



# CASPER'S & RUNYON'S NOOK

- a small place with big burgers -



**NF** = NOOK FAVORITE



## NOOKIE WINGS

**POT O' GOLD WINGS**  
Voted "Best Wings" by Mpls St. Paul Magazine!  
Tossed in your choice of sauce or dry rub.  
(8) \$9.95 | (12) \$12.25  
(20) \$18.95

**"ZINGERS" BONELESS BREADED WINGS**  
No bones about it! Big flavors tossed in your choice of sauce or dry rub.  
(8) \$8.95 | (14) \$12.95

**COLOSSAL WINGS**  
Our largest breaded wings tossed in your choice of sauce or dry rub.  
(8) \$10.95 | (14) \$16.95

**HOT DAMN WING CHALLENGE**  
Duel with the devil!  
Finish 14 colossal wings in 20 minutes  
— no drink & no dipping sauce—  
and win a free t-shirt! \$18.95

- **Hot Damn**  
Habanero peppers, any questions?
- **Buffalo Sauce**  
Award winning - we do it right!
- **MN Wild Wings**  
Wild players' favorite!
- **Chipotle Garlic**  
Garlic with chipotle
- **Caribbean**  
Yah man - a kick from the caribbean.
- **Spicy Honey BBQ**  
Our biggest seller!
- **Cajun Dry Rub**  
Smokey sweet.
- **Sticky Sauce**  
Sweet & mildly spicy.
- **Honey Stinger**  
Sweet with a little kick.
- **Dubliner Teriyaki**  
Teriyaki & bourbon blend.

## APPETIZERS

**NF FRESH-CUT HOMEMADE FRIES**  
Seasoned with garlic cracked pepper and served with a seasoned chipotle ranch or for \$2 more try our bacon beer cheese dipping sauce. Kick it up a notch with our Cajun seasoning  
Small \$3.95 | Big \$5.95  
Waffles or Sweets \$8.95

**IRISH FRIES**  
Corned beef, sauerkraut, Swiss cheese and 1000 Island dressing served on waffle fries \$10.75

**CLASSIC CHICKEN TENDERS**  
Choose our Honey Mustard or BBQ dipping sauce \$9.95 w/ French Fries \$12.95

**NF JALAPEÑO POPPER DIP**  
Melted cheese dip filled with diced jalapenos and roasted red peppers. Served with tortilla chips \$10.99

**HAND-DIPPED CHEESE CURDS**  
Homemade with cheese from Ellsworth, WI \$9.95

**NOOK CURDS**  
Honey glazed bacon cheese curds \$11.75

**NF LEPRECHAUN LEGS**  
Deep-fried green beans served with seasoned chipotle ranch. Tell mom you ate your veggies today! \$7.95

**RUNYON RINGS**  
Crispy beer battered onion rings \$7.75

**CUTIE LUCY**  
Three mini juicy sliders, made to order, just choose your cheese! \$12.75

**NAKED SKEWERS**  
Grilled chicken skewers. Plain or spice 'em up with sauce. 4 skewers \$7.95 or 8 skewers for \$14.95

**BAKED ARTICHOKE DIP**  
A creamy spread served with fresh-made pita chips \$12.50

**NACHO GRANDE**  
Loaded nachos served with salsa, sour cream and guacamole. Beef or Chicken \$11.95  
Beef & Chicken \$13.25

**WALLEYE FINGERS**  
Beer battered walleye served with lemon and tartar sauce \$12.75

**NF PUB PICKLES**  
Sliced planks of pickle beer battered and deep fried served with a horseradish mayo dipping sauce (10-12) \$9.95

## SALAD & SOUP

Dressings: Ranch | French | Bleu Cheese | 1000 Island | Italian  
Balsamic Vinaigrette | Fat Free Ranch | Fat Free French | Fat Free Italian

**SMALL DINNER SALAD** Lettuce, tomato, red onion, green pepper, shredded cheddar, cucumber & croutons \$5.95

**CAESAR SALAD** Classic with croutons and Parmesan cheese \$9.95 / Add chicken \$11.95

**BUFFALO CHICKEN SALAD** Bleu cheese, tomato, cucumber, green pepper and red onion \$12.25

**CLUB SALAD**  
lettuce, tomato, shredded cheddar, green onion, red onion, and bacon with chicken tenders or or char broiled chicken breast- your choice! \$11.95

**NF BLACK & BLEU STEAK SALAD** Lettuce, blackened steak, red onions, tomato, carrots, bacon and bleu cheese \$13.75

**SOUP OF THE DAY!**  
House-made. Ask your server for selections – Cup \$3.95 | Bowl \$4.95

**CHILI OR IRISH STEW** - Cup \$4.95 | Bowl \$5.95

## NOOK DOGS

All hot dogs are served with homemade fresh-cut French Fries and pickles. Substitute onion rings, sweet potato fries OR waffle fries for \$1.75 extra. Fried or raw onions available. Chips or coleslaw in place of fries, no problem! Add a side of bacon beer cheese dipping sauce for \$2. Sub a wheat bun by request.

**TWIN DOG** Two dogs any style \$8.95

**NF CONEY ISLAND**  
Coney chili sauce, raw onions, shredded cheese and mustard \$6.95

**CHICAGO DOG**  
Pickle spear, tomato, onion, sports peppers, green relish, mustard, celery salt \$6.95



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OUR BURGERS ARE  
USDA CERTIFIED

The Nook has an exclusive Butcher Cut Ground Black Angus Chuck that can only be found at our location - no where else in the world! Just another reason our burgers are consistently voted “Best. Burger. Ever.”

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## BURGERS

All of our burgers include homemade, fresh-cut French Fries and pickles on a fresh bakery bun. Sub chips or coleslaw instead of Fries, or add fresh or fried onions if you'd like. We can also do a pretzel or wheat bun for you! If you want it WELL DONE, please let us know.

Get any Burger McDonagh-Style Add a fried egg \$1.25

Onions rings, sweet fries, or waffle fries \$1.75 | Made a regular burger a double \$4 | Add Avocado \$1.25  
Add a side of bacon beer cheese dipping sauce \$2.25 | Bison, turkey, or black bean burger for \$1.25

### MICKEY'S ORIGINAL \$8.95

Add cheese \$9.50

Add cheese & bacon \$9.95

California-Style with lettuce, tomato, mayo, and cheese \$10.25

### NF PATTY MELT

Fried onions, Swiss and American cheeses, and tomato on toasted rye \$10.95

### CHUCK MITCH HAM HAMBURGER

Shaved grilled ham, bourbon sauce and Swiss on top of a burger patty \$10.50

### MUSHROOM SWISS \$9.95

### NF THE TRIPLE B:

Bourbon Bacon Burger - Bacon with smoked cheddar and bourbon sauce \$10.25

### PURPLE & GOLD BURGER

Worcestershire sauce enhanced burger with special seasoning, purple onions and smoked cheddar \$9.50

### CASBURGER

Bacon cheeseburger with green peppers and a side of bbq sauce \$10.25

AWARD WINNING,  
GOTTA HAVE ONE

## STUFFED BURGERS



- All burgers are served cooked medium with homemade fresh-cut
- French Fries and pickles on a really fresh bakery bun.
- Substitute onion rings, sweet potato fries OR waffle fries for \$1.75 extra. Fried or raw onions available.
- Chips or coleslaw in place of fries, no problem!
- Add a side of bacon beer cheese dipping sauce for \$2
- Sub a wheat bun by request

### NF JUICY NOOKIE BURGER

Stuffed cheeseburger, served medium only \$10.50

### PAUL MOLITOR

The Juicy Nookie stuffed with pepperjack cheese \$10.95

### NF THE SPANISH FLY

Chorizo burger, 50/50 blend of beef & Spanish-spiced pork filled with queso blanco \$11.75

### STUFFED PHILLY

Cheeseburger stuffed with green pepper, onion, mushroom and Swiss cheese \$10.75

### GUY'S BIG BITE

Pepperjack stuffed burger topped with roast beef, shredded cheddar, and bacon \$13.50

### PEPPERJACK HANNAHAN

Pepperjack cheese, lettuce, tomato and mayo \$10.25

### FIREHOUSE BURGER

For the chief, Tim Butler! Pepperjack cheese, raw onion, bacon and hot mustard \$10.25

### MATT BIRK BURGER

Two patties with pepperjack cheese, you can't pass this one up! \$13.95

### JOE MAUER HIT A DOUBLE

Two hamburgers and one order of fries \$13.95

### REUBEN BURGER

Sauerkraut, Swiss cheese, 1000 Island and corned beef \$11.50

### MICHAEL FLOYD

Topped with pastrami, cream cheese, pickle planks & mustard \$11.50

## SANDWICHES

All sandwiches are served with homemade fresh-cut French Fries and pickles. Substitute onion rings, sweet potato fries OR waffle fries for \$1.75 extra. Fried or raw onions available. Chips or coleslaw in place of fries, no problem! Add a side of bacon beer cheese dipping sauce for \$2. Sub a wheat bun by request.

### CORNED BEEF REUBEN

Corned beef, sauerkraut, Swiss cheese and 1000 Island dressing on swirled rye bread \$10.95

### NF BOURBON BACON CHICKEN

Bacon and smoky cheddar, slathered in bourbon sauce \$10.95

### CHICKEN SANDWICH

Lettuce, tomato, mayo \$10.95

Club- lettuce, tomato, mayo, bacon \$11.95

Buffalo- pepperjack, buffalo, lettuce, tomato \$10.95

BBQ- BBQ sauce, bacon, lettuce, tomato \$11.95

### THE NOOKIE BLT

8 strips of bacon served on 3 pieces of white toast with lettuce, tomato and our garlic mayo \$11.25  
add avocado \$1.25

### FARMHOUSE CHEESE SANDWICH

American, Swiss & Pepper Jack melted to perfection on 3 pieces of white or rye bread \$8.25

Add ham or bacon \$2.00

### WALLEYE SANDWICH

Topped with lettuce and tartar, served with lemon on a toasted hoagie roll \$13.95

### PHILLY SANDWICH

Philly beef, Swiss cheese, green peppers and onions on a toasted hoagie roll with a side of au jus \$11.25

### NF PASTRAMI SANDWICH

Get it Philly-style with Swiss, green peppers and onions on a toasted hoagie or Reuben-style with sauerkraut, Swiss and 1000 island dressing on rye \$11.25

### NF LODGE BURGER

Bacon, tomato, lettuce, smoked cheddar and chipotle mayo. Joe Mauer's favorite! \$11.95

### BLACK & BLEU BURGER

Crumbled bleu cheese melted over sautéed mushrooms, bacon & Cajun seasoning \$10.50

### NOOKIE SUPREME BURGER

Double decker cheeseburger with lettuce, special sauce and 3 layers of fresh baked bun - mythical proportions! \$14.95

### MAKE IT A NOOKIE ULTIMATE

Same as the Nookie Supreme BUT ADD BACON, TOMATO AND FRIED ONIONS FOR AN EXTRA \$2.00

### NF NOOKIE CHALLENGE:

EAT 2 NOOKIE SUPREMES & FRIES

-WIN A FREE T-SHIRT!

## LATE NIGHT PIZZA

Heggie's Brand pizza, thin crust and square cut, served all day and after the kitchen closes, until 1am

DELUXE \$13.95

SAUSAGE & PEPPERONI \$12.95

SAUSAGE \$11.95

PEPPERONI \$11.95

DOUBLE CHEESE \$11.95

## DINNER

Served with garlic toast and homemade fresh-cut fries. Substitute onion rings, sweet potato fries, steamed broccoli or waffle fries for \$1.75

### NOOK SIGNATURE STEAK

8oz Sirloin Steak – The burgers are great, but have ya tried the steak?! \$16.25

### WALLEYE & CHIPS

Served with lemon and tartar sauce  
1 filet \$14.25 | 2 filets \$18.95

### WALLEYE TACOS

Fried walleye served on soft flour tortillas (3) with lettuce, Pico de Gallo, cilantro, and fresh lime. Served with tortilla chips and seasoned sour cream \$14.25

### CHICKEN BREAST DINNER

Two boneless, charbroiled chicken breasts with teriyaki or bourbon sauce. Served with broccoli instead of French Fries \$14.95

### NF ADULT MAC 'N CHEESE

Penne pasta tossed in a 4-cheese blend with chopped bacon, garnished with chopped tomatoes. cheesy and delicious \$12.75

## THE NOOK HISTORY

The Nook has been a part of the St. Paul neighborhood scene since 1938. Folklore has that the location was once a horse barn and then a gas station before it was Wally's Nook, The Nook, Mickey's Nook, and finally, Casper's & Runyon's Nook. Freshly made hamburgers, fresh-cut homemade French fries and a history of great customers are star attractions at the Nook. In 2000, the recipe for the famous burgers was handed down to the new owners, Ted Casper and Mike Runyon, from Mickey Brausen, former owner and a top-notch cook for 35 years. The recipe for great customers is a St. Paul tradition. Enjoy!  
- Ted Casper & Mike Runyon



Babs gives the Nook  
a stamp of approval!

"I had the best Juicy Lucy  
I've ever had at  
Casper and Runyon's Nook  
on Hamline Ave. in St. Paul."

Barbara Streisand  
at her Oct 24, 2006  
concert at Xcel  
Energy Center



Consuming raw or undercooked food can increase your chances of acquiring foodborne illnesses.