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Where in the Village?

Answer:

The owl is perched atop the Broad Ripple Tavern sign, on Broad Ripple Avenue by Carrollton Avenue.



Crossword solution

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Hidden History solution

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THE ORIGINAL SCHOOL EIGHTY WAS IN THE OLD HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING. THE NEW GRADE SCHOOL WAS BUILT ON GUILFORD AVENUE IN THE TWENTIES. THAT BUILDING IS NOW CONDOMINIUM.



by Mark Rumreich

Wanting to flush out every trace of Broad Ripple pizza before the Pizza Scene wraps up its mission, we visited Ripple Bagel & Deli for lunch. Old-timers may remember this spot as the home of Jules Medias Men's Shop in the sixties.

Owners Ken and Susan Richman got the idea for the bagel deli from an Oxford, Ohio, bagel shop, a popular hangout for Miami of Ohio university students. Not surprisingly, the deli has an on-campus feel and is frequented by nearby Butler students.

Ripple Bagel & Deli
850 Broad Ripple Ave
25-STEAM (257-8326)

Sun-Thurs: 7AM - 8PM
Fri & Sat: 7AM - 4AM

Large chalkboards line the wall behind the counter and offer an abundance of choices, ranging from breakfast bagels to those featuring stacks of meat and cheese. Many of the bagel sandwiches pay tribute to local lore - there's the Monon Roadkill, the Vogue, the Patio and Sid's Atlas, to name but a few. Although the names may not tell you what's inside, never fear, the chalkboard selections are well-organized according to the main ingredients.

While steamed bagel sandwiches are the specialty, you can order any sandwich as a sub. If you don't find something you want on the menu, you can create your own and name it, which will earn you a special sign on the restaurant's wall.

Our interest was in the pizza bagels. I spotted Mary's Veggie Pizza with provolone & colby, pizza sauce, oregano, garlic and basil on a plain bagel. Also on the menu is the Pizza bagel with pepperoni, provolone and pizza sauce. In both cases, the bagels were steamed to perfection. Mary's Veggie Pizza was tasty, but some actual veggies would have made it more of a rib-sticker. Black olives, green pepper, jalapenos & onion are some of the pizza veggies on the menu. The Pizza bagel added the extra dimension of pepperoni and was a nice rendition of the classic in the form of a steamed sandwich.

My biggest regret? Not having aimed for perpetual greatness by having my very own bagel creation on the wall: the "Pizza Scene" with pepperoni, meatballs, provolone and pizza sauce or "Mark's Garbage Pizza" with black olives, onions and green pepper on top of that!



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