

THE SQUARE GROUPER BAR AND GRILL

MM 22.5 • CUDJOE KEY, FL

DINNER MENU

Soups

SOUP OF THE DAY PRICE VARIES **CONCH CHOWDER** 7

Small Plates - Ocean

YELLOWFIN **TUNA** AND AVOCADO **EGGROLLS** WITH DIPPING SAUCE 12

ISLAND **SHRIMP CAKES** - BANANA PEPPER AIOLI 12

SEARED TUNA WITH TAHINI MISO MUSTARD 12

BUFFALO SHRIMP WITH BLUE CHEESE DRESSING 12

FLASH FRIED **CONCH** - PONZU AND WASABI DRIZZLE 13

BBQ BACON WRAPPED **JUMBO SHRIMP** 20

HOUSE **SMOKED FISH** SLICED OR DIP WITH JALAPENOS, RED ONION AND KEY LIME TARTAR 14

COCONUT SHRIMP WITH SPICY MANGO SAUCE 12

SEARED SEA **SCALLOPS** - WARM BACON MUSHROOM VINAIGRETTE 14

FRIED **CALAMARI** WITH MARINARA 12

Small Plates - Earth

WARM **EDAMAME** WITH SESAME OIL AND HAWAIIAN SEA SALT 7

BAKED **GOAT CHEESE** WITH LOCALLY SOURCED HONEY, FIG AND ONION MARMALADE 10

BURRATA **CAPRESE** WITH FRENCH SEA SALT 12 HALF 9

WILD MUSHROOM **RAVIOLIS** WITH TARRAGON ARTICHOKE SAUCE 11

POUTINE - FRENCH FRIES, MOZZARELLA AND GRAVY 10

BAKED STUFFED **PORTABELLA** MUSHROOM - VEGGIE STUFFING AND HERBED CHEESE SAUCE 14

SQUARE GROUPER **TATER TOTS** WITH SCALLIONS, BACON, CHEESE AND SPICY CATSUP 9

FRIED **EGGPLANT** STACK - PESTO, RICOTTA AND MARINARA 10

GRILLED **BUTIFARRA SAUSAGE** - MAPLE MUSTARD SAUCE 12

• ADD SMALL CAESAR 6

• ADD HOUSE SALAD 6

• ADD SUMMER SALAD 8

Large Plates - Ocean

TOASTED ALMOND ENCRUSTED **GROUPER** WITH WARM CARIBBEAN PINEAPPLE RELISH 29

SEARED SEA **SCALLOPS** - WARM BACON MUSHROOM VINAIGRETTE WITH ACORN SQUASH
OR CHILI DUSTED WITH ROASTED CORN POLENTA CAKE AND CILANTRO HONEY SAUCE 29

SPAGHETTI **SQUASH** WITH GOAT CHEESE, GRAPE TOMATOES AND BASIL VINAIGRETTE
WITH **PORTABELLA** MUSHROOM 20 WITH SAUTEED **SHRIMP** 24 WITH SEARED **SCALLOPS** 29

SHRIMP OVER BAKED STUFFED **PORTABELLA** MUSHROOM - VEGGIE STUFFING AND HERBED CHEESE SAUCE 20

SEARED SESAME ENCRUSTED **TUNA LOIN** WITH ASIAN SLAW 27

SQUARE GROUPER **SEAFOOD STEW** -
SHRIMP, SCALLOPS, CALAMARI AND LOCAL FISH IN A SPICY CREAMY RED BROTH 25 HALF 19

BBQ BACON WRAPPED **JUMBO SHRIMP** 27

Large Plates - Earth

ASIAN MARINATED **SKIRT STEAK** WITH WONTON CRISPS 29

PEPITA AND PARMESAN ENCRUSTED **CHICKEN CUTLET** WITH BASIL VINAIGRETTE AND LEMON 22

CHIPOTLE PORK FLAT IRON WITH CUBAN MAC AND CHEESE 26

GRILLED **16 OZ. RIBEYE** - CERTIFIED ANGUS BEEF
WITH ROSEMARY GARLIC BLUE CHEESE BUTTER OR WITH ONIONS AND PEPPERS 29

INDIAN BBQ **LAMB SHANK** WITH SPICY LAMB JUS OVER JASMINE RICE TWO 34 ONE 22

ROASTED **DUCK BREAST** WITH TAMARIND GARLIC SAUCE 28

TWIN PETITE **FILET MIGNON** WITH BUTTON MUSHROOM GRAVY AND ROSEMARY GARLIC BLUE CHEESE BUTTER
MARKET PRICE

GRILLED **BUTIFARRA SAUSAGE**, SPINACH, BUTTON MUSHROOMS AND GRAPE TOMATOES OVER WHITE BEAN STEW 24

• ADD A **LOBSTER TAIL** 19

Preparations of the Day/See Blackboard
No Substitutions, Please!

Jasmine Rice Bowls

THAI SWEET CHILI BUTTER SAUCE, SPINACH AND CHOPPED CASHEWS 18

OR

MOROCCAN GINGER GARLIC BROTH, SPINACH, CARROTS AND CHICK PEAS 18

WITH PAN SAUTEED **PORTABELLA** MUSHROOM 20

WITH PAN SAUTEED **CHICKEN** BREAST 22

WITH PAN SAUTEED **SHRIMP** 24

WITH PAN SAUTEED **SCALLOPS** OR **GROUPE**R 29

WITH PAN SAUTEED **SEAFOOD** COMBO 34

WITH A **LOBSTER** TAIL 36

Pasta Dishes

PASTA WITH **KEY LIME** BUTTER SAUCE AND ROASTED TOMATOES 18

WITH PAN SAUTEED **PORTABELLA** MUSHROOM 20

WITH PAN SAUTEED **CHICKEN** BREAST 22

WITH PAN SAUTEED **SHRIMP** 24

WITH PAN SAUTEED **SCALLOPS** OR **GROUPE**R 29

WITH PAN SAUTEED **SEAFOOD** COMBO 34

WITH A **LOBSTER** TAIL 36

Sandwiches

SERVED WITH FRIES OR SWEET POTATO FRIES AND COLESLAW
SUBST CAESAR OR HOUSE SALAD

SQUARE GROUPER SANDWICH - PAN SAUTEED, TOPPED WITH HOUSE ONION RINGS AND KEY LIME TARTAR 17

HOUSE SPECIALTY BURGER - TOPPED WITH HOUSE ONION RINGS AND BBQ SAUCE 13 WITH CHEESE 14

Simply Fried

SERVED WITH FRIES AND COLESLAW
SUBST SWEET POTATO FRIES 2 SUBST CAESAR OR HOUSE SALAD 2

FRIED FISH OF THE DAY PLATTER 24

FRIED SHRIMP PLATTER 24

FRIED CONCH PLATTER 24

COCONUT SHRIMP PLATTER 24

Lighter Fair, Etc.

Greens

LIGHTLY FRIED **CHICKEN** OVER FIELD GREENS

WITH **GORGONZOLA**, RED ONION, CASHEWS, HOUSE VINAIGRETTE AND HONEY MUSTARD DRIZZLE 15

WITH **GOAT** CHEESE, SUNDRIED CRANBERRIES, WALNUTS AND RASPBERRY WALNUT VINAIGRETTE 15

WITH **FETA** CHEESE, STRAWBERRIES, MARCONA ALMONDS, SHAVED RED ONION AND HOUSE VINAIGRETTE 15

...and More

CAESAR SALAD 12

WITH PAN SAUTEED **PORTABELLA** MUSHROOM 14

WITH FRIED, GRILLED OR BLACKENED **CHICKEN** 14

WITH ASIAN MARINATED **SKIRT STEAK** 18

WITH FRIED, GRILLED OR BLACKENED **FISH** OR **SHRIMP** 17

WITH SEARED OR BLACKENED **SCALLOPS** OR **TUNA** 17

Desserts

HOUSEMADE **BREAD PUDDING** PREPARATION OF THE DAY WITH WARM BUTTERED RUM SAUCE 8

CHEESECAKE PREPARATION OF THE DAY 8

KEY LIME PIE 8

CHOCOLATE **PEANUT BUTTER PIE** 8

SQUARE GROUPER **MAGICAL BROWNIE** WITH ICE CREAM, CHOCOLATE SAUCE AND HEATH BAR CRUNCHIES 9

ICE CREAM - FLAVOR OF THE DAY, KEY LIME OR TAHITIAN VANILLA 7
WITH SHORTBREAD COOKIES OR CHOCOLATE SAUCE 9

TAHITIAN **VANILLA ICE CREAM** WITH WARM BUTTERED RUM SAUCE, PRALINE PECANS
AND BANANAS OR STRAWBERRIES 9

ROOT BEER FLOAT 7

CHOCOLATE FONDUE - BELGIAN DARK CHOCOLATE
WITH BANANAS, STRAWBERRIES, PINEAPPLE AND POUND CAKE
FOR TWO 24 FOR FOUR 28

TURTLE FONDUE - BELGIAN MILK CHOCOLATE, PRALINE PECANS AND CARAMEL
WITH BANANAS, STRAWBERRIES, PINEAPPLE AND POUND CAKE
FOR TWO 25 FOR FOUR 29

Sides

FRIES 4 SWEET POTATO FRIES 6 ONION RINGS 6
SWEET MASHED 4 MASHED POTATOES WITH GRAVY 4 GRAVY 2
RICE 3 VEGGIE 4
PASTA WITH MARINARA OR KEY LIME SAUCE 5

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Beverages

ICED TEA - CHINA MIST PASSION FRUIT 2
ARNOLD PALMER 3 FRESH LEMONADE 3
BOTTLED FLAT OR SPARKLING WATER SM. 3 LG. 5
SODA - PEPSI, DIET PEPSI OR 7-UP 2
ROOT BEER 2.5 ROOT BEER FLOAT 7 SHIRLEY TEMPLE 2.5
COFFEE 2 LG. MILK 4 LG. CHOCOLATE MILK 5

CONSUMING RAW OR UNDERCOOKED MEATS, POULTRY, SEAFOOD, SHELLFISH OR EGGS
MAY INCREASE YOUR RISK OF FOODBORNE ILLNESS.

EPENEPHELUS PLASTICUS / BURLAPUS

(...The Square Grouper)

SIZE: 3' (91 cm) to 28" (71 cm) firmly compressed and square-like in appearance.
WEIGHT: Average weight 50 lbs.

COLOR: Greenish brown with scattered dark spots.
Often observed with chain like hemp colored lines running dorsal to ventral and horizontally around the entire fish.

COMMENTS: The Square Grouper is one of the most commercially important and prized groupers of the Florida Keys waters. It is not very wary and often caught by hand and just hauled into the boat in this manner. It is a popular sport fish and often occurs in accessible areas. Consequently, the Square Grouper has declined in number and is now protected in the Florida Keys. Often identified by the common Latin names such as Potus, Weedus, Dopus, Gonjus, Cannibus & Marijuanabus, this prized fish often brought up to \$25,000 a square!

REFERENCE: The Common Grouper Journal AUTHOR: Captain George Gonnasmokeumup

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