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RESTAURANT

NIIJII Restaurant was designed with cultural touches celebrating the heritage of our owners, the Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians. NIIJII is the Anishinaabe spelling for "friend."

STARTERS

TRADITIONAL CHICKEN WINGS

6 wings for 12 | 12 wings for 18
choice of: buffalo, BBQ, truffle parmesan
served with celery, carrots, and ranch

WAFFLE FRY NACHOS

lettuce, tomato, red onion,
black olives, queso, jack cheese 16
add chicken 8 | add chorizo 8

SWEET & SMOKY WAFFLE FRIES

sweet & smoky seasoning,
parmesan, roasted garlic aioli 14

BAVARIAN SOFT PRETZEL

salted, served with queso cheese dip
& whole grain mustard 14

FRIED GARLIC CHEESE CURDS

served with peppercorn ranch 16

QUESO DIP

served with house made seasoned chips 10

(3) CHORIZO TACOS

spanish chorizo, avocado, chipotle crema,
red cabbage, monterey jack cheese 18

SOUP & SALAD

SOUP OF THE DAY 8

SWEET CORN & GREEN CHILE CHOWDER 9

NIIJII SALAD

arugula & mixed greens, pickled red onion,
gorgonzola, pecans, cucumber,
local cherry vinaigrette 16

CAESAR SALAD

romaine lettuce, aged parmesan cheese,
herbed crumbs, house caesar dressing 14

ADD PROTEIN TO ANY SALAD GRILLED CHICKEN 8 | SALMON 12

HANDHELDS

SERVED WITH CHIPS | UPGRADE FRIES 3

NIIJII BURGER

fig jam, truffle pecorino, arugula, red onion 18

CLASSIC BURGER

romaine lettuce, cheddar, tomato,
red onion, roasted garlic aioli, potato bun 18

CHICKEN CAESAR WRAP

grilled chicken, romaine lettuce,
parmesan cheese, caesar dressing 16

BBQ BRISKET SANDWICH

house smoked brisket, chipotle BBQ,
melted gorgonzola, onion rings 22

CUBANO

smoked pork, sliced pickles, dijon mustard,
swiss cheese, toasted hoagie roll 18

CORNED BEEF REUBEN 20

artisan rye bread, shaved corned beef,
sauerkraut, swiss cheese, thousand island

ALL VEGGIE GRINDER

tomato, red onion, spinach, black olives,
green peppers, mozzarella,
sun-dried tomato pesto, hoagie roll, served hot 14

ITALIAN GRINDER

pepperoni, italian sausage, ham, lettuce,
tomato, red onion, banana peppers,
mozzarella cheese, sub dressing, hoagie roll,
served hot 16

ENTREES

SERVED WITH HOUSE SALAD, CHOICE OF DRESSING

STEAK FRITES

char-grilled wagyu hanger steak,
house seasoned fries, chimichurri,
roasted garlic aioli 38

TAGLIATELLE BOLOGNESE

rich italian sausage & ground pork ragu,
tagliatelle pasta, fresh shaved parmesan,
fresh basil 30

CHICKEN CAPRICCIOSA

crispy fried chicken cutlet, basil oil arugula,
shaved red onion, roma tomatoes 28

SAUSAGE PEPERONATA

grilled italian sausage, creamy asiago polenta,
peperonata sauce 30

ATLANTIC SALMON

seared salmon, parmesan herb fingerlings,
seasonal vegetable 28

GNOCCHI POMODORO

potato gnocchi, house made pomodoro sauce,
fresh shaved parmesan 26

* Ask your server about menu items that are cooked to order. Consuming undercooked meats or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness. Be advised, groups larger than 8 are subject to an automatic service charge of 22%. Checks may not be split for groups of 8 or larger. Thank you 5/8/26

Chef de Cuisine Bryan Petrick | Executive Chef Auston Minnich

PIZZA

BBQ CHICKEN

grilled chicken, red onion, BBQ sauce 18

VEGETARIAN

green peppers, red onion, mushroom, diced tomato, black olives 20

MEAT LOVERS

pepperoni, sausage, ham, bacon 22

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chicken, bacon, ranch 20

BUILD YOUR OWN PIZZA

CHEESE PIZZA 18 | ADD TOPPINGS 3 EACH

choice of sauce: marinara, ranch, BBQ

toppings: pepperoni, bacon, chicken, ham, sausage, black olives, red onion, mushroom, green peppers, roasted red peppers, tomato, pineapple, arugula, parmesan, add truffle oil 5

TAPROOM CHEESY BREAD

premium cheese blend, parmesan, herb garlic butter 14

WINE



WHITES

Bowers Harbor Pinot Grigio, MI	10/38
Chateau GT Late Harvest Riesling, MI	10/38
Chalk Hill Chardonnay, CA	12/46
Villa Maria Sauvignon Blanc, NZ	13/50
Black Star Farms "Arcturos" Rosé, MI	9/36

SPARKLING

Mawby 'Green' Semi-Dry, MI	12/44
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REDS

Decoy Merlot, CA	12/46
Pozzan Pinot Noir, CA	14/52
Treanna Cabernet Sauvignon, CA	15/56
Callaway Cabernet Sauvignon, CA	10/38
Black Star Farms Red House Red, MI	9/36
Casarena Areyna Malbec, AR	11/42

SIGNATURE COCKTAILS

COCONUT SUNSET

malibu, pineapple juice, grenadine, cherry garnish 12

9 OVER LIME MARTINI

vanilla infused vodka, lime juice, simple syrup, coconut pineapple cream, half & half, lime garnish 14

THE SPICE IS RIGHT

cucumber jalapeno tequila, sour mix, agave nectar, triple sec, tajin rim, lime garnish 16

CHERRY CAPITAL OLD FASHIONED

GT Distillery cherry whiskey, bitters, sugar, orange & amaretto cherry garnish 16

YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE

london dry gin, elderflower liquor, lemonade, lemon garnish 16

JUST PEACHY

sparkling wine, peach schnapps, dehydrated orange garnish 12

WOLVERINE PUNCH - NO BITE

cranberry juice, orange juice, lime syrup, pomegranate syrup, club soda,