

Breakfast at the Mermaid Café

Farm Fresh Egg Dishes

(Substitute egg whites at no additional charge)

***FRESH EGGS:** Two eggs, prepared the way you like, and served with home fries and toast or muffin of the day.....\$6.95

Add bacon, sausage or Virginia ham..... \$7.95

***BREAKFAST BUDDY:** Egg and cheese sandwich with your choice of bacon, sausage or ham on toast or English muffin..... \$5.95

***STEAK & EGGS:** A six ounce strip sirloin with two eggs just the way you like, with home fries and toast or muffin of the day.....\$10.95

JONNY CAKES: The original pancake, our cornmeal comes from flint corn, grown right across the Pawcatuck River at the historic Davis Farm. Three delicious cakes, not too thick, not too thin! Served with butter and maple syrup.....\$4.95

CREATE YOUR OWN THREE EGG OMELET.....\$9.95

Add any of the following ingredients: cheddar, Swiss, American or goat cheese, spinach, onions, mushrooms, bell peppers, tomato, bacon, sausage, or ham. Served with home fries and toast or muffin of the day.

EGGS BENEDICT: Two poached eggs and Virginia ham on an English muffin with house made Hollandaise sauce, served with home fries.....\$9.95

EGGS DYANA: Two poached eggs and four grilled shrimp on Jonny Cakes, with house made Hollandaise sauce.....\$10.95

EGG TACOS: Two soft, warm tortillas, filled with scrambled eggs and cheddar cheese. Served with house made salsa and home fries.....\$6.95

HASH & EGGS: House made corned beef hash with two poached eggs and Hollandaise sauce. Served with toast or muffin of the day.....\$9.95

QUICHE DU JOUR: Ask about today's creation. Served with a small fruit salad\$7.95

**This item may be ordered raw or partially cooked and can increase your risk of food borne illness. Consumers who are especially vulnerable to food borne illness should only eat seafood and other food from animals thoroughly cooked.*

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FROM THE GRIDDLE

PANCAKES: Buttermilk or wholegrain with fresh creamery butter and New England maple syrup.Short stack (2).....\$4.95 Tall stack (3).....\$6.95

ALMOND CROISSANT FRENCH TOAST: Dipped in egg batter and lightly grilled. Served with a dusting of powdered sugar, garnished with sliced bananas and strawberries.....\$6.95

JUST FOR KIDS (served with choice of milk or apple juice box).....\$3.99

Two kid sized pancakes with choice of bacon or sausage link

TOAD IN THE HOLE: choice of toast with fried egg in the middle

Scrambled egg with bacon or sausage link

Mini MERMAID GRANOLA PARFAIT

HEALTHY CHOICES

HOT OATMEAL: Organically grown rolled oats with your choice of butter, brown sugar, maple syrup, raisins, honey or milk.....\$3.95

MERMAID GRANOLA PARFAIT: We make our own delicious granola, and then layer it with fresh berries and fat free vanilla yogurt.....\$5.95

FRESH FRUIT SALAD: Ask your server about today’s fresh and seasonal combination.....\$5.95

With the advent of the steam engine, the building of sailing ships declined and was replaced by steam boat construction. Steam passenger- boat building thrived as it was the means of transportation from Norwich to New London to Stonington to Westerly and to Watch Hill.

Of the boats pictured on the walls of the Mermaid Café, seven were built at the Greenman Yard. The steam tug “Westerly #1” was built at the Greenman Shipyard in Mystic and arrived at the Pawcatuck River in December 1878. The “Watch Hill” and the “Ella” were built out of state.

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SIDES

Bacon.....	\$3.50	Home Fries.....	\$2.95
Sausage links.....	\$3.50	Toast (white, wheat, or rye)	\$1.50
Ham Steak.....	\$3.50	Almond Croissant.....	\$2.50
Fresh Daily Muffin.....\$1.95			

River passenger traffic began to decline in 1894 when the street railway came into existence – one route was from Westerly to Watch Hill. Though a few excursion boats were still in operation in the 1920's, World War I was really the end for the passenger boats, which for more than a century had been a vital part of Westerly's economic and recreational activity. The ship yards for ship builders may be gone but the proliferation of boat yards and launching areas along the Pawcatuck River in the 21st century guarantee that the romance and the adventure are very much alive!

BEVERAGES

NEW HARVEST FAIR TRADE COFFEE	\$2.25
HOT TEA.....	\$2.00
UNSWEETEND ICED TEA OR ICED COFFEE	\$2.00
ESPRESSO.....	\$2.50
CAPPUCINO and LATTE.....	\$3.50
FRESH MILK from THE FARMER'S COW.....	\$2.00
HOT CHOCOLATE with whipped cream.....	\$2.50
JUICE (Orange, Cranberry, or Tomato).....small \$2.50.....large.....	\$3.25
SODA (Coca-Cola, Diet Coke, Ginger ale or Club Soda)	\$2.00
LEMONADE.....	\$2.00

Great Food on the Pawcatuck River



Riverside at 19 Margin Street, Westerly RI

Shipbuilding on the Pawcatuck

The advantages of being located on the banks of a navigable river have never been lost on the citizens of Westerly. Not the least of these advantages was ship building, which was a thriving enterprise from the late seventeenth until the end of the nineteenth century.

Early shipwrights included Joseph Wells, Joseph Peterson, John Saunders and Nathan Potter. The riverside was one long ship building dock until 1834 when the yard of Silas Greeman and Co. on the east side of the river became "The Dock". The company produced many, many vessels including the whale ship "Charles Phelps".