



**DINE IN // TAKE OUT**

**PORTLAND, ME  
26 FREE STREET**

**OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK FROM 7AM  
HAPPY HOUR MON-FRI 4-6PM**

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**FRESH ★ LOCAL ★ SUSTAINABLE**

## **ANTOJITOS (APPETIZERS)**

### **GOLDEN JET PINEAPPLE – 3.95**

on a stick dusted with chile powder, salt & lime

### **MEXICO CITY STYLE CORN ON THE COB – 4.95**

basted with chipotle mayonnaise & dusted with cotija cheese

### **FRIED PLANTAINS – 4.95**

with chipotle mayo

### **QUESO DIP – 6.95**

warm cheddar cheese dip topped with diced pickled jalapeños and served with warm corn chips

w/ housemade chorizo – **7.95**

### **PAPAS FRITAS – 4.50**

fried Maine potatoes drizzled with garlic aioli

### **LOADED PAPAS FRITAS – 8.95**

fried Maine potatoes topped with crema, melted monterey jack cheese, pickled jalapeños, pico de gallo & scallions

### **JALAPEÑO CORN FRITTERS – 7.50**

with jalapeno jelly

### **FRIED BRUSSEL SPROUTS – 7.95**

tossed in a chili-lime vinaigrette with toasted sesame seeds, red onion escabeche & jalapeños

### **CORN CHIPS – 1.50**

w/ salsa – **3.95**

w/ guacamole – **5.95**

w/ salsa & guacamole – **8.95**

### **CHEESE NACHOS – 4.95**

w/ **choice of** chorizo, shredded pork, grilled chicken, steak

**OR** ground beef – **7.95**

Make your nachos **GRANDE** by adding guacamole, shredded lettuce, housemade crema, radishes, pickled jalapeños, cilantro & taquerera salsa **add 4.95**

At **El Rayo** we are committed to flavorful and healthy cooking. We go to great lengths searching the region for the highest quality produce and other ingredients. Aside from the jalapeños we preserve ourselves, cans and jars are rare in the **El Rayo** kitchens. **Our staff spends their days chopping, dicing, marinating, braising & simmering.**

**Real food made with fresh ingredients...**

**We hope you can taste the difference!**

## **TACOS**

*all tacos served on corn tortillas warmed on the griddle and garnished with fresh cilantro*

### **PESCADO – 4.50**

grilled achiote seasoned fish fillet, sliced avocado, chipotle mayo & crunchy veggie slaw

### **AL CARBON – 4.25**

char grilled chicken with pico de gallo salsa, cotija cheese, shredded lettuce & radish

### **BBQ PULLED PORK – 4.25**

with coleslaw, cotija cheese & red onion escabeche

### **CARNE ASADA – 4.95**

char grilled steak with rajas, pico de gallo, shredded lettuce & lime

### **AL PASTOR – 4.25**

slow braised pork with grilled pineapple salsa & shredded lettuce

### **SETA – 4.25**

portobello & crimini mushrooms, monterey jack cheese, crema, rajas, grilled corn salsa & shredded lettuce

### **CRISPY TACO AMERICANO – 4.25**

seasoned ground beef & pico de gallo salsa in a crispy taco shell topped with cotija cheese & shredded lettuce

### **FRIED SHRIMP – 4.95**

fried shrimp, lime cilantro remoulade, lettuce & red onion escabeche

### **FRIJOLES – 3.95**

organic black beans & monterey jack cheese with pico de gallo salsa & shredded lettuce

### **TACO PLATE – 11.95**

choice of any two tacos served with rice & organic black beans topped with crema, cotija & cilantro

**Did you know much of  
Mexican cuisine is gluten free?**

We have used this symbol to denote menu items that **CONTAIN** gluten.



*\*Despite our best efforts, we are unable to guarantee that any menu item is completely free of gluten. Even our "gluten-free" items may contain trace elements of gluten resulting from shared prep areas and cooking oils.*

## BURRITOS served on a flour tortilla

### POLLO - 9.75

citrus & cumin marinated chicken, rice, organic black beans, monterey jack cheese, housemade crema fresca, guacamole & smokey-chipotle sauce

### YUCATÁN - 9.95

grilled achiote seasoned fish fillet, rice, monterey jack cheese, crunchy veggie slaw, avocado, our famous chipotle mayo & cilantro

### CARNITAS - 9.75

slow braised pork, rice, organic black beans, monterey jack cheese, housemade crema fresca, rajás & rancho sauce

### BISTEC - 9.95

grilled steak, rice, organic black beans, monterey jack cheese, housemade crema fresca, rajás & rancho sauce

### AMERICANO - 9.95

seasoned ground beef, rice, monterey jack & cotija cheese, housemade crema fresca, pico de gallo, lettuce & crushed tortilla chips

### CALIFORNIA\* - 11.95

grilled steak, rice, monterey jack cheese, housemade crema fresca, papas fritas, pico de gallo, guacamole, scallions & pickled jalapeños

### CHAMPIÑÓN - 9.25

portobello & crimini mushrooms, rice, organic black beans, monterey jack cheese, housemade crema fresca, rajás & grilled corn salsa

### FRIJOLES - 8.95

organic black beans, rice, monterey jack cheese, housemade crema fresca, rajás, taquerera salsa & cilantro

*\*not available for \$5 burritos or burrito platters*

## QUESADILLAS

flour tortilla filled with monterey jack cheese & crisped on the griddle. Served with pico de gallo salsa.

### CHEESE - 6.95

### SHREDDED PORK - 8.95

### CHEESE & BEAN - 7.95

### CHAR GRILLED - 8.95 CHICKEN

### GRILLED STEAK - 9.95

### HOUSEMADE - 8.95 CHORIZO

### SEASONED GROUND BEEF - 8.95

### BRAISED MUSHROOMS - 8.95

add rajás to any quesadilla (sautéed peppers & onions) - 1.95

## ★ ★ ★ GRANDE BURRITO BOX ★ ★ ★

10 fresh & hot burritos to-go for \$90

## RICE & BEAN BOWLS

*topped with housemade crema fresca, cotija cheese, cilantro, shredded lettuce & radish*

### BISTEC - 9.95

grilled steak with rajás & rancho sauce

### POLLO - 9.75

grilled chicken with smokey chipotle-tomato sauce & avocado

### PESCADO - 9.95

grilled achiote seasoned fish fillet, veggie slaw, avocado & chipotle mayo (no radish, no crema & no lettuce)

### CARNITAS - 9.75

our slow braised pork, rajás & rancho sauce

### CHAMPIÑÓN - 9.25

portobello & crimini mushrooms, rajás & grilled corn salsa

### FRIJOLES - 8.95

organic black beans, rajás & taquerera salsa

## ENSALADAS (SALADS)

### FIESTA SALAD - 9.95

romaine lettuce, red onion escabeche, jicama, sweet peppers, corn, tomatoes, cucumbers, cilantro, pepitas & radish. Garnished with avocado & chips with melted cheese.

### VAQUERO SALAD - 9.95

spicy spring mix greens, avocado, sliced beets, chili dusted walnuts, goat cheese & a blood orange vinaigrette

### SIDE SALAD - 4.95

romaine lettuce, tomatoes, cucumbers & agave vinaigrette

### TURN YOUR SALAD INTO A MEAL

with grilled chicken, grilled steak or fish **add 4.00**

## PARA LOS NIÑOS (KIDS MENU)

*for little children - made with an 8" flour tortilla*

### CHEESE QUESADILLA - 3.95

WITH chicken, ground beef, or black beans - 4.95

### BEAN, CHEESE & RICE BURRITO - 3.95

WITH chicken or ground beef - 4.95

### GROUND BEEF & JACK CHEESE TACO - 3.95

(crispy or soft shell)

### PINEAPPLE SKEWERS - 3.95

### HOUSEMADE APPLE SAUCE - 3.25

## DAILY SPECIALS

### DAILY SOUP

### DAILY ENCHILADA - 11.95

served with rice and beans

## ACOMPÑAR (SIDES)

### RICE & BEANS - 3.95

with crema fresca, cilantro & cotija cheese

### CORN CHIPS - 1.50

### HOUSE PICKLED JALAPEÑOS - .75 / 1.50

### GUACAMOLE - 2.25 / 4.50

### CREMA FRESCA - 1.00 / 2.00

### WARM CORN TORTILLAS - 3 FOR 1.50

### WARM FLOUR TORTILLAS - 3 FOR 1.50

### RED ONION ESCABECHE - 1.50

## SALSAS

### PICO DE GALLO SALSA

### TAQUERERA SALSA

### GRILLED PINEAPPLE SALSITA

SMALL 1.25  
LARGE 2.50

## POSTRES (DESSERTS)

### KEY LIME PIE - 3.95

### COCONUT CUPCAKE - 3.95

### DAILY DESSERT SPECIAL - MKT PRICE

## GRAB & GO BREAKFAST BURRITOS SERVED DAILY UNTIL 11AM

★ ★ ★ ONLY 5.95 ★ ★ ★

or pair it with a Carrabassett Coffee for only \$6.95