

at the Corner of Rte. 116 & Bay Rd. 1150 West St., South Amherst, MA (413) 253-9528 www.atkinsfarms.com

OPEN DAILY 7AM - 7PM

Bakery Drive-Thru: Open Daily 5am -1pm Pizza Shop: Open Daily 11am - 7pm

SPECIAL EXTENDED HOURS FOR
THANKSGIVING WEEK
MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY 7AM-8PM
THANKSGIVING DAY 7am - Noon

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

FRESH TURKEYS





Wendell, MA *Limited Quantities Available





Cooked Turkeys also available for pickup Thanksgiving morning.

PLEASE PLACE ORDERS EARLY. ORDERS ARE FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED.

Call Atkins (413) 253-9528 and place your order <u>starting Nov. 1st!</u>



Join us for our November
BEER & WINE TASTING
in THE LOFT

Saturday, Nov. 15th from 1-3 PM

Thanksgiving Wing Pairings



What to serve with Thanksgiving dinner? We get asked that question quite often right around now. 'Tis the season!! So here are some easy and yummy options:

For Reds: Pinot noir is the most popular choice, but any lighter to medium bodied red, or blend, will work well.

For Whites: Chardonnay is the traditional pairing, but any semi-dry Riesling or blend will work great too.

Other Fun Options: Sparkling wine, like our Santome prosecco, is terrific with turkey and all of the traditional side dishes. Heck it's good with almost anything! Lastly, any **local cranberry wines.**

Cheers & Gobble Gobble!!

BAKED GOODS

Atkins bakery has holiday cakes, cupcakes, cookies, hearty breads, knot rolls, traditional dinner rolls, fruit pies, donuts and fruit breads made fresh daily!





BAKERY ORDER DEADLINE: Monday 11/17

No need to pre-order pies!!!

ALL Pies will be fully stocked in the bakery the week of Thanksgiving! *Orders will be accepted for 10 or more pies.*

NOTEWORTHY NUTRITION

Beets are edible from their leafy greens down to the bulbous root. The leaves are similar to spinach and are delicious sautéed. The red color in beets is caused by a phytochemical called



betanin, making beet juice a natural alternative to red food coloring. Beets are rich in naturally



occurring nitrates and may help to support healthy blood pressure. Roasting or steaming beets whole takes the fuss out of peeling—the skin easily slides off after cooking. They also are delicious raw, shredded and tossed in salads or thinly sliced and baked into chips.

Sweet potatoes are high in many important nutrients. They contain a good amount of fiber as well as vitamin A, vitamin C, manganese and several other vitamins and minerals. In addition to the nutrients above, sweet potato nutrition also contains riboflavin, phosphorus, vitamin E, vitamin K, calcium and iron. Roasted sweet potatoes make a great side dish or addition to breakfast. Roast them until soft inside and a little crispy outside. Serve them with eggs and/or avocado. Season with your favorite spice or hot sauce!

Spaghetti squash is a fun, kid-friendly vegetable that is a lower-calorie and gluten-free alternative to grain-based pasta. Cut it in half to reveal a pocket of seeds; scoop those out and pop the two halves into the microwave or oven and cook until tender. Scrape a fork into the flesh and spaghetti-like strands appear! Toss with pesto or marinara sauce for a quick veggie side dish.

Kale is a nutrient powerhouse. It tastes sweeter after a frost and can survive a snowstorm. If you plant kale in your garden, you can dig it out of the snow and serve fresh salad in January! One cup of raw kale has only 8 calories and is loaded with vitamins A, C and K as



well as manganese. Kale is great sautéed and cooked in soup, but also is excellent raw in salad; simply remove tough stems, slice into thin slivers and pair with something a bit sweet such as carrots or apples. One advantage of

using kale for your leafy greens is that you can add your dressing ahead of time; the kale becomes more tender and delicious, not wilted.

Parsnips are cousins to carrots—they have the same root shape but with white flesh. They're typically eaten cooked, but also can be eaten raw. One-half cup of cooked parsnips is full of fiber (3 grams) and contains more than 10 percent of the daily values of vitamin C and folate. Try them roasted, pureed into soup or mashed. You can even top a shepherd's pie with mashed parsnips instead of the traditional mashed potatoes!

Turkey Carving Tips: Side Carving Method

- 1. Place the bird on its side, breast away from the carver. Remove the last two joints of the wing by lifting the tip up firmly and severing at the joint.
- 2. Slice the dark meat off the drumstick and thigh if desired, until the bone is exposed. Lift the drumstick and cut off at the thigh joint. Slice the meat from the drumstick.
- 3. Run the knife point completely around the thigh bone, loosening it. Pry one end up, grasp, and pull free. Slice the dark meat from the body of the bird. Make a deep vertical cut in the breast just in front of the wing joint to serve as a base for all breast meat slices.
- 4. Start from the center of the breast, cut toward you, making large, even slices. Turn the bird and repeat the process on the other side.



COMPLETE INDIVIDUAL THANKSGIVING DINNERS

Includes a serving of all white meat turkey, gravy, apple-sausage stuffing, apple cranberry sauce, roasted baby potatoes, butternut squash, roll with butter, apple cider and a slice of Atkins Bakery apple or pumpkin pie for dessert.

\$32.99+ tax each

PLEASE PLACE ORDERS EARLY. ORDERS ARE FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED.

Orders may be picked up after 12:00 noon on Wednesday, November 26th or Thanksgiving morning before 11:00 am

SIDE DISHES sold by the pound to save you time.

-BUTTERNUT SQUASH -APPLE SAUSAGE STUFFING

-AITEE SAUSAGE STUTTING -TRADITIONAL STUFFING

-APPLE CRANBERRY SAUCE

-ROASTED BABY POTATOES

-MASHED POTATOES

-GREEN BEANS ALMONDINE

-SEASONED HOMEMADE GRAVY



Place your orders early for FRESH FLORAL CENTERPIECES for your Thanksgiving table. Flowers are great host/hostess gifts. Local delivery is available.

Call Atkins Flower Shop (413) 256-8188



Cookies & Cocoa with SANTA



Saturday, December 6th 10am-2pm

Visit with Santa and enjoy a cup of hot cocoa and a fresh baked cookie at our hot cocoa bar in *The Loft* at Atkins Farms Country Market



\$5 per child

-or-

FREE if you bring an Unexpired Non-Perishable Food Item to be donated to our local food bank.