



# Ipswich Inn

Breakfast served daily from  
7:30 AM to 11:30 AM and until Noon on Sunday





## BEVERAGES

Coffee.....	\$1.75
Tea.....	\$1.50
Cold Milk.....	\$1.50
Chocolate Milk.....	\$1.75
Hot Chocolate w/ whipped cream.....	\$2.00
Canned soda.....	\$1.50
Juices.....	\$1.50/\$2.75
Orange, apple, cranberry, tomato	

## \* SANDWICHES

### McMorley - "build your own"

2 eggs with cheese on jumbo English muffin, bagel or biscuit.....	\$4.00
Veggie - add tomato & spinach.....	\$4.50
Add sausage, ham or bacon.....	\$5.00

## \* EGGS ♦ OMELETS

Served w/ home fries, toast & fruit garnish

<b>Eggs Your Way</b> (fried, poached, scrambled) 1 Egg / 2 eggs.....	\$3.50/\$4.25
<b>Cheddar Cheese Omelet</b> .....	\$6.00
<b>Ham &amp; Cheese Omelet</b> .....	\$6.75
<b>Cheese &amp; 2 Veggie Omelet</b> .....	\$6.75
Choose 2 additional .50 each	
<b>Steak &amp; Cheese Omelet</b> .....	\$7.95
<b>Western</b> (pepper, onion, ham).....	\$7.95
<b>Country Style</b> (bacon, potato, onion, cheese).....	\$7.95
<b>Greek</b> (tomato, feta, spinach).....	\$7.25

(All omelets are made with 3 eggs. For omelets made with egg whites, add \$1.00)

## PASTRIES ♦ BREADS

### Toast

White, Wheat, Rye, Raisin, Sourdough.....	\$1.00
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<b>English Muffin</b> .....	\$1.50
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<b>Muffin or Scone of the day</b> .....	\$1.75
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### Bagel

Plain /with cream cheese.....	\$1.50/\$2.00
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<b>Grilled Biscuit</b> .....	\$1.50
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## \*BENEDICTS

### Classic Eggs Benedict

Poached eggs on a toasted English muffin with ham and Hollandaise sauce.....	\$8.25
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### California Benedict

Poached eggs on a toasted English muffin with spinach and tomato and Hollandaise.....	\$8.00
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### Irish Bennie

Poached eggs on toasted Tuscan pane with corned beef hash and Hollandaise.....	\$9.00
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## \*HEARTY BREAKFASTS

### Corned Beef Hash

With eggs, home fries and toast.....	\$7.95
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<b>Biscuit &amp; Gravy</b> .....	\$4.95
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Biscuits topped with sausage gravy & home fries Add eggs, each.....	\$1.00
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## PANCAKES

### Buttermilk Pancakes

One cake/two cakes . . . . . \$3.00/\$5.00

### Blueberry Pancakes

One cake/two cakes . . . . . \$4.00/\$6.00

### Banana Chip Pancakes

Decadent and gooey, fresh bananas with chocolate chips.

One cake/two cakes . . . . . \$4.00/\$6.00

### Chocolate Chip Pancakes

One cake/two cakes . . . . . \$3.50/\$5.50

### Inn Special Pancakes

Blueberries, bananas and pecans . . . . . \$4.75/\$6.75

### Apple Pancakes

One cake/two cakes . . . . . \$4.00/\$6.00

### Almond Joy Pancakes . . . . . \$4.00/\$6.00

Chocolate chips, coconut, toasted almonds

## \* FRENCH TOAST

### Classic French Toast

Dipped and grilled (white, wheat or raisin)

Two slices/Three slices . . . . . \$3.95/\$5.25

### Inn Special French Toast . . . . . \$7.25

Batter dipped grilled Tuscan pane bread, topped with orange rum sauce, bananas and strawberries and whipped cream

### Berry Stuffed French Toast . . . . . \$6.95

Batter dipped grilled Tuscan pane stuffed with cream cheese and seasonal berries

### \*100% Real Maple Syrup . . . . . \$2.00

## SIDE ORDERS

Bacon . . . . . \$3.00

Sausage patties or links . . . . . \$3.00

Ham Steak . . . . . \$3.50

Hollandaise sauce . . . . . \$1.00

Home Fries . . . . . \$1.50

Corned Beef Hash . . . . . \$4.00

Baked Beans . . . . . \$1.50

Cold Cereal and Milk . . . . . \$2.50

Hot Oatmeal . . . . . \$2.50

Add brown sugar & raisins . . . . . \$ .50

Margaret's Homemade Granola . . . \$3.50

Served with pitcher of milk

## LIGHT AND FRUITY

### Margaret's Special

Large bowl of seasonal fruit, topped with homemade

Granola and yogurt . . . . . \$6.25

Mini Margaret's Special . . . . . \$5.00

Bowl Seasonal Fruit (small) . . . . . \$4.00

Add yogurt /granola . . . . . \$ .50 ea

\*Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions. Some of our dishes are made with nuts. Please ask your server if you have any questions.



## **History of The Ipswich Bed & Breakfast** the 1863 Robert Jordan house

Records going back prior to 1689 show this property has been the site of three homes. The property was owned originally by Mr. Thomas Bracy and was the site of a home made of brick. Mr. Bracy sold the property to Robert Paine, 'Elder to ye church of Ipswich.' According to the records he was a man foremost in zeal for the educational advancement of the community. In 1689 Mr. Payne conveyed his mansion and three acres of land, with orchard, garden, etc., to his son Robert, Feb. 12, 1689 (Ips. Deeds 5:590). Robert Paine Jr. and Elizabeth. They sold the property a year later which consisted of and two and three quarter's acres to Mr. Francis Wainwright, Sept. 30, 1690 (Ips. Deeds 5:326. The Wainwrights were a famous family. Francis, the immigrant, served with great distinction in the Pequot war, in his young manhood. He became a prosperous merchant and prominent citizen. He died on May 19, 1692. His son, Francis, was graduated at Harvard College in 1686. He was the Colonel of a regiment, Town Clerk, Representative in General Court, Feoffee and Justice of the General Sessions Court. He died on Aug. 3, 1711; in the forty-eighth year of his age In 1740 the property was again sold to Capt. Thomas Staniford. Capt Staniford according to the records was a "gentlemen" who occupied the house until his death on Feb 28, 1740. His will was filed Sept. 7, 1778 (Pro. Rec. 353: 206), and the inventory of his estate, filed Dec. 9, 1778 (353: 316) reveals the furnishings of one of the fine mansions of the Revolutionary period, at the inflated values that prevailed at that time. Some items are of interest, which specify the wardrobe of a gentleman of that day and various articles of furniture.

The son of Capt Thomas Staniford was also a Captain and his name was James. Capt. James Staniford occupied the mansion, which is often alluded to as the "old brick," because it had brick ends, and kept an inn. He also purchased of Richard Dummer Jewett an undivided half of five and three quarter's acres of the land adjoining, May 28, 1803 (172: 178). The heirs of James Staniford and his son James sold "the brick house" and eight and a half acres to Dr. Thomas Manning, June 10, 1830 (259: 76). Dr Manning sold "the old brick" to his son, Dr. Joseph Manning of Charleston, S. C., Dec. 27, 1830 (266: 73) and he conveyed it to John Jewett, Dec. 9, 1835 (290: 121). Mr. Jewett tore down the old mansion, which was still in excellent preservation, and built on its site the brick dwelling, which was

purchased a few years ago and torn down by Mr. John B. Brown and Mr. Harry B. Brown.

The property passed through several more families and eventually was owned by Susanna Wilcomb on March 27 1814 who sold her lot to the trustees of the Methodist

Episcopal Church. A meeting house was then built on this property and used by the church until the present church was built. The lot was then sold by the trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church to Robert Jordan on May 17, 1862. Robert Jordan was a Civil War veteran, who made his living as general merchant after the war. Mr. Jordan built this house in April of 1863. Years later, the house was owned by Dr. Bailey, a local physician, who treated his patients in his office, which was at the rear of the house.

The Robert Jordan house is a fine example of an Italianate-style Victorian, situated on an acre of land in the center of historic Ipswich. The rear of the property features terraced land which was developed growing mulberry bushes for the silkworm/silk industry which flourished in Ipswich in the early 1800s. Interesting architectural features of the house include the Belvedere on the third floor roof, the curved front stairway, original ceiling moldings, and the ice house at the rear of the main house, which was part of the "summer kitchen". The carriage house is at the back of the property.

Margaret and I bought this house in 1996. We had been on Pleasant Street for twenty-two years; our three kids grew up, got married and then Margaret decided we needed more room. A bed and breakfast was not in our plans but we began to think of the fun it would be meeting new people, and sharing our home with strangers that wanted to pay us for being here (a no brainier). So out of those thoughts and dreams, came our B&B, which grew to become The Ipswich Inn. This is our 11th year. All we wanted and wished for has come true. This has been a great adventure, one that continues each day bringing more and more people into our lives that have become our friends. We truly hope your stay with us and your meal will be as pleasant and restful as the joy we have in bringing it to you.

Sincerely,

Margaret & Ray