



CASEY'S BAR & RESTAURANT

PARKVILLE

What we're drinking: A bucket of domestic beers.

What we overhear: "The portions are huge!" "Are there seats left on the bus to the Ravens game?" "You're buying, right?"

What we say: Nestled between auto shops and a bank, Casey's Bar & Restaurant looks about as generic as any suburban tavern. But once you sit down at a bar stool, sip a beer, and look at the menu, you'll realize there's much more here. Owned by 27-year-old Casey Brooks (and his mom), the place feels youthful. The night we're here, Pearl Jam

is on the stereo, Miller Lite bottles are \$1, and football is on TV. What's more, the menu is every college kid's dream: delicious and generous home-cooked meals. Go for the garlicky chicken marsala or order the chicken pot pie and try not to gasp at its size. But the real charm of this place is the camaraderie. Multi-generational families sit side-by-side with rowdy sports fans—and everyone gets along.

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