



# Take a “Shark” Bite Out of Life

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An especially unique experience is being served to every visitor at Shark Bites Deli. Offering hungry patrons a friendly home-like atmosphere and fresh, generously sized Boar’s Head® sandwiches, this independently owned eatery is gaining recognition as a desired destination to appreciate a satisfying meal any time of the day. By presenting a wide selection of homemade salads, starters, subs and desserts along with beer and wine, it’s no wonder why many are opting to take a “shark” bite out of life!

At Shark Bites Deli, surround yourself with the essence of the ocean in this coastal atmosphere. Unwind in the outdoor patio seating area or gather indoors on a cozy sofa with the nearby TV hosting Netflix by request. As your little ones find excitement in the shark-themed play area, it quickly becomes apparent that everyone can relax in this nautical neighborhood. Co-owner Jennifer says, “Customers say this has become their favorite spot to meet for lunch or family dinners.”

Since opening the deli in January 2019, Jennifer and fellow co-owner Rich say their inspiration sparks from gathering around the table with their own loved ones to enjoy quality cooking. The couple shares this passion by placing careful consideration into the menu they serve others. “Everything from our breads to our baked goods including our Smoked Gouda Mac n’ Cheese and the meatballs used in The Shark Tooth sub are made by hand daily using family recipes,” says Jennifer. “Every morning, we begin preparation using real ingredients and, when possible, opt for organic choices for butter, cream, eggs, herbs, and more. We love to bring smiles to people through our food and want them to know they can expect quality any time.”

Start each meal off right with an order of homemade Smoked Salmon Dip or Deluxe Nachos. Every sandwich, such as The Mako



Shark, Tiger Shark and Hammerhead, is prepared upon order using crisp vegetables and savory Boar’s Head® deli meats and cheeses, sliced multiple times a day for maximal freshness. Filling favorites, such as The Megalodon, will surely satisfy. This well-sized sandwich comes layered with an assortment of pastrami, salami, pepperoni, corned beef and ham topped with mozzarella, provolone, and choice of veggies.

On the Little Sharks menu, the Grilled PB&J, Turkey Sandwich and more continue to bring cheer to children every day. Those with a vegetarian, gluten-free or allergy-sensitive diet can also choose from accommodating options or swap ingredients for those suitable to their needs.

Amongst the many scrumptious specials are also hot-pressed paninis, salads and sides. The Caspersen, a Cuban classic, is a blend of roasted pork, ham, melted swiss and sliced pickles. Create a complimenting combo by pairing the Steak Salad or Strawberry Poppyseed Salad with a side of Smoky Baked Beans or Kale Apple Slaw.

As a sweet homemade treat, dark chocolate brownies, carrot cake, key lime pie or baked cookies conclude a meal unlike any other. Accompany any order with Copa Merlot or Pinot Grigio by the glass or a beer such as LandShark®, Stella Artois® and more.

Whether you stop in or use the convenient online ordering and delivery services, becoming a part of the Shark Bites family means having a sea of specialty subs any day of the week!

For more information about this advertorial, call 941.244.2863 or log on to SharkBitesDeli.com. Conveniently located at 1740 E. Venice Avenue in the Villa Venezia Plaza, Shark Bites Deli is open 10:30 a.m.–7 p.m. Mon.–Sat.

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