

Carlinville Area Restaurant Guide 2010

Compliments of: Carlinville Community Chamber of Commerce & Area Restaurants

Carlinville has a variety of restaurants, ranging from fast food to fine dining. We are proud of our dining options and are eager to share them with visitors. We have listed our restaurants alphabetically and, for your convenience, have included locations, phone numbers, days of operation, type of food, services, and approximate price range (\$=up to \$10; \$\$=up to \$15; \$\$\$=up to \$25).

Reno's Italian Pizza - Corner location on north side of town square; 854-6655. Open every day except Monday for lunch and dinner. Specializing in traditional Italian pasta dishes, pizza and sandwiches; burgers and other sandwiches also available. Sit-down, carry-out, and delivery. (\$\$)

Robin's Roost - On Shipman Road (aka Alton Rd.) just south of West Main St. (Rte. 108), across from the Amtrak railroad station; 854-7070. Open every day for breakfast (starting at 5:30 a.m.) and lunch. Traditional home-style meals and daily specials. (\$)

Ryan's Pub - On Shipman Road (aka Alton Rd.) 1/4 mile south of West Main St. (Rte. 108) and just south of the Amtrak station; 854-3921. Open daily for lunch and dinner except Sunday. American cuisine, including sandwiches, seafood, steak, ribs, chicken, and pasta. Beer, wine, and cocktails. Carry-out available. (\$\$)

Salsa Grill & Coffeehouse - East side of town square; 854-7262. Open every day for lunch and Mon.-Sat. evenings for dinner. Thurs. & Fri. special all-you-can eat ribeye. Saturday evenings all barbeque menu. Coffeehouse opens at 7 a.m. weekdays & 8 am on Saturday. Southwest-style cuisine, including barbecue, panini, quesadillas, wraps, nachos, and salads, as well as home-made soup and dessert specials each day. Carry-out and catering available. (\$\$)

Sol de Mexico - On North Broad St. (Rte. 4) two blocks from the town square; 854-6228. Open every day for lunch and dinner. Broad selection of traditional Mexican dishes. Carry-out available. Beer, wine, and cocktails. (\$\$)

Subway - West side of town square; 854-2228. Open every day for lunch and dinner. Traditional Subway dishes, including sandwiches, wraps, mini pizzas, and salads, as well as occasional specials. Sit-down or carry-out. (\$)

Taylor's Mexican Chili - Northeast corner of town square adjacent to Carlinville Regional Chamber of Commerce office. Open every day except Sunday for lunch and on Friday evening for dinner. Signature dish is its famous chili but also offering its unique butter bean soup and vegetable soup, as well as tomas, nachos, chili-mac, and hot dogs. Carry-out also available, including cans of chili. Beer, wine, and cocktails. (\$)

Wood Duck - 546 West Main St., about 1/2 mile from the town square and just before the Amtrak crossing. Open every day for lunch and dinner. Primarily sandwiches, soups, wings, and similar snack dishes. Carry-out available. Beer, wine, and cocktails. (\$)

Note that most gas stations in Carlinville have hot and/or cold sandwiches on hand, as well as snacks and refreshments.

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Angus Bailey's - Northwest side of town square; 854-5250. Open Mon. - Sat. for lunch & Sun. - Sat. for dinner. American cuisine with steak, ribs, chops, chicken, seafood, and some ethnic specialties, including a flamed Kasseri cheese (saganaki) appetizer and a gyros pita sandwich. Carry-out available. Beer, wine, and cocktails. (\$\$\$)

Abella's - On South Broad street right off the square; 854-7332. BBQ. Serving breakfast all day Open Sunday-Tuesday from 5:30am-2pm and Wednesday-Saturday from 5:30am-9pm. Full menu (\$\$)

Beaver Dam Cafe - In Beaver Dam State Park, 7 miles south of town on Shipman blacktop (aka Alton Road); 854-6688. Home-style breakfast and lunch each day, all-you-can-eat Saturday and Sunday breakfast buffet, and dinner specials on Friday and Saturday evenings. Indoor dining room and outdoor deck offer views of Beaver Dam Lake. (\$)

The Captain's Table - Dining room in the Best Western Carlinville Inn Hotel, 12 miles east of the town square at the junction of Interstate 55 and Rte. 108 (Exit 60); 324-2100. Open every day for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. American cuisine, including steaks, chops, chicken, seafood, pasta, and sandwiches. Friday Seafood buffet seasonally; Brunch on Sunday and certain holidays. Beer, wine, and cocktails. (\$\$\$)

Carlinville Plaza Café - In the Carlinville Plaza (right on Wilson St. off of North Broad St./Rte. 4) at the north end of town; 854-6208. Open every day for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Home-style cooking

Dairy Queen Brazier - On West Main Street (Rte. 108) 1/2 mile west of the town square; 854-8212. Open every day. "Brazier" burgers, sandwiches, salads, and a wide variety of soft-ice-cream treats, including the signature "Blizzard." Sit-down, carry-out, or drive-through. (\$)

The Glades - South on Rte. 4 about 1/2 mile from its junction with Rte. 108; 854-4440. Open for dinner every day but Monday; bar opens at 4 p.m., dinner served starting at 5 p.m. American cuisine, including steaks, ribs, chops, chicken, seafood, and pasta. Signature dish is "Rattlesnake" -- breaded, deep-fried nuggets of beef with a unique sauce. Home-made desserts. Carry-out also available. Beer, wine, and cocktails. (\$\$\$)

Hardee's - 454 North Broad St. (Rte. 4) about 1/2 mile north of the town square; 854-6871. Open every day for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Signature "Thickburgers," other sandwiches, fried chicken, limited breakfast menu, and ice cream treats. Sit-down, carry-out, or drive-through. (\$)

Little Italy's Pizza - In the Carlinville Plaza on Wilson St. off of North Broad St. (Rte. 4) at the north end of town; 854-7499. Open daily for lunch and dinner. Italian pizza and sandwiches. Carry-out and delivery only. (\$\$)

Magnolia's - At 531 South West St., just off the town square in an old church building; 854-7167. Open daily from 7 a.m. - 2 p.m. Open for breakfast and lunch; interesting twists on traditional dishes; and daily specials. (\$\$)

McDonald's - At 733 West Main St., 1/2 mile from the town square just east of Carlinville High School; 854-4481. Open for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Burgers, salads, other traditional McDonald's offerings, and occasional "specials." Sit-down, carry-out, or drive-through. (\$)

Nick's Pizza & Italian Restaurant - 201 McCausland, just north off of West Main St. (Rte. 108), adjacent to the former Wal-Mart store; 854-4544. Open every day for lunch and dinner. Specializing in traditional Italian pasta dishes, pizza, and sandwiches. Sit-down dining off the menu or from the buffet (on selected days). Carry-out available. (\$\$)

Panda Chinese Restaurant
250 South Side Square. 854-6188. Open 7 days a week lunch and dinner. Traditional Chinese cuisine. Off the menu for lunch and dinner, plus \$5.95 all-you-can-eat buffet lunch every day. Occasional specials. Dine in, take-out, and catering available. \$\$