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Innkeepers

Christine and John

Welcome and thank you for choosing to stay at Amherst Inn!

We want you to feel at home. The enclosed safety and recreational information will be helpful in ensuring your visit with us in Western Massachusetts is a pleasant one.

Please review the emergency exit map on the back of your room's entrance door.

For the health and safety of our guests, smoking and vaping is not permitted anywhere on the property

Open flames and candles are not permitted anywhere on the property.

A First Aid Kit is located at the front desk and in the kitchen

Upon entering and exiting the Inn, remember to lock your door. Exterior doors lock behind you automatically.

Please observe quiet hours between 11pm and 7am.

Check out is 11am. Late checkouts are subject to additional fees.

When checking out, leave your key in your room, hand it to the Inn Keeper or leave it at the key drop at the side entrance desk.

A full breakfast will be served in our dining room between 8:00 - 10:00 am. Please let us know of any dietary restrictions or allergies. See menu below.

The kitchen is for Inn Keepers' use only. Cooking, food preparation and food storage by guests is not permitted. Speak with one of the Inn Keepers if you have leftovers that need refrigeration.

Ask our staff if you need extra towels, ice, or an ironing board (located under the main stairs)

Local sites and restaurant information are on the hallway wall by the kitchen, in the living room and in this booklet!

Please notify us if you find anything wrong with your room. Amherst Inn is over 150 years old and requires continuous care.

Again, thank you for choosing to stay with us and we hope you enjoy your time at Amherst Inn!

Important Contacts

Inn Keepers 413.450.8665

Emergency 911

Police/Ambulance Station 413.256.4011

Hospital - Cooley Dickinson, Located in Northampton

413.586.2000

Post Office 145 University Drive, Amherst MA 01002

413.549.0523

FedEx drop Box

21b Pray St Walking Distance

Transportation

Will pick-up at Amherst Inn for transport to airport/train

Pioneer Valley Transit Authority

877.779.7882

www.pvta.com

Local bus system.

Pick-up down the street – walking distance

Pioneer Valley Transport

413.253.1350

Peter Pan Bus

413.586.1030

Pick-up on S. Pleasant St. Walking Distance

Amtrak trains - Northampton is the closest station

800.872.7245

Enterprise Rental Car

413.259.1188

213 College St (Rte 9) Walking distance

Restaurants

Amherst has many wonderful restaurants with different cuisines and accommodations.

Below is a “short” list of our personal recommendations with brief descriptions in no particular order.

Just because someplace isn't on our list, doesn't mean it isn't great and worth a visit!

Days and hours change by season so you may want to check their websites.

Lunch/Dinner

Protocol – Excellent drinks and American small plates. Go for the smash burger.

Freshside Café – Casual Asian food. Tea rolls for Summer. Hot soups for Winter. We love the variety.

Osteria Vespa – Northern Italian. Great date night. Reservations recommended.

Pasta E Basta – Italian comfort food. Big portions. Call for availability/reservation.

30Boltwood – Amherst staple – Good American cuisine. Call for availability/reservation.

Antonio's Pizza – Famous Amherst pizza by the slice.

Johnny's Tavern – Good American food, great atmosphere. Call for availability/reservation.

Iya Sushi – A regular take-out place for us. Sushi, hibachi, ramen. All good.

Miss Saigon – Go for the Pho!

Garcia's Mexican – Worth the walk.

Lao Hu Tong – Soup dumplings!!!

Alina's – Cozy Italian restaurant. 10-15 min drive. Call for availability/reservation.

Waxwing Café – Some of the best food in Western Mass. Seasonal menu. Locally sourced ingredients. Worth the 20-minute drive! Open Thurs-Sat. Limited seating. Reservations necessary.

Breakfast/Lunch

Cushman Village Store - Want someone else's breakfast? Go here!

The Black Sheep – Our favorite sandwich spot in town. Great coffee and breakfast sammies too!

The Works – Fast and easy. A regular student hang-out.

Coronation Café – Super fresh food, lovely people.

Masuda's – Afghani and American delights

Drinks and Dessert

Amherst Coffee and Bar – The name says it all. Cool vibe.

Archives – Who doesn't love a hidden speakeasy?

GoBerry 'n Cream – Local dairy used for their FroYo and a local ice cream brand available.

Buttercup Craft Bakery – The place and the pastries are small and cute, check it out!

Breakfast Menu

All of our food products are locally/regionally sourced as much as the seasons permit.

Beverages

Coffee, Tea, Juice - Orange or Grapefruit

Light Fare

Seasonal Fresh Fruit

Granola (V, GF) w/ Cow or Oat Milk

Sidehill Farms Yogurt - Vanilla or Maple

Entrees

2 Thistlebloom Farm Eggs - any style w/ toast or English muffin*

Omelettes - made to order w/ toast or English muffin*

Oatmeal - served with your choice of toppings (V, GF)

Avocado Toast (2 pieces) with or without: tomato, goat cheese, bacon (Can be V, GF)

Avocado Toast (1 piece) w/ above toppings and one egg – any style*

Before placing your order, please inform your server if a person in your party has a food allergy.

*Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness.

Things to do

Emily Dickinson Museum

Amherst College Museums

Amherst Writers Walking Tour

Eric Carle Museum

Yiddish Book Center Hampshire College

Smith College Botanical Gardens

The Drake Performing Arts and Music Venue

Academy of Music Northampton

Hiking - Norwottuck Rail Trail, Mt Tom, Robert Frost Trail, Mt Sugarloaf, Mt Holyoke

Shopping – Mill District, Atkin's Farms

Other Rules and Randomness

Reservations and Cancellation policy:

At least one person in your party staying at the Inn must be 21 years of age or older. Valid photo identification is required.

If 3 or more rooms are booked by one party, the full payment is required at the time of booking and are only refundable before 60 days of the check-in date. Blocks of rooms are not held for parties/events.

Reservations for 1-2 rooms, 50% of the total balance is collected at the time of booking. The remaining balance will be collected 7 days prior to the check-in date. A full refund will be issued for cancellations 7 days prior to check-in date. A 50% refund will be issued for cancellations up to 24 hours of check-in (3pm the day before check-in)

Reservations made through other booking sites (eg. AirBNB, Booking.com, Expedia, etc.) are subject to those sites policies. Rates for these sites may vary and we welcome you to contact us directly for our current rates.

Roll-away beds, cots and air mattresses:

For the safety of all our guests, we do not allow additional sleeping spaces in the rooms. In the unlikely event of an emergency evacuation of the home, we need to ensure guests can leave as quickly and safely as possible. Our rooms are all different and do not have space for these types of additional bedding.

Pets: Stubby, our security officer, is the only furry friend permitted in the home. He does not reside on the property and does not enter the bedrooms. He will, however, sit under your dining table if he detects bacon or other breakfast deliciousness. If you have an allergy, please let us know and we will put him off duty during your stay.

Parking is available in our little lot on Webster St, that accommodates 1 car per guest room. In the event a car doesn't fit, parking is available on the street across from our lot. During snow emergencies, no street parking is allowed and vehicles will be towed. The Inn Keepers will be happy to assist should there be a street parking ban.

Smoking, vaping and flames of any kind are not permitted on the property. A \$500 cleaning fee will be charged if any evidence of smoking is found in your guest room and you may be asked to leave the premises.

Bicycle parking is available in our lockable shed. Please ask the Inn Keepers for assistance. Bicycles/scooters are not permitted in guest rooms.