

State of Ohio Food Inspection Report

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Name of facility WHALING KNIFE, THE	Check one <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FSO <input type="checkbox"/> RFE	License Number 680	Date 09/25/2025
Address 11 WILLIPIE ST.	City/State/Zip Code WAPAKONETA OH 45895		
License holder TAMMY SLECHTER	Inspection Time 45	Travel Time 5	Category/Descriptive COMMERCIAL CLASS 4 <25,000 SQ. FT.
Type of inspection (check all that apply) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Standard <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Critical Control Point (FSO) <input type="checkbox"/> Process Review (RFE) <input type="checkbox"/> Variance Review <input type="checkbox"/> Follow Up <input type="checkbox"/> Foodborne <input type="checkbox"/> 30 Day <input type="checkbox"/> Complaint <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-licensing <input type="checkbox"/> Consultation		Follow-up date (if required) //	Water sample date/result (if required) //

FOODBORNE ILLNESS RISK FACTORS AND PUBLIC HEALTH INTERVENTIONS

Mark designated compliance status (IN, OUT, N/O, N/A) for each numbered item: **IN** = in compliance **OUT** = not in compliance **N/O** = not observed **N/A** = not applicable

Compliance Status		Compliance Status	
Supervision		Time/Temperature Controlled for Safety Food (TCS food)	
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	23	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
Person in charge present, demonstrates knowledge, and performs duties		Proper date marking and disposition	
2	<input type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	24	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
Certified Food Protection Manager		Time as a public health control: procedures & records	
Employee Health		Consumer Advisory	
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	25	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
Management, food employees and conditional employees; knowledge, responsibilities and reporting		Consumer advisory provided for raw or undercooked foods	
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Highly Susceptible Populations	
Proper use of restriction and exclusion		26	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered	
Procedures for responding to vomiting and diarrheal events		Chemical	
Good Hygienic Practices		27	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Food additives: approved and properly used	
Proper eating, tasting, drinking, or tobacco use		28	<input type="checkbox"/> IN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Toxic substances properly identified, stored, used	
No discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth		Conformance with Approved Procedures	
Preventing Contamination by Hands		29	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Compliance with Reduced Oxygen Packaging, other specialized processes, and HACCP plan	
Hands clean and properly washed		30	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Special Requirements: Fresh Juice Production	
No bare hand contact with ready-to-eat foods or approved alternate method properly followed		31	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Special Requirements: Heat Treatment Dispensing Freezers	
Adequate handwashing facilities supplied & accessible		32	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
Approved Source		Special Requirements: Custom Processing	
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT	33	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
Food obtained from approved source		Special Requirements: Bulk Water Machine Criteria	
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	34	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O
Food received at proper temperature		Special Requirements: Acidified White Rice Preparation Criteria	
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT	35	<input type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
Food in good condition, safe, and unadulterated		Critical Control Point Inspection	
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	36	<input type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A
Required records available: shellstock tags, parasite destruction		Process Review	
Protection from Contamination		37	<input type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Variance	
Food separated and protected		<p>Risk Factors are food preparation practices and employee behaviors that are identified as the most significant contributing factors to foodborne illness.</p> <p>Public health interventions are control measures to prevent foodborne illness or injury.</p>	
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O		
Food-contact surfaces: cleaned and sanitized			
17	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT		
Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned, and unsafe food			
Proper hot holding temperatures			
Time/Temperature Controlled for Safety Food (TCS food)			
18	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O		
Proper cooking time and temperatures			
19	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O		
Proper reheating procedures for hot holding			
20	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O		
Proper cooling time and temperatures			
21	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O		
Proper hot holding temperatures			
22	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A		
Proper cold holding temperatures			

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GOOD RETAIL PRACTICES

Good Retail Practices are preventative measures to control the introduction of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.
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Safe Food and Water		Utensils, Equipment and Vending	
38	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Pasturized eggs used where required	54 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT Food and nonfood-contact surfaces cleanable, properly designed, constructed, and used
39	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Water and ice from approved source	55 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained, used; test strips
Food Temperature Control		Physical Facilities	
40	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control	56 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT Nonfood-contact surfaces clean
41	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Plant food properly cooked for hot holding	57 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Hot and cold water available; adequate pressure
42	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Approved thawing methods used	58 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices
43	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Thermometers provided and accurate	59 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A Sewage and waste water properly disposed
Food Identification		Administrative	
44	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT	Food properly labeled; original container	65 <input type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A 901:3-4 OAC
Prevention of Food Contamination			
45	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT	Insects, rodents, and animals not present/outer openings protected	66 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A 3701-21 OAC
46	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT	Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage & display	
47	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Personal cleanliness	
48	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Wiping cloths: properly used and stored	
49	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Washing fruits and vegetables	
Proper Use of Utensils			
50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	In-use utensils: properly stored	
51	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Utensils, equipment and linens: properly stored, dried, handled	
52	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Single-use/single-service articles: properly stored, used	
53	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> OUT <input type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> N/O	Slash-resistant, cloth, and latex glove use	

Observations and Corrective Actions

Mark "X" in appropriate box for COS and R: **COS** = corrected on-site during inspection **R** = repeat violation

Item No.	Code Section	Priority Level	Comment	COS	R
	Comment/ Obs		CCP: Talked about proper hot hold temps. CCP: Talked about cold hold temps CCP: Talked about sanitizer concentration and temperature of sanitizer.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2	3717-1-02.4(A)(3)	NC	Certified Manager Could not verify any of the individuals working at the time of inspection had PIC manager training. One had taken the training, but did not have the certification in-house.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
28	3717-1-07.1(E)	C	Sanitizers - criteria Sanitizer was light and too cool to be effective. Both items were corrected at the time of inspection.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
62	3717-1-06.4(N)	NC	Maintaining premises - unnecessary items and litter. There was a piece of equipment near the back door that was neither clean nor being used. Unnecessary equipment is to be moved out of the establishment.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Person in Charge	Date 09/25/2025
Environmental Health Specialist RUSSEL POLK RS/SIT# 24-5304	Licensor: Auglaize County Health Department

PRIORITY LEVEL: C= CRITICAL NC = NON-CRITICAL
As per HEA 5302B The Baldwin Group, Inc. (11/19)
As per AGR 1268 The Baldwin Group, Inc. (11/19)