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SUBJECT: TRAY PASSED HORS D'OEUVRE
Date:
Time:
Guests:

Location:

February 12, 2024

Hors D'oeuvre

Silver Spoons Catering, Inc is honored to present you the following menu

ON ARRIVAL

HORS D'OEUVRES TABLE

A lush combination of fresh cut fruit, Mediterranean-style grilled vegetables, The Silver Spoons' Charcuterie Board, and other favorites will be elegantly displayed on ceramic platters surrounded by live greens and fresh flowers as follows:

Mélange of fresh fruit to include:

Honeydew Cantaloupe
Watermelon Pineapple
Papaya Strawberries

Grapes Kiwi

Mediterranean style grilled vegetables to include:

Green Beans Artichokes

Belgium Carrots Imported Snow Peas Mushroom Points Asparagus Spears

Red, Yellow & Green Pepper Circles

Charcuterie

A delectable array of Italian meats and cheeses to include Genoa Salami, Prosciutto, Mozzarella, and Provolone adorned with Kalamata Olives, Green Olives and offered with Dijon mustard, sliced baguettes, and Bread Sticks

-or-

International Cheese Board

A tempting variety of delicious Mediterranean cheese tortas to include Brie with Sun-Dried Tomatoes and Pine Nuts, and Cream Cheese with Pesto, offered with crisp gourmet crackers and French baguettes. Presented with wedges of fresh and aged cheeses of French Blue Cheese, Swiss Gruyere and Holland Gouda, and garnished with strawberries and grapes

Tuscan Chicken Salad

A Mediterranean salad of wild greens, Kalamata olives, grilled eggplant, julienne cut strips of grilled breast of chicken, and penne pasta gently mixed in a Balsamic Vinaigrette Dressing and served with Garlic Toast Points. Presented in a take -out container

Please select 4 hors d'oeuvres from the following to complement your Hors D'oeuvres Table, or you may elect to replace any of the appetizers as described on page 2 (one for one; except the Charcuterie or Cheese Board then please replace with two choices) with any of the following appetizers for a total of eight items:

Sans the Charcuterie or Cheese Board, please select 9 items

Bastilla

Tender breast of chicken pan sautéed in butter with onions, ginger, cinnamon, and herbs, then wrapped in flaky filo pastry dough with toasted almonds and baked to a golden brown

Beef Satay

Medallions of beef tenderloin marinated in Indonesian herbs and spices, then skewered and served with peanut chutney

Beef Teriyaki

Aged Eastern beef tenderloins marinated in Teriyaki Sauce and served on a skewer with green peppers and onions

Blinis

Small pancakes, prepared in the style of great Russian chefs, served with black caviar and a dollop of sour cream

Brie en Croute

A tiny homemade pastry shell filled with imported Brie cheese then baked to a golden brown and presented drizzled with a light Apricot Glaze

Brie & Fig quesadillas

A unique blend Brie Cheese and Fig Jam grilled in a mini tortilla and served cut in triangles

Bruschetta

Warm garlic bread topped with vine ripened Italian plum tomatoes, thin sliced red onions, and Bufala mozzarella, then drizzled with a light Balsamic Vinaigrette Dressing

California Roll

A Japanese hors d'oeuvre of avocado, crabmeat, and vinegared rice wrapped in Oriental greens and served with Soy Sauce and Wasabi

Caprese Skewers

Beautifully presented on skewers: cherry tomatoes filled with imported Buffalo mozzarella, topped with a sprig of fresh basil, and drizzled with Balsamic Vinegar and herbs

Chicken Satay

Medallions of tender boneless breast of chicken marinated in Indonesian herbs and spices, then grilled over mesquite and offered with a Peanut Chutney

Chinese Chicken Salad Baskets

A medley of shredded chicken, shredded lettuce, green onions, carrots, sweet red ginger, mandarin orange sections, and slivered almonds, gently tossed in a Sesame & Rice Vinegar Dressing, then served in a trendy take out container

Cocktail Quiche

Grated Swiss and Gruyere cheese blended with cream and eggs and baked in a petite shell with an assortment of vegetables

Crostini de la Maison

A colorful, classic treat of our crisp homemade croutons topped with imported goat cheese and grilled red pepper slices

Elegant Potato Pancakes

Delicious potato pancakes pan-sautéed to a golden brown, then topped with imported Brie and poached pears and baked to flavorful perfection

Falafel, Deconstructed

A traditional favorite of ground chick peas and a secret blend of Middle Eastern ingredients, deep fried to a golden brown and presented in pita with Tahini Dipping Sauce

Franks in Jackets

All beef mini frankfurters wrapped in a puff pastry dough and baked to a delicate golden brown

Fried Wontons

Delicate wontons deep-fried to a crispy golden brown and offered to your guests with Apricot Sauce, Soy Sauce, and Chinese Hot Mustard

Fries, Fries, Fries

Delectable crispy French fries served to your guests in an individual cone with a Ranch Dipping Sauce on the side

Gazpacho Shooters

A California version of the Spanish classic: chilled soup made with ripe, uncooked tomatoes, cucumber, bell pepper, celery, onion, and cilantro served from a shot glass.

Gorgonzola Grapes

Sweet California seedless grapes rolled in a delicate mixture of Gorgonzola, cream cheese, and fresh cream, then sprinkled with chopped pistachio and macadamia nuts

Gourmet Pizza

An assortment of gourmet pizzas prepared with our special toppings to include fresh basil and garlic, sliced tomato and garlic, mushrooms, and barbecued chicken

Gravlox

Marinated salmon sliced thin and presented with capers, chopped onions, and freshly baked pumpernickel bread

Insalata

A delicate arrangement of slices of Bufala mozzarella and Italian plum tomatoes topped with fresh basil and drizzled with imported virgin olive oil

Lamb Satay

Medallions of lamb marinated in Indonesian herbs and spices, then grilled over mesquite and offered with a Peanut Chutney

Le Boeuf en Croute

An individual Beef Wellington prepared with a French Bouchee, pate de la maison, and chateaubriand

Maryland Crab Cakes en Croute

Maryland crab and tomato lobster puree blended then piped into a French pastry dough and baked to a golden brown. Served with Béarnaise Sauce

Mini Empanaditas

Delicious empanaditas filled with a Mushroom and Sun-Dried Tomato filling and offered with a mild Black Bean Salsa

Mini Focaccia With Buffalo Mozzarella

Just baked focaccia bread brushed with a Balsamic vinegar and filled with thinly sliced tomatoes, basil and Buffalo Mozzarella

Mini Hamburgers

A mini patty of freshly ground beef prepared on our braziers and served on a bun with ketchup and mustard

Mini Grilled Cheese

Alpine Fontina and Sonoma Cheddar cheeses melted together and grilled to crispy perfection on freshly baked sourdough bread. Offered with a date nut chutney

Mini Potato Knishes

New potatoes baked and seasoned with herbs and spices then wrapped in a puff pastry dough and baked again to a golden brown

Mini Tri-Tip on Focaccia Sandwich

Just baked focaccia bread brushed with a Dijon mustard and filled with grilled & thinly sliced sirloin Tri-Tips of Beef

Mini Ruben Sandwiches

Just-baked rye bread topped with melted Swiss Cheese, Thousand Island Dressing, thin-sliced Corned Beef, and Sauerkraut

Mini Quesadillas

A traditional favorite of Monterey Jack cheese flavored with a hint of jalapenos offered in a mini tortilla with guacamole and salsa

Mini Salmon Skewers

Pacific Northwest salmon marinated in an Orange & Fresh Herb marinade, then sliced, skewered, and grilled over mesquite until tender and offered with a Teriyaki glaze

Mini Vegetable Kabobs

A tasty and eye-pleasing assortment of vegetables arranged on a mini skewer then basted with olive oil and fresh herbs and grilled to perfection

Moroccan Cigars

A delicious Mediterranean hors d'oeuvre of filo dough and a delightful vegetarian filling, rolled tight and served with our lively Red Pepper Sauce

Orzo Salad Shooters

A light, flavorful salad of orzo, feta cheese, red and yellow peppers, Kalamata olives, scallions, and capers in a lemon vinaigrette dressing, and garnished with roasted pine nuts will be offered in a 2-ounce shot glass.

Peapods with Boursin Cheese

Crisp Oriental peapods gently filled with imported Boursin cheese and topped with a sprig of fresh mint

Peking Duck

Grilled breast of duck cut into julienne strips and served in a flour tortilla with Hoisin Sauce

Petite Feuillete

A petite French pastry cup baked to a golden brown then filled with smoked Nova Scotia salmon and a dollop of sour cream then topped with fresh dill

Potatoes a la Russo

California New Potatoes that have been baked to a golden brown, then split and served with farm fresh sour cream and a sprig of dill

Salmon and Goat Cheese Quesadillas

Flour tortillas filled with imported goat cheese and salmon, then lightly grilled and served in triangles with a mildly spiced Papaya Salsa

Samosas

Delectable handmade pastry stuffed with potatoes, onions, delicate green peas, and exotic spices then fried until a perfect golden brown

Seared Ahi

Fresh ahi skewered and brushed with an Orange & Fresh Herb Marinade, then seared on a red-hot grill and presented with a Ginger & Sesame Dipping Sauce

Scallops Brochette

Sweet bay scallops wrapped in imported bacon, then baked to perfection and served on a skewer

Scallops Ceviche

A traditional ceviche of scallops, diced tomatoes, Anaheim chiles, lime, and cilantro

Sirloin Stuffed Mushrooms

Jumbo mushroom caps filled with our special ground sirloin and sun-dried tomato stuffing and seasoned with herbs and spices

Spanakopita

Tender, flaky filo pastry dough wrapped around a tasty blend of spinach and feta cheese - a Greek delicacy

Spicy Potstickers

A spicy hand-made Oriental delicacy deep-fried in our woks to a golden brown and offered with Plum Sauce and Chinese Hot Mustard

Spicy Tuna Roll

A Japanese hors d'oeuvres of spicy tuna and white rice wrapped in Oriental greens and served with Soy Sauce and Wasabi

Spring Rolls

An Asian hors d'oeuvre of finely cut vegetables wrapped in a spring roll wrapper then fried to a golden brown and offered with a light Apricot Sauce

Stuffed Mushrooms Florentine

Mushroom caps filled with our special blend of chopped spinach and ricotta cheese seasoned with herbs and spices

Taquitos del Mar

Mini corn tortillas filled with shrimp then tightly rolled and deep fried to a golden brown. Served with Papaya Salsa

Tuna Poke

An island hor d'oeuvre of fresh tuna marinated in our chef's poke sauce, and served in a trendy shot glass with a miniature fork

Vegetable Roll

A Japanese hors d'oeuvre of avocado, carrots, cucumber, and vinegared rice wrapped in Oriental greens and served with Soy Sauce and wasabi

Wrapped Chicken

Marinated breast of chicken, julienne strips of onion and red peppers, cilantro, and finely grated Fontina and Mozzarella cheeses wrapped in flaky pastry dough and baked to flavorful perfection. Offered with Tomato & Basil Salsa

Yucatan Sausages

Hand-made sausages of chicken and Indonesian herbs and spices, grilled to perfection, then cut into medallions and served with a Mango Chutney

DESSERT & COFFEE SERVICE

Squares & Bars Pastries

A variety of delectable over-sized cookies and pastries to include Chocolate Chunk Brownies, Old Fashioned Lemon Bars, Black & Whites, and Chocolate Swirl Almond Cookies



Coffee Service

Our freshly brewed Colombian and decaffeinated coffee will be offered with the following:

Half & Half Sugar
Sugar Substitutes Whipped Cream
Herb Teas Tea

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Re: Menu Options (Page 1 of 4)

THE CARVING TABLE:

You May elect to add (or exchange 3 hors d'oeuvres from the those listed on pages 2 through 11) added to your final billing if you elect to have us prepare the following:

Tri-Tips of Beef

Aged and marinated sirloin tri-tips grilled to perfection then carved to order by our chef before your guests and offered with the following:

Au Jus ~Sauce Béarnaise ~ Dijon Mustard ~ Creamy Horseradish

La Brea Bakery Roll Assortment

PASTA BAR:

You may elect to add (or exchange 3 hors d'oeuvres from the those listed on pages 2 through 11) added to your final billing if you elect to have us prepare the following:

Pasta, Pasta, Pasta

Three of our most popular sauces will be offered with our favorite pastas prepared al dente and offered to your guests as follows:

Penne with Concasse Sauce Spinach Tortellini with Cream & Cognac Sauce Farfalle with Turkey Bolognese Sauce Garlic Bread ~ Bread Sticks ~ Whipped Butter Freshly Grated Parmigiano-Reggiano Cheese Cracked Black Pepper To:

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Re: Menu Options (page 2 of 4)

Chicken Piccata:

You may elect to add (or exchange 3 hors d'oeuvres from the those listed on pages 2 through 11) added to your final billing if you elect to have us prepare the following:

Chicken Piccata

Tender medallions of boneless breast of chicken pan-sautéed in imported olive oil seasoned with herbs, spices, fresh squeezed lemon juice, and a splash of white and garnished with capers and sliced lemons

Garlic Mashed Potatoes or one Pasta Dish

Farm fresh potatoes cooked until tender, then whipped with roasted garlic until fluffy

POMPEI SALMON TABLE:

You may elect to add (or exchange 3 hors d'oeuvres from the those listed on pages 2 through 11) added to your final billing if you elect to have us prepare the following:

Salmon A La Roma

Atlantic salmon filets that have been seasoned with our secret blend of herbs and spices then prepared pan seared in cast iron pans. Served with our flavorful Piccata Sauce of herbs, spices, fresh squeezed lemon juice, and a splash of white wine

Garlic Bread, Bread Sticks & Whipped Butter

Other salmon preparations available as well

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Gourmet Pizza Bar:

You may elect to add (or exchange 3 hors d'oeuvres from the those listed on pages 2 through 11) added to your final billing if you elect to have us prepare the following:

Gourmet Pizza Bar

An assortment of gourmet pizzas prepared with our special toppings to include fresh basil and garlic, sliced tomato and garlic, mushrooms, and barbecued chicken

SCAMPI BAR:

You may elect to add (or exchange 4 hors d'oeuvres from the those listed on pages 2 through 11) added to your final billing if you elect to have us prepare the following:

Shrimp Scampi

Jumbo shrimp sautéed before your guests in garlic butter, wine, and fresh-squeezed lemon juice then topped with fresh parsley

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