

La Primavera

Italiano Ristorante & Pizzeria

Tues.-Thurs. 11-10
Fri.-Sat. 11-11
Sun. 11-9
Sun. Buffet 11-3

*Menu reflects cash price.
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Rt. 45 West • Lewisburg

Benvenuti!

Welcome to our restaurant. We learned Italian cooking from our father and have shared these classic Northern and Southern Italian dishes with our patrons in Northeast Pennsylvania for over 35 years. La Primavera Restaurant is our dream and represents the culmination of our years of experience in preparing the finest Italian recipes for your enjoyment. Family owned and operated, we use only the finest ingredients available and add our personal touch to every meal prepared in our restaurant. We're pleased you are dining with us today. Sit back, relax, and savor the finest Italian cooking in the area.

*'Vito Mazzamuto ~ Chef
 'Vito Mazzamuto ~ Proprietor*



History of Lewisburg

On Nov. 17, 1773 Rev. Richard Peters sold a 520 acre tract of flat, wooded land to Ludwig Derr. The land was on the West Branch of the Susquehanna River. Indians still hunted in nearby woods as Ludwig divided his land into building lots. By 1788 there were about seventeen log homes with forty residents in the settlement which was named Derrstown.

The Susquehanna River provided the only link to outside markets until a dirt road was built on the east side of the river and William Williams, of Derrstown, built a ferry that could carry wagons across the river to the new road. Derrstown was incorporated in 1813. In 1833 it was tied into the Pennsylvania Canal System by means of a cross-cut canal. The settlement grew from 924 in 1830 to 2,042 in 1850. In 1855 the name of the thriving community was changed from Derrstown to Lewisburg and became the county seat of Union County. Today, Lewisburg is home to more than 6,000 people.

Bucknell University, with its park-like campus on the southern border, has made Lewisburg a "college town." The cultural and economic advantages that a college population provides has played a part in the town's status as one of the best small towns in America.

From the very beginning the people of Lewisburg were culturally inclined. A large 1,000 seat music hall (later named "The Opera House") was built in 1869. The Federal style building, with its corner

quoins, cost nearly \$30,000. It was located directly behind today's post office. Many famous stars appeared there, until it was destroyed by fire in 1908.

The school district has been rated as one of the best in Pennsylvania by Norman Crampton's book *The 100 Best Small Towns in America*. Lewisburg has been near the top in this publication for the past several years.

Health care in the Lewisburg area is provided by Evangelical Community Hospital, established in 1926. The first hospital was located at the top of a small hill along the Susquehanna River. The original building began as the home of Col. Eli and Catherine (Frick) Slifer. It is now a museum and the site of year round activities.

One of the major reasons for the excellent quality of life in Lewisburg is the local employers. Bucknell University is the largest employer in Union County, followed by the U.S. Federal Penitentiary and Evangelical Community Hospital.

Lewisburg's downtown seems to have the kind of commercial mix that shoppers find pleasing. The business community continues to thrive through good times and bad. The Borough Council, Business Association, Chamber of Commerce and Susquehanna Valley Visitor's Bureau have all worked together through the years to maintain landmarks and provide a pedestrian friendly downtown area.

Antipasti Appetizers

Cozze in Vino Bianco

Mussels in lite garlic with a touch of white wine.

\$14.95

Roast Peppers with Fresh Mozzarella

Fresh mozzarella with tomatoes, roast peppers, basil and extra virgin olive oil.

\$14.95

Calamari Fritti

Fried Calamari served with a side of marinara sauce.

\$16.95

Involtni Di Melanzane

Rolled eggplant stuffed with ricotta cheese, sauce and mozzarella over topping.

\$14.95

Mozzarella Caprese

Fresh mozzarella with tomatoes, basil and extra virgin olive oil.

\$14.95

Antipasto Italiano

Prosciutto, suprèssata salami, ham, capicola, provolone cheese, and black olives.

\$16.95

Cocktail Di Gamberi

Shrimp Cocktail

\$14.95

Cozze Marinara

Fresh mussels sauteed with marinara sauce.

\$14.95

Shrimp & Crab Meat Dip

Shrimp & crab meat in a cream sauce and served with toasted garlic bread.

\$17.95

Mozzarella Sticks

Served with a side of marinara sauce.

\$11.95

Onion Rings \$7.95

Breaded Mushrooms \$8.95

Breaded Cauliflower \$8.95

French Fries Sm \$5.95 Lg \$7.95

Insalate Salad

Antipasto Classico

Romaine & iceberg lettuce, tomatoes, onions, hot peppers, giardiniera, salami, ham, provolone cheese, capicola, and black olives.

\$16.95

Grilled Chicken Salad

Romaine & iceberg lettuce, tomatoes, onions, hot peppers, grilled chicken and fresh mozzarella cheese.

\$16.50

Alla Cesare

Classic Caesar salad, romaine lettuce, croutons and Caesar dressing.

\$12.95

Alla Cesare Con Pollo

Our classic Caesar salad with grilled chicken.

\$16.50

Turkey and Provolone Cheese Salad

Turkey and provolone with romaine & iceberg lettuce, tomatoes, onions and hot peppers.

\$15.50

Tuna and Provolone Cheese Salad

Tuna and provolone with romaine & iceberg lettuce, tomatoes, onions and hot peppers.

\$15.50

Zuppa 'Del Giorno Soup of the 'Day

Cup \$5.95 Bowl \$7.95

Cream or Seafood Soup

Cup \$7.75 Bowl \$9.75

Ask your server about today's special.

'Baskets

Pesce Basket

Fish served with french fries and bread.

\$16.50

Gamberi Basket

Shrimp served with french fries and bread.

\$17.50

Pollo Basket

Chicken served with french fries and bread.

\$15.50

Salad with Basket

\$5.75

Chef Salad

Romaine & iceberg lettuce, tomatoes, onions, hot peppers, salami, ham and provolone cheese.

\$15.50

Mediterranean Salad

Romaine lettuce, grilled chicken, sun-dried tomatoes, Fette cheese and black olives and onions.

\$16.50

Spinach Salad

Roasted peppers, red onions, tomatoes, olives, portabella mushrooms and feta cheese.

Your choice of:

Grilled Chicken \$17.50

Grilled Shrimp \$19.50

Buffalo Chicken Salad

Grilled chicken tenders marinated in Buffalo sauce served over garden salad with bleu cheese dressing, celery and black olives.

\$16.50

Dinner Salad

\$6.75

Dressings:

Bleu Cheese, Fat-Free Italian, French, House, Oil & Vinegar, Ranch, Thousand Island, Honey Mustard, Fat Free Ranch, Balsamic Vinaigrette

Per Voi Bambini For Children Under 12

Child's Penne

\$10.25

Child's Lasagna

\$10.50

Child's Spaghetti

\$10.25

Child's Chicken Fingers

\$10.25

Child's Plain Pizza

\$10.25

Piatti Di Pollo

Poultry

Pollo Cacciatore

Chicken breast sauteed with mushrooms, onions and green peppers in a light garlic and marinara sauce. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$26.95

Pollo Vittoria

Chicken breast sauteed with garlic and broccoli in white wine topped with mozzarella cheese and sliced tomatoes. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$26.95

Pollo Piccata

Chicken breast sauteed with mushrooms and asparagus in lemon butter sauce. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$26.95

Pollo Parmigiana

Chicken breast topped with a zesty tomato sauce, mozzarella cheese. Over spaghetti or a side of vegetables.
\$23.95

Pollo Marsala

Lightly sauteed chicken breast in a marsala wine and mushroom sauce. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$26.95

All dinners include salad/ soup and bread.

Additional \$2.50 charge for cream soup substitute.

Prices subject to change.

Pesce & Frutti Di Mare

Fresh Fish and Seafood

Gamberi Giardino

Shrimp sauteed with light garlic, sundried tomatoes, fresh chopped tomatoes, spinach, lite dry pepper and a touch of white wine. Served with penne pasta.
\$27.95

Gamberi Scampi

Shrimp sauteed with garlic and white wine served over linguini.
\$25.95

Aragosta Fradiavolo

Lobster in light garlic and spicy marinara sauce served over linguini.
\$32.95

Aragosta Rosa

Lobster tail and shrimp with sundried tomatoes and asparagus in a pink cream sauce. Served with angel hair pasta.
\$33.95

Gamberi Rosa

Shrimp and crab meat in lite pink cream sauce. Served with penne pasta.
\$28.95

Sogliola Ripiena

Flounder rolled & stuffed with crab meat served with scampi sauce and your choice: over angel hair or side of vegetables.
\$27.95

Gamberi Fradiavolo

Shrimp sauteed with garlic and spicy marinara sauce served over linguini.
\$25.95

Linguini Alle Vongole

Little neck clams sauteed marinara sauce or white sauce served over linguini.
\$25.95

Linguini Alle Cozze

Mussels sauteed in white wine, garlic, or red marinara sauce, served over linguini.
\$23.95

Zuppe Di Pesce

Seafood combination. Mussels, clams, shrimp, calamari sauteed in white wine garlic or red marinara sauce served over linguini.
\$30.95

Pesce Scampi

Fresh sea scallops, shrimp and crab meat sauteed with vine-ripe tomatoes, fresh basil, light garlic, broccoli and a touch of white wine. Tossed with cheese tortellini.
\$30.95

Aragosta Ravioli

Lobster ravioli in pink cream sauce with crab meat and spinach.
\$27.95

Gluten Free Items

Gnocchi

Red or Cream Sauce
red \$25.95 cream \$27.95

Penne

Red or Cream Sauce
red \$18.95 cream \$20.95

Ravioli Parmigiana

\$24.95

Stuffed Shells Parmigiana

\$24.95

12" Pizza

\$19.95
toppings \$2.95

Ask your server about our gluten free desserts.

Piatti Di Vilellino

Veal

Vitello Rossini

Lightly sauteed with veal medallions with mushrooms, prosciutto, and parmesan cheese in cream sauce. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$28.95

Vitello Oscar

Veal scallopini sauteed with onions, spinach, crab meat and a touch of white wine. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$30.95

Vitello Saltinbocca

Veal scallopini sauteed with prosciutto, spinach and sage in lemon marsala caper sauce. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$29.95

Vitello Marsala

Lightly sauteed with veal medallions in a marsala wine and mushroom sauce. Over spaghetti or side of vegetables.
\$28.95

Vitello Parmigiana

Veal cutlet topped with a zesty tomato sauce, mozzarella cheese and a side of spaghetti.
\$25.95

Vitello Vino Bianco

Veal sauteed with light garlic, roasted red peppers, artichokes, mushrooms, spinach, vine-ripe tomatoes, broccoli and a touch of white wine. Served over capellini pasta.
\$29.95

Drinks

Iced Tea

Raspberry Iced Tea

Pepsi

Diet Pepsi

Hawaiian Punch

Dr. Pepper

Mountain Dew

Root Beer

Lemonade

Sierra Mist

Coffee

Regular or Decaffeinated

\$3.50

Hot Chocolate

\$3.50

Cappuccino

\$6.95

Espresso Coffee

\$3.25

Bottled Water

(1 liter)

\$6.95

1/2 liter 4.50

\$3.75 Complimentary Refill

Pizza Casarecce

Pizza

Margherita

Fresh tomato sauce, oregano and mozzarella cheese.

\$11.50 Add fresh mozzarella & basil
\$2.00

Quattro Gusti

Fresh tomato sauce with mushrooms, ham, black olives and mozzarella cheese.

\$17.95

Pizza Miramare

Fresh tomato sauce, smoked salmon, mozzarella and parmesan cheese.

\$17.95

Pizza Primavera

Fresh tomato sauce, grilled chicken, eggplant and mozzarella cheese.

\$17.95

Pizza Italiana

Italian pizza with fresh tomato sauce, mozzarella fiore di latte, mushrooms, prosciutto and artichokes.

\$17.95

Pizza Hawaiian

Fresh tomato sauce, ham, pineapple and mozzarella cheese.

\$16.95

Pizza Bianca

White pizza, ricotta and mozzarella cheese, garlic, fresh tomatoes, broccoli, extra virgin olive oil and oregano.

\$17.95

Extra Toppings

Pepperoni • Onions • Garlic • Mushrooms
\$2.50 each

Calzone or Stromboli

Calzone

Ham, ricotta and mozzarella cheese with a side of sauce.

\$12.50

Broccoli Calzone

Broccoli, ricotta and mozzarella cheese with a side of sauce.

\$12.50

Stromboli

Ham, pepperoni and mozzarella cheese with a side of sauce.

\$12.50

Subs

All our bread is homemade

Cold Subs

Prosciutto & Mozzarella

Fior Di Latte

Italian ham, fresh mozzarella, sliced fresh tomatoes and extra virgin olive oil.

\$13.00

Tonno & Mozzarella Fior Di Latte

Tuna, fresh mozzarella, sliced tomatoes & extra virgin olive oil.

\$12.50

* Ham & Provolone Cheese Sub

Served with iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$11.00

* Italian Sub

Ham, provolone cheese, capicola ham, salami, iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$11.00

* Tuna & Provolone Cheese Sub

Served with iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$11.75

* Capicola & Provolone Cheese Sub

Served with iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$11.00

Turkey & Cheese

\$11.25

Veggie Cheese

\$11.00

* Cosmos + .50¢

Hot Subs

Cheese Steak

Served with sauce.

\$12.25

Cheese Steak Garden

Served with iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$12.95

Grilled Chicken Cheese Sub

Served with iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$12.95

Grilled Chicken Broccoli Sub

Chicken and broccoli with marinara sauce and mozzarella cheese melt.

\$12.95

Chicken Cheese Steak

Served with sauce.

\$12.25

Chicken Cheese Steak Garden

Served with iceberg lettuce, tomatoes and onions.

\$12.95

Meatball Parmesan

\$12.50

Sausage & Pepper Parmesan

\$12.75

Veal Parmesan

\$17.50

Chicken Parmesan

\$14.50

Eggplant Parmesan

\$14.00

Cheese Steak Special

Onions, mushrooms, roasted peppers and sauce

\$14.50

Extras

Onions, mushrooms, green peppers and olives.

\$1.25 each

Please ask for mayonnaise and oil on subs. All subs are served with a side of chips.

Prices subject to change.

We now offer gluten free
pasta and desserts.
Ask your server for details.

Farinaci Pasta

Spaghetti Puttanesca

Light marinara sauce with garlic, capers,
olives, mushrooms, tomatoes and anchovies.
\$20.95

Penne or Linguini Primavera

Grilled chicken sauteed with broccoli,
mushrooms, fresh tomatoes, garlic and extra
virgin olive oil.
\$20.95

Fettucini Alfredo

A rich blend of heavy cream,
butter and parmesan cheese.
\$19.95

w/shrimp \$23.95

w/chicken \$21.95

Rigatoni Al Forno

Baked rigatoni pasta with meat sauce,
ricotta and mozzarella cheese.
\$19.95

Rigatoni Romana

Rigatoni sauteed with sun dried tomatoes and
fresh chopped tomatoes in cream sauce.
\$19.95

Farfalle Al Salmone

Bow tie pasta with smoked salmon in a
creamy pink sauce.
\$19.95

Tortellini Della Nonna

Cheese tortellini sauteed with mushrooms with
prosciutto in Alfredo sauce.
\$20.95

Gnocchi

Red sauce (tomato) or
White (with garlic and extra virgin
olive oil).
\$19.95
with cream sauce \$21.95

Gnocchi with Vodka Sauce

\$23.95

Gnocchi Carbonara

Eggs with bacon in cream sauce.
\$24.95

Bistecca Di Manzo Beef

Bistecca Pizzaiola

Grilled 12 oz. Delmonico steak with black olives,
mushrooms, marinara sauce, oregano, parmesan
cheese and a side of spaghetti with sauce.
\$31.95

Spaghetti Con Funghi

Spaghetti with sauteed portobello mushrooms
and garlic in marinara sauce.
\$18.95

Ravioli Ai Funghi

Cheese ravioli sauteed with portobello
mushrooms in white or pink cream sauce.
\$20.95

Penne Casalunga

Tender morsels of veal, sweet green peas and
Romano cheese in a zesty tomato sauce.
\$22.95

Penne with Vodka Sauce

\$20.95

w/shrimp \$26.95

w/chicken \$23.95

Penne or Linguini Primavera with Cream Sauce

\$22.95

Spaghetti Filetto Di Pomodoro

Fresh tomato sauce with basil, garlic and
extra virgin olive oil.
\$16.95

Tortellini Alfredo

Cheese tortellini with green peas in
Alfredo sauce.
\$19.95

Spaghetti Bolognese

Spaghetti with meat sauce.
\$18.95

Spaghetti with Garlic & Oil

\$15.95

Eggplant Parmigiana with Spaghetti

\$20.95

Penne with Pesto Sauce

\$19.95

Penne Pesto with Cream Sauce

\$21.95

Bistecca Alla Griglia

Grilled 12 oz. Delmonico steak served with
vegetables and a side of spaghetti with
sauce.
\$30.95

Traditional Pasta

Cheese Tortellini Parmigiana

Baked Penne

Cheese Manicotti Parmigiana

Cheese Stuffed Shells Parmigiana

Vegetable Lasagna Parmigiana

Meat Lasagna Parmigiana

Cheese Ravioli Parmigiana

Spaghetti & Meatballs

Spaghetti with Sausage

Your Choice \$18.95

Spaghetti w/garlic, oil and parmesan cheese.

\$15.95

All pasta served with fresh salad
and homemade bread.

We now offer gluten free pasta.
Ask your server for details.

Desserts

Cannoli

\$6.45

Cheesecake

Strawberry or Cherry Topping
\$8.45

Tiramisu

\$9.95

Spumoni

Served with mini Canoli.
\$9.95

Chocolata Canoli

\$7.45

Ice Cream

Vanilla or Chocolate

\$7.95

Spumoni

\$8.95