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# JAKE & DOROTHY'S CAFE

"THE BEST PLACE IN TOWN TO EAT"



WE SPECIALIZE IN CHICKEN FRIED STEAK  
AND  
WAFFLE FRIED POTATOES

## HOURS OF OPERATION

Sunday—Thursday 5:30 AM—Midnight  
Friday—Saturday 5:30 AM—2:00 AM

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Owned and Operated by Kerry Jane Roach

*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. Fish may contain bones.*



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# A TEXAS TRADITION



Stephenville and Jake & Dorothy's Café have grown up together. In 1948, Jake and Dorothy Roach put in the business of their dreams and today their daughter Kerry is continuing the family tradition. Jake and Dorothy met and married in 1946 while they were the cashier and waitress at Mel's Café on the square. The Roaches bought a building three blocks from the square on East Washington Street and have remained there ever since. Over the years, their capacity has grown from 24 to 225 seats. The food is still prepared in the Texas home style tradition of fresh hamburger being ground daily and the chicken fried steak is cut fresh everyday. The famous waffle fried potatoes, invented by Jake, are still cut by hand and the potato cutters are still made by Kerry. Dorothy's brother, Paul Hooks, tells of one time when a pickup and trailer came sailing through the kitchen wall, while he was cooking waffle fried potatoes. He was not hurt, and the show went on as usual after a tarpaulin was placed over the large opening. Jake & Dorothy's has always supported school and local athletics from the surrounding area, as well as Tarleton State University. During football season, you will have to wait for a seat because teams and followers from all over North Central Texas make the café a traditional stop to and from games. Kerry has been operating the business for 34 years and everyone at the restaurant carries on the tradition of Texas kindness and Stephenville hospitality.

**"That is Stephenville and the Texas way at Jake & Dorothy's Café."**

## **Breakfast Special Served Daily 5:30-10:00AM**

2 Eggs, 2 Bacon or Sausage with Toast, Biscuits, or Pancakes **3.95**

## **Evening Special Served Daily 5:00PM - CLOSE**

2 Eggs, 2 Bacon or Sausage with Toast or Pancakes **3.95**

## **Daily Lunch Special**

Monday-Friday 11:00AM-2:00PM **5.50**

Sunday 11:00AM-2:00PM **6.50**

# APPETIZERS



**Homemade Onion Rings.....4.25**

<b>Breaded Fried Pickles.....4.25</b>	<b>Mini-Corn Dogs (8).....4.25</b>
<b>Stuffed Jalapenos (6).....4.50</b>	<b>Southwest Egg Rolls (4).....4.25</b>
<b>Mozzarella Cheese Sticks (6).....4.50</b>	<b>Clam Strips.....4.25</b>
<b>Beer Battered Mushrooms.....4.50</b>	<b>Corn Nuggets.....4.25</b>
<b>Combination Platter: Any 3 of the Above served with your choice of dressing or sauce.....6.50</b>	

# SOUPS



<b>Vegetable.....2.50</b>
<b>Chicken Noodle.....2.50</b>
<b>Tomato.....2.50</b>

**15% GRATUITY ADDED TO PARTIES OF 8 OR MORE**

# SALADS



<b>Deluxe Chef Salad</b> .....	<b>8.95</b>
Crisp Lettuce topped with Turkey, Ham, Bacon Bits, 3 Cheeses, Boiled Egg and Tomatoes	
<b>Chef Salad</b> .....	<b>7.95</b>
<b>Combination Salad</b> .....	<b>5.75</b>
<b>Head of Lettuce</b> .....	<b>4.25</b>
<b>Sliced Tomatoes</b> .....	<b>3.50</b>
<b>Lettuce and Tomatoes</b> .....	<b>4.95</b>
<b>Dinner Salad</b> .....	<b>2.95</b>
<b>Grilled Chicken or Chicken Fried Chicken Salad</b> .....	<b>7.95</b>
Chunks of Chicken Breast on a Bed of Lettuce and Tomatoes with Cheese	
<b>Fried Shrimp Salad</b> .....	<b>8.95</b>
Served on a Bed of Lettuce and Tomatoes	
<b>Taco Salad with Beef</b> .....	<b>7.25</b>
<b>with Chicken</b> .....	<b>7.50</b>
Served on a Bed of Lettuce and Tomatoes with Cheese, Salsa and Jalapeño in a crispy Fried Tortilla Shell.	

**Above orders served with crackers and your  
choice of dressings.**

## DRESSINGS:

**Ranch, Thousand Island, Bleu Cheese, French,  
Italian, Fat Free Ranch & Honey Mustard**

# LITE DINING



<b>Peaches &amp; Cottage Cheese</b> .....	<b>4.75</b>
<b>Sliced Tomatoes &amp; Cottage Cheese</b> .....	<b>4.75</b>
<b>Grilled Chicken Breast, Grilled Fish, or Hamburger Patty</b> .....	<b>7.25</b>
Served with Sliced Tomatoes, Cottage Cheese, Boiled Egg & Peach half	
<b>Cold Plate</b> .....	<b>6.95</b>
Sliced Ham & Turkey, Boiled Egg, Peach Half, Sliced Tomatoes, Swiss & American Cheese	
<b>“Kerry Special”</b> .....	<b>6.95</b>
<b>Short Order</b> .....	<b>5.95</b>
Two Veggie Burgers with Grilled Onions, Dinner Salad, Steamed Vegetables and Wheat Toast or Crackers on Request	
<b>“Kerry Special Salad”</b> .....	<b>6.95</b>
<b>Short Order</b> .....	<b>5.95</b>
Lettuce and Tomato Salad Topped with Two Grilled Veggie Burgers and Grilled Onions. Cheese on Request.	

# FROM OUR SANDWICH BOARD



**Served on your choice of white, wheat, or rye.**

<b>Bacon, Lettuce and Tomato</b> .....	<b>4.25</b>
<b>Bacon and Egg</b> .....	<b>4.95</b>
<b>Fried Ham</b> .....	<b>4.25</b>
<b>American Cheese</b> .....	<b>2.50</b>
<b>Grilled Cheese</b> .....	<b>2.50</b>
<b>Ham and Egg</b> .....	<b>5.45</b>
<b>Boiled Ham</b> .....	<b>3.95</b>
<b>Fried Egg</b> .....	<b>2.95</b>
<b>Combination</b> .....	<b>5.95</b>
<b>Turkey Sandwich</b> .....	<b>4.75</b>
<b>Grilled Ham and Swiss</b> .....	<b>4.95</b>
<b>Hamburger</b> .....	<b>4.25</b>
<b>Cheeseburger</b> .....	<b>4.50</b>
<b>Veggie Burger</b> .....	<b>4.65</b>
<b>Chicken on a Bun</b> .....	<b>4.75</b>
<b>Grilled Chicken on a Bun</b> .....	<b>4.95</b>
<b>Steak on a Bun</b> .....	<b>4.95</b>
<b>Patty Melt on Rye</b> .....	<b>5.25</b>
Grilled Onions and Swiss	
<b>Classic Club</b> .....	<b>6.25</b>
With Bacon, Turkey, Swiss and American Cheese, lettuce, tomato and mayo	
<b>Corn Dog on a Stick</b> .....	<b>1.50</b>
<b>Hot Steak Sandwich</b> .....	<b>6.95</b>
Served with Salad, Toast, Gravy and your choice of potatoes	
<b>Hot Beef Sandwich</b> .....	<b>6.95</b>
Served with Salad, Toast, Gravy and your choice of potatoes	

# BEVERAGES



<b>Coffee Regular or Decaf</b> .....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>Tea Hot or Iced; Regular or Decaf</b> .....	<b>1.75</b>
<b>Pop</b> .....	<b>1.50</b>
Dr. Pepper, Coke, Big Red, Sprite, 7-UP, Root Beer, Diet Coke, Diet Dr. Pepper	
<b>Hot Chocolate</b> .....	<b>1.50</b>
<b>Milk small</b> .....	<b>1.35</b>
<b>Buttermilk</b> .....	<b>1.65</b>
<b>Orange, Tomato, Grapefruit or Apple Juice</b>	
<b>Small</b> .....	<b>1.35</b>
<b>Large</b> .....	<b>2.70</b>

# BREAKFAST MENU EGGS AND OMELETS



Bacon, Ham or Sausage Omelet .....	7.75	Two Eggs	
Cheese Omelet .....	6.75	with Ham, Bacon or Sausage .....	6.35
Plain Omelet .....	5.95	One Egg	
Ham and Cheese Omelet .....	7.95	with Ham, Bacon or Sausage .....	4.50
Western Omelet.....	8.25	Two Eggs.....	4.50
Ham, Onions, Bell Pepper, Tomatoes & Cheese		One Egg.....	3.95
Spanish Omelet.....	8.25	Order of Ham, Bacon or Sausage.....	6.50
Sausage, Onions, Jalapeño, Tomatoes & Cheese		2 Pork Chops with Eggs .....	8.95
Vegetable Omelet .....	6.95	Chicken Fried Steak with Eggs.....	8.95

Above orders served with hash browns, toast and jelly.

## HOT CAKES



Stack (3) .....	4.95
Stripped with Ham, Bacon or Sausage .....	5.95
Short Stack (2).....	3.95
Stripped with Ham, Bacon or Sausage .....	4.95

## CEREALS



Oatmeal.....	3.95
Served with toast	
Cold Cereal.....	2.65
Choice of: Raisin Bran, Frosted Flakes, Corn Flakes, Bran Flakes, or Rice Krispies	

## TOAST AND ROLLS



Biscuits and Gravy .....	3.25	Buttered Toast.....	1.00
Milk Toast.....	1.95	Dry Toast .....	1.00
Honey Bun .....	2.00	French Toast.....	3.95
Cinnamon Toast .....	1.65	Biscuit.....	.85

## SIDE ORDERS



Waffle Fried Potatoes .....	2.50	Jalapeño (1).....	.30
Homemade Onion Rings.....	4.25	Slice of Onion.....	.75
Baked Potato.....	2.25	Picante Sauce.....	1.00
Mashed Potatoes.....	1.65	Cottage Cheese .....	1.75
Order of Gravy.....	1.65	Ranch Dressing.....	1.00
Vegetable (when available).....	1.65	Peach Half.....	.75
Fried Okra .....	1.65	Fried Squash.....	2.35

# STEAKS



**Our No. 1 Seller!**

**“Cut and Hand Battered in Our Kitchen the Old Fashioned Way”**

**Chicken Fried Steak: 8.95**

**Double Meat: 12.95**

Breaded Veal Cutlets.....	<b>8.95</b>	Boneless Sirloin, 8 oz. ....	<b>9.95</b>
Hamburger Steak.....	<b>8.50</b>	Ham Steak .....	<b>8.95</b>
Sirloin Steak, 24 oz. ....	<b>18.95</b>	Rib Eye, 12 oz.....	<b>14.95</b>
For Two.....	<b>20.95</b>	Rib Eye, 8 oz.....	<b>11.95</b>
Sirloin Steak, 16 oz. ....	<b>12.95</b>		

**Above orders served with Salad and Choice of Potatoes.**

# SEAFOOD



Fillet of Fish.....	<b>7.25</b>	Fresh Jumbo Shrimp (6) .....	<b>8.95</b>
Fried Catfish.....	<b>9.95</b>	Half Order Jumbo Shrimp.....	<b>6.95</b>
Clam Strip.....	<b>7.95</b>	One Dozen Oysters.....	<b>11.95</b>
Seafood Platter .....	<b>10.25</b>	Half Dozen Oysters .....	<b>9.95</b>
Oyster, shrimp and fillet of fish.		Deluxe Seafood Platter .....	<b>16.95</b>
		Oyster (4), Shrimp (4), Clam Strips and Catfish	

**Above orders served with Salad and Choice of Potatoes.**

# CHICKEN AND PORK



**“PLEASE ALLOW PROPER TIME FOR PREPARATION”**

Order of All White.....	<b>7.95</b>	Chicken Strips .....	<b>7.95</b>
3 pieces of white meat chicken		Chicken Fried Chicken.....	<b>7.95</b>
Order of Chicken Livers .....	<b>7.95</b>	Grilled Chicken Breast.....	<b>7.25</b>
Order of Chicken Gizzards.....	<b>7.25</b>	Grilled Chicken Breast (2) .....	<b>8.95</b>
Order of Chicken Wings .....	<b>7.50</b>	Grilled or Fried Pork Chops (2) .....	<b>8.95</b>
Order of Livers and Gizzards.....	<b>7.95</b>	Served with Salad and Choice of Potatoes	
Fried Chicken Special.....	<b>7.25</b>		
3 pieces of dark meat chicken			

**Above Orders Served with Salad and Choice of Potatoes and Cream Gravy.**

# FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART



## UNDER 10 AND OVER 65

### FROM THE GRILL

Chicken Fried Steak .....	4.75
Ham Steak .....	4.75
Patty Plate .....	4.75

### FRIED CHICKEN

Drumstick Plate .....	4.75
Chicken Strips .....	4.75

All Above Orders Served with Salad, Waffle Fried Potatoes, Toast & Gravy.

### SEAFOOD

Catfish .....	4.95
Fish Dinner .....	4.75
Shrimp Dinner .....	4.95

One Hot Cake .....	2.95
With Sausage or Bacon and Orange Juice	
One Egg .....	3.25
With Sausage or Bacon, Toast, Jelly & Juice	
One Hot Cake and One Egg .....	3.45
With Sausage or Bacon and Orange Juice	

### SPECIALS

Daily Lunch .....	5.00
Sunday Lunch .....	5.50
One Egg .....	2.50
With Toast, Jelly & Juice	
Assorted Cereals .....	2.65
Honey Bun .....	2.00
Cinnamon Toast .....	1.50
French Toast .....	3.50

# DESSERTS



From the WASHINGTON STREET BAKERY  
 "We make ALL Desserts here on location"  
 Sold Whole or By the Slice  
 Place That Special Order Today!

### Pies By The Slice

Chocolate Meringue, Coconut Meringue, Buttermilk, Egg Custard .....	2.50
Apple Pie, Cherry Pie .....	3.50
Pecan Pie .....	3.50
Ice Cream .....	1.15 a dip

MANY OTHERS ARE AVAILABLE  
 AT DIFFERENT TIMES.  
 PLEASE ASK YOUR SERVER OR  
 TAKE A LOOK AT OUR CASE.

### Specialty Pies

Triple Delight, Cherry Jamboree, Blueberry Jamboree, Coconut Delight Made with pecan crust, cream cheese and topped with whipped cream .....	3.95
Peanut Butter Fudge & Black Forest .....	4.50
Assorted Cakes .....	3.95 a slice
Assorted Cheesecakes .....	4.65 a slice
Plain Cheesecake .....	4.25 a slice