

MENU

Starters

GARLIC BREAD	9.0
+ ADD CHEESE	2.0
+ ADD BACON	2.0
BRUSCHETTA	15.0
Heriloom tomatoes, bocconcini, red onion, garlic, olive oil & basil dressing on crispy toasted ciabatta topped with freshly shaved parmesan & balsamic dressing	
OYSTERS ^{GF}	
Natural	1/2 doz 24.0 doz 44.0
Kilpatrick	1/2 doz 26.0 doz 46.0
SALT & PEPPER CALAMARI ^{GFO}	18.0
CLASSIC PRAWN COCKTAIL ^{GF}	21.0
Local cooked prawns, shredded lettuce, lemon & Marie Rose sauce	
CHAR-SIU PORK BELLY BITES ^{GF}	19.0
Served with pineapple & coriander salad, & chilli caramel	
ARANCINI	17.0
Sopressa, sun-dried tomato & mozzarella, served with pesto cream	

Salads

CLASSIC CAESAR ^{VO}	22.0
Cos lettuce, crispy prosciutto, poached egg, croutons, shaved parmesan & anchovies	
MEDITERRANEAN ^V	22.0
Roasted pumpkin, beetroot, feta, rocket, quinoa & balsamic dressing	
+ ADD CALAMARI	8.0
+ ADD CHICKEN	8.0

GF Gluten Free GFO Gluten Free Option V Vegetarian VO Vegetarian Option

Please advise staff of any food allergies or intolerances you may have. Although all care is taken when catering for special dietary requirements, it must be noted that within the premises we handle nuts, seafood, shellfish, sesame seeds, wheat, eggs, fungi, lupin & dairy products.

From the Grill

All steaks are locally sourced through JBS. All served with your choice of sauce (1) with, Chips & Salad | Baked Potato & Veg | Chips & Slaw

250G RUMP	27.0
Beef City Black, 100-day grain fed, MB 1+, Darling Downs	
500G RUMP	46.0
Beef City Black, 100-day grain fed, MB 1+, Darling Downs	
300G PORTERHOUSE	38.0
Yardstick Beef, 150-day grain fed, Darling Downs & Riverina Regions	
250G RIB FILLET	41.0
Yardstick Beef, 150-day grain fed, Darling Downs & Riverina Regions	
300G PORK CUTLET	35.0
Barkers Creek King Rib Cutlet	
300G WAGYU RUMP	52.0
Diamantina Wagyu, 300-day grain finished, MB 6/7, Gulf Region, North Queensland	

Toppers

BBQ PORK RIBS	15.0
SALT & PEPPER CALAMARI	8.0
CHAR-GRILLED PRAWNS	13.0

Sides

BOWL OF CHIPS	10.0
STEAMED SEASONAL VEG	9.0
CHAR-GRILLED BROCCOLINI	9.0
COLESLAW	7.0
GARDEN SALAD	7.0

Sauces

All sauces are Gluten Free

| **GRAVY** | **MUSHROOM** | **PEPPER** | **BÉARNAISE** |
| **CHIMICHURRI** | **DIANE** |

Pub Classics

CHICKEN SCHNITZEL	25.0
Hand crumbed, served with chips, salad & your choice of sauce	
CHICKEN PARMIGIANA	28.0
Topped with leg ham, sugo, mozzarella, parmesan & basil, served with chips & salad	
CRUMBED STEAK	28.0
Topped with fried onions, served with gravy, chips & salad	
BBQ PORK RIBS ^{GF}	36.0
Marinated in smoky BBQ sauce, served with chips & slaw	
PASTA CARBONARA	25.0
Bacon, onion & garlic, finished with egg, parmesan & chives	
+ ADD CHICKEN	8.0
+ ADD PRAWNS	13.0

From the Ocean

All seafood is sourced locally where possible

SEAFOOD MARINARA	29.0
Prawns, scallops, calamari, fish & linguine tossed in tomato, white wine & garlic sauce	
HUMPTY DOO BARRAMUNDI ^{GFO}	33.0
Grilled barramundi with chef's daily accompaniments or chips & salad	
XXXX BEER BATTERED FISH	27.0
Beer battered mackerel with chips, salad, lemon & tartare sauce	
SEAFOOD BASKET	30.0
Served with chips, salad, lemon & tartare sauce	
+ ADD NATURAL OYSTERS (3)	12.0

Burgers

DAY DAWN BURGER	23.0
Char-grilled meat patty, bacon, onion, cheddar, lettuce, tomato, beetroot & BBQ sauce	
CHICKEN BURGER	23.0
Crispy fried buttermilk chicken breast, slaw, pickles & chipotle sauce	
STEAK SANDWICH	28.0
Rib fillet, bacon, caramelised onion, tomato, lettuce & BBQ sauce on a toasted garlic ciabatta	

Kids Meals All served with chips

CHEESEBURGER
NUGGETS
FISH & CHIPS
HAM & PINEAPPLE PIZZA

\$12

Dessert

PANNA COTTA 15.0
With caramelised pineapple & mint
STICKY DATE PUDDING 15.0
CHOCOLATE BROWNIE 15.0

WHAT'S ON At Lees Hotel

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Our Story

Lees Hotel is undoubtedly the original *Pub with No Beer* made famous by Slim Dusty who based the song on the poem "The Pub With No Beer" from Ingham's favourite poet Dan Sheahan. The song was translated into 7 different languages, and in the 1960s became the very first song to be beamed back to Earth from a satellite orbiting in space.

Slim Dusty has confirmed the origin of the song on a number of occasions, not only in his last book "Walk a Country Mile" but also in his most recently released CD and video. Slim Dusty became good friends with Dan Sheehan and Dan went on to write two more songs for Slim Dusty.

It was the summer of 1943. The 22nd Bomb Group from the USA were on their way from Brisbane to Port Moresby to fight the enemy and prevent Australia from being invaded. The aircraft they were flying was the "Marauder", generally considered to be the most dangerous and unreliable aircraft being used by the US at that time, The 22nd Bomb Group a.k.a. "the Red Raiders" loved the aircraft and were generally acknowledged as the best pilots and the best bomb group in the Pacific theater. The convoy had traveled from Brisbane to Townsville and averaged 50 mph [80 kph], a very good speed in those days. They left Townsville at lunchtime expecting to be in Ingham in about 1 1/2 hours.

Unfortunately no one told them about the 70 River and Creek crossings they would have to make, with only 2 bridges. It was the wet season. Imagine arriving at every crossing, driving through flooded creeks with the bank's turned to a quagmire of mud and mush, every man having to get out of the trucks and physically push them up the banks to get back on the road to the next creek crossing. 14 hours after leaving Townsville they arrived at Lees Hotel [it was then the Day Dawn Hotel] and at 2 o'clock in the morning woke the publican and proceeded to drink the pub dry.

Next morning Dan Sheahan rode his horse in 20 miles [about 30 km] from his property – still owned to this day by the Sheahan family – to his favorite pub to discover that they have run out of beer! With that, Dan takes the only drink available, a warm glass of wine, and retreats to the back of the bar and pens the famous poem. And the rest is history.



Bistro

LUNCH | FRI - SUN 11:30AM - 2:30PM

DINNER | TUES - SAT 5:30PM - 9PM

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