

The Rolling Pin Bakery and Deli

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The small cinder block building at 203 N. Main Street in Accident, Maryland, has housed many businesses since its start as a blacksmith shop in the late 1800s. Most recently, it has been used as a bakery. Glen Maust has for several years envisioned having a food business in the area that would sell deli items in addition to baked goods. In April 2017, Glen and his wife Rachel decided to purchase the newly vacant building and make that business idea a reality.

First, they gave the shop a makeover. Rustic wooden shingles, sturdy cedar log porch supports, and a huge hand-crafted rolling pin were added to the front. Inside, older fixtures were replaced and the floor plan was adjusted to allow more room in the shop both for display and for customers. It was ready to open the first week of October.

The Mausts' daughter Jennifer helped with the paperwork and planning that go into starting a business, but she received a job offer from California and departed at the end of opening week.

Being busy with other occupations—Glen has been a builder for 28 years and Rachel has been a homemaker taking care of six children and has recently taken on office work for an apartment building they own—the Mausts have hired a full crew. Currently Trina Yoder, manager; Joanna Beachy, secretary; Shelly Bender, head baker; along with Julia Yoder, Nicole Beachy, Brenda Orendorf, Lucinda and Lavonda Maust (sisters and nieces of Glen and Rachel), Abby Maust (daughter-in-law), and Jennette Kauffman round out the team. Jeffrey and Janessa Maust, children of the owners, also help after school and on Saturdays.

The deli and bakery has been a hit with both locals and visitors. In addition to bread, cinnamon rolls, pies, and other standard bakery items, The Rolling Pin has special doughnut days. On Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday, bakers start even earlier than usual, at 3:30 AM, to produce dozens of fresh doughnuts, which are sold until they are gone.



Top photo (left to right): Glen and Rachel Maust, owners; Lavonda Maust, Nicole Beachy, Shelly Bender, Brenda Orendorf and Katrina Yoder.

Bottom photos: Owners Glen and Rachel Maust inside The Rolling Pin Bakery & Deli at 203 N. Main Street, Accident, Maryland.



The Rolling Pin also provides a varied menu of deli food. Fresh deli sandwiches, potato salad (from a sister-in-law's popular recipe), macaroni salad, meatball subs with homemade sauce, cheeses and meats are always on the menu. In the colder months, two kinds of soups such as regular or white chicken chili, cheesy potato, or cheesy broccoli are offered each day. In warmer months, self-serve hot dogs are available with all the fixings.

Call ahead if you'd like to order carry out, or to plan for deli trays, cookie trays and other special orders.

301-746-8500

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HOURS:

Tuesday-Friday 6:30 AM – 6 PM,
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