



RUSTICO

• BALLSTON •



SNACKS & SHARES

PRETZEL-WECK BITES

Caraway & Salt-Crusted Soft Pretzels,
Beer Cheese Dipping Sauce 8

CHEESE & HERB RISOTTO "TOTS"

Lemon Thyme Aioli 7

RUSTICO CHICKEN WINGS

Spicy or Mild, Blue Cheese 10

FRIED CALAMARI

Parsley, Lemon Vinaigrette, Remoulade 15

CRISPY BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Maple Pomegranate Glaze, Pancetta,
Walnuts 11

HERB PESTO ROLLS

Parmesan, Ricotta, Mozzarella,
Provolone Picante, San Marzano 8

ROASTED SHISHITO PEPPERS

Sea Salt, Romesco Sauce 13

SALADS

BABY SPINACH

Red Onions, Figs, Apples, Candied Pecans, Goat Cheese,
Apple Cider Vinaigrette 8/15

RUSTICO CHOPPED

Iceberg Lettuce, Radicchio, Chickpeas, Cherry Tomatoes,
Pepperoni, Taggiasche Olives, Mozzarella, Salami,
Pickled Red Onions 8/14

ROASTED BEET

Baby Arugula, Sunflower Seeds, Shallots, Goat Cheese,
Orange Vinaigrette 8/14

BURRATA & ARUGULA

Prosciutto, Toasted Bread Crumbs, Guindilla Peppers,
Extra Virgin Olive Oil, Lemon Juice 15

GRILLED OR CLASSIC CAESAR

Parmesan "Crouton" 8/13

MAINS

HALF ROASTED CHICKEN

Creamy Polenta, Spinach, Truffle Oil,
Oyster Mushrooms 21

GRILLED TROUT *

Chickpeas, Broccoli, Fall Squash Cream 22

GNOCCHI

House Made Potato Gnocchi, Braised Lamb, Red Pearl Onions,
Wild Mushrooms, Roasted Bread Crumbs 9/18

GRILLED PORK CHOP *

Farro, Butternut Squash, Figs, White Beech Mushrooms,
Fig Balsamic Reduction 25

SEARED SALMON *

Celeriac, Broccoli Risotto, Carrot Puree, Toasted Walnuts 25

SEAFOOD LINGUINI

Little Neck Clams, Baby Squid, Shallots, Garlic,
Spanish Chorizo, Spicy Tomato Sauce 12/20

10 oz STRIP *

Mozzarella Whipped Potatoes, Chimichurri 27

SIDES

THICK CUT FRIES

Regular or Truffle Parmesan 6/8

CRUSHED YUKON POTATOES

6

PAN ROASTED GREEN BEANS

7

HERB ROASTED HEIRLOOM CARROTS

6

STARTERS

VEAL RICOTTA MEAT BALLS

Cheesy Castle Valley Polenta 13

BLUE BAY MUSSELS

White Wine, Shallots, Garlic, Butter, Parsley 15

BAKED FETA DIP

Chili Pepper, Garlic & Oregano Marinated Feta, Grilled Pita 10

CARROT HUMMUS

Sausage Ragu, Feta Cheese, Grilled Pita 7/11

BURGERS

THE RUSTICO *

All Natural Virginia Angus Beef, Sharp American Cheese,
Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Smoked Garlic Aioli 15

THREE LITTLE PIGS *

All Natural Virginia Angus Beef, Smoked Bacon, BBQ Pulled
Pork, Smoked Ham, Pepperjack Cheese, Pickles, Crispy Onions 18

MUSHROOM *

All Natural Virginia Angus Beef, Roasted Mushrooms,
Carmelized Onions, Lettuce, Blue Cheese 16

TURKEY BURGER *

Havarti, Pickles, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion,
Lemon-Thyme Aioli 15

PIZZA

WHITE

Mozzarella, Fresh Ricotta, Basil Pesto, Bechamel 14

SPICY CHICKEN MEATBALL

Cherry Peppers, Mozzarella, San Marzano Sauce 17

ITALIAN SAUSAGE OR PEPPERONI

San Marzano Sauce, Mozzarella 17

MARGHERITA

Basil, Mozzarella, San Marzano Sauce 14

GREEK SALAD PIZZA

Charred Eggplant Puree, Romaine, Cherry Tomatoes, Cucumber,
Pepperoncini, Red Onion, Olives, Feta, Red Wine Vinaigrette 16

TUSCAN CHICKEN

Marinated Chicken, Fresh Mozzarella, Sundried Tomatoes,
Basil Pesto, Fresh Oregano, San Marzano Sauce 16

BUTCHER'S BLOCK

San Marzano Sauce, Pepperoni, Italian Sausage,
Capicola, Salami, Picante Provolone, Pickled Garlic, Scallions 18

PULLED PORK PIZZA

Bechamel, Spinach, Provolone, Carmelized Onions,
Barbeque Sauce 16

ROASTED MUSHROOM

Goat Cheese, Spinach, Mushroom Cream 15

CHICKPEA CRUST

Made Without Gluten | Available For Most Options

FOLLOW US AT RUSTICOBALLSTON



ALL OF OUR MEAT IS LOCALLY SOURCED USING 7HILLS FARMS AND RED APRON BUTCHER FROM VIRGINIA

* THESE ITEMS ARE COOKED TO ORDER CONSUMING RAW OR UNDERCOOKED MEAT, SEAFOOD, POULTRY OR EGGS
MAY INCREASE YOUR RISK OF FOOD BORN ILLNESS ESPECIALLY IF YOU HAVE CERTAIN MEDICAL CONDITIONS

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