

Applebee's® Tempts Fans with Addition of Bold Flavor Options to 2 for \$20 and 2 for \$25 Menus

Experience innovative, fresh variety with new menu offerings

GLENDALE, Calif., March 14, 2017 /PRNewswire/ -- Applebee's Neighborhood Grill & Bar® welcomes irresistible new entrées to the popular 2 for \$20 and 2 for \$25 value menus, which give guests two full-sized entrees and an appetizer for an unbeatable price. The new items further deliver on Applebee's mission to provide guests with fresh, craveable variety at a bold value.

"At Applebee's, we are always creating in the kitchen, looking for new ways to give guests the flavorful dishes they crave at a value they can get excited about," says Cammie Spillyards-Schaefer, vice president and executive chef of Applebee's. "One of our most popular offerings, the 2 for \$20 menu, was the perfect way for our culinary team to think outside the box and develop fresh, innovative offerings that our guests would love."



The new 2 for \$20 entrée lineup includes:

- **NEW Caprese Mozzarella Burger:** Sautéed garlic and onions seared into an all-beef patty and topped with balsamic aioli, grilled tomatoes, grilled red onions, fresh mozzarella, and fresh basil. Served with classic fries.
- **NEW Caprese Mozzarella Chicken:** Grilled chicken breast, fresh mozzarella, tomato, red onion, basil, and balsamic glaze. Served with garlic mashed potatoes.
- **NEW Spinach & Artichoke Chicken Cavatappi:** Grilled chicken breast, cavatappi pasta, artichoke, grape tomatoes, Parmesan and crispy spinach leaves.

Now available on the 2 for \$25 menu:

- **Firecracker Shrimp Cavatappi:** Crispy sriracha shrimp, cavatappi pasta, sautéed zucchini, red bell pepper, red onion and Parmesan sriracha cream sauce.

As an innovator of 2 for \$20, Applebee's provides variety and value every day, frequently refreshing the menu to give guests more opportunity to experiment and discover new favorites while enjoying a shared meal with a friend, family member, or anyone who enjoys a good deal.

For more information on the limited time offerings and deals from Applebee's, check out the [online menu](#) and [stop by your neighborhood Applebee's](#).

About Applebee's®

Applebee's Neighborhood Grill & Bar offers a lively casual dining experience combining simple, craveable American fare with flair, classic drinks and local drafts. All Applebee's restaurants are owned and operated by entrepreneurs dedicated to serving their communities and offering quality food and drinks with genuine, neighborly service. Applebee's is one of the world's largest casual dining brands; as of December 31, 2016, there were approximately 2,000 Applebee's franchise restaurants in all 50 states, Puerto Rico, Guam and 15

other countries. Applebee's is franchised by subsidiaries of DineEquity, Inc. [NYSE: DIN], which is among the world's largest full-service restaurant companies.

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