

Welcome to Our House



A Little History about The Swanson Restaurant

In 2002, we purchased the Cox-Swanson home with the dream of serving southern food with a touch of elegance. Throughout the years, The Swanson has become famous for white tablecloths, charming ambience, fried green tomatoes, and those “little biscuits”.

The Cox-Swanson home was famous long before its doors were opened as one of the South’s premier dining destinations. In 1790, Mr. Bennett constructed and began a livery stable. In the 1880’s, a three-room house was added to the property and was the home of the former Mayor of Perry, Mayor Cox. The home was purchased in 1903 by Nora Singleton Cox, Ms. Norine Swanson Jones’ grandmother. In 1909 two bedrooms and a large hall were added transforming the structure into the house we know today.

The restaurant was named for Ms. Norine Swanson-Jones. Ms. Norine established Perry’s very first kindergarten in her home in the 1930’s.

Whether it’s enjoying lunch on the porch, or dinner with friends in one of our beautifully decorated rooms, The Swanson is now a must for great food and excellent service, paired with an inviting atmosphere and southern charm.

Thank you for your continued support. We look forward to serving our many friends, family and guests in the future.

In 2010, The Swanson was honored by Garden & Gun Magazine for being the only Georgia restaurant selected as one of “The Best Chicken Joints in the South”, July Edition 2010.

Mike and Kim Sheridan

Soups, Salads and Appetizers

Fried Green Tomatoes \$6.95

Served with honey mustard dipping sauce.

Deviled Eggs \$5.95

6 halves on a bed of lettuce.

Fried Okra \$5.95

Served with a creamy horseradish dipping sauce.

Miss Brenda's Quiche \$7.95

Served with our Swanson House Salad and fruit. (Lunch Only)

Chicken Salad Platter \$7.95

Made with diced apples and Georgia pecans and served with tomato, boiled egg and fresh fruit.

Swanson House Salad* \$7.95

Spring mix, feta, pears, pecans and bacon.

Wedge Salad* \$5.95

Fresh iceberg lettuce, boiled egg, tomato, bacon and blue cheese dressing.

Garden Salad* \$5.95

Lettuce, tomato, cucumber, red onion, cheese and croutons.

Collard Green Soup \$2.59

Cup or bowl.

3.99

*Add your choice of grilled or blackened chicken, salmon, tilapia, shrimp, fried chicken tenders, or chicken salad..... add \$3.95

Sandwiches

served with one side

Chicken Salad Sandwich \$7.95

Served on white, wheat or sourdough with lettuce and tomato.

Grilled Chicken Sandwich \$7.95

Served on a toasted bun with lettuce, tomato, candied dill pickles and mayo.

Half Pound Chuck Burger \$7.45

Lettuce, tomato, red onion and candied dill pickles on a toasted bun.

Half Pound Cheeseburger \$7.95

Lettuce, tomato, cheddar cheese, red onion and candied dill pickles on a toasted bun.

Tilapia Sandwich \$7.95

Broiled, fried or blackened with lettuce, candied dill pickles and homemade tartar sauce.

Baskets

served with french fries, cole slaw and our famous little biscuits
no substitutions please

Fried Shrimp \$8.95

Your choice of tartar or cocktail sauce.

Fried Select Oysters \$9.95

Chicken Tenders \$7.95

Served with honey mustard dipping sauce.

* Cooked to order. Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.

Swanson Southern Classics

served with two sides and our famous little biscuits

Southern Fried Chicken	\$8.95
This is what started it all. Choice of breast or leg and thigh.	
Meatloaf	\$7.95
Topped with a sweet tomato glaze.	
Salmon Croquettes	\$8.95
Fried to a golden brown.	
Baked Chicken & Cornbread Dressing	\$8.95
Served with giblet gravy and cranberry sauce. Choice of breast or leg and thigh.	
Chicken n' Dumplings	\$7.95
Hand-rolled, made from scratch dumplings simmered in chicken stock.	
Chicken Fried Chicken	\$8.95
Boneless breast fried golden brown and topped with milk gravy.	
Fried Chicken Tenders	\$8.95
Served with honey mustard dipping sauce.	
Country Fried Steak*	\$9.95
Served with milk gravy.	
Pork Chops	\$8.95
Fried or grilled to perfection.	
Grilled Chicken Breast	\$8.95
Boneless, skinless, delicious.	
Pot Roast	\$8.95
Slow roasted "stringy" beef with carrots and potatoes.	
Chopped Steak*	\$8.95
Eight ounces served with sautéed onions and gravy.	
Fried Select Oysters	\$13.95
Fresh Apalachicola or Chesapeake Bay oysters deep fried to perfection.	
Fried Shrimp	\$11.95
Extra large shrimp lightly breaded and fried golden brown.	
Fried Shrimp & Oyster Combo	\$15.95
Awesome combination of our seafood favorites.	
Grilled Salmon*	\$14.95
Grilled or blackened and served with our own lemon and dill butter sauce.	
Tilapia Filets	\$10.95
Blackened, broiled or fried and served with our homemade tartar sauce.	
Fisherman's Sampler	\$18.95
Shrimp, oysters and tilapia blackened, broiled or fried.	
Fresh Vegetable Plate (3)	\$6.95
Fresh Vegetable Plate (4)	\$8.95

Extra vegetable or side \$2.59 each.

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Vegetables and Sides

Congeaed Salad

★ **Cole Slaw**

★ **Small Garden Salad**

★ **Pear Salad**

Collard Green Soup

★ **Baby Lima Beans**

Collard Greens

Cornbread Dressing & Gravy

Field Peas

★ **Fresh Cut French Fries**

★ **Fried Okra**

★ **Green Beans**

★ **Macaroni & Cheese**

Rutabagas

★ **Squash Casserole**

★ **Steamed Cabbage**

★ **Sweet Potato Soufflé**

★ **Broccoli and Rice Casserole**

★ **Real Mashed Potatoes and Gravy**

★ This symbol indicates a Vegetarian-friendly item.
May contain eggs and/or dairy.

Homemade Desserts

Nana's Bread Pudding

Topped with caramel sauce and whipped cream. \$3.99

Chocolate Decadence

Topped with chocolate ganache, Georgia pecans and whipped cream. \$4.59

**Private Parties, Special Events and Off-Site
Catering Available.**

Beverages...\$1.95

**Sweet or Unsweet Tea,
Coca Cola, Diet Coke, Sprite, Pink
Lemonade, Coffee, Hot Tea**

Wines

	glass	bottle
Georgia's Habersham Winery		
Muscadine, a taste of The South	\$6	\$25
Canyon Oaks		
White Zinfandel	\$5	\$20
Acacia		
Pinot Noir	\$6	\$25
Acacia		
Chardonnay	\$5	\$20
BV Coastal		
Cabernet, Merlot	\$5	\$20
Sterling VC		
Reisling	\$6	\$25
Stellina Di Notte		
Pinot Grigio	\$6	\$25
Il Conte		
Moscato D'Asti	\$6	\$25
Chalone Monterey		
Sauvignon Blanc	\$6	\$25
Xplorador		
Malbec	\$6	\$25

Beers

Domestic

Budweiser, Bud Light, Michelob Ultra,
Miller Lite, Coors Light \$3.25

Premium

Sam Adams Seasonal \$4.00

The Swanson Restaurant

Serving Southern Classic Food

In Downtown Perry

~ Since 2002 ~

479-987-1938

www.theswanson.com

Sunday Lunch

Starters

Fried Green Tomatoes...\$6.95

Served with honey mustard dipping sauce.

Deviled Eggs...\$5.95

6 halves on a bed of lettuce.

Fried Okra...\$5.95

Served with a creamy horseradish dipping sauce.

Swanson Southern Classics

\$7.95 / Child
12 and under only
Includes Entrée
2 Sides & Dessert
Beverages \$1.95

Baked Chicken & Dressing

Fried Chicken

Meatloaf with sweet tomato glaze

Pot Roast

Broiled Tilapia

Chicken & Dumplings

Baked Ham

Salmon Croquettes

\$10.95 / Adult
Includes Entrée
3 Sides & Dessert
Beverages \$1.95

Sides

Baby Lima Beans Broccoli and Rice Casserole Cole Slaw Collard Greens Congealed Salad
Collard Green Soup Cornbread Dressing Field Peas Fried Okra Small Garden Salad
Green Beans Macaroni & Cheese Pear Salad Rutabagas Squash Casserole
Steamed Cabbage Sweet Potato Soufflé Mashed Potatoes and Gravy

Desserts

Ask your server about today's special desserts

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