

## **Carmel's Bistro Dinner**

### **Appetizers**

#### Frito Misto Combo

Deep fried prawns, calamari & artichoke hearts, house made cocktail & sweet garlic sauce 14.95

#### Steamers

Steamed clams & mussels, white wine, garlic olive oil & clam broth 12.95

#### Gamberetti al Pomodoro

Sautéed prawns, basil, garlic, roma tomatoes, artichoke hearts & pancetta 12.95

#### Crab Cakes

Spicy port wine, tamarindo sauce 12.95

#### Monterey Bay Calamari

Lightly fried, garlic lemon aioli 12.95

#### Carpaccio Renaissance

Just the way Vittore Carpaccio would like it!

Thinly sliced Filet Mignon, grated parmesan, capers, EVOO & wedge of lemon 11.95

#### Prosciutto & Pears

Charbroiled pear, thinly sliced Parma Prosciutto, EVOO & lemon juice 11.95

#### Castroville Whole Artichoke 10.95 - seasonal

Charbroiled, garlic lemon aioli

### **Salads**

#### Burata Prosciutto Salad

Vine ripened tomatoes, burata cheese, prosciutto & organic basil, balsamic vinaigrette 12.95

#### Grandma's Insalatina Greca

Chopped lettuce, diced tomatoes, cucumber & red onions, sundried cranberries, olives, feta & our secret dressing 9.95

#### Caesar Salad

Romaine, homemade dressing, croutons & fresh parmesan 9.95

#### Insalatina Vergine

Mixed baby greens with Blue Cheese, dried cranberries & almonds, raspberry vinaigrette 8.95

### **Ravioli's**

#### Lobster Ravioli

Spinach, mushrooms & tomato in a truffle cream sauce 28.95

#### Crab Ravioli

Champagne cream sauce 25.95

#### Grandma's Spinach Ravioli

Baked in marinara, topped with béchamel 19.95

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### **Pizzettas – gluten free pizza crust available**

#### Pollo Pesto

Chicken, artichoke hearts, olives & mozzarella 15.95

#### Pizza Giovanni

Tuscan sausage, caramelized Maui onions & mozzarella 15.95

#### Pizza Margarita

A Classic! Vine ripened roma tomatoes, fresh mozzarella & basil 14.95

### **Main Entrees**

#### Osso Bucco

Braised veal with sweet anise, carrots, onions, celery & tomatoes over pasta couscous 28.95

#### Lamb Shank

Braised lamb shank topped with a red wine sauce over garlic mashed potato & vegetables 28.95

#### Papa's Cioppino

A classic seafood stew with a bit of everything from the sea. Shrimp, scallops, clams, mussels, fish & crab seasoned with our Southern Italian spices in a hearty tomato broth 28.95

#### Bistro Short Ribs

Asian style with spicy marinated cucumbers, garlic mashed potato & vegetables 27.95

#### Salmon Dijon

Dijon encrusted salmon lightly breaded and pan seared, topped with a creamy lemon caper sauce, linguini 26.95

#### Seabass

Seabass topped with roma tomato piccata style with linguini & vegetables 24.95

#### Pollo or Veal Picatta

Chicken breast or veal in a lemon, white wine, garlic & caper sauce with garlic mashed potato & vegetables

#### Pollo or Veal Marsala

Sautéed chicken breast or veal with Marsala & mushrooms, garlic mashed potato & vegetables

#### Pollo or Veal Parmesan

Breaded chicken breast or veal baked with mozzarella, fresh basil & tomato sauce served with linguini & vegetables

**Pollo** \$22.95

**Veal** \$28.95

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**Pastas Giovanni- gluten free pasta available**

Papa's Pasta Pescetori

Clams, mussels, prawns, scallops & salmon in white wine, tomato & garlic broth tossed with linguini 29.95

Linguini & Clams

Fresh clams with olive oil, garlic & lemon zest over linguini 25.95  
Also available in Alfredo sauce

Misto Di Mare

Prawns, scallops & artichoke hearts in a light garlic cream sauce over linguini 24.95

Linguini Gamberi

Prawns, white wine, garlic, chili flakes & parsley over linguini 24.95

Coconut Prawns

Prawns sautéed in a light coconut Mediterranean cream sauce served over mushroom risotto or linguini 24.95

Pasta Salmon Picatta

Salmon pieces in a lemon butter sauce with pancetta, sundried tomatoes, artichoke hearts & capers tossed with whole wheat pasta 24.95

Pasta Mamma Mia

Bistro style meatballs marinated in Mediterranean spices over rigatoni 23.95

Mama's Spicy Pasta Piccata

Sliced chicken breast & artichoke hearts in a spicy sauce tossed with linguini 22.95

Mama's Bolognese

A classic dish with a handed down recipe. Ground beef with a homemade sauce over fettuccini 21.95

Pasta Palermo

Rigatoni, Italian sausage, roasted bell peppers, caramelized onions & mozzarella cheese baked in chili marinara sauce 18.95

Carbonara

Pancetta, shallots & peas in a cream sauce tossed with linguini 18.95

Grandmas Gnocchi

Gnocchi baked with mascarpone and gorgonzola cheeses, covered in béchamel & parmesan 18.95

Pasta Putanesca

Olives, capers, anchovies, sun-dried tomatoes & garlic in a spicy tomato sauce tossed with penne pasta 18.95

Pomodoro Fresca

Tomatoes, olive oil, garlic & fresh basil over whole wheat pasta 18.95