



La Bella's History

La Bella Pizza was opened October 1955 by an Italian couple from New York, Tony Raso a dairy farmer from the Catskills & Kitty Palmieri a Manhattan waitress. The name "La Bella" means "the beautiful" and when the patio garden opened, our name was complete.

In the beginning, Kitty would serve while Tony prepared the meals, as the business grew, their son, lil Joey became the dishwasher, to keep him busy, they introduced delivering pizzas to Chula Vista in the early 60's.

In 1959, their second son, the founder of La Bella Cafe & Games, Tony Jr. was born. At the Original La Bella's the patio was replaced with a dining room and the upstairs was made into a banquet area.

In 1977, Tony known by all as "Papa" promoted a young man, Stan Dale, as the manager; together they enlarged and modernized the kitchen.

In 1992, all the dining rooms were remodeled and a sports bar was added.

La Bella's history is filled with stories of couples holding their wedding reception here only to have the children grow and have their own reception here.

Papa ran operations for fifty years, after he passing in 2005 our dedication to continue in the spirit of Papa's guidance, we opened the La Bella Café & Games next door with an added level of family fun & group dining experience..

At age 92 Kitty Raso would often speak of her heart longing to be with Papa Tony again, on the evening of October 18, 2010 she peacefully passed away in her sleep. Kitty's years of leadership in the south-bay charities will not be forgotten, we will continue to be a proud part of your community in the future, through donations & event sponsorships at The La Bella Cafe & Games.

The Cornerstone of our 62 year success has been providing a hearty Italian meal in a family atmosphere at a reasonable price. Welcome to where people meet to Eat in the south bay

Joe, Tony, Stan & The Crew



From The Bar

Margarita Monday, B.O.M. Deal All Craft Brews Tuesday & Bottled Wine Wednesdays

	16oz	25oz	Pitcher
Brewer Of the Month	5.00	7.50	10.95
Craft Brews on Tap	6.50	8.75	14.00
Imported & Premium Draft Beer	5.50	7.50	12.00
Domestic Draft Beer	4.50	6.50	9.95
Domestic Bottled Beer (12oz.)	4.25		
Imported & Craft Bottled Beer (12oz.)	4.95		
Michilada / Clamato style available (added charge)			



House Wines

	Glass	1/2 Litre	Litre
Chablis, Chardonnay, White Zin, Burgundy.....	5.00	8.00	14.00
Margarita or Sangria Wine Smoothies at the Cafe	7.00		12.00

Wines of the World

	Glass	Bottle
Pinot Grigio , Bivio Italy <i>delicate notes of lime, orange blossoms, and lemon zest</i>	6.50	20
Chardonnay , Hess Monterey <i>pineapple, mango, lemon zest and lime</i>	6.00	18
Lambrusco , Ruinite Italy <i>sparkling, intense & sweet, blackberries & raspberries</i> ...	5.50	16
Chianti , Banfi Superiore Tuscany, DOCG <i>well balanced with fruit forward aroma</i>	6.50	19
Cabernet , Avalon Napa <i>Silky full body flavors of blackberry, cherry, hint of mocha</i>	7.00	22
Merlot , Noble Vines 181 Lodi <i>Balanced, blackberry, cherry, vanilla & oak</i>	7.00	21
Red Blend , Niner 2013 Paso Robles, <i>aromas of toasted sugar, cinnamon, soft tanins</i>	6.50	19
Sangria , Eppa Organic Red, <i>blend of pomegranate, blueberry, acai & blood orange</i>	7.00	15
Pinot Noir , Picket Fence Russian River Valley, <i>raspberry & vanilla, well oaked</i>		20
Malbec , Dona Paula Argentina <i>aromas of black fruits, firm tannins, balanced acidity</i>		19
Shiraz , Two Lands, Jacobs Creek, Australia <i>ripe red berry fruits, subtle oak</i>		21
Old Vine Zin , Gnarly Head Lodi <i>rich core of dark berry, wild spice, vanilla & toasted</i>		19
White Zinfandel , Fetzer California, <i>aromas of cherry & strawberry</i>		15
Moscato , Candoni Italy <i>fruity & fragrant, excellent balance of sweetness & acidity</i>		21
Champagne , Korbel Brut Sonoma California	187ml 6.00	19

Super Well Cocktails at the Garden

Jose Cuervo Gold Tequila	Bacardi Amber Rum
Seagram's Vodka	Early Times Bourbon
	Seagram's Gin

Appetizer
Happy Hour
Weekdays 3-6pm
\$5.95 & \$10.75

Appetizers

	Small	Large
Original Buffalo Wings	8.25	15.50
“Red Hot” Boneless Wings	7.75	13.95
Wet Wings (<i>Mild Buffalo, Kickin’ Bourbon BBQ, or Garlic Buffalo</i>)....	7.75	13.95
Chicken Tender Bites (<i>WetBites tossed in wing sauce \$2</i>)	7.00	12.00
Jalapeno Poppers	6.95	11.75
Toasty Cheese Ravioli	6.95	11.75
Potato Skins (<i>Bacon & Cheddar. Want Jalapenos, ask</i>).....	6.95	11.75
Sidewinder Mozzarella Cheese Fries	5.95	9.00
Garlic Parmesan Sidewinder Fries	5.95	9.00
Garlic Cheese Bread (<i>add pepperoni 1.00</i>)	2/4.25	4/6.75
Battered Green Beans & Zucchini Combo.....	9.95	
Golden Calamari Rings	12.00	
Combination Appetizer Platter	18.75	

Original Hot Wings, Boneless Chicken Bites, Toasted Chz Raviolis, Jalapeno Poppers

Soups & Salads

Minestrone or Soup of The Day.....	2.95
Dinner Salad.....	2.25
Combination Salad, Larger Plate with slices of Ham & Salami	4.75
Spring Mix Salad	7.50
Sunflower Seeds, Feta, Red bells, Cranberries & Sesame Dressing	
The Antipasto Salad Tossed green salad topped with Genoa	
Salami, Provolone, Tomatoes, Pepperoncinis & Black olives	sm 7.50 1g 9.95
Caesar Salad, Green lettuce, croutons, shredded parmesan, balsamic caesar dressing ...	6.95
Chicken Caesar Salad, Grilled chicken breast, green lettuce, croutons..	9.95

Soft Beverages

Sodas & Ice Tea (16 oz) (1 Free Refill).....	2.50
Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite, Dr. Pepper, Lemonade, Raspberry Tea, Root Beer	
Pitcher Soda ... (Refills 2.50)	4.25
Italian Roast Coffee, Decaf or Hot Chocolate	2.25
Assorted Hot Teas	2.25
Bottle of Spring Water	1.50
Milk.....	12oz 2.75 22oz 3.25
Fruit Juices <i>Apple, Orange, or Grapefruit</i>	8oz 2.25 12oz 2.95 22oz 3.50

Hot Sandwiches

	7"	10"
Papa's Homemade Meatball	5.50	7.25
Tarantino's Italian Sausage	6.50	7.95
Black Forest Hot Ham	6.50	8.50
Original Hot Pastrami	6.50	8.50
Melted Mozzarella Cheese (On Any Above Sandwich).....	1.50	
Ruben Sandwich	5.95	
Philadelphia Cheese Steak	7.50	9.95
Bada Bing! Pastrami & Turkey & melted cheese	7.50	9.95

Ciabatta's

Tuna Melt (jalapeño on request)	7.75
Turkey Pesto, basil pesto aioli, provolone, tomatoes	7.00
Chicken Parmesan.....	7.25
Turkey Bacon, red peppers, provolone, tomatoes & chipotle mayo	7.75
Santa Fe Chicken, red bell, pepperoncinis, red onions, provolone, chipotle	7.75

Steak Burgers

Tony Burger 6 oz. (add cheese .50)	6.50
"Miss Kitty" Western Style Bacon Cheese Burger	7.50
Mexicali Burger cheddar jack, chipotle mayo, cilantro, jalapeno, tomato ..	7.50
Guido Burger Smothered w/Grilled Pastrami & Provolone	8.50

Torpedo Sandwiches

ITALIAN COMBO

*Ham, Genoa with Provolone Cheese,
Lettuce, Onions & Italian Dressing*

7" 5.95 10" 7.25

HAM OR GENOA SALAMI

*Provolone Cheese, Lettuce,
Onions & Italian Dressing*

7" 5.25 10" 6.25

VEGETARIAN

*Eggplant, Spinach, Green Bell, Mushroom,
Olives, Tomatoes, Lettuce, Feta*

7" 5.25 10" 6.25



ROAST BEEF OR TURKEY

*Cheddar Cheese, Lettuce
Tomato & Mayonnaise*

7" 5.50 10" 6.50

DELI COMBO TORPEDO: Choose any 2 Meats, Lettuce, Tomato, Cheddar or Provolone 7" 6.25 10" 7.50

Cole Slaw 2.00 Potato Salad 2.00 Pasta Salad 2.00
Onion Rings 3.50/6.00 French Fries 2.25/4.00 Potato Chips .75

Pasta Dishes

SIMPLY SPAGHETTI

w/ Our Original Tomato Sauce or
Garlic & Olive Oil or Butter Sauce
or Marinara Sauce

\$5.95 plate \$9.95 platter

SPAGHETTI OR PENNE W/SAUSAGE(S)

In our Original Tomato Sauce
Tarantino's Italian Sausage
(1 Sausage) (3 Sausage)

\$8.50 plate \$14.95 platter

FETTUCCINE ALFREDO

Fettuccine smothered in Alfredo Sauce

\$7.50 plate \$12.95 platter

Grilled Chicken Breast add \$3

Sautéed Shrimp add \$5 plate \$7 platter

LINGUINE W/ CLAMS

Sautéed Sea Clams, Garlic & Olive Oil
or Red Clam Sauce with Marinara

\$9.95 plate \$13.95 platter

PENNE RIGATE OR SPAGHETTI

w/ Our Original Tomato Sauce,
Meat Sauce

(1 Meatball) (3 Meatballs)

\$7.25 plate \$13.95 platter

BEEF OR CHEESE RAVIOLI

w/ Our Original Tomato Sauce

(Platter orders may choose Half Spaghetti & Half Ravioli)

\$7.50 plate \$13.50 platter

PENNE RIGATE & PESTO

Grilled Chicken Breast add \$3

Sautéed Shrimp add \$5 plate \$7 platter

Cheese Ravioli add \$3

\$7.50 plate \$12.95 platter

SHRIMP SCAMPI W/ LINGUINI

Sautéed Shrimp, Garlic & Olive Oil
Lemon Wine Sauce

\$10.95 plate \$16.95 platter

\$7.50 Kids Side Pastas

Penne Rigate Macaroni & Cheddar Cheese add bacon bits \$1

Penne Rigate Macaroni & Cheese w/Cauliflower Florets

Spinach Florentine Ravioli w/Alfredo Sauce

Pasta's Include Garlic Bread, Platters get 2 Garlic Breads

Add A Dinner Salad \$2

Pasta Sides

Sliced Sautéed Mushrooms.....3.00

One Homemade Meat Ball.....1.50

Side of Four Meat Balls in Sauce w/Garlic Bread.....5.75

One Link of Tarantino's Italian Sausage.....2.50

Three Italian Link Sausages w/Garlic Bread6.75

Sour Dough Garlic Bread.....0.90

Our Traditional Pizza

Pepperoni Sausage Mushrooms Spinach Olives
 Chicken Breast Jalapeno Meatball Anchovies
 Canadian Bacon Pineapple Green Pepper Onions
 Angus Burger* Ricotta* Smoked Bacon* Link Sausage*

	<i>Gluten Free medium thin crust, add \$2</i>	Large	Medium	Small
Cheese		16.50	11.50	6.25
One Topping		18.25	12.65	6.95
Two Toppings.....		20.00	13.80	7.65
Papa's Favorite! (Pepperoni, Sausage & Mush)		21.75	14.95	8.35
Veggie LOVERS (Mush, Brocc., Red Bell, Onion, Spinach, Feta) ...		21.75	14.95	8.35
The Works		24.50	16.95	9.25
(Mush, Pep, Sausage, G. Pepper, B. Olives & Onions)				
Extra Toppings or White Sauce (Alfredo & Pesto).....		1.75	1.15	.70
*Premium Toppings & Extra Cheese.....		2.50	1.75	1.00

MARGHERITA PIZZA

Marinara, Fresh Basil, Tomato
 Buffalo Mozz, Fresh Garlic

\$20.95 Lg. \$14.50 Md. \$8.00 Sm.

KICK'N BBQ CHICKEN PIZZA

Chipotle BBQ Chicken, Alfredo,
 Red Onions and Cilantro

\$22.50 Lg. \$15.50 Md. \$8.75 Sm.

MEXICAN STYLE PIZZA

Chicken, Jalapeño, Chorizo w/ Refried Beans,
 Onions, Blend of Mozzarella & Cheddar and Cilantro

\$22.50 Lg. \$15.50 Md. \$8.75 Sm.

ITALIAN MEAT LOVERS

Pepperoni, Genoa Salami
 Sausage, Meatballs

\$24.50 Lg. \$16.95 Md. \$9.25 Sm.

Small (8") is 4 pieces, a meal for 1 person
 Medium (12") is 8 pieces, a meal for 2 people
 Large (16") is 12 pieces, a meal for 3 to 4 people

Whole Pie Calzones

Pepperoni	Sausage	Mushrooms	Spinach	Olives
Chicken Breast	Jalapeno	Meatball	Anchovies	
Canadian Bacon	Pineapple	Green Pepper	Onions	
Angus Burger*	Ricotta*	Smoked Bacon*	Link Sausage*	

A Stuffed Pizza Pie Covered With A Golden Crust.

	16"	12"	8"
Cheese.....	18.50	13.50	7.25
One Topping	20.25	14.65	7.95
Two Toppings	22.00	15.80	8.65
Papa's Favorite	23.75	16.95	9.35
(Mushroom, Pepperoni & Sausage)			
Veggie Lovers	23.75	16.95	9.35
(Feta, Mush, Broccoli, Green Pep, Onion, Spinach)			
Italian Meat Lovers.....	26.50	18.95	10.25
(Pepperoni, Sausage, Genoa Salami, Meatballs)			
Kick'n BBQ Chicken.....	24.50	17.50	9.75
(Chipotle BBQ Chicken, Alfredo, Red Onions & Cilantro)			
Extra Toppings	1.75	1.15	.70
*Premium Toppings.....	2.50	1.75	1.00

French Bread Pizza

	10"
Cheese	8.75
One Topping.....	9.50
Two Toppings	10.25
Kick'n BBQ Chicken	10.95
(Chipotle BBQ Chicken, Alfredo, Red Onions & Cilantro)	
Italian Meat Lovers	11.95
(Pepperoni, Genoa Salami, Sausage & Meatballs)	

Dinners

ORIGINAL LASAGNA

Our 1955 recipe prepared
w/ meatballs, boiled eggs,
mozzarella, ricotta & parmesan

\$8.50 side \$10.95 full

W/Meatball add \$1.50
Italian sausage add \$2.75

MAMMA'S MANICOTTI

Noodles stuffed ricotta
cheese Smothered in tomato
sauce & mozzarella.

\$7.50 side \$9.50 full

W/Meatball add \$1.50
Italian sausage add \$2.75

Chicken Parmesan	10.75
Eggplant Parmesan.....	8.25
Baked Penne Rigate	8.25
Mostaccioli Dinner.....	10.75
Our Baked Penne with Meat Sauce & Ricotta	
Veal Cutlet Parmesan	10.75
Breaded Veal with our Tomato Sauce in Mozzarella	
Chicken Primavera	11.75
Chicken breast with a blend of Broccoli, Cauliflower & Red Bells in a creamy Alfredo Sauce over Fettuccine.	
Meatball Parmesan	8.75
Three Meatballs Smothered in Mozzarella & Baked Golden Brown	
Italian Sausage Parmesan	9.75
Three Tarantino's Hot Mild Sausage Links in Mozzarella & Baked	
Boston Lager Fish & Chips	8.95
Cod Fillets Battered w/Samual Adams, Served with Cole Slaw & Fries	

*When dining in, entrées include a dinner salad or get the soup of the day
for an additional \$1. Italian dinner entrées also include a garlic roll.*

Kitty's Family Meal

Dinner for Four - \$30

Your Dinner Begins With:

Caesar Salad or Sm. Antipasto Salad, Garlic Bread
Pitcher of soda, Platter of Spaghetti
or Penne Rigate with tomato sauce &
Includes Medium Pizza

Family Meal Upsize
Appetizer Or Pizza to
LARGE for only \$5

Papa's Family Meal

Dinner for Four or More - \$45

Includes Sm. Appetizer & Med. Pizza
Caesar Salad or Sm. Antipasto, Garlic Bread
Platter of Chicken Fettuccini Alfredo
or Spaghetti or Penne w/4 Meatballs
Pitcher of Beer, Liter Wine, or 2 pitchers of Soda

Pizza Party

For Five People - \$39

Choose any Large Salad, with Garlic Breads
or a Choose a Large Appetizer*
Your Main Course: Our Famous Large Pizza,
1 Pitcher of Domestic Beer or Liter of House Wine
or 2 pitchers of Soda

*Pizza Toppings & Specialty Pastas Additional
Lg. Appetizers does not Include Combo Platter*

***\$10 Game Cards for the arcade are only \$8
\$15 will get you a \$20 Game Card***

Our Dishes Served Family Style

10-12 portions in 2.5" Deep Party Pans

Lasagna.....	\$44
La Bella's Classic for 55 Years	
Italian Chicken Parmesan or Veal Parmesan.....	\$44
Cuts of Seasoned White Chicken with Tomato Sauce & Mozzarella	
Manicotti Pasta Shells Stuffed w Ricotta Smothered in Sauce & Mozzarella.....	\$35
Eggplant Parmesan.....	\$33
Baked Penne Rigate.....	\$33
Rigate Pasta with Sauce & Mozzarella Baked to a Golden Brown	
Spaghetti or Penne (Cheese or Beef Ravioli add \$6)	
With Tomato Sauce	\$22
With Olive Oil & Garlic	\$22
With Meat Sauce	\$28
With Mushroom Sauce.....	\$28
Fettuccini Alfredo or Penne with Pesto	\$28
With Grilled Chicken add.....	\$6
With Sauteed Shrimp add.....	\$9
Meat Balls, 20 Homemade Meat Balls in our Tomato Sauce.....	\$22
Tarantino's Italian Link Sausage (about 4 lbs)	\$29
Seasoned Link Italian Sausages in our own Tomato Sauce	
Deli Combo Torpedos	\$29
5 Large Sub Sandwiches cut in 3, just choose 2 meats (Ham, Turkey, Genoa Salami, Roast Beef) & 1 cheese (Provolone or cheddar)	
Antipasto Salad	\$20
with Provolone, Genoa Salami, Tomatoes, Pepperoncinis, & Olives	
Caeser Salad (Grilled Chicken \$5.00 additional).....	\$18
Crisp greens with Seasoned Croutons and Shredded Parmesan	
Original Chicken Wings or Buffalo Garlic or BBQ wings.....	\$34
28 piece Orig. Buffalo Wings or Wet Wings tossed in sauce	
Chicken Tender Bites or Red Hot Boneless wings	\$32
Boneless Breast Chunks served with your favorite dressing	
Potato Skins with Bacon & Cheddar	\$29
want Jalapeno's Just Ask!	
Toasted Cheese Ravioli's w/side of Marinera.....	\$29

Desserts

Tiramisu cups	3.25
Mama Kitty's Mini Cannolis	2.00 or 3 assorted. 5.00
New York Cheese Cake	3.00
Apple Pie.....	2.50
Ice Cream, Chocolate, Vanilla, Orange Sherbet.....	1.00
Mama's Brownie (a la Mode add .75¢)	3.00
Warm Cinnamon Dough Strips (With Raspberry & Chocolate Dip) ..	4.50
Gelato or Sorbetto <i>Available only at Cafe</i>	2.75

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