



CATERING MENU







WELCOME!

In choosing Zoo New England as your event location, you have selected a unique venue and a truly memorable experience. We look forward to working with you to create an event that you and your guests will thoroughly enjoy.

On behalf of our entire team of hospitality professionals here at Franklin Park Zoo and Stone Zoo, we are delighted to help you host a successful event. We are experts in all aspects of event planning, and we're 100% dedicated to making it smooth and easy for you to enjoy entertaining your guests. And, of course, special requests can always be accommodated. We are happy to work with you to create the perfect special dishes for your celebration.

We are thrilled to have the opportunity to serve you and your guests, making your gathering special and enjoyable. Our goal is to create not just a meal, but an experience filled with warmth, flavor, and unforgettable moments!

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If you would like to set up a catering order please reach out to our catering manager Alex Richardson.

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Morning

Prices listed are per guest. Minimum of 25 guests. All Buffets are served with Orange juice, assorted teas, premium brewed coffee and decaf coffee

Light Breakfast

Rise & Shine

Assorted bakery pastries, granola bars and fresh fruit salad

9

The Grand Continental

Bakery fresh muffins, assorted house-baked pastries and assorted bagels. Served with cream cheese, butter and preserves, fresh fruit salad and assorted yogurts 17

BREAKFAST BUFFET

Build Your Own Breakfast

23

House selected breakfast protein with fluffy scrambled eggs, bagels, crispy breakfast potatoes, bakery fresh muffins, assorted pastries and fresh fruit salad

BREAKFAST ENHANCEMENTS

Belgian Waffle Station* (50 person minimum)

14

Fresh cooked Belgian waffles. Served with warm maple syrup, whipped cream, creamy butter, chocolate sauce and fresh seasonal berries

*Requires a culinary professional \$150.00





BOXED LUNCHES

Price listed are per guest. Minimum of 25 boxes per selection. Boxed Lunches include a bag of potato chips, sweet treat and bottled water.

Classic Sandwiches

20

All sandwiches served on a Kaiser roll with lettuce and tomato *Your choice of:*

- Oven roasted turkey breast and sharp cheddar cheese
- Honey glazed ham and Swiss cheese
- Cranberry apple chicken salad
- Grilled portobello mushroom with sundried tomato and hummus

Gourmet Wraps 22

- Chicken Caesar Wrap Chicken breast, romaine lettuce, Parmesan cheese and Caesar dressing, tossed and rolled in a large flour tortilla
- **Turkey BLT Wrap** Thinly sliced turkey breast, strips of crisp bacon, green leaf lettuce, tomato and cheddar cheese rolled into a large tortilla. Served with ranch dressing
- Mediterranean Vegetable Wrap Tomatoes, cucumbers, bell peppers, red onions and mixed baby lettuce rolled in a large tortilla.
 Served with hummus
- **Buffalo Chicken Wrap** Crispy chicken tossed in red hot buffalo sauce, green leaf lettuce, and rolled in a large flour tortilla. Served with blue cheese dressing





PICNIC PACKAGES

Price listed are per guest. Minimum of 50 guests.

All Picnics include:

- Lemonade and water station
- Pasta salad
- Red bliss potato salad
- Mixed green salad with balsamic vinaigrette
- Kettle chips
- Assorted gourmet cookies and brownies

The Delicatessen

23

Deli sandwiches served on Kaiser rolls with lettuce and tomato

- Oven roasted turkey breast, sharp cheddar and herb mayonnaise
- Honey glazed ham, Swiss cheese and dijon mustard
- House-made chicken salad with apple and cranberries
- Grilled portobello mushroom, sundried tomato and hummus

It's A Wrap

25

- Chicken Caesar Wrap Chicken breast, romaine lettuce, Parmesan cheese and Caesar dressing, tossed and rolled in a large flour tortilla
- Turkey BLT Wrap Thinly sliced turkey breast, strips of crisp bacon, green leaf lettuce, tomato and cheddar cheese rolled into a large tortilla. Served with ranch dressing
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Appetizers

Prices listed by the piece, minimum 25 pieces.

pieces.				Mini Crudité Cups	4.50
Spanakopita Pouches	4.50	Mini Chicken Quesadillas	4.50	Hummus and Tzatziki	
Mini Fruit Kabobs	4.50	Hot Sauce			
Willia Fruit Rubobs	4.50	Asian Chicken Satays	icken Satays 4.50	Bacon Wrapped Scallops	5.50
Beef Mediterranean Skewers	4.00	Sweet chili sauce		Raspberry Brie Phyllo Bites	4.50
Chicken & Lemongrass Potstickers	4.50	Asparagus Phyllo Bites	4.50	Raspberry brier right bites	4.50
Teriyaki Soy Glaze Caprese Skewers	5.50	Asian Chicken Satays Sweet chili sauce	4.50	Breaded Cheese Ravioli	4.50
Balsamic				Smoked Gouda Arancini Marinara	4.50







4.50

RECEPTION DISPLAYS & STATIONS

Prices listed per guest, 25 guest minimum.

Farm Fresh Garden Crudité Celery, carrot, broccoli, cauliflower, cherry tomato, bell pepper, cucumber with herb ranch dip	7
Seasonal Fruit Platter A selection of fresh seasonal fruits and berries with vanilla yogurt	8
Local & Imported Cheese Platter Locally sourced cheeses with gourmet table crackers and assorted fruits and berries	10

Mediterranean Platter Whipped hummus, crumbled feta, tzatziki, olive medley, cucumber and tomato salad and toasted naan bread	10
Cocktail Shrimp Jumbo shrimp chilled on ice with zesty cocktail sauce and fresh lemon	13
New England Clam Chowder Jumbo shrimp chilled on ice with zesty cocktail sauce and fresh lemon	13





BUFFETS

Prices listed per guest, 50 guest minimum.
All Buffets served with lemonade and water stations.

LITTLE ITALY

35*

- Chicken parmesan
- Italian meatball marinara
- Ricotta Stuffed shells with Pomodoro sauce
- Focaccia bread
- Caprese salad
- Caesar salad
- Tiramisu

STIR FRY EXPRESS

- Thai curry chicken stir fry
- Teriyaki beef stir fry
- Mandarin Asian salad, ginger sesame dressing
- Vegetarian pot stickers
- Steamed jasmine rice
- Fortune cookies

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- Garlic oregano scented beef tips onions, bell peppers and scallions
- Lemon tarragon baked chicken
- Fresh pita bread
- Hummus and tzatziki
- Greek salad
- Lemon herb rice pilaf
- Baklava







BUFFETS

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SERENGETI FEAST

22

- Chargrilled hamburgers and hot dogs
- Lettuce, tomato and onion
- American cheese and condiments
- Bakery fresh buns and rolls
- Kettle chips
- Red bliss potato salad
- Fresh chocolate chip cookies

THE BOSTON BARBECUE Choose two (2) Entrées 38 Choose three (3) Entrées 43

- Mixed field greens salad with balsamic dressing
- Sweet cabbage slaw
- Southern style potato salad
- Fresh cut watermelon
- Brown sugar Boston baked beans
- Cornbread
- Assorted gourmet cookies & bars

Choose from the following entrees

- Grilled Italian sausage with peppers and onions
- Slow braised pulled pork
- BBQ baby back ribs
- Smoked beef brisket
- Grilled barbecue chicken breast





KIDS' BUFFETS

Prices listed per guest, 50 guest minimum.
All Buffets served with lemonade and water stations.

LITTLE JOE'S PIZZA PARTY 24

- Oven baked cheese and pepperoni pizza
- Crispy vegetables sticks with ranch dressing
- Kettle chips
- Fresh baked chocolate chip cookies

LITTLE CHICKEN

- 22
- Southern style chicken tenders
- Crispy coated french fries
- BBQ sauce and ranch dipping sauce
- Crispy vegetables sticks with ranch dressing
- Fresh baked chocolate chip cookies

CHEESY MAC & DOGS 20

- Home style mac & cheese
- All beef hot dogs
- Bakery fresh rolls and condiments
- Crispy vegetables sticks with ranch dressing
- Fresh baked chocolate chip cookies







SOMETHING SWEET

Prices listed per guest, 50 guest minimum.

Gourmet Cookies Large freshly bakes assorted cookies	7.50
Warm Apple Crisp House-made apple crisp served with fresh whip cream and caramel sauce	10
Strawberry Shortcake Station Fresh baked pound cake with strawberries, blueberries, chocolate sauce, fresh whip cream and powder sugar	11
Sweet Mexican Churro Bar Mini cinnamon and sugar churros, with assorted sauces and a toppings bar	11





BEVERAGES

NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

We proudly serve Pepsi products and Aquafina.

Price listed charged per item Canner Water

Soft Drinks
Sparkling Water
Bottled Juice

Orange, Apple, Cranberry

Price listed charged per person/per hour

Coffee and Tea includes coffee, decaf and assorted teas

Hot Chocolate

Lemonade and Iced Tea

BEER / MALTS

Premium/Craft/Import 12

(per can or bottle)

Samuel Adams Boston Lager Samuel Adams Wicked Hazy IPA

Corona Extra Corona Light

Harpoon IPA Truly Hard Seltzer

WINE (each 187ml)

Cavit, Pinot Grigio Canyon Road, Chardonnay Two Vines, Merlot Frontera, Cabernet Sauvignon

HOSTED BEVERAGE SERVICE

By the Hour

Premium/Craft/Import
Beers and Wine

2 hours 24

3 hours 29

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Bartender Fee \$75/hour

All selections subject to availability.

If you're interested in something special, please ask!









CATERING POLICIES

Our catering staff is delighted to work with you to provide all of your food and beverage needs.

Guarantee

To ensure we have ample time to obtain the best product needed to create your event, please provide a guaranteed attendance figure for all functions at least five (5) business days prior to the event date. While we are flexible, if the Catering Manager is not advised by this time, the estimated figure will automatically become the guarantee. Certain circumstances will be reviewed for approval. Increases made within the five (5) business day deadline are subject to approval by Catering and may be subject to an additional fee. We reserve the right to make reasonable substitutions as necessary.

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Each event requires a proper and specific staffing plan. Additional fees may be necessary to meet the needs of your event, We will determine the number of staff required for your event based on the anticipated number of guests.

Payment Policy

Catering accepts Company issued checks, American Express, MasterCard, Visa and Discover as payment for products and services. If you prefer to pay by Company check, a credit card authorization is required. Credit card authorization is also required to process on-site orders. Our policy requires full payment in advance of all events. Upon execution of the contract the client shall pay to Catering a reservation deposit of 50% of the projected cost of the event. The balance is due prior to the execution of the event.

Any expenses incurred on the day of the event or costs not covered by the reservation deposit will be charged to the credit card on file. Purchase orders are not accepted by Catering. If your group is tax exempt, all documents must be submitted to Catering in advance of final billing.

Cancellation Policy

Payment is non-refundable if a function is cancelled less than three (3) business days prior to the event.

Food and Beverage Service

Catering is responsible for the quality and freshness of the food served to all guests. Depending on your event and menu, our Catering Manager will recommend service times. Fees may apply for additional service requested. Any use of outside catering services will be subject to a 15% commission due to Catering. For your guests' safety, food may not be taken off the premises after it has been prepared on site.

Alcoholic Beverages Policy

Please ask your Catering Manager for details on selections, staffing and licensing. Sales of all alcoholic beverages is regulated by the State of Massachusetts. All guests must be at least 21 years of age and possess a valid ID to purchase and consume alcohol. For the safety and enjoyment of all our guests Catering reserves the right to refuse service to any guest for any reason. Bars must close at least 30 minutes prior to the close of the event. For optimal service, we require one (1) bartender for every 75 guests. Bartenders will be billed at a rate of \$75 each, per hour. Minimum of 4 hours at \$250 for the Police Detail rate.

CATERING POLICIES continued

Menu Selection

The menu presented offers a wide variety of items for all catering needs. In addition, our Executive Chef is available to create a custom menu to suit all types of events and tastes. We understand you may have guests with dietary restrictions who require specialty meals. Please notify your Catering Manager at least three (3) business days in advance to ensure we have ample time to create something for everyone.

Administrative Charge and Tax

A "House" or "Administrative" charge of 20% is added to your bill for catering service, which is used to defray the cost of providing the service and other house expenses. No portion of this charge is distributed to the employees providing the service. You are free, but not obligated to add or give a gratuity

directly to your servers. Applicable sales taxes will be added to all food and beverage orders. If the customer is an entity claiming exemption from taxation in the state where the facility is located, please provide us satisfactory evidence of such exemption thirty (30) days prior to the event in order to be relieved of its obligation to pay state and local sales taxes.

Pricing

The prices listed are based on an event duration for up to ninety (90) minutes. Events which exceed a ninety (90) minute time frame may be subject to additional fees for food and labor.

Additional Information

We proudly use eco-friendly biodegradable plates and cutlery for our events. Linens, china, silverware and glassware may be requested at an additional cost.

Please consider a unique gift for your guests which you can select from our wide variety of Zoo merchandise at our Things Wild Gift Shop. **Thanks to our Local Suppliers**

• Baldor Specialty Foods

• George's Bakery









