream sauce, shallots & garlic. Topped with parmesan cheese. 13



LINGUINI AND CLAMS

Savory "House Made" red clam sauce over linguine & topped with parmesan cheese. 13

VEGETABLE SCAMPI

A zesty blend of sauteed mushrooms, onions, yellow squash, zucchini, red & green peppers, topped with fresh tomatoes & parmesan cheese. 11



DESSERTS

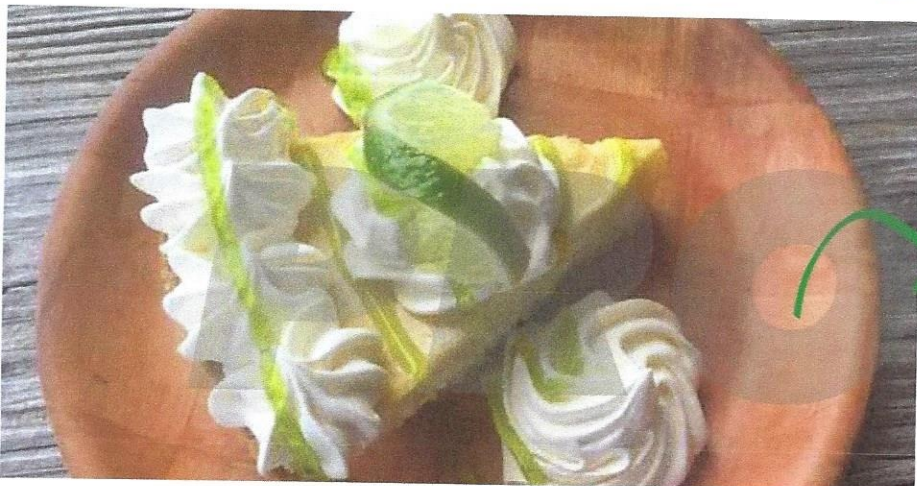
DECADENT PEANUT BUTTER PIE 4

OUR SIGNATURE KEY LIME PIE 4

CHOCOLATE OVERLOAD TORTE 5

CHEESECAKE 4.5

DIPPIN DOTS ICECREAM 5





LITE FARES



These items contain:
750 calories or less
750 mg sodium or less
and less than 10% saturated fat

* Salad dressings NOT included in nutritional information • Add 100mg sodium for blackened items

SALADS

JOE'S CHOPPED SALAD

Garden fresh romaine lettuce, ham, turkey, tomatoes, cucumbers, onions & hard boiled eggs. Tossed & chopped. Served with your choice of dressing 11.6
346 calories / 4g saturated fat
690mg sodium

LAKESIDE DELIGHT SALAD

Spring mix greens, crumbled bleu cheese, mandarin oranges, pineapple, candied pecans & dried cranberries. Served with zinfandel dressing. 10
557 calories / 0.6g saturated fat
279mg sodium

SESAME SEARED TUNA SALAD

Pan seared tuna, tomatoes, cucumbers & onions on a bed of spring mix greens. Served with your choice of dressing. 13
592 calories / 1.5g saturated fat
114mg sodium

HANDHELDS

Served with a small side salad

LITE CHICKEN SANDWICH

A tender chicken breast that can be grilled or blackened served on a kaiser roll with lettuce, tomato & onion. 9
451 calories / 1g saturated fat
419mg sodium

LITE REDFISH SANDWICH

A delicious 1/2 pound of tasty redfish grilled or blackened & served on a hoagie roll with lettuce, tomato & onion. 14
365 calories / 1g saturated fat
498mg sodium

LITE BLACKENED CHICKEN WRAP

Blackened chicken breast and romaine lettuce, sprinkled with parmesan cheese & served in a whole wheat tortilla wrap. 8.5
500 calories / 3.2g saturated fat
607mg sodium

DINNERS

Served with a small side salad

LITE FLORIDA GRILL

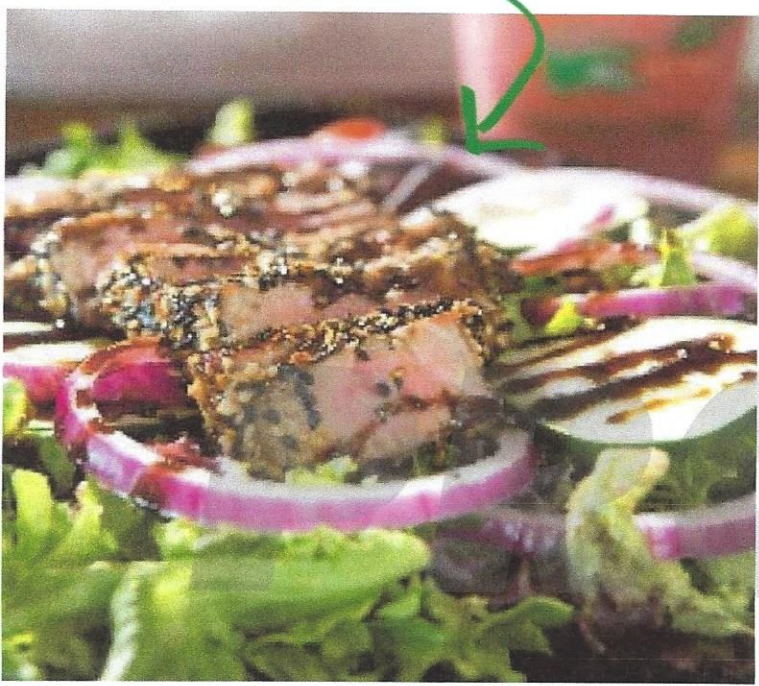
A tender & flaky, 10 oz Asian white fish fillet, smothered in sauteed peppers & onions. Your choice: chargrilled or blackened. 12
690 calories / 5g saturated fat
210mg sodium

LITE REDFISH DINNER

A fresh & tender, half pound cut of tasty redfish. Cooked your way, chargrilled or blackened. 16
510 calories / 2.7g saturated fat
287mg sodium

LITE BEACHSIDE CHICKEN PLATTER

Two perfectly seasoned chicken breasts, chargrilled or blackened. 11
574 calories / 3.6g saturated fat
552mg sodium



KIDS MENU

Kids 10 & under

fries, chips, applesauce or fruit cup

Drinks:

Coke products, Iced tea, Powerade

Apple juice .50 • Milk .50 • Chocolate milk .50

HAMBURGER 6

CHEESEBURGER 6

CHICKEN FINGERS 6

MOZZARELLA STICKS 6

GRILLED PB&J 6

FISH NUGGETS 6

GRILLED CHEESE 6

HOT DOG 6

CORN DOG 6

PASTA 6

(butter sauce or marinara)

FROZEN COCKTAILS

DAQUIRIS

Served with whipped cream & fruit. Your choice of: strawberry, piña colada, banana, raspberry, mango, peach or watermelon blended with rum. 7

MARGARITAS

Classic frozen margarita with tequila and a salted rim. Flavored: strawberry, raspberry or mango with tequila & a sugar rim. 7

LAVA FLOW

Our classic pina colada poured over a strawberry puree. Served with whipped cream & fruit. 7

KEY LIME FREEZE

Piña colada, margarita & rum topped with whipped cream & graham cracker crumbs. 7

JAMAICAN FREEZE

Rumhaven coconut rum, Club Caribe pineapple rum, piña colada, banana puree & pineapple juice, blended & served with whipped cream & fruit. 7

BEACH MONKEY

Cinnabon Horchatta, Bayou spiced rum, banana puree & ice cream base, frozen & topped with whipped cream & cinnamon. 7

RUM RUNNER

Rumhaven coconut rum, light rum, banana liqueur, blackberry liqueur, cranberry, OJ, pineapple juice and grenadine, blended & topped with a Trader Vic's dark rum floater. Served with whipped cream & fruit. 7



FROZEN MOOD CUPS

All served in our color changing souvenir mood cups 12

DIRTY PEACH

Rumhaven coconut rum, Club Caribe pineapple rum, peach schnapps, peach puree & pineapple juice, frozen & served in an orange mood cup topped with whipped cream, fresh fruit, a Trader Vic's dark rum floater & a popsicle.

RED, WHITE & BOOZEY

Any flavor daquiri made with light rum, served in a blue mood cup and topped with whipped cream, fresh fruit, a Trader Vic's dark rum floater & a popsicle.

WATERMELON CRAWL

Club Caribe lemon rum, watermelon puree & a splash of sour mix, frozen & served in a red mood cup. Topped with whipped cream, fresh fruit, a Trader Vic's 151 floater & a popsicle.

FROZEN BAYOU

Bayou silver rum, pineapple juice, mango puree, passion fruit syrup & grenadine served in a green mood cup & topped with whipped cream, fresh fruit, a Bayou spiced rum floater & a popsicle.

BUSTED BANANA

Stoli vodka, Club Caribe banana rum, banana puree & pineapple juice served in a purple mood cup & topped with whipped cream, fresh fruit, a Bayou spiced rum floater & a popsicle.

SOUVENIR SPRITZERS

SUN KISSED SPRITZER

Amaretto, OJ, cranberry juice & a can of Barefoot Refresh served on the rocks over muddled fruit. Served with a souvenir color changing cup & straw. 9

BAREFOOT BEACH BUM

Club Caribe pineapple rum, pineapple juice, OJ, triple sec & a can of Barefoot Refresh served with a souvenir color changing cup & straw. Topped with fresh fruit. 9

BAREFOOT BEACH BABE

Rumhaven coconut rum, OJ, pineapple juice, grenadine & a can of Barefoot Refresh. Served with a souvenir color changing cup & straw and topped with fresh fruit. 9

FROZÉ

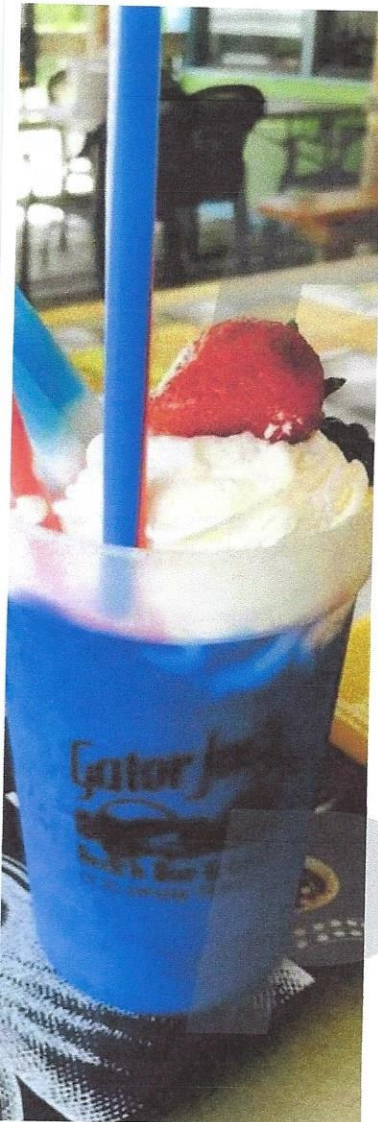
Any combination or single flavor: strawberry, raspberry, pina colada, banana, mango, peach, or watermelon, frozen & served in our souvenir color changing mood cup. Topped with a can of bubbly Babe Rosé & fresh fruit. 12

SUNNY DAY ROSÉ

Frozen lemonade with a splash of peach & raspberry purees. Topped with a can of bubbly Babe Rosé & fresh fruit. Served in our color changing souvenir cups. 12

FREEZACOLADA

Our classic frozen piña colada, served in a red color changing souvenir cup & topped with a can of bubbly Babe Rosé & fresh fruit. 12



PROOF

SLUSHIES

NON ALCOHOLIC

SLUSHIE

Strawberry, raspberry, piña colada, peach, mango, banana, watermelon or lemonade. Topped with whipped cream & fresh fruit. 12

POPSICLE FREEZE

Any flavor slushie served in a souvenir color changing cup. Topped with whipped cream, fresh fruit & a popsicle. 10

REDBULL TRASH CAN COCKTAILS

SERVED IN A 24 OZ CUP WITH A FULL CAN OF REDBULL 12

IRISH TRASH CAN

Gin, rum, vodka, melon liqueur, peach schnapps, blue curacao & triple sec & topped with a can of original RedBull.

BULL GATOR

Club Caribe lemon rum, Stoli Blueberi vodka & blue curacao, topped with a can of blueberry RedBull.

LAKE DAZE

Stoli vodka, sour, & cranberry juice, topped with a can of cranberry RedBull.

REDBULL 3.5

Original, sugar free, cranberry, blueberry, tangerine, tropical

REDBULL SLUSHIE 5

VODKA REDBULL SLUSHIE 8

BULL ON THE BEACH

Stoli vodka, Stoli Ohranj vodka, peach schnapps, cranberry juice & orange juice, topped with a can of tangerine RedBull.

TROPICAL STORM

Rumhaven coconut rum, Club Caribe banana rum, peach schnapps & pineapple juice, topped with a can of tropical RedBull.

REDBULL BEACH BOMBS

Any flavor vodka or rum served with any flavor of RedBull. A shot goes in the 8oz can. 8



PROOF WINE

COPPER RIDGE

Chardonnay, Merlot, White Zinfandel 5.5 glass

CORVO

Moscato 6.5 glass

ECCO DOMANI

Pinot Grigio 6.5 glass

KENDALL-JACKSON

Cabernet 8.5 glass

BABE ROSÉ

250ml can served w/ a fruit skewer 7.5

BABE WITH A POPSICLE

Babe Rosé chilled with a popsicle 8.5

BAREFOOT WITH A POPSICLE

Summertime red spritzer chilled with a popsicle 7.5

BAREFOOT REFRESH SUMMER RED SPRITZER

250ml can served w/ a fruit skewer 6.5

VISIT



SHIRT SHACK

to see all of our available merchandise



PROOF HISTORY PROOF

Our establishment has been operating since 1925 and our name is derived from the infamous "Gator Joe", a 15 foot 7 inch alligator that lived on Lake Weir in the early 1900's. Joe caught his fame from the Ma Barker gang who tried to kill him on several occasions. Joe ultimately got them instead. The Legend of Old Joe led the FBI to the Lake Weir hideout, which was located only 400 yards from your seat, on January 16th, 1935. After a gruesome 4-hour gun battle, Ma Barker and her son Fred were killed. In 1952, Joe crossed paths with a local gator hunter named Vic Skidmore. Since then, Joe's foot has had many homes throughout Florida and even Kentucky. It was donated to Gator Joe's by one of Vic's friends, Mr. Jim Townlee.

