# Build Your Own Grazing Table - (requires staff - servers & chefs)

This section is for those who prefer more of a lively party, a wife's surprise birthday, an engagement, or a social gathering of friends of any type. These items are beautifully displayed to wow you and even the pickiest guest, with a variety of unique choices using items like bird cages and egg shells for our delectable flans, to our globe ornament tree as a centerpiece of your graze, mini cast iron skillets and shooters to unique small plates. These items are a collection of our best sellers and most recent editions to our ever changing menu.

When selecting passed hors d'oeuvres and grazing table items together for your event, please call for a consultation to discuss your event and your event needs with us. We recommend 6-8 items to be set-up on one of our amazing grazing displays.

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all items below are sold by the dozen

#### <u>"The Bird Cage"</u>

The bird cage selection consists of items displayed in a playful way inside a birdcage served inside an egg shell with a demi-sec spoon

- mushroom flan + braised oxtail jus + ratatouille gf \$14
- asparagus & mint flan + shrimp + mango salsa gf \$14
- parmesan flan + blistered tomatoes + micro basil + crispy prosciutto gf -\$14

# "Globe Ornament Tree"

These selections are served inside clear globe ornaments hanging from our gold tree

- vegetable crudites + hummus dip vegan & gf 7
- tuna poke bowl gf \$11
- "our waldorf" mini salad frisee + green apples + toasted walnuts + red grapes + fried goat cheese \$8

#### Soup Shooters

Our shooters are mini shot glasses of soup, a perfect addition to any grazing table!

- bloody mary gazpacho + cajun shrimp gf \$6
- sweet yellow tomato & jalapeno gazpacho vegan & gf \$6
- corn & chipotle chowder shooter + chive oil \$6
- lobster bisque shooter + creme fraiche \$8
- tomato & fennel bisque + grilled cheese bite \$6
- coconut curry butternut squash bisque \$6

#### Asian Coconut Shell Poke Bowls

Fresh never frozen fish served and displayed in mini coconut shells with chopsticks

- sesame seared tuna + asparagus stir-fry + jasmine rice + pineapple & mango salsa - gf - \$15
- grilled miso salmon + thai cucumber salsa + soba noodle salad \$13
- raw tuna poke bowl + mango + avocado + pickled purple cabbage + carrots
  + radishes + brown rice + seaweed & cucumber salad + sesame seeds gf \$15
- smoked salmon poke bowl + brown rice + avocado + mango + cucumber + pickled ginger + black sesame seeds + citrus ponzu - \$14
- seared beef + ponzu ginger glaze + charred corn + avocado + sliced thin jalapeno + pickled shallots + crispy wontons + sriracha - \$15

# Mini Cast Iron Skillets

These seasonal items are displayed in mini cast iron pans, very cute display

- pan roast day boat barnegat scallop + parsnip puree + bacon jam \$14
- buttery lobster risotto + smoked paprika mussels + saffron + chive oil \$16
- mac & cheese + espresso bbq pork + cornbread \$11
- blackened pork tenderloin + swiss chard + white beans \$11

#### <u>Pasta</u>

Seasonal selection of fresh pasta

- fried ravioli + butternut squash puree + pumpkin seed granola \$10
- autumn rigatoni + butternut squash + leek + sage + sherry cream + toasted walnuts + goat cheese - \$10
- orecchiette + broccoli rabe + tomato + cannellini beans + galic + parmigiano-reggiano - \$10
- cavatelli + wild boar ragu + pecorino + rosemary breadcrumbs \$10

#### <u>Sliders</u>

With every event we do, at least one type of slider is selected, check out some of our winners!

- asian chicken slider + avocado + sriracha kewpie \$7
- crispy buttermilk fried chicken slider + cabbage slaw + chipotle aioli \$7
- short-rib slider + provolone + horseradish cream \$11
- "our royale w/ cheese" beef + cheddar slider + arugula + tomato + pickled red onions + chipotle thousand island - \$9
- espresso bbq pulled pork + cabbage slaw \$8
- salmon cake slider + teriyaki slaw + sesame seeds \$10
- seared tuna slider + wasabi aioli + mango slaw \$13
- crab cake slider + avocado + sriracha kewpie \$14
- mini lobster roll + celery aioli + dill + old bay \$16
- falafel burger + garlic & lemon aioli + arugula + tomato + tapenade \$7

# <u>Satay's / Skewers</u>

we call these skewers, sticks in the grass for being displayed sticking in wheat grass for a colorful presentation

- ginger-soy marinated beef satay + spicy peanut sauce \$8
- lemongrass marinated chicken satay + sweet chili sauce \$6
- greek lemon chicken skewer + crazy red pepper feta dip \$6
- coconut shrimp skewer + mango chile sauce \$8

#### <u>Graffiti Street Tacos</u>

our signature tacos, pick one or pick them all for an amazing display

- Jerk Chicken + purple cabbage slaw + pineapple & mango chutney + cilantro syrup + soft corn tortilla \$6.00
- Asian Short-Rib Tacos + cabbage & scallion slaw + pickled red onions + sesame seeds 8.50
- Smokey Chipotle Chicken + pickled pineapple + avocado + lime crema -\$6.00
- \*Carnitas\* Pork + roasted salsa + charred corn & avocado salsa + cilantro crema + cotija + soft corn tortilla - \$6.00
- Blackened Shrimp Tacos + charred corn & tomato pico de gallo + creamy avocado crema + flour tortilla \$7.50
- Flower Power Tacos + buffalo cauliflower + pickled slaw + radish + scallion + creamy avocado salsa \$5.50

#### Sandwiches & Wraps

Pinwheel Wraps Platter - 36 pieces \$180

Mini Sandwich Platter - 30 mini sandwiches \$245

Select 3 sandwiches or wraps from below

- west coast chicken grilled chicken + avocado + bacon + lettuce + tomato + chipotle aioli
- chicken milanese breaded chicken + mozzarella + sun-dried tomatoes + arugula + balsamic
- fresh mozzarella + roasted peppers + sun-dried tomatoes + arugula + basil pesto
- seasonal grilled vegetables + white bean spread + vegan basil pesto
- flank steak + cheddar + arugula + pickled red onions + horseradish boursin spread
- grilled teriyaki salmon + sweet chili cabbage slaw + sriracha aioli

Tea Sandwich Platter -

(36 tea sandwich pieces) \$245

- roast turkey + cranberry jam + corn muffin
- chunky chicken salad + apples + dried cranberries + golden raisins + toasted walnuts + whole grain
- cucumber + avocado + tomato + sprouts + hummus + multi-grain
- smoked salmon + scallion cream cheese + pea tendrils + tomato + pumpernickel
- grilled vegetables + mozzarella + basil pesto

#### Small Plates

this section displays some of our amazing flavor combinations as well as artfully displayed

- veal & pork meatball + polenta + ricotta + crispy basil \$14
- seared beef tenderloin + potato & fennel au gratin + carrots + 72hr
  demi-glace \$24
- braised beef short-rib + potato espuma + wild mushrooms \$22
- hanger steak + crispy pommes anna + broccolini + mushrooms + chimichurri - \$20
- chicken roulade + mushrooms + gorgonzola espuma + parsley oil \$14
- buttermilk fried chicken + belgian waffle + jalapeno maple \$11
- southern hospitality buttermilk fried chicken + collard greens + sweet
  potato puree + cornbread \$14
- pan roast salmon + shaved fennel & carrot salad + citrus & pomegranate salsa - \$20
- Pan Roast Scallops + Barley Risotto + Mushrooms + Butternut Squash + Sweet Pea Puree - \$25
- Tomato & Seafood Fregola + jumbo prawn + black mussel + cod + fregola + heirloom tomato + shallot +fennel + thyme + oregano +seafood stock+ chili + lemon + rustic bread - \$25

#### <u>Salads</u>

Our salad selections are served in individual bowls with dressing for you to squeeze on in a dropper, a beautiful and colorful display for your guests to enjoy!

- "our waldorf" salad frisee + green apples + toasted walnuts + red grapes + fried goat cheese - \$11
- Autumn Harvest Salad kale arugula napa apples pickled butternut squash gorgonzola - dried cranberries - toasted walnuts - balsamic basil emulsion vegetarian/gf - \$11
- sweet & savory salad arugula, quinoa, avocado, hummus, sweet potatoes pickled beets - fresh berries - pecans - hemp seeds - lemon vinaigrette - vegan & gf - \$11
- Falafel Bowl baby spinach quinoa grape tomatoes cucumbers pickled red onion - chickpeas - kalamata olives - lemon vinaigrette - vegan & gf - \$11
- The Granny Smith kale granny smith apples carrots candied pecans dried cranberries goat cheese balsamic basil vinaigrette vegetarian/gf \$11
- Asian Sesame Crunch kale asian slaw oranges raw beets mongolian fire peanuts - wonton crisps - toasted sesame seeds -miso-ginger dressing - vegan - \$11
- Fine Herb-crusted sushi grade tuna "seared rare" + sauce nicoise + smashed fingerling potatoes + haricot vert + lemon agrumato oil gf \$20
- Red & Golden Beet Salad arugula shaved fennel oranges goat cheese candied walnuts sherry-walnut vinaigrette vegan & gf \$11

# <u>Bau Buns</u>

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- Korean BBQ Short-Rib + cabbage & scallion slaw + pickled red onions + sesame seeds \$11
- Crispy Gochujang Chicken + cucumber + sriracha kewpie + scallions + sesame seeds - Coconut Shrimp + pineapple & mango chutney + cilantro -\$10
- Teriyaki Salmon + purple cabbage + carrots + thai-cucumber salsa \$10
- Gao Bao Pork Belly + pickled carrots & cucumbers + cilantro + sesame seeds
   \$8