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Creek's first settler suffered from shell-shuck Phillippi an oyster addict despite grouper therapy

Phillippi sailed his ship, "Philly P" up the creek to a point which is now the corner of Bee Ridge Rd. and Beneva. All of the land between Bee Ridge and the Island is fill land on which to build condominiums - Fernando was a shrewd real estate investor.

front of the restaurant are still original the Phillippi family and has changed

About 1569 A.D., Fernando D. pilings installed by Fernando's cousin, Pepe. The Phillippi Creek Oyster Bar is

> "It was a brave man that first ate an oyster." -Jonathan Swift

Some of the piers you see in actually the converted winter home of

little since being built in 1604.

VISA / MASTERCARD

No personal checks

Fernando D. Phillippi was last seen in 1619 during Hurricane Maria. The ship, with gunwhales awash, was visible off Island Park, and a voice was heard screaming, "more oysters!" Even now on moonlit nights a ghostly vision of the "Philly P" can be seen sailing up the creek without a paddle.

In the Old Florida Tradition Restaurant & Oyster Bar





Did You Know?

Studies among Greenland Es- tans omega 3 fatty acids which kimos, who consume large amounts of seafood and who are virtually free of heart disease, in spite of their high fat intake, have been interpreted to indicate a protective effect attributable to their large intake of marine animals. We do not yet know how much fish is needed nor how often one must consume seafood in order to benefit from it, nor even whether one's health would be similarly improved. However, the evidence strongly indicates that regular consumption of fish, especially the fatter varieties, gives substantial health advantages.

Sea Clam

Found in abundace in the ocean waters of the North Atlantic, the sea Clam grows up to 12 inches in diameter. Long known for its sweet tasting meat, it is now recognized for its nutritional benefits. It conare important in maintaining a healthy heart.

Scallops

The scallop is a mollusk having two shells like clams and oysters. It propels itself along the ocean floor by opening and closing it's hinged shell. The muscle controlling the shell movement is the muscle that we enjoy as scallop meat.

There are two prominent types of scallops: Sea scallops and bay scallops which are from the Chesapeake Bay south to the Gulf of Mexico. The two can be used interchangeably on the same

When selecting fresh scallops, examine the product for a creamy white or light pinkish color and a mild sweet odor. Raw frozen scallops can be held at zero degrees or below for 3 or 4 months.

Snapper

The snappers are one of the largest and most popular families of fish. There are some 34 species that inhabit the marine waters of the warmer regions of the United States. Wellknown snappers with high food value are red, pink, mangrove or grey, yellow eye, mutton and yellow tail.

Snappers are taken in water often several hundred feet deep. Most of the catch is still made with hook and line. Many snappers are available year round in all parts of the country. The meat is juicy, white and very flavorable. This fish can be served broiled, baked, steamed or boiled, in a host of imaginative ways. Snapper is among the most delicious deep sea delicacies on the market.

Stone Crabs

There are over 4000 different species of crab in the world. One of these which is natve to our Gulf Coast waters is the stone crab.

Only the claws of the stone crab are eaten, so when a crab is harvested, both claws are removed and the live crab must be returned to the water. The crab claws will regenerate in about six weeks. (The law used to read that only one claw could be removed from the crab so as not to leave it defenseless during this regeneration period.)

Years ago, when hunters were fixing their campfire meals of a stew and cornbread, they would throw balls of cornmeal to their dogs to quiet them. That is where the term "hush puppies" come from.

Uet Appetizone	Charles Calada
Hot Appetizers	Specialty Salads
Buffalo Shrimp\$17.95	Florida Cobb Salad
Fried Oyster Appetizer	crumbles, valencia orange vinaigrette
Fried Calamari\$14.95	Grilled Shrimp Chopped Salad
Oysters Rockefeller	
Seafood Stuffed Oysters \$18.95	Shrimp Salad Plate
Fried Gator	Blue Crab Salad Plate
Steamed Shrimp (1/4 pound-peel & eat)	Potato Salad, Colesiaw and Mixed Greens
plain, garlic, Maryland spiced or beer boiled	Maine Lobster Chopped Salad
Roy's Lump Crab Cake	Caesar Salad\$9.95
Fried Chicken Fingers \$12.95	Add Chicken
Crispy Buffalo Wings (served naked)	Add Grilled Jumbo Shrimp
Mozzarella Sticks	Add Chicken
Clam Strips\$13.95	Add Grilled Jumbo Shrimp
	Fried Seafood Platters
Cold Appetizers	All served with a choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetables or rice, with hush puppies and coleslaw.
Oysters on the half shell half dozen	Combination Seafood\$36.95
dozen	Crab Cake, Oysters, Scallops, Shrimp, Grouper, Clam Strips
Clams on the half shell half dozen	Oysters
	Sea Scallops\$31.95
dozen	Grouper Fingers
Shrimp Cocktail\$21.95	Butterfly Shrimp
Smoked Salmon Spread \$14.95	Colossal Soft Shell Crab (2 per order)
Blue Crab Spread\$15.95	Fried or Sautéed
Steamed Shrimp (1/4 pound-peel & eat)	Flounder
Stone Crab (seasonal) Market Price	Clam Strips
Titanic Raw Bar	Shrimp & Scallops\$31.95
half shell, lobster salad	Shrimp & Oysters\$30.95
	Scallop & Oysters
	Fried Catfish\$23.95
SOUPS Made fresh daily	Gator Dinner\$31.95
Cajun Seafood Gumbo (spicy) bowl \$9.95	Fish & Chips
(fresh fish, shrimp, okra and sausage)	1 isii & Cilips \$24.75
New England Clam Chowder bowl \$9.95	
(fresh clams, potatoes, bacon and cream)	Norfolks
w	All served with choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetables or
Warning: Consuming raw or under cooked oysters, meat, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness, especially if	rice, with hush puppies and coleslaw.
you have certain medical conditions.	Crabmeat Seafood Gratin
	Shrimp
Seafood Sandwiches	Sea Scallops\$31.95
Served with choice of fries or potato salad	Shrimp & Scallops\$31.95
Crab Cake Sandwich	Cold Water Lobster Tails\$37.95
Fried Flounder Sandwich \$15.95	Add Cold Water Lobster Tails to any Combo
Colossal Soft Shell Crab Sandwich	
Fried Oyster Sandwich	Baked Seafood Platters
	All served with choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetables or rice, with hush puppies and coleslaw.
Grouper Sandwich	Roy's Lump Crab Cakes
Shrimp Salad Sandwich \$15.95	Stuffed Shrimp
Blue Crabmeat Salad Sandwich \$17.95	(Shrimp, Scallops and Blue Crab Stuffing)
	Stuffed Flounder
Characillad O Cracialty Carachystales	Stuffed Grouper
Chargrilled & Specialty Sandwiches Served with choice of fries or potato salad. Add cheese, bacon, sautéed mushrooms or sautéed onions for \$1 each.	
Add cheese, bacon, sautéed mushrooms or sautéed onions for \$1 each.	Filet of Grouper\$33.95
Hamburger	Filet of Flounder\$24.95
Jumbo Hot Dog\$11.95	
Steak Sandwich (6 oz. w/onion rings & french fries)	Steamed Pots The ultimate in appetitude
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Steak Sandwich (6 oz. w/onion rings & french fries)	Oysters 1 dozen \$29.95 Oysters 2 dozen \$55.95 Oysters 3 dozen \$79.95
Steak Sandwich (6 oz. w/onion rings & french fries)	Oysters 1 dozen \$29.95 Oysters 2 dozen \$55.95

House Specialties	
Seafood Paella	\$34.95
8 oz Filet Mignon Choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetal with hush puppies and coleslaw. Add grilled jumbo shrimp - Market Price	\$39.95 bles or rice,
All Natural 12 oz NY Strip Choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetal with hush puppies and coleslaw. Add grilled jumbo shrimp - Market Price	\$38.95 bles or rice,
Seafood Kabob	\$34.95
Fish Tacos (3)	\$21.95
Sub Grouper	\$7.00

Chargrilled Platters
All served with choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetables or

rice, with hush puppies and colesiaw.	
Tilapia	\$22.95
Garlic Grouper Dinner	\$33.95
Charbroiled Grouper	\$33.95
Blackened Grouper Dinner	
Chicken Breasts 2 - 6 oz. breasts	
Grilled, Blackened or Teriyaki	
Catfish	\$23.95
Grilled or Blackened	

Creek Combo Pots For 2 People

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For 1 \$55.95
For 2 \$79.95
No substitutions please
Each pot contains:
2 dozen unshucked steamed oysters, 1/2 lb peel & eat shrimp,
corn on the cob, onions & celery, and fresh baked garlic bread.
Steamed Clams 1 dozen add \$17.95
Jumbo Snow Crab 1 1/4 lb add Market Price
Stone Crab Claws seasonal add Market Price
Jumbo King Crab 1 1/4 lb add Market Price
1/2 Pound Sea Scallops add \$30.95

All served with choice of french fries, parsley potatoes, baked potato, seasonal vegetables or rice, with hush puppies and coleslaw.

Jumbo Snow Crab 1 1/4 lb	Market Price
Stone Crab Claws seasonal	Market Price
Jumbo King Crab 1 1/4 lb	Market Price
Steamed Shrimp Dinner Peel and eat (1/2 lb.)	\$26.95
Beer Boiled Shrimp Dinner Peel and eat (1/2 lb.)	\$26.95
Maryland Spiced Shrimp Dinner	
Peel and eat (1/2 lb.)	\$26.95
Garlic Shrimp Dinner Peel and eat (1/2 lb.)	\$26.95
Dungeness Crab Dinner 1 1/4 lb	

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\$32.95
\$28.95
\$23.95
\$36.95





little Mates Menu

Children 10 yrs or under

Fish & Chips \$11.95 Hamburger \$11.95 Pasta \$9.95 Grilled Cheese \$9.95

Clam Strips \$9.95 Chicken Fingers \$9.95 Fried Shrimp \$9.95 Hot Dog \$9.95

All dinners served with fries (excluding pasta) and soft drink.

No Adults Please

Side Orders

Homemade Onion Rings	\$7.95
French Fries	\$4.50
Parsley Potatoes	\$3.50
Rice	AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF
Coleslaw	
Potato Salad	
Fresh Corn on the Cob	PLAN WITH LESS HER PHILIP
Fresh Baked Garlic Bread	The state of the s
Baked Potato (Served after 4 pm)	
Seasonal Vegetables	
Hush Puppies	
Cottage Cheese	
Apple Sauce	\$2.95

Desserts

Key Lime Pie	\$8.95
Root Beer Float	\$8.95
Death By Chocolate	\$9.95

Ask About Our Fish Bowl Drinks (serves 2-4) Blue Bayou Coronarita

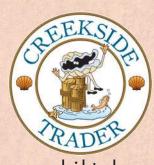




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No personal checks. Parties of 6 or more there will be an 20% service fee added.

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Beverages For Your Enjoyment!

Beers

Imported Beers - bottle \$5.50

Draft Beers

Amstel Light			
Heineken		Pint	Pitcher
Kirin Ichiban	Bud Light	\$4.75	\$15.95
Corona & Corona Light	Miller Lite	\$4.75	\$15.95
Pacifico	Michelob Ultra	\$4.75	\$15.95
Guinness	Modelo	\$5.50	\$18.95
Heineken Z <mark>er</mark> o	Landshark Lager	\$5.50	\$18.95
Modelo 🐪 🥡 🦾 💮	Sweet Water IPA	\$6.50	\$18.95
Becks	Siesta Key Beach Light	\$4.75	\$15.95
Shock Top	By: Sun King Brewery		
Guinness Zero	Yuengling	\$4.75	\$18.95
Sam Adams	Stella Artois	\$5.50	\$18.95
	Seasonal Beer	\$6.50	\$18.95
tic Rears - hottle \$4 50	Big Top Hazy	\$6.50	\$18 95

Domestic Beers - bottle

Budweiser - Bud Light Miller Lite Coors Light Michelob Ultra

Nutrl Flavors

Black Cherry Pineapple

Orange Watermelon

* Ask about our Bucket Specials and Seasonal Ciders

Full Service Bar Available



We have chosen these wines to best suit our seafood!

House Wines			Featured Varietals		the same
ALCO STATE OF THE	Glass	Full Liter		Glass	Bottle
Chablis	\$5.9 <mark>5</mark>	\$24.95	Pinot Grigio	\$9.50	\$36.95
	Glass		Sauvignon Blanc		
White Zinfandel	\$6.95	\$28.95	Chardonnay	\$9.50	\$36.95
			Pinot Noir		THE RESERVE AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF THE
			Merlot	\$9.50	\$36.95
			Cabernet Sauvignon	\$9.50	\$36.95

Featured Bottle\$22.95

Other Beverages

\$3.25 with free refills

Pepsi - Diet Pepsi Starry (No caffeine) Mountain Dew Lemonade

Brewed Iced Tea Coffee

Apple Juice Pineapple Juice Orange Juice **Tomato Juice** Grapefruit Juice Hot Tea Milk

\$3.95 **Bottled Water Bottled Root Beer Bottled Coke Bottled Diet Coke Bottled Jarritos Grapefruit** Canned Ginger Beer