A La Carte Special Event Menus

Cocktail Hour

Light and Heavy Hors d’oeuvre

**Butler Served Bruschetta:** with Grilled Focaccia, Tomato, Olive, Mushroom and Tomato, Basil, Roasted Garlic, Asiago Cheese

**Butler Served Grilled Vegetables**

**Butler Served Blackened Chicken Spring Rolls**

**Display of Fine and Imported Cheeses and Fresh Fruits:** with Gourmet and Gluten-free Crackers and House Crostini

**Brie en Croute Stuffed with Caramelized Fruits**

**Middle Eastern Display:** Lale’s White and Black Hummus, Baba Ghannuj Spread, Steamed Cauliflower with Lemon & Dill Sauce, Fava Beans Cooked in Olive Oil. All Served with Pita Bread
Cold Smoked Salmon Platter: with Horse Radish Cream, Capers, Red Onions, Aioli, Chopped Eggs & Fresh Herbs

Traditional Platter of Shrimps: with Piquant Sauce & Lemons

Vegetable Strudel: Hand Braided Pastry Dough Stuffed with Roasted and Grilled Vegetable Medley & Mozzarella Cheese

Buffet Serving

Salads

Baby Greens & Reds Salad: Signature dish with Tomatoes, Dried Cherries, Candied Walnuts, Strawberries, Avocados and Feta. House Vinaigrette with Olive Oil, Lemon Juice, Aged Balsamic & Mustard

Caesar Salad Classic: with Granny Smith Apples & Roasted Hazelnuts

Quinoa Salad: with Spinach, Sweet Potatoes, Colorful Peppers, Kalamata Olives and Shaved Parmesan Cheese

Tomato & Cucumber Salad: with Fresh Dill and Oregano, Scallions, Sweet Onions, Kalamata Olives, and Feta Cheese Topped with Pomegranate Balsamic Glaze

Spinach and Strawberry Salad: with Orange Cranberries, Toasted Almonds, Chickpeas and Sesame Seeds
Starches and Vegetables

**Ratatouille Niçoise:** Roasted & Braised Mediterranean Vegetables

**Garlic & Rosemary Potatoes:** Hand Mashed with Sun-dried Tomatoes and Gruyère Cheese

**Roasted Potato Medley:** Baby Potatoes with Caraway Seeds Brushed with Olive Oil, Red Potatoes with Red Onions & Sweet Potatoes Sprinkled with Curry

**Olde World Pilaf:** Aged Basmati Rice Cooked in Chicken (or Vegetable) Broth with Pine Nuts, Currants & Fresh Dill

**Pasta al Primavera:** Angel Hair Pasta with a Cream & Parmesan Sauce, and with Broccoli, Zucchini, Baby Peas, Tomatoes and Fresh Basil

Entrees

**Roasted Salmon:** Served with Lemon, Virgin Olive Oil, Rosemary, Parsley and Thyme Sauce

**Traditional Beef Bourguignon**

**Tarragon Chicken:** Tenders of Chicken in Shallot & Mushroom Cream Sauce and with Dry Vermouth Reduction

**Pulled Beef, Tangy Barbecue Sauce & Crunchy Slaw**

**Ancient Grains Pilaf:** Fried Eggplants, Roasted Peppers, Grilled Zucchini, Chick Peas & Carrots, Mild Pepper Sauce, (Vegetarian)
Desserts

**Creamy Vanilla Ice Cream** with Hot Raspberry Sauce

**Chocolate Fudge Mosaic Pyramid** with Hazelnuts and Fruits

**Traditional Trifle** with Fresh Fruits and Raspberry Cream

The following may also be presented as a special occasion cake with festive tops, custom cream deco and/or with Shaved White Chocolates and Fresh Fruits

**Lemon Zest Cream Cake**

**White Chocolate and Strawberry Short Cake**

**Triple Chocolate Cake**

*Typically 1 Salad, 1 or 2 Starches and Vegetables, 1 or 2 Entrees and 1 Dessert are chosen*
Plated Dinner Serving

First Course - Salad

**Spinach Salad:** with Wilted Red Cabbage, Fresh Oranges, Pine Nuts and Gorgonzola Cheese

**Baby Greens & Reds Salad:** Signature dish with Tomatoes, Dried Cherries, Candied Walnuts, Strawberries, Avocados and Feta, (or Gorgonzola) Cheese. House Vinaigrette with Olive Oil, Lemon Juice, Aged Balsamic & Mustard

**Salade Niçoise:** Romaine Varieties with Red Onions, Preserved Roasted Tomatoes, Feta Cheese and Kalamata Olives

Second Course - Entree

**Baked Salmon in Dill Cream Sauce** over Parsley Potatoes

**Pan Seared Cod** with Dry Vermouth Reduction, Capers, Preserved Tomatoes, Roasted Onions over Tender Jasmine Pilaf

**Snow Pea Salad & Seared Tuna**

**Beef Stroganoff** over Butter & Parsley Spaetzle (German-style egg noodle)

**Eggplant & Chicken Kebab** with Bulgur Pilaf, Roasted Red Onions, Parsley & Mediterranean Sumac Spice and Butter Glazed Pita (Limited to 40 selections)
Shrimps à la Mélange Baked in Clay-ware: Braised Vegetables in Tomato, Garlic and Oregano Sauce (Limited to 30 selections)

Baked Portobello Mushrooms with Grilled Vegetables, Gorgonzola Cheese and Zahter Blend (Wild Oregano & Sesame Spice) (Vegetarian)

Third Course - Dessert

Creamy Vanilla Ice Cream Melba with Hot Raspberry Sauce

White & Dark Chocolate Grand Marnier Trifle: (Limited to 40 selections)

Lavender Crème Brulée: (Limited to 40 selections)

Fresh Fruit Parfait: (Limited to 40 selections)

Raspberry Delight - Rote Gruetze: (Dessert from Baltic Lands Served with Heavy Cream) (Limited to 40 selections)

Raspberry Cheese Cake (Limited to 40 selections)

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Lemon Zest Cream Cake with Shaved White Chocolates

White Chocolate and Strawberry Short Cake

Triple Chocolate Cake

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