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# Tribal Organization • Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana

Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel 832 Martin Luther King Road Charenton, LA 70523







### **LOCATED IN SOUTH LOUISIANA**

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floor and entertainment venues.

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Mabel's Kitchen - Exterior















Mabel's Kitchen - Interior









### The story behind the namesake of Mabel's Kitchen

Mabel Darden Vilcan was the cook at the Chitimacha School for many years. She took pride in feeding many generations of tribal children and she touched many lives in this contributing role in the community. She was preceded as cook by her second cousin Jane Vilcan and was succeeded by her daughters "Pat" Vilcan and Ethel Vilcan Persilver, all who are fondly remembered for their contributions as well. Aunt Mabel, as she was referred to by most, was a talented cook and baker. She was also known for her caring nature, generosity, kindness, wit and wisdom. To show her love and appreciation Mabel would bake things as gifts; her cinnamon rolls, a community favorite, were often made to share with family, fellow tribal members, friends and tribal leaders.

The Chitimacha School or Chitimacha Day School, where Aunt Mabel spent her career, was an important institution and the center of our community. It was the first school for Chitimacha people, where they could freely go to get an education locally. This one-room schoolhouse, later with improvements and additional buildings, served the community from 1934 to 1978. The school was critical in educating our tribal members because it wasn't until the late 1950s that tribal members from the reservation were allowed to attend public schools. Aunt Mabel often substituted in the cafeteria of the new school, now called the Chitimacha Tribal School, which opened in 1978 and continues to serve the Tribe today. Many tribal members have fond memories of our humble Old School and many of them include Aunt Mabel and her good food.

At Mabel's you will find great dining options ranging from from hamburgers, to sandwiches, to salads and much more. All of this in an inviting atmosphere, filled with friendly faces and Louisiana influenced artwork.

# Mabel's KITCHEN

















A Chitimacha Tribal Enterprise



Available Saturday & Sunday 8am-11am

Two Eggs with
Bacon or Homemade Sausage,
Cajun Hashbrowns or Grits,
Toast or Biscuit

\$8.95

Scrambled Omelette -Smoked Sausage, Ham, Onions & Peppers topped with Pepperjack Cheese. Cajun Hashbrowns or Grits, Toast or Biscuit \$9.95 Ham, Egg & Cheese Croissant with Cajun Hashbrowns or Grits

\$8.95

Sausage, Egg & Cheese Biscuit with Cajun Hashbrowns or Grits

\$6.95

Pancakes with Bacon or Homemade Sausage \$7,95

Biscuit with Gravy Bacon & Homemade Sausage

\$4.95

# On the Side One Pancake Smoked Bacon

Homemade Sausage \$3.95
Toast or Biscuit \$1.95
Grits \$1.95
Cajun Hashbrowns \$2.95
Beignets \$3.95

\$1.95

\$2,95

\$3.00

\$3.50

\$3.25

Beverages

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Microbrews & Imports Wine Split

**Domestic Beer** 

# Malbel's KITCHEN

Soup of the Day	S4.25	\$5.95
Chicken & Sausage Gumbo	\$4.25	
Corn & Crab Bisque	\$5.50	\$7.95

Dinner Salad	\$2.25
Caesar Salad	\$5.95
add Grilled Chicken	\$9.95
add Fried Shrimp	\$11.95
Cajun Garden Salad	\$10.95
Shrimp Cocktail Salad	\$9.95

Beverages	
Iced Tea & Soft Drinks	\$2.50
Coffee	\$2.25
Juice	\$2.95
Milk 2%	\$2.95
Chocolate Milk	\$3.25
Domestic Beer	\$3.00
Microbrews & Imports	\$3.50
Wine Split	\$3.25

	Served with Rice
Shrimp Stew garnisted with Fried Shri	inp \$9.95
Red Beans and Hot Link	\$7.95
Crawfish Etouffee	\$13.95

Famous Fried Chicken (Two Pieces - Dark)	\$6.95
Barbequed Baby Back Ribs (Half Rack)	\$12.95
Chicken Drummies	\$10.95
Fried Catfish	\$11.95
Fried Shrimp	\$12.95
Half & Half - Catfish & Shrimp	\$13.95
in the side	

Homemade Herb Parmesan Bread Stick	\$1.25
Fried Mozzarella Sticks with Marinara Sauce	\$4.95
Crawfish Pie	\$3.95
Rice Dressing	\$2.95
Waffle Fries	\$1.95
Cole Slaw	\$1.25
Potato Chips	\$1.50

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Club Panini Ham, Turkey, Bacori, Cheddar, Tomato on Clabetta	\$8.95
Blackened Chicken Sandwich Pepper Jack Cheese on Orion Roll	\$9.95
Grilled Buffalo Chicken & Pepper- Jack Panini Tomato, Tasso Ranch on Cabetta	\$10.95
Cajun Prime Rib PoBoy Crions. Bel Pappers, Mushrooms, Mozzámia, Alfredo	\$12.95
Overstuffed Muffalletta Haf \$7.95 Turkey, Capicola, Salami, Mozzanala, Olive Mix on Basil & Sesame Seed Roll	White \$12.95
Fried Shrimp PoBoy Lettuce, Tomato, Mayor	\$12.95
Cheeseburger	\$9.95

Cheeseburger Choice of Cheddar, Peoper Jack or Mozzámila on Onion Moli	\$9.95
Mozzinelia on Onion Moli	
Basin Burner	\$12.05

on Onion Rail	
Fried Shrimp Panini Pepper Jack, Tomatoes, Chipotle Mayo	\$12.95













Bizzute's Gift Shop









# The story behind the namesake of Bizzute's Gift Shop

"Bizzute" was the nickname of Emile Stouff. Bizzute, or Uncle Biz, as he was called was a Tribal Chief, carpenter, basket maker, craftsman, and storyteller. He and his wife Faye operated a craft shop on the reservation where visitors went for years to buy tribally made goods and to learn the history of the Chitimacha Tribe.









Step inside Bizzute's and you'll find souvenirs, gifts and items to enhance your visit to Cpress Bayou Casino Hotel.

















**CAFE DELPHINE** 













Casino - Cube View













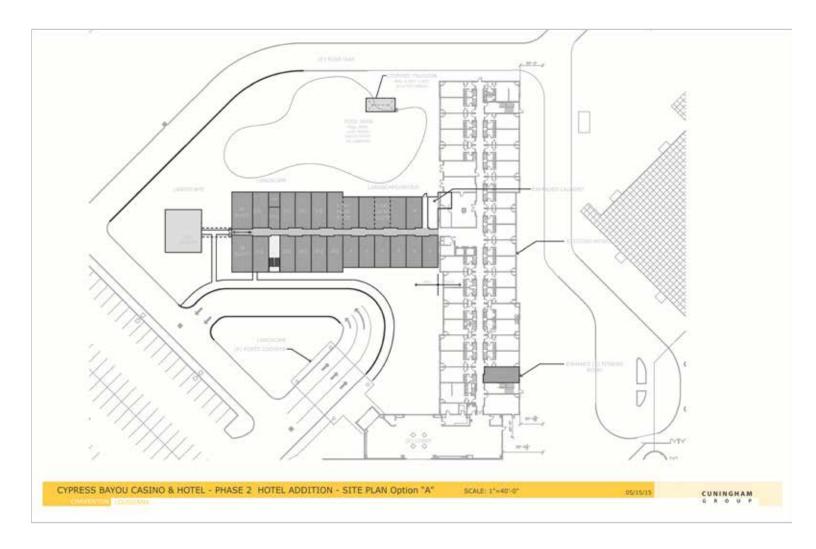
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## The story behind the namesake of Bocat's Oyster Bar

"BoCat" was the nickname given to Frank August Mora, Sr. as a child. BoCat was a wonderful single-father of six children. He was WWI veteran and worked for the Corps of Engineers. In retirement, he enjoyed gardening, family and going to the Tavern where he loved to socialize with friends and acquaintances.

# BoCat's

# The story behind the namesake of Mr. Lester's Steakhouse

Lester Darden was the oldest Tribal member at the time that Cypress Bayou Casino opened. In accordance with the tradition of Tribe's honoring their elders, Mr. Lesters was chosen as the name for the new steakhouse. He was a WWI veteran, served in Tribal Government, helped draft an early version of our Constitution and was a well-respected man in the Tribe.



# The story behind the namesake of Café Delphine

Delphine Darden Stouff was a tribal member and medicine woman known for her snakebite cure. She was the last fluent speaker of the Chitimacha language. She was one of the participants who was recorded for hours giving language information (legends and stories) to people sent here to study and preserve the language in the 1930s. These important recordings are the basis for the Chitimacha language revitalization program today. Delphine was also a basket weaver.





