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**CATERING**

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# CATERING GUIDE

- ✓ **Please provide 72 hours notice for catering and special events**
- ✓ **Additional labor charges may accrue for events over 100 guests**
- ✓ **All bar service will accrue a bartender fee**
- ✓ **Standard Black or White Service linen \$2.00 per linen / .25 per napkin**
- ✓ **Specialty linen priced per event needs**
- ✓ **All pricing based on eco-friendly disposables / china service may accrue additional labor cost**
- ✓ **University of Chicago Laboratory Schools internal events will be discounted at a 25% discount**
- ✓ **Any menu may be customized based on the clients request, and menu will be priced according to that event**
- ✓ **Additional labor charges may accrue for events before 7:00 am or after 7:00 pm**



# CATERING GUIDE | *Breakfast*

## **Continental Breakfast:**

Continental Breakfast: coffee, tea, juice & assorted pastries

*\$5.25/person*

Good Morning Breakfast Buffet: choose 1 entrée, meat, & side

*\$7.75/person*

Great Morning Breakfast Buffet: 2 entrées, 1 meat, & 1 side

*\$9.25/person*

***Breakfast buffets include coffee, tea, juice, assorted breakfast pastries.***

## **Continental Breakfast**

*\$5.95/person*

*Fresh Fruit , Choice of: Donuts, Pastries, Muffins or Bagels & Flavored Cream Cheese,  
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Hot Tea, Orange Juice*

## **Deluxe Continental Breakfast**

*\$6.95/person*

*Fresh Fruit, Choice of: Donuts, Pastries, Muffins or Bagels & Flavored Cream Cheese,  
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Hot Tea, Orange & Grapefruit Juice, Scones \$1.00 extra*

## **Entrées**

Farm Fresh Scrambled Eggs, Homemade Quiche, Cinnamon Swirl French Toast, Flaky Croissant Breakfast Sandwich, Waffles with Fresh Fruit, Frittata with Seasonal Vegetables

## **Meats**

Crisp Bacon (Pork or Turkey), Sausage Links or Patties (Pork or Turkey), Country Ham

## **Sides**

Seasonal Fresh Fruit, Low-Fat Yogurt & Granola, Home-style Potatoes



# CATERING GUIDE | *Boxed Lunch*

## Pack Your Lunch

Select 1 beverage, 2 sides & 1 sandwich or salad

\$9.75/ person

If you would prefer a plated meal, we are happy to offer any of the following options as a plated meal

*Boxed lunches will be delivered to you and include disposable cutlery*

### Sandwiches

- ❖ Turkey & Bacon Pretzel Club
- ❖ Sundried Tomato & Vegetable Wrap
- ❖ Chicken Caesar Wrap
- ❖ Italian Sub Sandwich
- ❖ Rueben Sandwich Wrap
- ❖ Baked Ham & Brie on a Croissant

### Sides

- ❖ Fresh Whole Fruit
- ❖ Seasonal Fruit Salad
- ❖ Fresh Vegetables & Dip
- ❖ House - made Potato Chips
- ❖ Homemade Cookies
- ❖ Whole Grain Pasta Salad
- ❖ Mediterranean Quinoa Salad

### Salads

- ❖ Chopped Salad
- ❖ Southwestern Taco Salad
- ❖ Classic Caesar Salad with Grilled Steak
- ❖ Classic Caesar Salad with Chicken
- ❖ Strawberry Balsamic Green Salad with Walnuts

### Beverages

- ❖ Bottled Water
- ❖ Canned Soda
- ❖ Bottled Sodas
- ❖ Bottled Teas



# CATERING GUIDE | *Lunch Buffets*

A minimum of 15 people is recommended for a buffet

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*Lunch buffets include a selection of beverages*

## **Simply Italian** \$10.50 / person

*Served with a fresh garden salad and freshly baked breads, guests will enjoy our famous Chicken Marsala or Chicken Lemone, crisp Italian green beans, and garlic parmesan tossed penne.*

## **Soup, Salad, & Sandwich** \$10.50 / person

*Enjoy one of our homemade soups, a choice of 2 signature salads, or 2 gourmet sandwich selections.*

## **Chicken Parmesan** \$14.50 per person

*Served with a fresh garden salad and artisanal dinner rolls, or garlic breadsticks, Parmesan and Italian Bread Crumb Crusted Chicken Breast, lightly sautéed, topped with provolone cheese, and linguini pasta.*

## **Taqueria** \$15.95 per person

*Build your own tacos, salad, or nachos, just the way you like. Authentic homemade salsas, vegetarian beans, slow-cooked pork, seasoned chicken, or ground beef (choose 2 meats) are sure to be a hit.*

## **Farmer's Market** \$12.00 / person

*Seasonal fruits and vegetables, lean proteins, homemade salad dressings, and artisanal breads make this gourmet salad bar a great option for a light, healthy lunch.*



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## **Deli Delight** \$9.25/person

*Assortment of artisanal breads and wraps, a selection of premium deli meats and cheeses, fresh vegetable toppings, and gourmet spreads and dressings.*

## **Super Soups** - \$8.00/person

*Three, homemade soups that you can fill a freshly baked bread bowl with. Or enjoy a bowl with a piece of warm bread or roll.*

## **Wing Bar** - \$10.50/person

*Your choice of bone-in or boneless chicken wings, hand-tossed in three distinct sauces. Accompanied with celery and carrot sticks, ranch and bleu cheese dressing, and your choice of hand cut fries, sweet potato fries, or waffle fries.*

## **Sliders** - \$10.50/person

*Choice of three sliders on gourmet rolls. Served with house-made potato chips and fresh fruit salad.*



# CATERING GUIDE | *Appetizers*

## Hot Appetizers

- ❖ Spinach and Cheese Stuffed Mushrooms: \$2.00 /per piece
- ❖ Spinach & Artichoke Dip - \$3.00 /per piece
- ❖ Bacon-Wrapped Dates - \$4.00 /per piece
- ❖ Tomato, Basil & Fresh Mozzarella Bruschetta - \$1.75/ per piece
- ❖ Italian Meatballs - \$3.00 / per piece
- ❖ Thai Chicken Satay - \$2.50 / per Piece

*We recommend 3-4 pieces per person  
If you are just selecting appetizers, we recommend  
8-12 pieces per person  
(Minimum of 12 per Person)*

## Cold Appetizers

*(Small Tray Price/ Large Tray Price)*

- ❖ Crudités with Dip – (\$34/\$45)
- ❖ Hummus with Naan - (\$34/\$45)
- ❖ Fruit Kabobs with Yogurt Dip - (\$40/\$58)
- ❖ Homemade Tortilla Chips & Salsas - (\$29/\$38)
- ❖ Caprese Skewers - (\$40/\$58)
- ❖ Charcuterie & Cheese Board – (\$52/\$90)

Small Tray: Serves 10-15 People  
Large Tray: Serves 16-20 People



# CATERING GUIDE | *Dinner Buffets*

A minimum of 20 people is recommended for a buffet  
Buffets for less than 20 may be modified or an additional fee charged  
For plated meal, additional labor charges to be added

Dinner buffets include a house salad and artisanal dinner rolls,  
ice water, ice-tea or lemonade

Add coffee service, \$1.75/ person

## **Taste of Tuscany** - \$16.00 per person

*Penne pasta with Pomodoro sauce (vegetarian), Chicken Alfredo fettuccini, Rigatoni with marinara with Italian sausage, spaghetti with meatballs (choose 2)*

## **All-Star Grill** - \$14.50 per person

*Chargrilled burgers, chicken, and black bean burgers served with traditional and gourmet toppings. Combined with homemade potato chips and fresh fruit salad make a winning combination.*

## **Wok This Way** - \$16.95 per person

*Authentic flavors, colorful vegetables, and lean proteins top white or brown rice, and udon or rice noodles.*





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## **Southern BBQ - \$19.95 per person**

*Texas dry-rubbed beef brisket, Kansas City slow-cooked ribs, and Memphis BBQ pulled chicken. Accompanied with cole slaw, baked beans, and jalapeno corn bread*

## **Mediterranean Tilapia - \$18.95 per person**

*Baked tilapia topped with tomatoes and feta, accompanied by parmesan risotto and steamed green beans.*

## **Bacon-Wrapped Chicken - \$17.95 per person**

*Grilled chicken breast, wrapped in hickory bacon, and served with oven-roasted sweet potatoes and a seasonal vegetable.*

## **Herb-Seasoned Prime Rib - \$27.95 per person**

*Perfectly seasoned prime rib presented with a baked potato and roasted broccoli.*



# CATERING GUIDE | *Plated Dinners*

A minimum of 20 people is required for a plated dinner

Plated dinners include a house salad and artisanal dinner rolls,  
ice water, ice-tea or lemonade

Add coffee service, \$1.75/ person

**Basil Parmesan Portabella Orecchiette** - \$14.50 per person

*Orecchiette pasta with caramelized onion, fresh basil, sautéed portabella mushrooms, and parmesan cheese*

**Seared Ahi Tuna w/Crispy Sesame Green Beans** - \$21.95 per person

*Seared Ahi Tuna, Cauliflower Carrot Ginger Puree and Sesame Green Beans*

**Rosemary Encrusted Pork Loin** - \$14.50 per person

*Served with garlic mashed potatoes and fresh green beans*

**Slow-Cooked Beef Brisket** - \$23.95 per person

*Sliced and served with oven roasted root vegetables and Brussel sprouts*

**Thai BBQ Salmon** - \$22.50 per person

*Grilled and served with wild rice and steamed seasonal vegetables*

**Meyer Lemon Chicken** - \$14.50 per person

*Seared chicken breast paired with grilled broccoli and quinoa*



## **CATERING GUIDE** | *Desserts*

**Large Freshly Baked Cookies** - \$1.25 *each*

**Assorted Mini Cookies** - \$7.75 *per dozen*

**Gourmet Brookies** - \$1.50 *each*

**Oreo Cheesecake Parfait** - \$3.25 *each*

**Deluxe Carrot Cake** - \$3.25 *per slice*

**Lemon Bars** - \$1.50 *each*

**Assorted Mini Petit Fours** - \$9.00 *per dozen*

**Assorted Mini Dessert Bars**: \$9.50 *per dozen*

**Hot Apple Crisp** - \$1.95 *per person*

**S'Mores Bars** - \$2.95 *per person*

**Gourmet Fudge Brownies** - \$1.95 *per person*

**Tiramisu Cakes** - \$4.25 *each*

**Mini Mousse Shots** - \$3.95 *per person*



## **CATERING GUIDE |** ***Breaks & Refreshments***

**House Made Hummus and Pita** - \$4.00/person

*Fresh vegetables served with hummus and homemade ranch dip.*

**Build-Your-Own Trail Mix** - \$2.75/person

*Assorted nuts, dried fruit, pretzels, chocolate pieces, sesame stick, rye crisps, and other goodies combined in your favorite sweet & salty snack.*

**Cheese & Crackers** - \$3.75/person

*Assortment of cheeses, gourmet crackers, and grapes.*

**Snack Attack** - \$2.75/person

*Assorted chips, pretzels, popcorn, and candy.*

**Coffee & Tea** - \$1.75/person

*Fair Trade coffees and teas with accompaniments.*

**Hydration Station** - \$2.00 (per 50 people)

*Infused water flavored with seasonal fruits and herbs*

**Sodas & Juice** - \$2.75/person

*Bottles of regular and diet soda, and 100% fruit juices.*