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The History of Nardelli's

by Antionette Desomma Sills

Many changes have made people forget the South Main Street of years ago and the businesses that existed there. It is hard to remember just what Pepes, Ortones, Orchid Florist, Nardelli's, and many others looked like. We want to help you remember a little bit about Nardelli's Grocery Store and the grinders that they made famous.

In 1914, three brothers left a small town in Italy in search of a better life in America. Like many other immigrants, they were young, ambitious, and frightened; but learned very quickly to survive.

Joseph, the oldest, worked in a sweatshop to support his brothers, Anthony and Fred. Soon, all three were working. They worked long hours and pooled whatever money they had to send back home to help their parents. Poor working conditions caused Joe to lose his finger in the shop, and he swore he would take his brothers and find new work. Soon, they were working in what eventually became Nardelli's Grocery Store on South Main.

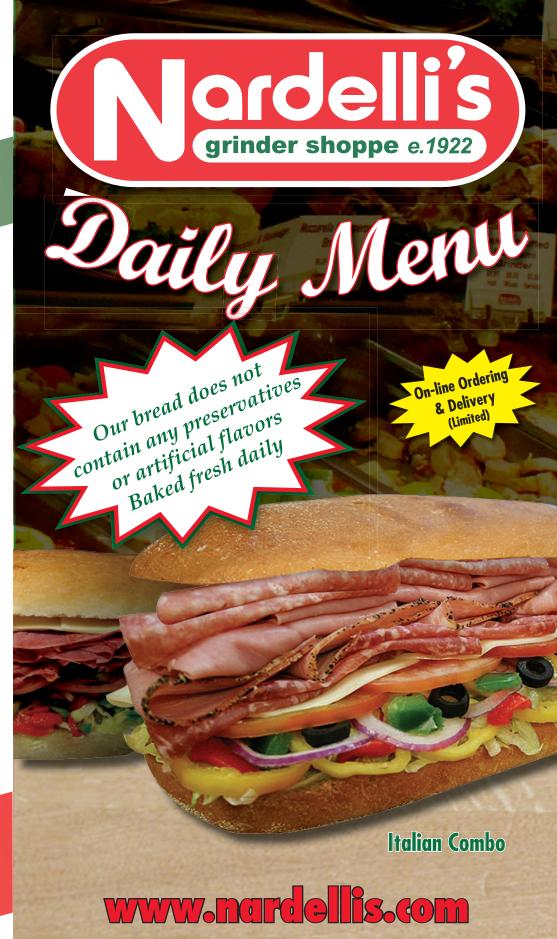
In 1920, the store was put up for sale. Joe was interested in purchasing it and worked out a deal with the owners. The price agreed upon was \$22,000. In 1920 that was high for a building. Purchasing the building meant working long hours to pay the mortgage. The brothers prided themselves on the quality of their fruits and vegetables, which they bought in New York. While in NY one day, they noticed that grinders were quite popular there. They decided to start selling them out of their store to see how they would do.

They were amazed at how well they sold and soon people were coming from all over to get a grinder. Some days, a line would wind its way down South Main Street. Mrs. Carmella Nardelli said that prices were nowhere near what they are now as a combination grinder made from 1/4 loaf of bread cost 10 cents while a 1/2 loaf cost 15 cents and a whole loaf cost 30 cents. Though they had other specialities such as fruit baskets, penny candy, ice cream sundaes, and more, they soon became known as the grinder kings of Waterbury. Their reign ended in 1963 when Fred, the youngest and last survivor of the brothers, passed away. A nephew, Joe, soon took over the business and remained there until the building was demolished in 1978.

The nephew, Joseph Nardelli, arrived from Italy in 1955 just after the flood, and worked for his uncles until 1963 when he purchased and continued to manage the original South Main Street location until it's demolition in 1978. Joseph, with his wife Rina, continued the business with various locations in the Greater Waterbury area until settling in Naugatuck in the late 70's.

Joseph and Rina Nardelli, along with their children, continued to prosper until Joseph's sudden death in 1989. Rina and her children continued to run the business until 1998. Rina now oversees all locations, while the third generation takes Nardelli's into the new millennium with two exceptions...the grinders are no longer 30 cents, and there are now many locations throughout CT.

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Wrap

	Cold Grinders	or Half Grinder	Whole Grinder
	Cheese Combo Provolone, American, Cheddar, Swiss	6.69	9.99
	Bologna	6.69	9.99
	Chicken Salad (All White Meat)	7.69	10.99
	Italian Combo (World Famous) pruzitini, capicola, salami, provolone cheese	7.69	10.99
W	Plant Based Italian Combo plant based Carpaccio and Prosciutto	8.99	14.59
	American Combo turkey, ham, bologna, American cheese	7.69	10.99
	Seafood Salad	7.89	11.59
	Ham	6.69	9.99
	Prosciutto	7.89	11.59
	Roast Beef "Prime Choice"	7.89	11.59
	Sopressata	7.89	11.59
	Roasted Turkey Breast	7.69	10.99
	Tuna	7.69	10.99
	Veggie includes roasted peppers, marinated mushrooms, pickles & artichoke hearts		9.99 uble eat \$5

"Everything" includes Mayo, Lettuce, Tomato, Classic Mix™ (Diced Veggies),
Provolone Cheese, Olives & Hot Sauce.



All Grinders available on Grilled Artisan Bread, (Regular or Multi-Grain Wheat),
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Choice of any Child Size Grinder OR Serving of Mac & Cheese

- Chips
- Cookie
- Child Size Beverage
- Grinder Tattoo

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	Wrap or Half orinder	Whole Grinde
Breaded chicken cutlets in a spicy buffalo sauce. Made with "Everything", includes blue cheese, lettuce, tomato, classic mix (diced veggies), provolone cheese, olives & hot sau		10.99
Eggplant Parmigiana	. 7.69	10.99
Meatball Parmigiana	. 6.69	9.99
Pulled Pork Add Slaw? Slight additional charge	. 7.69	10.99
Baked Stuffed Pastrami Sliced pastrami, baked with cheese. Made with "everything" includes mustard, lettuce, tomato, classic mix (diced veggies), olives & hot sauce	. 8.49	11.99
Chicken Cutlet	. 7.49	10.79
Prosciutto Hot Pepper Chicken Breaded chicken cutlets with sliced prosciutto and banana peppers and cheese. Comes on our fresh Italian baked bread.	. 7.69	10.99
Breaded chicken cutlets with mushrooms, bacon, and cheese. Comes on our fresh Italian baked bread		10.99
Barbecue Bacon Cheddar Chicken Breaded chicken cutlets in barbecue sauce, with bacon and cheddar. Made with "everything" includes with ranch, lettuce, tomato, classic mix (diced veggies), olives & hot sauce.	. 7.69	10.99
Mozzarella Tomato Chicken (with light bacon)		10.99
Turkey Club "Nardelli's Style" Roasted turkey, ham, bacon and cheese baked together. Comes on our fresh Italian baked bread. Made with "everything" includes mayo, lettuce, tomato, classic mix (diced veggies) olives & hot sauce		10.99
Steak "Nardelli's Style" with Sauteed Peppers & Onions		11.99
Barbecue Rib	. 7.69	10.99
"All Natural Fire Braised" Grilled Chicken	. 7.69	10.99
Chipotle "All Natural Fire Braised" Grilled Chicken Grilled chicken in our very own chipotle sauce. Comes on our fresh Italian baked bread. Made with " includes mayo, lettuce, tomato, classic mix (diced veggies), provolone cheese, olives & hot sauce.		10.99
Balsamic "All Natural Fire Braised" Grilled Chicken		10.99 ot sauce.
Fried Mozzarella with Pepperoni on "Grilled Artisan Bread"	. 7.69	10.99
Pesto "All Natural Fire Braised" Grilled Chicken	. 7.69	10.99

Mozzarella-en-Corrozza 5 99 Mac 'n White Cheddar Cheese ..7.98/lb Child Size Mac & Cheese .. 2.49 Soup of the Day (price varies, due to variety) .. . 3.79 Baked Stuffed Clams 2. . 2.99 Spinach, Broccoli, or Eggplant Bread (1/2 loaf). . 4.99 **Salads** Also Available in 1/2 lb. Servings Price Tortellini Salad. .7.98 /lb Macaroni Salad . 5.98 /lb Fresh Mozzarella & Tomato Salad ..7.98 /lb Potato Salad. . 5.98 /lb Cavatelli & Broccoli Salad ..7.98 /lb Antipasto Salad .7.98 /lb Seafood Salad. . 8.98 /lb Tuna Salad... .. 7.98 /lb Chicken Salad (all white meat) 5.98 /lb Cole Slaw... Long Hot Stuffed Banana Peppers.... .11.98 /lb (Stuffed with Cream Cheese, Pepperoni and Marinated in Olive Oil) Prosciutto Stuffed Hot Cherry Peppers... . 11.98 /lb Cous cous Quinoa Grains .. . 9.98 /lb Prices may vary, due to weight Green Salads **Price** Tossed Salad romaine lettuce, mixed greens, bell peppers, carrots, celery cucumbers, .7.99 onions, grape tomatoes, olives, mushrooms, pepperoncini peppers, shredded parm... Nardelli's "Signature" Salad romaine lettuce, mixed greens, olives, grape tomatoes, mushrooms, pepperoncini peppers, marinated cauliflower, carrots, celery, peppers, cucumbers, stuffed prosciutto peppers, provolone cheese, sopressatta..... 8.99 Chef Salad romaine lettuce, mixed greens, bell peppers, carrots, celery, cucumbers, onions, grape tomatoes, olives, boiled eggs, turkey, ham, roast beef, swiss cheese, mushrooms, pepperoncini peppers, shredded parm... Side Salad romaine lettuce, mixed greens, bell peppers, carrots, celery cucumbers, onions, grape tomatoes, olives, mushrooms, pepperoncini peppers, shredded parm. Chopped Salad chopped iceberg lettuce, roasted peppers, cucumbers, shredded cheese, chick peas, olives, tomatoes Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad romaine lettuce, shredded parm, grilled chicken, croutons. Craisin Walnut Salad with Feta mixed greens, grape tomatoes, cucumbers, grapes, craisins, Dressings: Nardelli's House, Parmesan Peppercorn, Balsamic Vinaigrette, Ranch, Honey Mustard, Bleu Cheese (extra .40) Add Grilled Chicken \$3.79 Desserts **Price** Buckeyes Chocolate with Peanut Butter Cup... . 3.79 Mini Cheesecake w/Cherries. . 3.59 Waffle Rolled Cheesecake . 3.79 Fruit Salad (seasonal)... . 2.99 Chocolate Mousse Cups.. . 3.79 Large Cannoli Regular or Chocolate.. Mud Pie Parfait Medium Cheesecake w/Cherries (serves 4-6). . 8.99 Cheesecake Burritos 3.79 3-Pack Chocolate Chip Cookies... . 2.89 Chocolate Chip Brownie. . 2.89

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