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## CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST OPTIONS

Traditional Continental\$9.50/personPlatters of Fresh Sliced Seasonal Fruit, Freshly Baked Muffins and Danishes Served with Butter and Preserves, AssortedChilled Juices, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee, and Herbal TeasYogurt Buffet\$10.50/personVanilla and Plain Yogurts with Assorted Toppings Including Strawberries, Blueberries, Peaches, Pineapple and Granola,Assorted Fresh Baked Muffins, Individual Assorted Yogurts, Assorted Chilled Juices, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee, Decaf-feinated Coffee, and Herbal TeasExecutive Continental Breakfast\$13.50/personAssorted Chilled Fruit Juices, Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruit Tray, an Assortment of Freshly Made Pastries and BakeryGoods, Gourmet Bagels and Flavored Cream Cheese, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee,Decaffeinated Coffee, and Herbal TeasCereal Bar$\$ 8.00 /$ personAssorted Selection of Boxed Cereals with Toppings Including Fresh Fruits, Berries, and Nuts, Served with $2 \%$ and Whole Milk,Assorted Chilled Juices, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Herbal Teas
Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Plated Breakfast Options

Served with Freshly Brewed Premium House Blend Regular and Decaffeinated Coffees and a Selection of Herbal Teas

Fresh Chilled Orange Juice, Fluffy Carolina Scrambled Eggs, Choice of Cola-Glazed Country Ham or Zesty Sausage Patties, Creamy Southern Grits, Freshly Baked Buttermilk and Sweet Potato Biscuits, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter

Eggs Benedict* \$14.75/person

Fresh Chilled Orange Juice, Poached Eggs on a Toasted English Muffin with Canadian Bacon Topped with Creamy Hollandaise Sauce, an Array of Freshly Baked Breakfast Pastries, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter *Available for limited numbers.

Home-Style Cinnamon Swirl French Toast with Compote \$12.75/person
Fresh Chilled Orange Juice, Home-Style Cinnamon Swirl French Toast, Warm Mixed Berry Compote and Warm Buttery Maple Syrup, Choice of Sausage Links or Applewood Smoked Bacon and Shredded Hashbrowns

Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Breakfast Buffet Options

Served with Freshly Brewed Premium House Blend Regular and Decaffeinated Coffees and a Selection of Herbal Teas

The Columbia Sunrise................................................................................................................14.75/person
Assorted Chilled Fruit Juices, Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruit Tray, Fluffy Carolina Scrambled Eggs, Zesty Sausage Patties and Crisp Smoked Applewood Bacon, Creamy Southern Grits, Freshly Baked Buttermilk and Sweet Potato Biscuits, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter

All American Breakfast Buffet.
\$16.75/person
Assorted Chilled Fruit Juices, Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruit Tray, Fluffy Carolina Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Links and Crisp Smoked Applewood Bacon, Braised Red Potatoes and Onions, Home-Style Cinnamon Swirl French Toast with Warm Buttery Maple Syrup, an Array of Freshly Baked Biscuits, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter

Downtown Express \$13.75/person

Individual Chilled Juices, Whole Fresh Fruits, Assortment of Individual Yogurts, Fresh Baked Muffins, Assorted Selection of Boxed Cereals, Half Pints of $2 \%$ and Whole Milk

Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## A La Carte Breakfast Options

Cinnamon Rolls ..... \$27.50/dozen
Assorted Croissants Served with Butter and Preserves ..... \$22.00/dozen
Assorted Bagels Served with Cream Cheese ..... \$26.50/dozen
Assorted Danishes and Pastries ..... \$23.00/dozen
Assorted Muffins ..... \$23.00/dozen
Sausage, Ham, or Chicken Biscuits ..... \$29.50/dozen
Ham and Cheese Biscuits ..... \$29.50/dozen
Assorted Chilled Yogurts ..... \$2.50/each
Assorted Individually Packaged Cereals with Milk. ..... \$3.95/each

## Breakfast Buffet Enhancements

Attendant Required for Every 50 Guests
Breakfast Sandwich Station .............................................................................................. $\$ 5.25 /$ person
Omelette Station ............................................................................................................... $\$ 6.50 /$ person
Belgian Waffle Station....................................................................................................... $\$ 5.25 /$ person

## BOXED BREAKFAST OPTION

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& \text { Boxed Breakfast ............................................................................................................. } \$ 9.95 / \text { person } \\
& \text { Fresh Orange Juice, Whole Fresh Banana, Yoplait Strawberry Splash Go-Gurt, Otis Spunkmeyer Blueberry Muffin, Nature } \\
& \text { Valley Honey and Oats Granola Bar }
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## Brunch Buffet Options

Served with Freshly Brewed Premium House Blend Regular and Decaffeinated Coffees and a Selection of Herbal Teas
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Champagne Punch, Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruit Tray, Crudités with Marinated Olives, Herb-Roasted Angus New York Sirloin of Beef Carving Station with Demi-Glace and Crusty Rolls, Eggs Benedict with Canadian Bacon topped with Hollandaise, Creamy Seafood Alfredo with Soft Breadsticks, Braised Red Potatoes, Carrots and Onions, an Array of Freshly Baked Breakfast Pastries, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter

Tropical Brunch Buffet
\$27.25/person
Assorted Chilled Fruit Juices, Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruit Tray, Fluffy Carolina Scrambled Eggs, Sausage Links and Crisp Smoked Applewood Bacon, Braised Red Potatoes and Onions, Home-Style Cinnamon Swirl French Toast with Warm Buttery Maple Syrup, an Array of Freshly Baked Breakfast Pastries, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter

Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Cold Salad Options

Traditional Caesar Salad\$12.50/personFresh Romaine Lettuce Tossed with Classic Caesar Dressing with Anchovies, Freshly Grated Parmesan and RomanoCheeses and Garlic Croutons Garnished with Julienne Red Peppers and Grape Tomatoes
Add Garlic-Grilled Chicken Breast Strips \$3.25/person
Add Lemon Pepper-Grilled Shrimp \$3.25/person
Twin Temptations ..... \$13.50/personTowering Spires of our Chef's Favorites - Old Bay Shrimp Salad and Albacore Tuna Salad Niçoise, on a Bed of CrispRomaine with Grape Tomatoes, Served with Herb-Butter Baguette ChipsGrilled Tuscan Salad\$14.75/personChunks of Genoa Salami and Provolone, Fire-Roasted Garden Vegetables, Marinated Olives and Basil-ParmesanCroutons on a Bed of Romaine with Creamy Garlic Boursin Dressing

## Plated Lunch Options

## Served with Choice of Salad or Hearty Soup, Choice of Dessert, and House Blend Coffees and Tazo Tea

## Soups

Beer Cheese Soup
Cream of Broccoli with Cheese
Navy Bean with Smoked Ham

Salads
House Salad
Fresh Romaine, Tomato Wedges, Cucumber Slices, and Herb-Crusted Croutons

Caesar Salad
Traditional Caesar Salad with Romaine Lettuce, Croutons, and Parmesan Cheese
Field Green Salad
Mixed Field Greens, Sliced Mushrooms, Cherry Tomatoes, and Herb-Crusted Croutons
Bibb Lettuce Salad
Bibb Lettuce with Spiced Walnuts, Crumbled Bleu Cheese, and Sliced Tomatoes

## Salad Dressing Choices

House Special Creamy Garlic Boursin, Buttermilk Ranch, Creamy Italian, Classic Caesar with Anchovies, Red Wine Vinaigrette, Blue Cheese, Strawberry Balsamic Vinaigrette

## PLATED LUNCH OPTIONS (CONTINUED)

## Dessert Choices

Fresh Baked Apple Pie Drizzled with Caramel
Triple Chocolate Devil's Food Cake
Southern Bourbon Pecan Pie
Fudge Cappuccino Brownies
Tiramisu Angel Food Torte
Deep Dish Chocolate Cream Pie

Additional desserts available. Ask your Ovations Catering Sales Manager.


Grilled Vegetable Wrap \$14.75/person
Grilled Portobello Mushroom Cap and Fire-Roasted Garden Vegetables Wrapped in a Tomato-Basil Tortilla with Smoked Goat Cheese and Olive Tapanade

* All steaks served medium rare, unless otherwise specified.

Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Lunch Buffet Options

Served with Iced Tea, Water, Freshly Brewed House Blend Regular Coffee, and Decaffeinated Coffee Fifty Person Minimum, 2-hour Maximum Service Time

Create-Your-Own Lunch Buffet<br>Buffet includes Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Assorted Rolls and Butter, Sliced Cakes and Pies<br>\$20.95/person - 2 entrees<br>\$24.25/person-3 entrees

## Cold Selections - Choice of Two

Red Bliss Potato Salad
Tossed Green Salad with a selection of Dressings
Spinach Salad Topped with Tomato, Mushrooms, and Bacon Bits
Caesar Salad
Pasta Salad Primavera in Herb Vinaigrette
Fresh Seasonal Sliced Fruit Tray

Accompaniments - Choice of Two
Roasted Red Potatoes
Garlic Mashed Potatoes
Herbed Rice Pilaf
Wild Rice

## Entrees - Choice of Two or Three

Southern Fried Chicken
Chicken Kabob with Onion and Mushrooms in an Ancho Chili Sauce
Breast of Chicken Cortez Seasoned with Chili Powder, Paprika and Cumin with a Papaya Salsa
Baked Mahi-Mahi in an Orange Sauce with Currants and Almonds
Herb Roasted Pork Loin Served with Rosemary Essence
Teriyaki Beef Brochettes with Onions and Peppers in a Ginger Teriyaki Sauce
Peppered Beef Tips with Garlic in a Burgundy Wine Sauce

Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

Harvest Bar \$17.75/person
Soup du Jour, Garden Tossed Salad Bar with choice of (3) Dressings, Grape Tomatoes, Cauliflower and Broccoli Florets, Marinated Mushroom with Olives, Sliced Cucumbers, Red Onions, Fresh Baked Idaho and Carolina Sweet Potatoes, Shredded and Grated Cheeses, Chopped Hard Cooked Eggs, Bacon Bits, Sour Cream with Fresh Chives, and Assorted Warm Breads and Rolls

Add Creamy Rosemary Chicken Potato Topping $\qquad$ \$3.25/person

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## Lunch Buffet Options (continued)

## Southern Style Comfort Foods

\$21.50/person
Creamy Southern Slaw, Red Bliss Potato Salad, Fresh Buttermilk Fried Chicken, Spicy BBQ Pulled Pork with Fresh Rolls, Home-style Mashed Potatoes with Pan Cream Gravy, Braised Collard Greens, Fresh Field Pole Beans, Freshly Baked Buttermilk and Sweet Potato Biscuits, Fruit Preserves with Sweet Butter and Honey Butter


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Mexican Fiesta Buffet \$19.95/person

Tossed Green Salad with Cheddar Cheese, Scallions and Tomatoes Served with a selection of Dressings, Ceviche, Bay Shrimp, White Fish, Chopped Onion, Tomato, Lime Juice and Cilantro, Mexican Corn Salad, Fresh Corn, Peppers and Kidney Beans in a Light Vinaigrette Dressing, Platters of Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruit, Corn Tortilla Chips and Salsa Fresca, Mexican Rice, Refried Beans, Sliced Fresh Cakes and Pies


## Entrees - Choice of Two

Green Chili and Cheese Enchiladas with Red or Green Salsa
Chicken Enchiladas with Red or Green Salsa
Beef Tomales
Chili Con Queso
Fajitas: Marinated Beef or Spicy Chicken Served with Flour Tortillas, Salsa, Guacamole, Chopped Onion, Green Peppers and Sour Cream
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Italian Buffet \$20.50/person
Tossed Green Salad with Cherry Tomatoes, Black Olives and Mushrooms Served with a Selection of Dressings, Tomato and Feta Cheese Salad, Sliced Tomatoes, Onion and Feta Cheese Topped with a Basil Vinaigrette Dressing, Pasta Salad Primavera, Bow-Tie Pasta with an Array of Fresh Garden Vegetables in an Herb Vinaigrette Dressing, Antipasto Platter that Includes Black, Green and Greek Olives, Peppers, Assorted Salami, Marinated Mushrooms, Artichokes, Tomato Wedges and Sliced Italian Cheeses, Garlic Bread and Breadsticks, Chef's Selection of Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Gnocchi, Sliced Fresh Cakes and Pies

## Entrees - Choice of Two

Cheese Manicotti with Marinara Sauce
Chicken Parmesan
Fillet of Sole Florentine
Cheese Tortellini with Alfredo or Marinara Sauce
Fettuccine Alfredo with Prosciutto Ham and Parsley
Meat Lasagna
Vegetarian Lasagna

Third Entree
\$3.25/person

Columbia Deli Buffet. \$17.75/person
Trays of Assorted Deli Meats including Thinly Sliced Smoked Breast of Turkey, Lean Shaved Virginia Ham, Garlic and Herb-Roasted Top Sirloin of Beef, Assorted Breads and Fresh Crusty Rolls, Assorted Sliced Cheeses, Relish Tray including Crisp Romaine Lettuce, Hearty Sliced Tomatoes, Thinly Sliced Red Onions, and Pickles, Mayonnaise, and Mustards, Potato Chips, and Freshly Baked Cookies and Brownies

## Cold Selections - Choice of Two

Red Bliss Potato Salad
Tossed Green Salad with a selection of Dressings
Caesar Salad
Pasta Salad Primavera in Herb Vinaigrette
Fresh Seasonal Sliced Fruit Tray
Cucumber Salad with Red Onions

Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Boxed Lunch Options

Chilled Sandwiches Served with Individual Bags of Chips, as well as Chef's Choice of Dessert, Whole Fruit, and Choice of Assorted Soda or Bottle of Water

Additional side items available for a charge.Everybody's All-American\$15.50/person
Fresh Garlic and Herb-Roasted Top Sirloin of Angus Beef, Aged Wisconsin Cheddar, Thinly Sliced Red Onions, HeartySliced Tomatoes, and Leaf Lettuce Piled High on a Fresh Kaiser RollSweet and Smoky Turkey\$13.50/person
Thinly Sliced Smoked Breast of Turkey Piled on Fresh Baked Bread Served with Lettuce, Tomato and Cheese
Southern Shaved Ham ..... \$13.50/person
Lean Shaved Virginia Cured Ham, Baby Swiss, Hearty Tomato and Sandwich Dill Slices, and Shredded Lettuce piledon a Fresh Crusty Roll
Italian Hill Sub
$\qquad$ \$14.50/personGenoa Salami, Spicy Cappicola, Prosciutto, Smoked Provolone, Thinly Sliced Red Onions, Romaine, Hearty SlicedTomatoes and Pepperoncinis on Fresh Baked Italian Bread with Olive Oil Vinaigrette Drizzled on TopRum Raisin Chicken Salad Croissant\$14.50/personDecadent, Creamy Rum Raisin Chicken Salad Piled High on a Buttery CroissantVegetable Wrap.\$11.50/personFresh Mixture of Vegetables Wrapped in a Sun-Dried Tortilla with Cream Cheese and Monterey Jack Cheese

## SNACK OpTIONS

Sliced Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (Serves Approximately 12 Guests) ..... \$39.95/each
Warm Soft Pretzels with Spicy Dijon Mustard and Cheese Sauce. ..... \$33.50/dozen
Chocolate Brownies ..... \$25.00/dozen
Assorted Cookies ..... \$25.00/dozen
Individual Bags of Chips ..... \$2.25/each
Assorted Candy Bars ..... \$1.95/each
Whole Fresh Fruit ..... \$1.95/each
Assorted Classic Ice Cream Bars ..... \$2.75/each
Assorted Deluxe Ice Cream Bars ..... \$3.95/each

## BREAK SERVICE OPTIONS

The Sports Nut\$13.95/personAssortment of Individual Bags of Chips and Peanuts, Warm Soft Pretzels with Spicy Dijon Mustard and Cheese Sauce,Fresh Popped Popcorn, Cracker Jacks, Dasani Bottled Water, and Coca-Cola Assorted Soft Drinks
$\qquad$Old Fashioned Break\$8.50/person
Baskets of Assorted and Freshly Baked Cookies, Brownies and Dessert Bars, Dasani Bottled Water, Coca-Cola AssortedSoft Drinks, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee and Decaffeinated CoffeeApple Madness Break\$10.50/person
Caramel Dip with Green and Red Apples, Cheddar and Colby Cheese Chunks, Apple Strudel, Dasani Bottled Water,Coca-Cola Assorted Soft Drinks, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee, and Decaffeinated CoffeeSundae Bar.\$10.95/personHand Scooped Premium Vanilla Ice Cream Served with Hot Fudge, Strawberry Sauce, Cookie Crumbles, Chopped Nuts,Whipped Cream and Cherries, Dasani Bottled Water, Coca-Cola Assorted Soft Drinks, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffeeand Decaffeinated Coffee
$\qquad$Beverage Break Deluxe\$5.25/personStarbucks House Blend Coffee, Starbucks Decaffeinated Coffee, Herbal Hot Tea, Assorted Chilled Juices, Coca-ColaAssorted Soft Drinks, and Dasani Bottled Water
Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## All Day Break Options

All Day Break Option 1 $\qquad$ \$16.75/person

## Morning

Platters of Fresh Sliced Seasonal Fruit
Freshly Baked Muffins and Danishes Served with Butter and Preserves
Assorted Chilled Juices
Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee, and Herbal Teas

## Mid-Morning

Refresh Coffee and Hot Tea Service

## Mid-Afternoon

Freshly Baked Cookies and Brownies
Assorted Chilled Sodas and Bottled Water
Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee, and Herbal Teas

All Day Break Option 2
\$25.00/person

## Morning - Yogurt Buffet

Vanilla Yogurt Buffet with Assorted Toppings to include:
Granola and Assorted Fresh Berries
Freshly Baked Assorted Muffins
Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee and Decaffeinated Coffee
Assorted Hot Teas
Individual Chilled Juices

## Mid-Morning Break

Baskets of Assorted and Freshly Baked Cookies, Brownies and Dessert Bars
Dasani Bottled Water
Coca-Cola Assorted Soft Drinks
Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee and Decaffeinated Coffee

## Afternoon Break - Sundae Bar

Premium Vanilla Ice Cream, Hand Scooped with Hot Fudge, Strawberry Sauce, Cookie Crumbles, Chopped Nuts, Whipped Cream and Cherries
Dasani Bottled Water
Coca-Cola Assorted Soft Drinks
Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee and Decaffeinated Coffee
Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Action Stations

## All Action Stations may be Set up as a Break or as Part of a Package, \$75.00 Fee per Attendant, Minimum 50 Guests

Pasta Station\$7.50/personAssorted Toppings with Parmesan Cheese and Fresh Garlic Bread
Choice of Two Pastas
Penne
Bow Tie
Fettuccine
Tri-Color Rotini
Asian Rice Noodles
Choice of Two Sauces
Tomato Basil
Roasted Garlic Alfredo
Caper and Olive Puttanesca
Creole Cream
Sweet and Spicy Asian
Add Chicken ..... \$3.25/person
Add Shrimp ..... $\$ 3.75 /$ person
Scampi Station\$9.95/person
Gulf Shrimp Sautéed in Garlic and Herbs and Served on a Bed of Linguine and Fresh Garlic Bread
Asian Stir Fry ..... \$8.95/personStir-Fry Beef, Szechwan Chicken, Tofu, Colorful Vegetables, and Steamed RiceQuesadilla Station\$9.50/person
Seared-to-Order with Choice of Fillings: Chicken, Beef, Peppers, Onions in a Tortilla with Guacamole, Sour Cream andAssorted Salsas
Build-Your-Own Nachos
$\qquad$ \$9.75/person Spicy Chili, Zesty Chicken, Jalapeno Cheese Sauce, Refried Pintos, Tri-Color Tortilla Chips, and All the Fixings for Your Own Fiesta

[^1]Houston's Shrimp and Grits Action Station
Large Jumbo Shrimp Seasoned and Sautéed to Perfection Served with Creamy Grits and Southern Gravy

Famously Hot Action Grill $\qquad$ .market price/person
Choice of Three or Four Miniature Entrée Options and Accompaniments Served with Assorted Rolls, Garlic Bread and Flat Breads

## Choice of Two or Three Miniature Entrees

Baby Lamb Chops with Crème de Menthe Au Jus
Beef Mignonettes with Pinot Noir Demi Glace
Sesame-Crusted Ahi Seared Tuna with Wasabi and Soy Sauce
Cajun Blackened Sea Scallops
Italian Grilled Chicken with a Zesty Marinara
Carolina Crab Cake with Lime Tartar

Choice of Two or Three
Penne Pasta
Garlic Smashed Potatoes
Roasted Red Potatoes
Cinnamon Roasted Sweet Potatoes

Choice of Two or Three
Penne Pasta
Garlic Grilled Asparagus
Grilled Vegetable Medley
Green Beans with Mushrooms

## Carving Stations

Served with Assortment of Freshly Baked Breads and Rolls, \$75.00 Fee per Carver/Attendant

Rosemary and Garlic-Roasted Angus Top Round of Beef, Horseradish Piquant ............................ \$195.00
Serves 40 Guests

Slow Herb-Roasted Angus Prime Rib of Beef with Garlic Au Jus \$375.00

Serves 40 Guests

Golden Fried Carolina Breast of Turkey, Cranberry-Pecan Mustard \$160.00
Serves 40 Guests

Slow Roasted Cumin-Rubbed Pork Loin, Melon-Habanero Salsa
Serves 40 Guests

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## CARVING STATIONS (CONTINUED)

Cajun-Roasted Sausage-Stuffed Turducken, Roasted Onion and Shallot Gravy ..... \$275.00
Serves 80 Guests
Maple Sugar Caramelized Bone-In Virginia Ham, Peach Grain Mustard . ..... $\$ 195.00$Serves 40 GuestsJerk-Blackened Side of Swordfish, Roasted Pepper Tartar$\$ 450.00$
Serves 40 Guests
Green Tea-Seared Side of Grade One Ahi Tuna, Lemon-Crab Mayo . ..... $\$ 495.00$
Serves 40 Guests
Cracked Peppercorn-Crusted Angus Tenderloin of Beef, Portobello Hunter Sauce ..... \$275.00
Serves 40 Guests
Houston's Whole Smoked Turkey. ..... \$160.00Large Turkey Seasoned and Smoked with Hickory Smoked Chips (Serves approximately 40 Guests)Friendly's Whole Slow Hickory Pit Cooked Pig$\$ 450.00$Served with Original Barbeque Sauce and Silver Dollar Rolls

## Hors D'oeuvres Offerings

Pot Stickers with Ginger Glaze ..... \$2.95/piece
Buffalo Wings with Bleu Cheese Dressing and Fresh Celery Sticks ..... \$2.95/piece
Vegetable and Jack-Stuffed Mushroom Caps ..... \$2.95/piece
Golden Jalapeno Poppers .\$2.95/piece
Toasted Ravioli with Marinara .\$2.95/piece
Hazelnut, Melon and Goat Cheese Crostini ..... \$2.95/piece
Assorted Cold Canapés including Honey Ham and Stuffed Cherry Tomatoes ..... \$2.95/piece
Baked Asparagus and Mozzarella in Puff Pastry ..... \$2.95/piece
Miniature Quiche with Assorted Fillings .\$2.95/piece
Wild Mushroom Duxelle Purses .\$2.95/piece
Brie en Croute with Raspberry ..... \$2.95/piece
Vegetarian Spring Rolls served with Sweet Red Pepper-Mango Sauce ..... \$2.95/piece
Assorted Deluxe Cold Canapés including Artichoke, Feta and Spinach ..... \$2.95/piece
Friendly's Fried Green Tomatoes .\$2.95/piece
Veggie Wrap with Tomatoes, Artichoke Cream Cheese with Lemon-Pepper Aioli ..... \$3.50/piece
Mediterranean Balsamic-Marinated Angus Beef Kebobs ..... \$3.50/piece
Creamy Eggs à la Russe with Caviar ..... \$3.50/piece
Hand Breaded Pecan Chicken Tenders served with Peach Grain Mustard ..... \$3.50/piece
Spicy West Indian Tuna Kebobs .\$3.50/piece
Spicy Crab-Stuffed Artichoke Hearts ..... \$3.50/piece
Pheasant and Cognac Sausage-Stuffed Mushroom Caps ..... \$3.50/piece
Grilled Tandoori, Cilantro-Lime, or Jamaican Jerk Chicken (Tenders) ..... \$3.50/piece
Old Bay Spiced Jumbo Gulf Shrimp Cocktail ..... \$3.50/piece
Smoked Applewood Bacon-Wrapped Sea Scallops .\$3.50/piece
Coconut Shrimp with Orange Marmalade Horseradish Sauce ..... \$3.50/piece
Crab Rangoon with Plum Dipping Sauce ..... \$3.50/piece
Bay Shrimp, Mozzarella and Roasted Red Pepper Crostini ..... \$3.50/piece
Spicy Carolina Crab Cakes with Lime Tartar ..... \$3.50/piece
Pheasant and Cognac Sausage Wrapped in Puff Pastry with Honey Mustard ..... \$3.50/piece
Maple-Glazed Duck Breast on Sweet Potato Pancakes ..... \$3.50/piece
Grilled Tandoori Shrimp, Cilantro-Lime Shrimp, or Caribbean Jerk Shrimp ..... \$3.50/piece
Friendly's Collard Green Egg Roll ..... \$4.95/pieceA Hand-Rolled Southern Delight with Seasoned Collard Greens, Seasoned Sausage, and Scallions. May be served as aplated appetizer.
Butler Service can be provided for $\$ 25.00$ per hour per server.
All orders must be of a 50-piece minimum.

## RECEPTION DISPLAYS

Imported and Domestic Cheese Display\$3.75/personGarnished with Fresh Fruit and served with an array of Crackers and Breadsticks
Add a Fondue to Cheese Display (Minimum 50 Guests) \$2.95/person
Baked Brie with Apricot Sauce in Puff Pastry ..... \$2.95/person
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Display with Warm Chocolate Dipping Sauce ..... \$3.50/person
Chocolate Fountains Available by Special Arrangement
Colorful Crudités with Olives and Creamy Crab and Buttermilk Ranch Dips ..... \$2.95/person
Tuscan Antipasto Display ..... \$3.75/person
Stuffed Genoa Salami Coronets, Proscuitto-Wrapped Breadsticks, Sweet and Smoked Provolone, Garlic-GrilledVegetables, Mixed Olive Tapanade and Grape Tomatoes on a Bed of Crisp RomaineSushi Display including California and Salmon Rolls
$\qquad$ \$7.95/person
Mini Sandwiches
$\qquad$ \$3.50/each On Petite Crusty Rolls to Include Smoked Breast of Turkey, Lean Fresh Roasted Angus Top Sirloin of Beef, and Virginia Cured HamHouston's Artichoke Cheese Dip
$\qquad$ \$6.25/person
Served with Assorted Pita and Bagel Chips
Farmer's Market Display \$3.75/person
Chef's Choice of Cheeses, Raw and Marinated Vegetables, Relishes, Dips and Spreads, Assorted Light Snacks, Breads and Crackers

## Dinner From Start to Finish

Selections Designed to Allow Tailoring of Plated Dinner Menu Selections. Choice of One Soup or One Salad, and One Dessert

## Soups

Italian Minestrone
Potato and Leek with Bacon
New England Clam Chowder
Sherried She Crab Soup

## Salads

House Salad
Fresh Romaine, Tomato Wedges, and Cucumber Slices and Herb-Crusted Croutons
Caesar Salad
Traditional Caesar Salad with Romaine Lettuce, Croutons and Parmesan Cheese
Garden Fresh Mixed Greens
Roasted Walnuts and Tomatoes, Spinach Salad with Mushrooms, Cherry Tomatoes, and Bacon
Hearts of Romaine Salad
Hearts of Romaine with Asiago Cheese, Bacon Bits, Wedge of Tomato and a Puff Pastry Twist with Herbs and Cheese
Tomato and Mozzarella Salad
Served with Fresh Basil in Virgin Olive Oil Dressing
Spinach Salad
Fresh Baby Spinach topped with Cherry Tomatoes, Mushrooms, and Bacon Bits

## Dinner Salad Upgrades

Cosmopolitan Salad (\$7.00 extra/person)
Spring Mix Greens Topped with Vodka-Glazed Mandarin Oranges and Sweet Lime Croutons, Served in a Martini Glass with a Wedge of Lime, and a Cranberry Vinaigrette on the Side

Carolina Fields (\$7.00 extra/person)
Field Greens topped with Honey-Roasted Pecans and a Variety of Edible Flowers and Cornbread Croutons, with a Chrysanthemum Vinaigrette on the Side

Southern Black-Eyed Pea Salad (\$2.95 extra/person)
Black-Eyed Peas with Green and Yellow Bell Peppers with a Vinaigrette Dressing on a bed of Shredded Lettuce, Served in a Martini Glass

## Salad Dressings

House Special Creamy Garlic Boursin
Buttermilk Ranch
Creamy Italian
Classic Caesar with Anchovies
Red Wine Vinaigrette
Bleu Cheese
Strawberry Balsamic Vinaigrette

## Desserts

Mudslide Mousse
Fresh Seasonal Fruit Tart
Variety of Cheesecakes
Tropical Key Lime Pie
Layered Chocolate Cake
Tiramisu
Additional desserts available. Ask your Ovations Catering Sales Manager.

## Dessert Upgrades

Starbucks Trifle (\$6.00 extra/person) *Must be 21 years old
Premium Starbucks Coffee Bean Mocha Cake Drizzled with Starbucks Coffee Liqueur and Layered with Bittersweet Mocha Pudding, Shaved Chocolate, Caramel, and Whipped Cream Topping

Extravagant Turtle Martini (\$4.50 extra/person)
Rich Pecan-Coated Chocolate Ganache in a Pool of Buttery Caramel in a Cocoa-Tipped Martini Glass

## Plated Dinner Options

Served with Choice of Soup or Salad, Fresh Baked Rolls and Butter, Choice of Dinner Desserts, and Premium House Blend of Coffees and Tazo Tea

Chicken Provençal
\$23.25/person
Rosemary-Seared Breast of Chicken topped with a Marinated Roma Tomato and Olive Concasse with Boursin-Mashed Red Potatoes and Sautéed French Beans and Mushrooms

Pecan-Crusted Breast of Chicken $\qquad$ \$24.25/person
Golden Pan Fried and Set atop a Marmalade Cream Sauce with Cinnamon-Roasted Sweet Potatoes and Sugar Snap Peas

Tuscan Style Breast of Chicken $\qquad$ \$25.00/person Artichoke and Black Olive-Stuffed Chicken Breast on a Bed of Bel Paese Cream Sauce served with Hazelnut Orzo Pilaf and Garlic Grilled Vegetables

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Char-Broiled Smoked Applewood Bacon-Wrapped Petite Angus Filet Mignon*\$34.50/person
Six tender ounces Tuscan-style atop Pan Fried Rosemary Polenta with Creamy Orzo Bel Paese and Garlic-Grilled Vegetables
Slow Herb-Roasted Angus New York Strip** ..... \$39.50/person
Slow Roasted and Juicy, with a Tarragon Merlot Demi-Glace with Pan-Roasted Yukon Golds and Baby Carrots
Smothered Spicy Char-Broiled Angus Top Sirloin Steak*\$31.00/person
Cumin-Rubbed and Topped with Sautéed Tri-Color Peppers, Red Onions and Pepper Jack Cheese with Cinnamon-Roasted Sweet Potato Wedges and Stuffed ChilesApple-Encrusted Pork Loin\$34.25/person
Slow Roasted Pork Loin, Caramelized with an Apple Glaze on a Bed of Pecan-Sage Dressing with a Medley of RoastedRoot Vegetables, Apples, and Red Potatoes
New England-Style Baked Stuffed Shrimp \$34.25/personOur Chef's Specialty! Moist Crab and Ritz Cracker Blend, Served with Hollandaise on the side with Boiled Red SkinPotatoes and Spinach with Lobster Cream
Sweet Tea Glazed Salmon Fillet ..... \$30.50/person
Fresh Atlantic Salmon Lightly Seared and finished with a Sweet Tea Glaze served with Blended Wild Rice Pilaf and a Vegetable Medley
Tilapia Bienville ..... \$28.00/person
Tender Fillets topped with Bay Shrimp, Ripe Olives and a Vermouth Cream with Jasmine Pilaf and Sautéed Sugar SnapPeas and Pecans
Lobster Ravioli with Saffron Cream ..... \$29.00/person
Decadent and Filling with Queen Olives and Julienne Vegetables
Classic Shrimp Scampi with a Twist\$33.25/person
Gulf Shrimp sautéed with Fresh Garlic, Basil and Parsley, tossed with Lemon Basil Fettuccine and Ripe Olives, servedwith Orange Rosemary Focaccia
Tri-Color Cheese-Filled Tortellini ..... \$24.25/person
Flavorful in a tempting Caper and Olive Puttanesca
Add Garlic-Grilled Chicken Breast Strips \$7.50/person
Add Lemon Pepper-Grilled Shrimp ..... \$10.00/person
Roasted Wild Mushroom Ravioli Fresco \$24.25/person
Hearty and Earthy with a sauce of Zesty Marinara and Fresh Vegetables topped with Smoked Provolone
Mediterranean-Grilled Vegetable Kebobs\$29.00/person
(2) Eggplant, Zucchini, Tomatoes and Olives Skewers Marinated in Garlic and Lemon and Grilled with Jasmine Pista-chio Pilaf and Feta and Mushroom Puff Pastry Bundles
*All steaks served medium rare, unless otherwise specified.
** Majority served medium rare, with ends being more medium to well done.

## Plated Combination Dinner Options

## Served with Choice of Soup or Salad, Fresh Baked Rolls and Butter, Choice of Desserts, and Premium House Blend of Coffees and Tazo Tea

Char-Broiled Smoked Applewood Bacon-Wrapped Petite Angus Filet Mignon* with Chef's Specialty New England-Style Baked Stuffed Shrimp. \$49.00/person 5-ounce Filet Mignon atop a Pan Fried Johnny Cake with (2) Moist Crab and Ritz Cracker ${ }^{\text {™ }}$ Blend Stuffed Shrimp Served with Hollandaise on the Side with Lobster Cream-Mashed Red Skin Potatoes and Lemon Garlic-Grilled Asparagus Spears
Char-Broiled Smoked Applewood Bacon-Wrapped Petite Angus Filet Mignon* with Tuscan-Style Breast of Chicken \$41.50/person5-ounce Filet Mignon atop Pan Fried Rosemary Polenta with an Artichoke and Black Olive-Stuffed Chicken Breast ona Bed of Bel Paese Cream with Hazelnut Orzo Pilaf and Garlic-Grilled VegetablesSubstitute Chicken for Shrimp .
$\qquad$ $\$ 5.25 /$ person
Char-Broiled Angus Top Sirloin Steak* with Greek-Style Shrimp Skewer

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\$44.75/person
6-ounce Sirloin and Robust Skewered Shrimp with Feta Mashed Red Potatoes and Lemon Garlic Spinach
Mississippi Delta Cajun-Roasted Angus Prime Rib of Beef* with Zesty Au Jus and Blackened Breast of Chicken \$49.50/person Lightly Seasoned Prime Rib with a Rich Au Jus and Blackened Chicken with Dirty Rice, Baby Carrots, and Crawdads Char-Broiled Smoked Applewood Bacon-Wrapped Petite Angus Filet Mignon* and Duck Breast Confit, with Char-Broiled Pork Tenderloin Medallion $\qquad$ \$62.00/person 4-ounce Filet Mignon, Duck Breast and Pork Medallion atop Pan Fried Corn Cakes on a Bed of Rosemary Cabernet Demi-Glace with Mashed Yukon Golds and Sauteed Mushrooms, Garlic and Red Onions

* All beef served medium rare, unless otherwise specified.


## Children's Plated Dinner Options

Age 10 and Under Only, Served with Apple Juice

Child's Chicken Breast .\$15.25/child Lightly Breaded and Oven-Fried, Served with Cranberry Sauce and a Side of Barbecue Sauce with Mashed Potatoes and a Corn Cobbette

Child's Chicken Thigh and Leg Quarter \$14.25/child

Lightly Seasoned and Roasted, Served with Cranberry Sauce and a Side of Barbecue Sauce with Mashed Potatoes and a Corn Cobbette

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Child's Char-Broiled Petite Angus Filet Mignon*
Tender Bacon-Wrapped 4-ounce Angus Filet with Mashed Potatoes and Sugar Snap Peas
*Served medium rare, unless otherwise specified.

## Specialty Menu Items

## A True Taste of Local Columbian Flavor

Ovations has endeavored to provide you with the freshest and most authentic local flavor from caterers here in Columbia by teaming with Houston's Catering and The Friendly Caterer. Throughout our menus are authentic local dishes representing each caterer's signature specialties. We know you will enjoy our scrumptious local cuisine options and look forward to helping you plan a perfect event.

## Houston's Catering

A husband and wife business, Houston's Enterprise Catering is a full-service catering company specializing in everything from clam bakes and oyster roasts to sophisticated receptions and parties. With Millie Houston as coordinator and party planner, and Cornell University trained Chef Frank Houston in the kitchen, Houston's Enterprise Catering Service provides a winning recipe complete with all the ingredients needed for the finest of social functions. Millie and Chef Houston are experienced in meticulously planning any event from beginning to end and bringing any client's vision to life.

## Friendly's Catering

Thirteen years and a passion for good southern food makes The Friendly Caterer highly sought after in the local community. Owner and head chef, Herbert Sims' mission is to provide great tasting foods, prepared with exceptional care and presented with flair and style. He does this by using only the finest and freshest ingredients. Working with his wife Sandra, they ensure that their food is accompanied by friendly Southern hospitality. The Friendly Caterer is best known for their delicious fried chicken and savory barbecue. There is nothing that they can't do!

## Plated Dinners Served with Choice of Soup or Salad, Fresh Baked Rolls and Butter, Choice of Dessert, and Premium House Blend of Coffees and Tazo Tea

Houston's Baby Back Ribs \$31.00/person
A Full Rack, Slow Hickory Roasted and Slathered with Sauce with Southern-Style Baked Beans and Fresh Greens

Houston's Carolina Squash Praline. \$2.25/person

Acorn Squash Baked to Perfection, with a Delicious Butter Pecan Topping (Can Be Added as Vegetable)

Houston's Southern Rolled Breast of Chicken
\$23.25/person
Chicken Breast Stuffed with Black-eyed Peas and Rice

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Friendly's Southern Fried Chicken Signature Buffet \$26.95/person
Fresh Chicken Generously Flavored with a Unique Mix of Spices and Carefully Hand Battered in Seasoned Flour Served with Specially Seasoned Chopped Collard Greens and Homemade Macaroni and Cheese, Fresh Green Leaf Salad and Homemade Cornbread

Friendly's South Carolina Southern Pit-Cooked Barbecue Buffet. \$29.50/person
Fresh Pork Slow-Cooked to Perfection on an Open Pit with Oak and Hickory Wood Chips, Hand Chopped and Generously Coated with a Mustard Base Sauce Served with Creamy Southern Cole Slaw, Corn Cobbettes, and Hickory BBQ Baked Beans

Friendly's Southern Macaroni and Cheese . .\$3.95/person

## Dinner Buffet Options

Buffet Dinners Include Iced Tea, Water, Freshly Brewed Regular Coffee and Decaffeinated Coffee.
Fifty Person Minimum, 2-hour Maximum Service Time
Create-Your-Own Dinner Buffet $\qquad$ \$34.25/person - 2 entrees
Buffet Includes Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Assorted Rolls and Butter, and Sliced Cakes and Pies \$41.50/person - 3 entrees

## Cold Selections - Choice of Two

Caesar Salad
Fresh Sliced Seasonal Fruit Platter
Tomatoes and Mozzarella with Fresh Basil in Virgin Olive Oil
Garden Fresh Mixed Greens with Roasted Walnuts and Tomatoes
Spinach Salad with Mushrooms, Cherry Tomatoes and Bacon
Marinated Artichoke Heart Salad in Herb Vinaigrette
Seafood and Pasta Salad with Shrimp, Scallops, Red Onion, Julienne of Carrots, and Red and Green Peppers in a Tarragon Vinaigrette

## Accompaniments - Choice of Two

Roasted Red Potatoes
Yukon Gold Potatoes
Parsley Buttered New Potatoes
Garlic Mashed Potatoes
Herbed Rice Pilaf
Wild Rice

## Entrees - Choice of Two or Three

Herb Roasted Pork Loin with Thyme, Rosemary and Cracked Pepper
BBQ Beef Brisket with our own blend of Spicy BBQ Sauce
Chicken Breast in a Light Pecan Crust with a Boursin Cream Sauce
Down and Dirty Bayou Seafood on a Bed of Dirty Rice with Crawdads

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Trout Fillets with Tomatoes, Scallions and Capers
Baked Ziti with Romano Cheese and Sun-Dried Tomatoes in an Alfredo Sauce
Traditional Fresh Roasted Turkey on a Bed of Cornbread Dressing with Pan Nectar
Veal Stew with Spring Vegetables
Rosemary Roasted Half Cornish Hens on a Bed of Cranberry-Walnut Stuffing with Natural Pan Au Jus
Roast Barron of Angus Beef with Portobello Pinot Noir Demi-Glace

Gourmet Create-Your-Own Dinner Buffet .................................................... \$39.50/person - 2 entrees
Dinner Buffet Includes Seasonal Fresh Vegetables, Assorted Rolls and Butter, International \$46.25/person-3 entrees Cheese Display Garnished with Fresh Fruit, Fresh Garden Vegetable Display with Chef's Creamy Herb Dip, Sliced Cakes and Pies

## Cold Selections - Choice of Two

Asparagus and Feta Salad with Red Peppers and Black Olives
Marinated Mushroom Salad with a Julienne of Leeks and Scallions in Balsamic Vinaigrette and Lemon Juice
Tomato and Mozzarella Cheese with Fresh Basil in a Virgin Olive Oil
Marinated Artichoke Heart Salad in Herb Vinaigrette
Caesar Salad with Croutons and Parmesan Cheese
Oriental Chicken Salad
Spinach Salad with Mushrooms and Cherry Tomatoes
Garden Green Salad with Tomatoes and Croutons
Seafood and Pasta Salad with Shrimp, Scallops, Red Onion, Julienne of Carrots, and Red and Green Peppers in Tarragon Vinaigrette

## Accompaniments - Choice of Two

Roasted Red Potatoes
Yukon Gold Potatoes
Parsley Buttered New Potatoes
Garlic Mashed Potatoes
Herbed Rice Pilaf
Wild Rice

## Entrees - Choice of Two or Three

Ginger Soy Duck Breasts with Almonds, Sesame Seeds and Scallions
Teriyaki Beef Kebobs with Peppers and Onions in a Teriyaki Sauce
Fillet of Salmon with Fresh Ginger and Cracked Pepper in a Butter Sauce
Tournedos of Beef with Shallots, Garlic and Pine Nuts in Rosemary Demi-Glace
Chicken Piccata with Lemon Butter and Capers
Starbucks Coffee may be added in place of House Coffee for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Beverage Options

Starbucks House Blend \$38.00/gallon, \$25.00/pot
Starbucks Decaffeinated Coffee \$38.00/gallon, \$25.00/pot
Superior House Blend ..... \$32.00/gallon, \$20.00/pot
Superior Decaffeinated Coffee \$32.00/gallon, \$20.00/pot
Fruit Punch, Lemonade, or Freshly Brewed Iced Tea . $28.00 /$ gallon
Herbal Tea Bags for Hot Tea ..... \$2.50/each
Orange Juice, Apple Juice, or Cranberry Juice ..... \$12.00/carafe
Minute Maid Individual Bottled Juices ..... \$2.50/each
Dasani Bottled Water ..... \$2.95/each
Coca-Cola Assorted Soft Drinks ..... \$2.95/each
Chilled Whole, Low Fat, or Non-Fat Milk ..... \$2.25/each

## Water Service

Individual Bottled Water and Mints \$2.95/bottleTulip Bowl Filled with Four Bottled Waters and Glasses, with Mints, in Classroom Style Settings. Water Charged onConsumption.Sparkling Water and Mints ..... \$10.00/liter
One Liter Bottle of Sparkling Water Placed in a Chiller and Glasses, with Mints, for Every Four People in Classroom Style Settings. Water Charged on Consumption.Water Coolers\$50.00/each
Add nuts to Water Service for $\$ 1.00$ per person.

## Host BaR

Imported Beer ..... \$5.00/drink
Domestic Beer ..... \$4.50/drink
House Liquors ..... \$6.00/drink
House Wine ..... \$5.00/drink
Cordials and Premium Liquors ..... \$7.00/drink
Soda, Juice, Bottled Water ..... \$3.00/drink

## Specialty Beverages

Lynchburg Lemonade \$85.00/gallon
Screwdriver, Bloody Mary and Mimosa ..... \$75.00/gallon
Champagne Punch \$75.00/gallon

## CASH BAR

Cash Bar Prices Include Applicable Taxes
Imported Beer ..... $\$ 5.50$
Domestic Beer ..... \$4.50
House Liquors ..... \$6.00
House Wine ..... $\$ 6.00$
Cordials and Premium Liquors ..... $\$ 7.00$
Soda, Juice, Bottled Water ..... \$3.00

Corkage Fee: $\$ 3.50$ for the first hour and $\$ 2.00$ each additional hour Bartender Charges: $\$ 25.00$ per bartender per hour, 4 -hour minimum

It is unlawful to remove alcoholic beverages from the premises.

## Additional Charges

| 72" Round Table Linens | \$18.00/each |
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| Speciality Linen Colors. | \$25.00/each |
| Chargers | \$1.50/each |
| Standard Table Centerpieces | \$5.00/each |
| Crescent Style Seating Linen | ..\$8.00/each |
| Overlays. | ..\$8.00/each |

Other additional charges may apply for increasing food and beverage guarantees on the event day. Storage fees may apply if any items are left for over 24 hours after an event. Check with the director of catering for any additional charges that may apply to your event.

## Outside Food and Beverages

Ovations Food Services maintains the exclusive right to provide all food and beverage, and concession services at the Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center. Any exceptions must be requested and obtained by prior written approval of the General Manager and/or Director of Catering. Food items may not be taken off the premises; however, excess prepared food may be donated under regulated conditions to agencies feeding the underprivileged at Ovations' sole discretion.

## Food and Beverage Sampling

CMCC exhibitors may distribute food and beverage samples in authorized space and must not be in competition with products or services offered by Ovations Food Services. Samples must be representative of products manufactured or sold by the company exhibiting. Free samples are limited to 2 ounces of non-alcoholic beverages and 2 ounces of a food sample. Exact descriptions of sample and portion size must be submitted to the Ovations Office for written approval 14 days prior to the opening of the event The distribution of alcoholic beverages is strictly prohibited unless provided by Ovations Food Services. Any exhibitor giving away and/or selling food in their booth must have a permit and all appropriate fees on file with the South Carolina Department of Health.

## BEVERAGE SERVICE

Ovations Food Services offers a complete selection of beverages to compliment your function. The South Carolina Alcohol and Beverage Commission regulate alcohol and beverage services. As a licensee we are responsible for the administration of these regulations. Alcoholic beverages may not be brought onto the premises from outside sources without prior consent of the General Manager or Director of Catering. If approval is received, a corkage fee will be accessed. We reserve the right to ask patrons for proper identification for alcoholic beverage service. We reserve the right to refuse alcohol service to intoxicated or underage persons. Alcoholic beverages may not be removed from the premises.

## LABOR

Catering personnel are scheduled in 4 -hour shifts for each meal period. These shifts include setup, service, and breakdown. Events requiring additional time for service will incur an overtime charge of $\$ 25.00$ per hour per server.

## Dietary Considerations

Ovations Food Services is happy to address special dietary requests for individual guests. Ovations will automatically prepare $1 \%$ vegetarian dinners for plated served dinners.

## China Service

China service is standard for all catering services. With coffee services, Ovations will set out at least $10 \%$ disposable ware for guests. High-grade disposable products will be used on uncarpeted Exhibit Hall floors.

## Linens

All banquet prices include white or black standard table linens and our standard linen napkins. Napkin colors include a choice of black, white, or navy blue. Additional colors are available for both table linens and napkins for an additional charge.

## Menu Selections

Choose a menu from the preceding suggestions or have us custom design a menu for your particular needs. Menus for food functions must be finalized at least 30 days prior to the event.

## Service Charges and Taxes

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## GUARANTEES

A final guarantee of attendance is required three working days prior to all food and beverage events. In the event of a split entrée, the client is responsible to notify Ovations Food Services of the exact count of each item three working days prior to the event. Split menus, which are not included in a package, are to be charged at the higher entree price. Billing will be based on either your minimum guarantee (even if fewer guests actually attend) or the actual guest count, whichever is greater. The final guarantee can be increased up to two working days prior to your event with a $5 \%$ surcharge.

## BILLING

A non-refundable $50 \%$ deposit, as outlined in your contract, is due with the return of the signed Banquet Event Orders. The final balance must be paid in full no later than 30 days after the end of the event. If payment of the balance due is not received by the appropriate date, a delinquent charge of $1.5 \%$ per month will be added to the payment.

## Credit Card Payments

Ovations Food Services will gladly accept credit card payments from MasterCard, Visa, and American Express for up to $\$ 5,000$ of your catering charges. An amount charged to a credit card in excess of $\$ 5,000$ will be subject to a processing fee of $2.5 \%$ of the balance.


## Cancellation Policy

In the event of a cancellation, no deposit refund shall be made. Cancellation of food functions must be sent in writing to your Ovations Sales Manager. Any cancellation received more than 30 days before the scheduled event will result in a fee equal to $25 \%$ of the estimated food and beverage charges plus any base rental fees as outlined in the contract. Any cancellation received less than 30 days before the scheduled event will result in a fee of $50 \%$ of the estimated food and beverage charges plus any base rental fees as outlined in the contract. Any cancellation received after the Final Guarantee has been provided will result in a fee equal to $100 \%$ of the charges on the affected Banquet Event Order(s) or signed agreement, whichever is greater of the two.

Client Signature $\qquad$

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