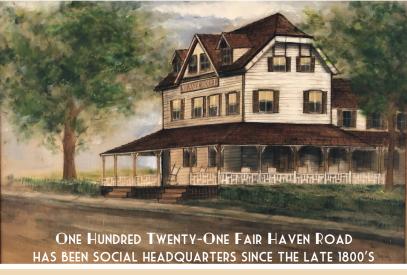
## Nauvoo



COCKTAILS IN THE PIANO LOUNGE SURROUNDED BY FRIENDLY FACES, ROMANTIC FIRESIDE DINNERS, AND FOND MEMORIES OF CELEBRATIONS WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE A FEW THINGS THAT COME TO MIND ABOUT THE NAUVOO GRILL CLUB. THOUGH, YOU COULD SAY, IT COMES WITH THE TERRITORY...

THE ORIGINAL BUILDING, THE ATLANTIC HOTEL, WAS BUILT IN 1882 BY THE BENNET FAMILY DURING A TIME WHEN FAIR HAVEN ATTRACTED VACATIONERS FROM NEW YORK, TRAVELING BY STEAMSHIP, TO THE FAIR HAVEN DOCK. THE HOTEL BECAME A FAVORITE HAVEN FOR GLAMOROUS VAUDEVILLE ACTORS AND LEGENDARY MEMBERS OF THE BOXING SPORT.

IN 1966, THE HOTEL WAS PURCHASED AND RENOVATED BY FAMOUS RESTAURATEUR, PETER DELAMOS, AND CO-OWNER DAVID MONIER. REBRANDED AS "THE LOCK STOCK & BARREL," THE ORIGINAL CONCEPT WAS AN OLD FASHIONED SALOON DESIGNED AS A TRIBUTE TO THE DAYS WHEN HORSE AND CARRIAGE CLACKED UP AND DOWN RIVER ROAD. THE RESTAURANT FEATURED A ROTATION OF WELL-KNOWN LOCAL PERFORMERS.

BY 1985, THE ICONIC FAIR HAVEN PROPERTY STRUGGLED TO FIND FOOTING; TURNING OVER AS THE VARSITY CLUB AND LATER, SUN TAVERN. IN 1996, RICHARD BAHADURIAN TURNED HIS EYE TO THE PROPERTY AND A PROJECT THAT EXPANDED THE ORIGINAL STRUCTURE, WHILE STAYING TRUE TO THE FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT STYLE.

THE NAUVOO GRILL CLUB WAS OPENED IN 2002 AND HAS SINCE BEEN A BEEN A LOCAL FAVORITE SOCIAL SPOT. THE RESTAURANT, ALONG WITH ITS PIANO BAR, LOUNGE AND COZY FIRESIDE SEATING ON THE FIRST FLOOR IS KNOWN FOR FUN UPSCALE-CASUAL DINING. THE SECOND FLOOR FEATURES A CUSTOMIZABLE BANQUET SPACE WHERE GUESTS CAN GATHER FOR LIFE'S LARGER CELEBRATIONS FROM BIRTHDAY PARTIES TO WEDDINGS. NAUVOO CONTINUES THE TRADITION OF A PLACE WHERE MEMORIES ARE MADE AND CAN BE SHARED ACROSS GENERATIONS.

