



ROCHESTER EVENT CENTER

EVENTS MENU

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THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING ROCHESTER EVENT CENTER

The following information explains how everything comes together with ease to provide food and beverages for your event. We work with you to plan the menu, service style, and overall cuisine taste. We have designed these packages to include all of our food services and amenities.

Our catering staff will be happy to customize menus and service proposals to meet specific needs for your special occasion. The menu options are price quoted separately and include the extras listed at no extra charge. We are here to assist in making your special day planning as easy as possible.

Our catering team is eager to assist you with any beverage service you may need.

COMPLIMENTARY SERVICES

The Following Services Are Complimentary:

- Staging
- Podium with a Microphone
- Adjustable Lighting
- In-House Speaker System
- High-Speed Internet Access
- Ivory, White, or Black tablecloths
(Please Note these tablecloths are not floor length)
- Colored Linen Napkins - Ask Sales Associate for Choices
- Table Dismissal – our team will dismiss tables in an orderly fashion to eliminate congestion at the buffet.

DISPLAYS – PER PERSON

Assorted local cubed cheese with crackers (V)

Fresh seasonal fruit with berries (GF, DF, V, VE)

Imported dried meats and cheeses with breads and crackers

Colorful fresh vegetable display with ranch (GF, V)

Smoked salmon display, garnished with egg, red onion, capers and cucumber served with crackers

Spinach and artichoke dip with fresh baked crostini and naan bread (V)

APPETIZERS

OPTION 1 – PER PERSON

- Colorful fresh vegetable display with ranch (GF,V)
- Fresh seasonal fruit with berries (GF,DF,V,VE)
- Spinach and artichoke dip with baked crostini and naan bread (V)
- BBQ meatballs (DF)

OPTION 2 – PER PERSON

- Bite size cheese display with crackers (V)
- Fresh seasonal fruit with berries (GF,DF,V,VE)
- Chicken wings with ranch and honey mustard (DF)
- Sausage stuffed portabella baby mushrooms (V)

OPTION 3 – PER PERSON

- Wonton crisps with oriental vegetable and pate chili sauce (DF,V)
- Jumbo shrimp shooters (GF,DF)
- Imported dried meats and cheeses with breads and crackers (V)
- Bacon wrapped tenderloin finished with sugar in the raw and balsamic syrup (GF,DF)

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HORS D'OEUVRES – PER PERSON

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Hors d'oeuvres available exclusively as a pre-dinner option.

Pick 2 Pick 3 Pick 4

COLD SELECTIONS

Cucumber rondell with smoked salmon mousse (GF)

Wonton crisps with oriental vegetable and pate chili sauce (DF,V)

Lemon herb chicken salad in bouchees

Smoked salmon crostini with lemon cream cheese, red onion and fresh dill

Shaved beef tenderloin crostini with horseradish cream

Caprese skewers (V)

Antipasto kabob with artichoke, mozzarella balls, salami and olive (GF)

HOT SELECTIONS

Sausage stuffed baby mushrooms (GF)

Crostini of herbed pork tenderloin finished with pomegranate syrup and fresh berry

Wild mushroom tartlets (V)

Vegetable (V) or pork egg rolls

UPGRADED - PRICED PER PERSON

Stuffed shrimp with crab meat and cheese (GF)

Bacon wrapped shrimp with bbq glaze (GF,DF)

Bacon wrapped tenderloin finished with sugar in the raw and balsamic syrup (GF,DF)

Jumbo shrimp shooters (GF,DF)

Seared tuna crisp with chili sauce, julienne of cucumber and radish (DF)

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SERVED DINNER ENTRÉES

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Dinner entrees include fresh baked dinner rolls, choice of salad, starch and vegetable.

Vegetarian entrees include fresh baked dinner rolls, choice of salad, and vegetable.

Create a dual-entrée meal – additional pricing

Beverage station to include lemonade and fresh brewed decaf coffee (priced per table for coffee service)

SALAD SELECTIONS (CHOOSE ONE)

Mixed greens with berries, raisins, feta cheese, roasted sugar nuts with raspberry vinaigrette dressing

Caesar salad with parmesan cheese, cherry tomatoes and crispy croutons with creamy caesar dressing

Mixed greens with cucumber, tomato, pickled onions, cheddar cheese and crispy croutons with ranch or french dressing

Mixed greens with blueberry goat cheese, candied walnuts, and fresh blackberries with raspberry vinaigrette

STARCH SELECTIONS (CHOOSE ONE)

Roasted red potatoes with fresh herbs (GF)

Fingerling roasted potatoes (GF)

Parmesan and garlic mashed potatoes (GF)

Classic mashed potatoes (GF)

White and wild rice blend (GF)

Aged cheddar macaroni and cheese (GF)

Wild mushroom risotto (GF)

VEGETABLE SELECTIONS (CHOOSE ONE)

Citrus buttered asparagus (GF)

Roasted brussel sprouts (GF)

Fresh green beans with brown butter (GF)

Fresh green beans almondine (GF)

Seasonal, colorful medley of vegetables (GF,DF)

Fresh broccoli (GF)

Honey bourbon glazed carrots

SERVED DINNER ENTRÉES

CHICKEN

BOURSIN CHICKEN

Panko chicken breast sautéed to a golden brown, served with a boursin cream sauce

CHICKEN CORDON BLEU

Panko chicken breast stuffed with ham and Swiss cheese, served with mornay sauce

ROSEMARY ROASTED CHICKEN (GF)

Grilled chicken with boursin and sundried tomato cream sauce

WILD RICE AND GOUDA CHICKEN

Stuffed breast of chicken with a wild rice blend served with a gouda cream sauce

BEEF

BARBECUE BEEF BRISKET (GF,DF)

Slow cooked beef brisket in a bbq demi glaze

BEEF BURGUNDY PEPPER STEAK (GF,DF)

Burgundy pepper steak served with a wild mushroom and cabernet demi-glace

SLICED BEEF TENDERLOIN (GF,DF)

Sliced tenderloin of beef with shallot peppercorn garlic demi-glace

PORK

PORK CUTLET (DF)

Pan-fried pork cutlet finished with a cognac apple demi-glace

COUNTRY HAM STEAK (GF)

Sliced ham steak finished with a light mustard herb sauce

HERB CRUSTED PORK TENDERLOIN (GF,DF)

Herb crusted pork tenderloin finished with apple cider demi-glace

SERVED DINNER ENTRÉES

SEAFOOD

MISO SALMON (GF,DF)

Salmon fillet roasted in miso and sweet chili sauce

ATLANTIC COD

Pan seared cod finished with a shrimp sauce

SEAFOOD PUFF PASTRY

Shrimp and scallops wrapped in puff pastry finished with a lobster sauce

MINNESOTA WALLEYE

Parmesan crusted walleye finished with a fresh lemon glaze

VEGETARIAN

STUFFED PASTA ROLLS

Stuffed pasta rolls with ricotta and italian cheeses, mushrooms and sundried tomato with fresh roasted vegetables, served with a rose sauce

STIR FRY VEGETABLES

Fresh vegetables in a fried rice ring finished with wonton crisps and sesame seeds

WILD MUSHROOM & SPINACH RAVIOLI

Mushroom and spinach ravioli finished with a boursin mushroom cream sauce

KIDS

CHICKEN TENDERS

Served with french fries, fresh cut fruit and condiments

HOMEMADE MACARONI AND CHEESE

Served with fresh cut fruit

CORN DOG

Served with french fries, fresh cut fruit and honey mustard

DUET PLATE OF CHICKEN TENDERS & MACARONI & CHEESE

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DESSERTS

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SERVED OR PRE-SET

Bunnies coconut cake

Chocolate raspberry cake

Strawberry cream cake

Chocolate mint cake

Double chocolate cake

Vanilla cake

Flourless chocolate torte (GF)

Classic baked cheesecake

Turtle cheesecake

White chocolate mousse with fresh whipped cream
and chocolate drizzle (GF)

BUFFET

Bunnies coconut cake or cupcake

Chocolate raspberry cake or cupcake

Strawberry cream cake

Chocolate mint cake

Double chocolate cake

Vanilla cake

Flourless chocolate torte (GF)

Classic baked cheesecake

Turtle cheesecake

Apple crisp

White chocolate mousse with fresh whipped cream
and chocolate drizzle (GF)

Assorted fresh baked cookies and assorted bars

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BUFFET

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*Beverage station to include lemonade and fresh brewed decaf coffee
(\$5.00 per table for decaf coffee service)*

ITALIAN

Classic caesar salad with creamy caesar dressing

Garlic toast and garlic parmesan bread sticks

Traditional lasagna with Italian sausage and ground beef blended with a rich plum tomato marinara with ricotta and mozzarella cheese

Fresh green beans with brown butter (GF)

CLASSIC

Mixed greens with cucumber, tomato, pickled onions, cheddar cheese and crispy croutons with ranch or french dressing

Fresh baked dinner rolls with butter

Boursin chicken - Panko chicken breast with a boursin cream sauce

Parmesan garlic mashed potatoes (GF)

Fresh green beans with brown butter (GF)

PREMIER

Mixed greens with berries, raisins, feta cheese, roasted sugar nuts with raspberry vinaigrette dressing (GF,DF)

Fresh baked dinner rolls with butter

Panko crusted chicken breast, served with sundried tomato cream sauce

Seared sliced pork tenderloin, finished with a brandy demi-glace (GF,DF)

Au-gratin potatoes from aged cheddar cheese

Seasonal, colorful medley of vegetables (GF,DF)

SOUTH OF THE BORDER

Slow roasted pork carnitas and braised beef barbacoa served with:

- Warm flour or corn tortillas (DF)
- Cilantro lime rice (GF,DF)
- Traditional black beans (GF,DF)
- Chips and salsa (GF,DF)
- Condiments: queso fresco, cilantro, limes, pico de gallo and sour cream

ELITE

Mixed greens with blueberry goat cheese, candied walnuts, fresh blackberries with raspberry vinaigrette (GF,DF)

Fresh baked dinner rolls with butter

Chicken cordon bleu - Panko chicken breast stuffed with ham and Swiss cheese, served with mornay sauce

Chef carved prime rib of beef with horseradish sauce (GF)

Roasted red potatoes with fresh herbs (GF)

Honey bourbon glazed carrots (GF)

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LATE NIGHT

COLD SELECTIONS

Assorted cocktail rolls with ham, turkey, cheese, lettuce and tomato

Potato chips and homemade french onion dip

HOT SELECTIONS

Classic pizza
cheese, pepperoni, sausage, or vegetarian priced per pizza

Upgraded options:
Meat lovers, supreme, Canadian bacon and pineapple, or chicken alfredo priced per pizza

Warm pretzels with cheese dip

Spinach and artichoke dip with crackers



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BAR & BEVERAGE

All prices are subject to a service charge and applicable sales tax.

HOSTED DRINKS

HOSTED SODA PACKAGE

Host unlimited soda for you and your guests.

Price: Please Inquire Regarding Pricing

HOSTED DRINK TICKETS

Charged on Consumption

Price: priced per drink

Does Not Include Premium/Top Shelf Cocktails

WINE

SPECIALTY WINES

Ask your sales representative for our full list of specialty wines

HOUSE WINES

Cabernet, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Rose, and Moscato

LOCAL, CRAFT & IMPORTED KEGGED BEER

Please inquire about other options. (Market Price)

SUPPORT LOCAL BREWERIES

LTS

Little Thistle

Kinney Creek

MINNESOTA / REGIONAL BREWERIES

Fair State Co-op MN

Bent Paddle MN

Summit MN

Fulton MN

Toppling Goliath IA

NATIONAL BREWERIES

New Belgium CO

Sam Adams MA

Blue Moon CO

Deschutes WA

Bell's MI

DOMESTIC KEGS

DOMESTICS BEER KEGS

Coors Light

Michelob Golden Light

Busch Light

Bud Light

Miller Lite

CASH BAR PRICING

DOMESTIC BOTTLED BEER

IMPORTED BEER AND PREMIUMS

CALL COCKTAILS

HOUSE WINES

PREMIUM COCKTAILS

ASSORTED SODAS

Cash Bar must generate minimum a sales per hour.

Bars are required to remain open for a minimum of 2 hours.

If minimum is not met the client will be billed the difference.

NO outside beverages are allowed.

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PAYMENT

We gladly accept personal checks, money orders, cash and all credit cards (3% processing fee will be applied)

All prices are subject to all applicable taxes and 20% Service Charge (not a gratuity) Service charge and tax are subject to change.

LEFTOVERS

Due to the uncontrollable conditions, leftover food may not leave the Rochester Event Center. The remainder of all food products will be donated to the Community Food Response program.

FINAL COUNT

Final counts are due 10 days prior to your event. Any additional add-on to your final count will incur a 15% charge to each meal price.