







SAMBERG CONFERENCE CENTER

# CATERING MENU

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### BREAKFAST

### continental breakfast

17.00 per guest minimum 12 guests

assorted bagels, muffins & danish cream cheese, butter, preserves orange juice, coffee & tea

#### conference breakfast

19.00 per guest minimum 12 quests

assorted bagels, muffins & danish sliced fresh fruit cream cheese, butter, preserves orange juice, coffee & tea

### better for you breakfast

21.00 per guest minimum 12 guests

whole wheat bagels mini low fat bran muffins all fruit jams, reduced fat spreads low fat yogurt sliced fresh fruit orange juice, coffee & tea

### hot breakfast

25.00 per guest minimum 20 guests

scrambled eggs
bacon & sausage
home fries
shredded cheddar, salsa
fresh fruit salad
bagels & cream cheese
orange juice, coffee & tea

### executive hot breakfast

26.50 per guest minimum 20 guests

scrambled eggs

bacon & sausage

home fries

shredded cheddar, salsa

fresh fruit salad

french toast, fruit compote, maple syrup assorted bagels, muffins & danish cream cheese, butter, preserves orange juice, coffee & tea

### meeting well breakfast

24.50 per guest minimum 20 guests

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steel cut oatmeal, dried fruit & nuts egg white frittata sweet potato hash whole wheat bagels mini low fat bran muffins all fruit jams, reduced fat spreads low fat yogurt sliced fresh fruit orange juice, coffee & tea

### brain-food breakfast

25.00 per guest minimum 20 guests

fresh fruit salad
whole wheat zucchini muffins
apple quinoa cake
coconut granola
strawberry almond milk smoothies
vanilla chia seed porridge
smoked salmon, whole wheat bagel
avocado and egg, broccoli cheddar frittata

# BREAKFAST

32.50 per guest minimum 20 guests includes breakfast pastry basket, fresh squeezed juice, coffee & tea

#### first course

bowl of fresh fruit & mixed berries low fat yogurt, house-made granola & berry parfait mango chia seed pudding, toasted coconut fruit pinchos, passion fruit dipping sauce lemon ricotta, local honey, macerated berries

#### main course

herbed scrambled eggs, roasted tomatoes & sourdough crostini nutella stuffed brioche french toast with cinnamon whipped cream artisan smoked salmon, buttermilk chive galette, capers, lemon, sour cream

egg white vegetable frittata with swiss & cheddar cheese brioche croque monsieur with ham & swiss cheese

### BRFAKFAST HORS D'OFUVRES

19.50 per guest minimum 20 quests selection of five for one half hour

pomegranate, lime & cranberry shooter cucumber, melon, spinach, & ginger juice blueberry parfait with whipped sour cream orange & beet juice chasers with fresh mint bloody mary mocktails, celery, hot pepper & olive mixed fruit brochette, mint & tarragon syrup curried egg salad in cherry tomato cup miniature french toast, maple syrup dipping sauce savory corn cakes, bacon & cheddar cheese scrambled egg & cream tartlet with american caviar citrus smoked salmon toast point, caper crème fraiche vegetable frittata crisp potato and dill egg salad crostini smoked salmon blini, crème fraiche & salmon caviar



## A LA CARTE BREAKFAST

| granola bars – kashi & nature valley                                 | 3 |
|--|---|
| trail mix  | 4 |
| whole fruit  | 2 |
| yogurt cups  | 4 |
| greek yogurt cups  | 4 |
| low fat yogurt & granola   | 6 |
| steel cut oatmeal, dried fruit & nuts<br>minimum 12 guests           | 6 |
| cereal with milk   | 4 |
| fresh fruit & yogurt parfait   | E |
| fresh fr <mark>uit smooth</mark> ie                                  | E |
| overnight oats, dried fruit, berries & soy milk minimum 12 guests    | 6 |
| bircher muesli, oats, greek yogurt, dried fruit<br>minimum 12 guests | 6 |
| sliced fresh fruit   | 7 |
| assorted scones  | 4 |
| spinach & cheese croissant<br>minimum 12 guests                      | 4 |
| ham & cheese croissant<br>minimum 12 guests                          |   |
| chocolate or butter croissants<br>minimum 12 guests                  | 4 |
| assorted tea bread   | 4 |
| hard boiled eggs<br>minimum 12 guests                                | 2 |
|  |   |

low fat cottage cheese

| 3.00 | each  |  |
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3.50 per guest

| oastry basket (minimum 12 guests)<br>ncludes danish, croissants, muffins, butter & preserv             | 7.00 p <mark>er guest</mark><br>es    |
|--|---------------------------------------|
| p <mark>agel basket (</mark> minimum 12 guests)<br>ncludes assorted bagels, butter, cream cheese & pre | 6.00 <mark>per guest</mark><br>serves |
| smoked salmon (minimum 12 guests)<br>with traditional accompaniments                                   | 13.00 per guest                       |
| oreakfast sandwiches<br>minimum 20 guests  | 5.50 each                             |
| choose two   |                                       |

choose two
egg, bacon & cheese on an english muffin
egg, turkey sausage & cheese on an english muffin
egg & cheese on an english muffin
breakfast burrito with egg, cheese & salsa
egg white, tomato & spinach wrap
bacon, egg & cheese on a croissant
southwest empanada, scrambled egg, pepper, onions &
pepper-jack cheese





### TODAY'S AGENDA

today's agenda meeting package

minimum 12 guests, no substitutions please 26.00 per guest

pre-meeting mini muffins, bagels  $\vartheta$  danish cream cheese, butter, preserves orange juice, coffee  $\vartheta$  tea

am break basket of whole fresh fruit coffee & tea

pm break freshly baked cookies or two seasonal crudité and hummus coffee & tea

## BEVERAGES

bottled water assorted soda assorted sparkling water orange, grapefruit or cranberry juice coffee & tea service fresh, organic, sustainable orange juice, coffee & tea

fruit-infused water lemonade & iced tea energy drink all day beverage service

includes coffee & tea service, soda, still & sparkling water

3.00 each 3.00 each 3.00 each 4.50 per guest 4.50 per guest

6.50 per guest 3.00 per guest 3.00 per guest 5.00 each 14.00 per guest





### TAKE A BREAK

minimum 15 guests, unless otherwise stated

### mid-morning break 14.00 per quest

strawberry almond milk smoothie

fresh fruit & yogurt parfait fruit-infused water

### meeting well break 11.00 per quest

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trail mix, granola bars, protein bars, fresh berries, bananas

### brain-food break

10.50 per auest sugar free oat drops raspberry coconut bars chocolate almond "fudge" chia pudding

### candy & snack basket

9.50 per quest a selection of candy bars, harmony snacks, bags of chips & pretzels

### cookies & milk

10.50 per quest a selection of freshly-baked

cookies, skim & chocolate milk, coffee & tea

### chips & dips

10.50 per quest potato & corn chips salsa, spinach dip, quacamole lemonade & iced tea

### fruit & nut bazaar

13.00 per quest

bowls of almonds, cashews, dried apricots, dried apples & fruit-infused water

### apple break

10.50 per quest

seasonal whole apples, apple cider, cheddar cheese. crackers, apple pastry

### ice cream sundae bar

ice cream sundae bar-requires attendant 12.50 per auest

vanilla, chocolate & strawberry ice cream, sorbet

hot fudge, butterscotch & strawberry sauce

fresh whipped cream, cherries & assorted toppings

### power break

12.00 per quest superfood snack mix mocha almond energy bites green juice

celery, green apple, spinach &

### spa break

13.50 per guest

vegetable crudité, red beet hummus, seasonal whole fruit food should taste good chips cucumber mint water, seasonal fruit-infused water

### the green monster 14.00 per guest

soft baked pretzels, yellow mustard mini franks in a blanket salted peanuts, kettle corn assorted soda & bottled water

### afternoon in paris

10.50 per quest minimum 20 quests

assorted parisian macaroons sliced fresh fruit, coffee & tea

### the new englander

10.50 per quest minimum 20 quests

assorted mini whoopie pies. chocolate covered cranberries house-made potato chips

### afternoon tea

19.50 per quest minimum 20 quests

a selection of tea sandwiches. scones, miniature pastries, whipped cream, preserves, iced tea, coffee & tea

#### (select three)

fresh roasted turkey breast with honey mustard, brioche cucumber, avocado & chive cream cheese on whole wheat

tarragon chicken salad with smoked almonds on country white bread

smoked salmon with dill crème on pumpernickel bread

smoked ham & swiss dijonnaise on rye

roast beef, caramelized onion & gorgonzola on seven grain bread

## À LA CARTE SNACK ITEMS

whole fruit kind bar yogurt cups bag of chips or pretzels gourmet chips or popcorn harvest trail mix dried fruit & nuts fresh fruit & yogurt parfait sliced fresh fruit chocolate dipped strawberries cookies & brownies dessert bars crudités & dips

2.50 each 4.50 each 3.50 each 4.50 each 4.50 per guest 6.50 per guest 5.50 each 7.00 per guest 4.50 each 4.50 per guest 4.50 per guest 5.50 per guest



### LUNCH

### sandwich luncheon

23.00 per guest minimum 12 guests

selection of four sandwiches seasonal composed salad mesclun greens, balsamic vinaigrette

house-made potato chips pickles

cookies & brownies soda & bottled water

sandwich selections (select four)

### poultry

chicken caesar salad, spinach wrap

hawaiian chicken salad, vanilla pineapple chutney, escarole, brioche bun

pulled chicken, coleslaw, watercress, tomato wrap

roasted turkey, vermont cheddar, green apple, cranberry mayo, 7-grain bread

turkey & swiss, lettuce, baguette or gluten-free roll

smoked turkey, gouda, lettuce, tomato, herb remoulade, whole wheat wrap

#### pork

honey baked ham, vermont cheddar, lettuce, tomato, mustard aioli, harvest grain roll blt – bacon, lettuce tomato, avocado mayo, bulkie roll salami, soppressata, capicola, provolone, banana peppers, lettuce, tomato, herb vinaigrette, sub roll

### seafood

albacore tuna salad, romaine lettuce, vine ripe tomato, whole wheat wrap

citrus tuna salad, capers, shaved fennel, baby greens, spinach wrap

shrimp salad on croissant, butter lettuce & lemon dill aioli

#### beei

roast beef, boursin, arugula, horseradish mayo, tomato wrap roast beef, coleslaw, provolone, tomato, bulkie roll

### vegetarian 🛚

fresh mozzarella, sundried tomato spread, arugula, rosemary focaccia

grilled portobello mushrooms, roasted red peppers, fontina, olive tapenade, rosemary ciabatta

tabbouleh, roasted peppers, hummus, tahini vinaigrette, tomato wrap

bbq tofu, red cabbage & papaya slaw, gluten-free roll  $\overline{V}$ 

cumin roasted sweet potatoes, caramelized onions, chipotle mayo, arugula, spinach wrap

teriyaki tempeh, pickled vegetables & arugula, whole wheat wrap

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fit sandwiches teriyaki tempeh, pickled vegetables, arugula, whole wheat wrap \( \textsqrt{V} \)

roasted chicken, harissa mayo, arugula, goat cheese, pita citrus albacore tuna salad, raisins, carrot, 7-grain bread turkey, swiss, lettuce, tomato, harvest grain bread

seasonal grain salad
mesclun greens, balsamic
vinaigrette
carrot & celery sticks, hummus
trail mix
sliced fresh fruit
fresh brewed iced tea &
fruit-infused water

### superfood market salad

27.50 per guest minimum 20 guests, seasonal substitutions may apply

includes whole wheat rolls baby kale, spinach & mixed greens lemon & herb chicken breast

select one additional protein: bbq tempeh \( \psi \) cage-free hard boiled eggs hot smoked salmon flakes

vegetables: broccoli, tomatoes, brussels sprouts, red beets, charred sweet corn, cauliflower

grains & beans: brown & wild rice mix, quinoa, garbanzo beans

dried fruit & nuts: dried cranberries & apricots, sliced almonds, pumpkin seeds

dressing: white balsamic vinaigrette & citrus vinaigrette

green juice: celery, apple, spinach & kiwi still & sparkling water

✓ vegetarian options✓ vegan options

### BOX LUNCH

select a total of four varieties from the salads & sandwich luncheon selections

### sandwich box lunch

18.00 per guest

includes choice of sandwich or wrap, baked chips, cookie & bottled water

### executive box lunch

20.00 per quest

includes choice of sandwich or wrap, baked chips, choice of side salad (pasta or mixed greens), whole fruit, cookie & bottled water

### bistro salad box lunch

18.00 per quest

includes choice of salad, whole grain roll, cookie & bottled water

### executive salad box lunch

20.00 per guest

includes choice of salad, whole grain roll, pasta salad, whole fruit, cookie & bottled water

### grilled chicken salad

grilled chicken, mixed greens, tomato, cucumber, ranch dressing

### jerk chicken salad

jerk chicken, mango chutney, sweet plantain, avocado, romaine & tomato

### vegetarian greek salad V

romaine lettuce, cucumber, tomato, olives, feta cheese, greek dressing

### ral el hanout spiced cauliflower V

carrots, balsamic eggplant, dried cranberries, herb chermoula

### tuna niçoise salad

albacore tuna, mixed greens, olives, hard boiled egg, green beans, red bliss potatoes, tomato, balsamic dressing

V vegetarian options

W vegan options

### LUNCH BUFFET

### minimum 20 guests

served with assorted breads, sliced fresh fruit, assorted dessert bars, chocolate nut clusters, assorted soda, still & sparkling water

### room temperature buffet lunch

39.00 per guest select two proteins & four salads

#### select two items

ras el hanout spiced chicken breast, harissa roasted chicken breast, hoisin-glazed, wontons red lentil-crusted salmon, arugula, lemon aioli poached salmon, preserved lemon, baby beet greens grilled sliced flank steak, green beans, balsamic vinaigrette

### executive room temperature buffet lunch

43.50 per guest select two proteins & four salads

### select two items

lemon chicken, marinated olives, pine nuts rosemary roasted chicken, fennel relish roasted skuna bay salmon, gremolata miso-glazed cod, sesame yuzu vinaigrette bbq salmon, brown & wild rice salad, mango chutney tenderloin of beef, wild mushrooms sirloin of beef, horseradish vinaigrette, grilled scallions grilled tofu, fermented black beans, green beans, wonton crisp wiss chard wrapped quinoa, smokey tomato stuffed portobello mushroom, lentil salad, red pepper coulis grilled eggplant rollatini, garbanzo beans, feta cheese, artichokes, lemon herb vinaigrette

### select four items

bibb lettuce & endive salad, champagne vinaigrette spinach salad, pear, maytag blue cheese, candied walnuts, lemon vinaigrette

roasted beets, goat cheese, arugula, citrus maple vinaigrette grilled seasonal vegetables

tri-color fingerling potato salad, stone ground mustard vinaigrette sweet potato, roasted cauliflower, garbanzo beans, lemon  $\vartheta$  thyme orzo, cherry tomato, lemon, cucumber, basil  $\vartheta$  parsley cold sesame soba noodle salad, asian vegetables, wonton crisp puy lentil spinach salad, toasted cumin, black mustard  $\vartheta$  curry leaves red  $\vartheta$  white quinoa salad, dried cranberries, oregano  $\vartheta$  olive oil farfalle pasta, roasted peppers, broccoli, kale, olives  $\vartheta$  sundried tomato vinaigrette

orecchiette pasta salad, eggplant, roasted peppers, onions  $\theta$  basil beluga lentil salad, roasted vegetables

arcadia mixed greens, cucumber, grape tomatoes, pickled onions, croutons  $\theta$  orange sherry vinaigrette

arugula salad, radicchio salad, crumbled blue cheese, marinated mushrooms, roasted tomatoes, red wine vinaigrette

baby kale salad, granny smith apple, sunflower seeds, chevre, shallot vinaigrette

vegetarian optionsvegan options

### THEME LUNCHES

minimum 20 guests, served hot

### little italy

36.00 per quest

focaccia

lemon & caper chicken piccata

penne arrabbiata

orecchiette primavera V

antipasti plate

fresh mozzarella, vine ripe tomato & basil salad

caesar salad, herb croutons

tiramisu & biscotti

sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

#### asian

36.00 per quest

sesame green bean salad

spinach & carrot salad, ginger miso dressing

orange chicken with snow peas

beef & broccoli with oyster sauce

tofu with peppers, onions & black bean sauce V

lemongrass jasmine rice

stir-fried vegetables

banana spring rolls, caramel sauce

green tea cheesecake

fortune cookies

sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

V vegetarian options

**V** vegan options

#### mexican

36.00 per quest

chips & quacamole

mixed greens, mexican bean salad, roasted poblano & lime vinaigrette

pico de gallo, salsa quemada, sour cream

chicken oaxaca

beef machaca

soft & hard tacos

cilantro rice

black beans

tres leches cake

sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

#### indian

41.00 per guest garbanzo beans, sweet potato & green chili salad,

tamarind vinaigrette

roasted cauliflower salad, mustard tomato vinaigrette

chicken haryali (chicken in spinach cream sauce)

goan fish curry

masala confetti rice, dried fruits & nuts

dal makhani (black lentils, red beans, aromatic spices) V

rajma masala (kidney bean stew with curried spices) V

paneer

mango chutney, mint chutney, cucumber raita

naan, papadum

kheer with golden raisins, cardamom & pistachio

sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

### THEME LUNCHES CONTINUED

### nuevo latino

42.00 per guest

lime cured salmon

chipotle garlic-rubbed sirloin, cilantro mojo

rice with kidney beans V

black bean, charred corn & avocado salad

kale & quinoa salad, guava vinaigrette

sweet plantains with papaya chili relish

pan de queijo

tres leches cake

chocolate flan

sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

#### cuban

38.00 per ques

butter leaf lettuce, hearts of palm, avocado, balsamic vinaigrette

roasted tomato tortilla soup with cilantro cream

tomato  $\vartheta$  green onion in corn tostada shell with lime-cilantro vinaigrette

cumin scented roasted yucca & sweet potatoes

bistec de palomilla (grilled new york steak, orange & cuban chimichurri)

arroz con pollo (chicken with rice & sofrito)

sweet plantain with cinnamon, agave & toasted papitas sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

### thai

38.00 per guest

green papaya & carrot salad with tomato, sweet peppers & tamarind vinaigrette

thai beef salad with watercress, tatsoi, orange & peanuts

chicken & eggplant with green curry sauce

stir fried tofu with coconut curry sauce V

bangkok fried rice with tomato, asparagus & scallion

steamed banana cake

mango sticky rice

sliced fresh fruit

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

### lunch on the Charles

50.50 per quest

boston bibb, shaved apple, dried cranberries, pumpkin seeds  $\boldsymbol{\vartheta}$  maple vinaigrette

new england clam chowder, old bay oyster crackers

baked cod, preserved lemon butter, griddle corncakes, tomato coulis

aromatic beef strip loin, grilled onions, pepper, red wine sauce

roasted rainbow fingerling potatoes, fine herbs

roasted harvest vegetables, orange, crispy sage

artisan rolls & flatbreads

boston cream pie

blueberry crumb tart

maple crème brulee

assorted soda, still & sparkling water

**V**vegan options



### PLATED LUNCH

minimum 12 guests includes assorted bread, rolls, coffee  $\theta$  tea served with chef's inspired seasonal vegetables  $\theta$  starch

entrée & dessert starter, entrée & dessert 34.00 per guest 39.00 per guest

### first course

select one celery root fennel soup, grilled shrimp, chive oil

grilled portabella salad, baby spinach, trevisano, pancetta, parmigiano reggiano, balsamic vinaigrette

spinach salad, candied pecans, citrus, grapefruit vinaigrette

bibb lettuce, upland cress, toasted hazelnuts, blue cheese, sherry vinaigrette

endive & heirloom apple salad, smoked bacon, maytag blue cheese, candied pecans

mixed greens, haricot vert, roasted tomatoes, goat cheese, croutons, herb dressing

baby iceberg, bacon, vine ripe tomato, gorgonzola blue cheese, paprika mustard dressing

red  $\theta$  gold beet salad, cardamom oranges, feta cheese

chilled gazpacho with crab, avocado & corn additional 3.00 per quest

shrimp cocktail, horseradish cocktail sauce additional 5.00 per guest

### main course

select one

poultry

pan-roasted organic chicken, preserved lemon, espelette pepper jus

spinach, red pepper & fontina roulade of chicken, pinot grigio reduction

harissa marinated statler breast of chicken, natural jus

#### seafood

pan-seared arctic char, caper, tomato nage pan-seared halibut, wild mushroom butter grilled atlantic swordfish with sofrito skillet roasted faroe island salmon, cucumber tomato relish

grilled steelhead trout, fennel olive relish, lemon vinaigrette

slow roasted Icelandic cod loin, charred corn salsa

#### meat

chili mango-glazed pork tenderloin, pea shoot & radish salad

grilled skirt steak, tobacco onions, red wine reduction

apple smoked pork tenderloin, calvados sauce

new york steak au poivre, cognac reduction

### vegetarian V

goat cheese & basil ravioli, sun dried tomato sauce

thai chili marinated tofu, edamame, jasmine rice, and stir fry vegetables

eggplant, artichoke and boursin strudel, smoky tomato sauce

#### dessert

select one

lemon basil panna cotta, strawberry gelee

pineapple upside down cake, barbados rum sauce

vanilla bean crème brulee, fresh berries passion fruit chiboust, raspberry compote

chef's trio of seasonal sorbets, fresh berries () V

french apple tart, caramel sauce

banana chocolate brownie cheesecake, fresh strawberries

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### 6 made without gluten options

Due to our open kitchens that handle gluten for the preparation of other menu items, we cannot guarantee that items "made without gluten" ingredients are "gluten-free," as defined by FDA. While we make every effort to avoid gluten crosscontact, there is always the potential for crosscontact with other gluten containing food items. We encourage guests to speak to the Chef or Manager regarding any allergen questions.

### ROOM TEMPERATURE PLATED LUNCH

minimum 12 guests includes assorted bread, rolls, coffee  $\theta$  tea

two courses

33.00 per guest

### main course select one

poultry

lemon thyme chicken, tomato relish, fingerling potato salad, haricot vert, grilled asparagus, herb mayo

oven roasted chicken, chickpea tagine, vegetables, pepper coulis applewood smoked chicken breast, waldorf salad, petite greens, espelette pepper vinaigrette

grilled chicken breast, roasted fingerling potato, olives, artichoke, tomato  $\vartheta$  tarragon, crumbled feta

caribbean jerk chicken breast, pineapple salsa, crispy plantains, carnival rice salad, and pickled vegetables

### vegetarian V

lentil  $\theta$  herb stuffed bell peppers, carrot ginger purée, parsley emulsion  $\overline{\mathbb{V}}$ 

black bean falafel, tomato cucumber salad, harissa  $\theta$  sauce vert  $\nabla$  thai chili rubbed tofu, bamboo rice salad, sesame green beans and ginger soy dressing

quinoa stuffed portabella mushroom, smoky tomato coulis, zucchini pearls, and petite green salad

#### seafoog

pan-seared mahi, singapore rice noodles, red cabbage  $\uptheta$  seaweed slaw, ginger, scallion

grilled colossal shrimp, roasted vegetable couscous, asparagus medley, sun dried tomato basil dressing

fennel pollen rubbed salmon filet, shaved fennel salad, yukon gold potato salad, and haricot verts

pan-seared trout, sweet potato hash, red beet  $\theta$  parsley emulsion roasted salmon, grilled baby vegetables, sautéed swiss chard, carrot  $\theta$  ginger sauce

seared ahi tuna nicoise salad, peppers, beans, potatoes, whole grain mustard vinaigrette additional 3.00 per quest

lobster cobb with avocado, egg, roquefort, smoked bacon  $\vartheta$  balsamic vinaigrette

additional 3.00 per guest

#### bee

garlic & thyme-rubbed flank steak, chickpea & vegetable tagine, horseradish pepper coulis

aromatic sliced beef tenderloin, horseradish crème, Peruvian potato salad, watercress and roasted baby vegetables

grilled beef striploin, bean cassoulet, roasted baby peppers, sauce vert grilled flank steak, fingerling potato salad, haricot vert, smoked pepper aioli

### dessert

chef's gourmet pastries, served family style seasonal almond tart

chocolate caramel tart

coconut macaroon

carrot cake

flourless chocolate cake bites

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### CUSTOM BUFFET

minimum 20 guests includes assorted bread, rolls, coffee & tea

two main course selections 41.00 per guest 49.50 per guest

### soup & salad

select two

local mushroom soup, white truffle cream

baby arugula, charred baby carrot, marinated mushrooms, cucumbers, balsamic vinaigrette

local field greens, heirloom carrots, roasted tomatoes, herb vinaigrette

gem lettuce, endive, ruby grapefruit, shaved fennel, pine nuts, champagne vinaigrette

spinach salad, pears, goat cheese, candied walnuts, lemon honey vinaigrette

### anitpasti

select one

charred zucchini, tomato, kalamata olive, feta, mint salad grilled vegetables, olive oil, balsamic glaze

roasted root vegetables, wild rice  $\theta$  raisin salad, sherry vinaigrette quinoa, sweet potato, roasted squash, cranberries, lemon vinaigrette asparagus with pine nuts  $\theta$  parmesan

fresh tomato, mozzarella, balsamic, basil oil

### main course select two or three

poultry

roasted all-natural chicken, wild mushrooms  $\vartheta$  shallots, thyme jus hazelnut  $\vartheta$  basil crusted breast of chicken, zinfandel sauce

free range chicken, crispy bacon, onion ragout

seafood

roasted faroe island salmon, spinach, portabella, tomato vinaigrette baked haddock, panko herb breadcrumbs, preserved lemon

beef

braised beef brisket, root vegetables, cipollini onions, burgundy, rosemary jus

pepper-crusted beef sirloin, shiitake mushroom sauce

vegetarian V

grilled tofu, black bean sauce, asian vegetables  $\overline{\mathbb{V}}$  quinoa stuffed bell pepper  $\overline{\mathbb{V}}$ 

twice-baked yukon gold potato, curried peas, coriander, jalapeno  $\overline{\mathbb{V}}$ 

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### CUSTOM BUFFET CONTINUED

sides
select two
potato gratin, gruyère, caramelized onions
yukon & sweet potato mash
saffron vegetable paella
mascarpone herb polenta
brussels sprouts, olive oil, maple, fines herbs
roasted root vegetables, truffle oil
haricot vert with almonds
rosemary & garlic tricolor potatoes
duchess potatoes, chive, cheddar cheese
basmati rice
lentil pilaf
garlic & lemon broccolini
roasted cauliflower

dessert
select two
seasonal fruit cobbler
bread pudding, banana brûlée, bourbon caramel sauce
sliced fresh fruit & berries
key lime tart
boston cream pie
chocolate cake, whipped cream & berries

### RECEPTION STATIONS

minimum 20 guests

### tabletop bites

8.50 per guest

garden crudités with assorted dips

creamy stilton, herbed ranch & sauce vert

### cheese tasting table

14.00 per guest

assortment of european & american artisanal cheeses quince paste, apricot mustard, grape clusters

crackers, crostini, breadsticks, flatbreads

### artisanal cheese board

16.00 per quest

quince paste, local honey

dried fruit, roasted nuts, grape clusters crackers, crostini, breadsticks, flatbreads

select one

spanish: manchego, drunken goat cheese, cabrales

french: petite basque, comté, artisan brie

italian: pecorino toscano, aged provolone, gorgonzola

new england: grafton cheddar, great hill blue, Maggie's round tomme

### crostini table

12.00 per guest

grilled focaccia, toasted pita

white bean brandade

hummus

balsamic roasted eggplant caponata

marinated olives

beet & goat cheese spread

carrots & cucumber

### selection of dried & cured meats with marinated olives and chef's assorted breads

13.00 per guest

### toasted pita station with assorted dips

10.00 per guest

roasted red pepper hummus

artichoke dip

lemon hummus

bar snacks

1 selection 4.50 per guest 3 selections 10.50 per guest

spiced truffle nuts

popcorn

cinnamon almonds

spicy cashews

wasabi peas

plantain chips, chili salsa

parmesan cheese straws

fried olives

crispy garbanzo beans

### tapas bar

28.50 per quest

garlic & herb roasted focaccia bread marinated olives spicy roasted almonds fried shishito

### select five

flamenco eggs

herb & artichoke rice cake with manchego steak with mushrooms, pearl onions & fried baby peppers calabres meatballs with blue cheese or spicy tomato sauce patatas bravas, smoked tomato paprika chicken pinchos

marinated baby artichokes, lemon oil spanish cheeses with membrillo paste shrimp with garlic, sherry & parsley

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serrano ham

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### vegan ♥ 21.00 per guest

lemon hummus sriracha hummus

vegetable crudité: carrot, cucumber, cauliflower & taro chips

### select three

red gem lettuce, celery, carrot  $\theta$  coconut salad, blood orange vinaigrette

blood orange vinaigrette
tofu bites, spicy provencale sauce
potato croquettes with herb remoulade
arepas with black-eyed pea mole
vegetable & chickpea pakoda, cilantro-mint drizzle
vegetable tajine, stuffed tomatoes

### mediterranean station

27.50 per quest

traditional hummus, smoked paprika tzatziki

moroccan-spiced chickpeas, carrot, sultana sicilian beet salad, pistachio, balsamic traditional fattoush salad, sumac vinaigrette marinated greek feta, chili, mint black eyed pea falafel, coriander-mint dressing VG assorted olives

### dim sum

28.00 per quest

vegetable crudité

dipping sauces: sweet thai chili, low-sodium soy sauce, wasabi ranch, mango chutney, ponzu

select five

crispy sesame chicken, ginger-hoisin sauce

char siu pork

stir-fried chicken lettuce cups, thai basil orange & pine nuts

vegetable spring rolls

pork pot stickers

grilled shrimp in black bean sauce

tofu, peppers, onion & crispy shallots in black bean sauce chinese chicken salad with ginger-lemongrass dressing

### ceviche & sushi bar

38.00 per quest

california roll

eel & cucumber roll

dragon roll with avocado

spicy tuna roll

salmon, hamachi & tuna nigiri

plantain chips, yucca chips, taro chips

select two

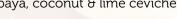
white fish ceviche

ecuadorian tuna ceviche

scallop ceviche, lime, red onion, cilantro

peruvian shrimp ceviche

papaya, coconut & lime ceviche Ψ





### slider bar

25.50 per quest

homemade potato chips

ranch, spicy ketchup, whole grain mustard, herb remoulade pickles

### select three

mini cheeseburgers, aged cheddar, caramelized onion

meatloaf slider, pepper jack cheese

ginger chicken slider, vietnamese slaw

bbg tofu, red cabbage & pineapple slaw

curried potato & green pea slider, tamarind ketchup

maryland crab slider, old bay aioli, brioche

additional 3.50 per guest

### caribbean station

29.50 per quest

avocado, black bean & bell pepper salad, cumin vinaigrette island rice with black eyed peas, coconut, grilled pineapple churrsaco steak, chimichurri & mango chutney spicy jerk chicken, black bean stew

fried plantain with brown sugar & butter

#### french brasserie station

27.50 per guest

select five

salad lyonnaise

frisee, bacon lardons and egg, champagne vinaigrette

caramelized onion Roquefort tart

boursin cheese stuffed mushrooms

truffle fingerling smash potato cakes

steak frittes, truffle sea salt

brie apricot profiteroles

roquefort mousse stuffed celery hearts

cog au vin

### pasta station

26.50 per guest

bread sticks

parmesan cheese, olives & red pepper flakes arugula salad, pecorino cheese, pink peppercorn, wildflower-honey vinaigrette tomato salad, basil, crisp capers

#### select two

penne pasta, charred cherry tomato, mozzarella, fresh tomato, basil sauce

orecchiette, asparagus, prosciutto, english peas & cream gemelli, spinach, anchovy & caper puttanesca sauce gluten-free baked ziti, spinach, mushroom, tomato, mozzarella four cheese agnolotti, tomato basil sauce additional 3.50 per guest

roasted vegetable vegan ravioli, smoked tomato fondue additional 3.50 per guest

lobster ravioli, sherry cream sauce additional 5.00 per guest

### salmon carving station

23.50 per quest

roasted salmon, cucumber, dill, preserved lemon, mustard aioli tuscan style roasted potatoes & cauliflower mesclun greens with cucumber, tomato, olive, feta & citrus vinaigrette multigrain rolls

### turkey carving station

19.00 per quest

anise-brined roast turkey breast, cranberry orange relish grilled seasonal vegetables sweet potato puree small parker house rolls

### beef carving station

25.50 per guest

black pepper-crusted filet of beef, wild mushroom-merlot sauce parmesan potato gratin haricot verts, almonds small rolls

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### island creek oysters & shrimp

requires 30 days advanced notice market price

fresh shucked island creek oysters

gulf shrimp

fresh horseradish, cocktail sauce, grapefruit mignonette, lemon quarters

### poke bar

chef attended market price

white rice, brown rice, glass noodle, mixed greens

tuna, salmon, scallop, tofu

edamame, cucumber, jalapeno, corn, green onion, pineapple, cilantro

ponzu, sweet thai chili, sriracha sesame seeds, crispy onion, seaweed salad, tobiko

### deluxe raw bar

market price

island creek oysters

gulf shrimp

prince edward island mussels

littleneck clams

white fish ceviche with lime, red onion, cilantro

fresh horseradish, cocktail sauce, grapefruit mignonette, lemon quarters

### available enhancements

market price

maine lobster tails

new zealand mussels

crab claws

alaskan crab legs

ice sculpture

starting at 375.00

### DESSERT RECEPTIONS

### minimum 20 guests

### dessert station

19.00 per guest miniature pastries & tarts miniature dessert cups chocolate dipped fruits seasonal fresh berries coffee & tea

### shortcake station

19.00 per guest warm sugared biscuits peaches & basil (seasonal availability) fresh seasonal compote grand marnier chantilly cream coffee & tea

### mini mason jar dessert station 21.00 per guest

fresh fruit & berries coffee & tea

choose three key lime meringue seasonal panna cotta coconut flan hazelnut chocolate praline mousse berry cheesecake mousse passionfruit & raspberry

### PASSED HORS D'OEUVRES

### minimum of 20 guests

selection of four for one hour selection of six for one hour selection of six for two hours 17.50 per guest 23.50 per guest 40.00 per guest

#### seafood

california sushi rolls, soy dipping sauce
jumbo lump crab cakes, lemon remoulade
tuna tartare, five-spice, pickled turnips, pappadam
ginger shrimp tempura, sweet chili sauce
bacon wrapped diver scallop, caramelized onion jam
shrimp satay, thai honey cilantro
lobster arancini, meyer lemon aioli
seared scallop, pea purée, champagne foam
lobster taco, papaya salsa
yukon gold potato latke, smoked salmon, dill crème fraiche
fennel pollen dusted sea scallop
maryland crab & cheddar crostini
maine lobster salad on brioche

### poultry

jerk chicken, plantain chip, avocado cream chicken saltimbocca skewer, marsala glaze chicken dijon & asparagus en croute hoisin-glazed duck & scallion pancake five-spice roasted duck, scallion, wonton crisp white truffle smoked chicken salad, lavash cracker bbq pulled chicken slider, lime aioli

#### meat

chorizo & manchego arepas, sauce vert smoked bbq pulled pork, chipotle aioli, cheddar biscuit brazilian churrasco steak kabob, salsa verde miniature beef wellington pomegranate currant-glazed short rib, wasabi spaetzle blackened beef, horseradish cream, caramelized onion crostini new zealand lamb loin, black olive tapenade, garlic aioli beef tenderloin & stilton sourdough toast pomegranate currant-glazed short rib, mascarpone polenta

### PASSED HORS D'OEUVRES CONTINUED

### vegetarian V gorgonzola & fig profiterole

pluten-free vegetable spring rolls, mustard-chili sauce herb potato, green pea, spring roll, tamarind sauce black bean cake with guacamole dip wheirloom tomato bruschetta, fresh ricotta, basil purée eggplant caponata, zucchini crisp blue cheese stuffed date potato samosa, mango chutney ratatouille stuffed baby portobello mushroom butternut squash, caramelized onion, asiago flatbread sweet potato latke, smoked hazelnuts, stilton, green apple macadamia nut crusted brie, apricot jam twice baked fingerling potato, chive cream fraiche

### passed small plates

25.50 per guest

### selection of three

rosemary lamb lollipop chop on garlic mashed potatoes slow-braised short rib, mustard & caramelized shallot glaze, parmesan polenta

### seafood

sesame crusted ahi tuna, wasabi puffed rice, wakame pan seared scallops, fennel pollen & farro

### vegetarian V

mushroom & charred corn risotto, truffle essence ricotta & cipollini onion ravioli, tomatoes & oregano

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### PLATED DINNER

minimum 12 guests includes assorted bread, rolls, coffee & tea served with chef's inspired seasonal vegetables & starch

three courses four courses

62.00 per guest 68.50 per guest

#### starter

select one

beet carpaccio, avocado, house-cured salmon, truffle oil  $\vartheta$  chives serrano ham, manchego cheese, olives, arugula, lemon-mint pesto caesar salad, focaccia, white anchovy  $\vartheta$  tomato confit

roasted beets with ricotta salata  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  micro greens, crushed hazelnuts, citrus  $\boldsymbol{\theta}$  shallots

french beans marinated in champagne vinegar, aged goat cheese, toasted pine nuts

vine-ripened tomatoes, buffalo mozzarella, opal basil, lollo rossa, olive oil, aged balsamic

butter lettuce  $\vartheta$  endive, candied pecans, smoked roquefort, olives, oranges, citrus vinaigrette

spinach, goat cheese  $\uptheta$  pear salad, candied walnuts, lemon-honey vinaigrette

crab, avocado & marinated tomato, endive with citrus vinaigrette additional 3.00 per guest

thai-spiced lobster soup with lemongrass, chili, coconut & galangal additional 3.00 per guest

### intermediate course

select one

garlic risotto, petite vegetables, shaved parmesan

pan-seared diver scallops, creamy polenta, vanilla brown butter, amaranth cress

confit long island duck, gruyère crisp, mustard  $\boldsymbol{\delta}$  dill spaetzle, french onion consommé

maryland jumbo lump crab cake, frisée & radicchio salad, espelette glazed berkshire pork belly, sweet barbeque glaze chermoula house cured salmon, cucumber & mango salad, yogurt-mint sauce wild mushroom & gruyère tart, petite herbs, chive vinaigrette

#### main course

select one protein  $\delta$  one vegetarian option seafood

mid-atlantic swordfish, herb de provence, caper beurre blanc herb-crusted salmon, tomato fennel puree crispy skin sea bass pavé, champagne beurre blanc bronzini with pepperonata & lemon olive oil herb potato wrapped cod, parsley emulsion flounder roulade, crab lemon butter

### PLATED DINNER CONTINUED

### poultry

pan-roasted organic chicken, garlic, chili & lemon roasted chicken with wild mushrooms, rosemary jus stuffed chicken breast with spinach and fontina, sundried tomato jus

#### meat

lamb osso buco, lemon-parsley gremolata grilled new york strip, four peppercorn sauce chianti braised short rib, parsnip crisp roasted filet mignon, bordelaise sauce additional 6.00 per guest

### duo plates

additional 6.00 per guest

garlic  $\theta$  thyme-marinated filet mignon  $\theta$  grilled jumbo shrimp, merlot reduction

beef short rib & pan-seared scallops, thyme jus

black bass, crispy sweet onions, lobster bisque  $\vartheta$  filet mignon, mustard seed bordelaise

additional 8.00 per guest

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### vegetarian V

bbq tempeh, stir fried vegetables, jasmine rice & steamed bok choy V tri-color cauliflower steak, cumin-scented yellow lentils, olive & eggplant caponata, coriander- orange pepper purée, micro greens V

stuffed portabella, sweet potato, roasted cauliflower, sautéed kale, red pepper purée V

falafel, roasted red beet fattoush, basmati rice pilau, yogurt-mint vinaigrette

eggplant rollatini, grilled asparagus, heirloom tomato & basil V beluga lentils, sweet potato & kale burger, crispy taro, brown rice & chimichurri V

### dessert

select one

chocolate mousse dome, hazelnut praline, brandied cherries madagascar vanilla bean panna cotta, balsamic strawberries • pear almond tart, cognac ice cream, caramel sauce chocolate salted caramel tart, raspberry coulis white chocolate and grapefruit mousse, berry caviar opera cake, gold leaf, cassis coulis lemon cheesecake, coconut macaroon crust, black berry coulis • hibiscus poached pear, passion fruit sorbet •

### BAR PACKAGES

### wine service with dinner

25.50 per bottle

house white wine & house red wine served with dinner

### premium wine service with dinner

28.50 per bottle

premium white wine & premium red wine served with dinner

#### soft drinks

includes coke, diet coke, sprite, ginger ale, dasani water, san pellegrino sparkling water, cranberry juice, orange juice

one hour 5.50 per guest two hours 8.50 per guest three hours 10.50 per guest four hours 14.00 per guest five hours 16.00 per guest

#### beer & wine

includes two house white wines & two house red wines, imported & domestic beer, hard cider, juice, soft drinks, sparkling water

one hour14.00 per guesttwo hours18.00 per guestthree hours22.50 per guestfour hours27.50 per guestfive hours31.50 per guest

### premium bar

includes two house white wines & two house red wines, imported & domestic beer, hard cider, premium liquor (absolut, johnny walker red, tanqueray, bacardi, jim beam)

juice, soft drinks, sparkling water

one hour 19.00 per guest two hours 25.50 per guest three hours 33.00 per guest four hours 40.00 per guest five hours 47.50 per guest

### platinum bar

includes two house white wines & two house red wines, imported & domestic beer, hard cider, premium liquor

(ketel one, johnny walker black, bombay sapphire, crown royal, barcardi rum, spiced rum, maker's mark) juice, soft drinks,

### sparkling water

one hour 21.00 per guest two hours 29.50 per guest three hours 38.00 per guest four hours 46.50 per guest five hours 55.00 per guest

### sparkling wine toast

8.00 per glass

# EVENT PLANNING GUIDE & CATERING POLICIES

SAMBERG CONFERENCE CENTER

We are pleased you have chosen to host your event at the Samberg Conference Center. Catering menu selections and service details should be confirmed at least 14 days in advance of the event.

Clients will be issued a Banquet Event Order (BEO) outlining the menu selections, estimated attendance counts, service time and details. A signed BEO must be received ten business days prior to your event to allow preliminarily staffing and the culinary team to prepare for your event.

All menu pricing excludes staffing and linen charges. The staffing charges for your event will be outlined on the BEO.

Notification of the final number of participants is due no less than 72 hours (3 business days) prior to the start date. If a final guarantee count is not received by the third business day prior to the start date, clients will be charged for the estimated guest count on the BEO or the actual guest count; whichever number is higher.

Efficient preparation for your event will require that the room set-up count and the catering guarantee be within 5% in order to meet the expectations of the group. If the served count is higher than the guarantee, the served number will prevail on the final bill.

Use of the Samberg Conference Center includes basic china service and furniture arrangement but does not include linen or staffing charges.

While the Center maintains an inventory of furniture and china for a variety of event types and sizes, there may be occasions when rentals are required. Should you prefer or require china not included within the current inventory, all rental charges will be assumed by the event.

### Receptions

One Coatroom Attendant per 75 Guests, One Bartender per 100 Guests

One Hors D'Oeuvres Passer per 50 Guests

#### **Plated Events**

One Waitstaff per Table (8-10 guests per table) and Wine Butler per Three Tables

#### **Buffet Events**

One Waitstaff per Two Tables (8-10 guests per table) and Buffet Attendants

One Buffet Attendant per 50 Guests

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