

## Western Racquet Club Event Planner

## Fall/Winter 2022

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## Guidelines and Policies

Room Rental and Minimum (before service charge and tax)

Private room minimum

Founders Conference Room \$150 Wisconsin Room \$250 Davidson Room \$250 Champions Room \$500

Additional rental charges Porta bar \$175 Dance floor \$225 Screen and projector rental \$100

A \$2500 minimum is required during non-traditional food and beverage hours (on Sunday, Monday, and before 5pm on Saturday).

#### Deadlines

Details concerning menu, seating, and guaranteed count must be completed one week prior to your event. This guaranteed count may not decrease. If your count increases after the guarantee is given you will be charged for the additional cost on your final bill.

#### Food & Beverage

All food and beverages must be purchased through the Banquet Director with the exception of wedding cake. No food or beverage of any kind is permitted to be brought into the Club without arrangement by the banquet director.

All alcoholic beverages to be served during any event must be dispensed only by our staff. Proper identification is required. We reserve the right to refuse alcohol service to anyone, at our discretion.

Please be advised that our foods may contain, may have come into contact with, or have been prepared in shared containers that contain tree nuts, peanuts, and other major food allergens. If one of your guests has a known food allergy, please inform the WRC staff.

It is State of Wisconsin Health Department policy that any leftover food after a banquet is over is not allowed to be taken by guests. Exceptions are made for cake provided by the client. We ask that you be as accurate as possible when giving your final count. Beverages will not be allowed to leave the premises.

#### **Club Service Charge**

A 20% service charge will automatically be applied to the check. This amount goes to the club. If extra labor is required for the event, the client will be billed accordingly.

#### Tips

A tip may be added by the client and distributed by Western Racquet Club to its service staff.

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Pricing good through December 31, 2022

For over six decades, Western Racquet Club has been the setting for many special events. We are proud to have planned and hosted wedding receptions, birthdays, anniversaries, bridal showers, and business meetings.

Western Racquet Club team is here to attend to your every need to ensure that your event is successful. We are committed to not only meeting your expectations, but to exceeding them. If you have any special needs or concerns, please do not hesitate to ask.

The menus for all events held at Western Racquet Club can be individually tailored to meet your specific requests and needs. We thoroughly enjoy the creativity involved in both the preparation and presentation of all the food we create, and are happy to alter any menu to accommodate specific food allergies.

Courtney Koprowski, the Club's Director of Banquets & Events, is happy to assist you in creating an ala carte menu that meets your needs and is priced on an individual basis for your budget.



## Breakfast

#### **WRC Traditional Continental**

sliced fresh fruits & berries, assorted fresh baked danish and cinnamon rolls, \$13

includes juice and coffee

Additional breakfast options are available our Director of Banquets and Events is happy to assist you in customizing a menu



## Lunch Salads

All salads include freshly-baked warm rolls and whipped butter

## WRC Apple Cider Salad

grilled chicken breast atop mixed greens, gala apples, candied walnuts, golden raisins, and crumbled gorgonzola cheese, served with apple cider vinaigrette \$15

## **Blueberry Chicken Salad**

seasonal greens topped with all natural chicken breast, fresh blueberries, toasted walnuts, red onion and creamy gorgonzola drizzled with minted champagne honey vinaigrette \$15

## Southwest Steak Salad

blackened 6 oz. skirt steak, roasted corn salsa, pico de gallo, pepper jack cheese, Haas avocado, with southwest buttermilk dressing \$21

## Pesto Salmon Salad

atop spring greens, with tart apples, dried cranberries, toasted almonds, hearts of palm, & feta cheese, balsamic vinaigrette \$21

### **Beet Salad**

roasted scarlet and golden beets, Wisconsin chevre dried cranberries, tart apples, and toasted walnuts served with seasonal greens, drizzled with fuji apple vinaigrette



## Lunch Entrees

All entrees include freshly-baked warm rolls and whipped butter

### **Quiche Lorraine**

fresh-baked gruyere, spinach, and housemade bacon quiche served alongside a candied walnut salad \$16

### Harvest Squash Ravioli

locally grown butternut squash finished with creamed madeira mushrooms, arugula, walnuts, dried cranberries, and apple cider gastrique \$16

### Sliced Roasted Pork Loin

served with maple-scented sweet potato puree, apple bourbon jus and broccoli amandine \$19

### **Raspberry Brie Grilled Cheese**

grilled tart apples, crispy bacon, melted brie and white cheddar cheese served along side an apple cider salad \$16

### Cedar Wood Roasted Salmon

over wilted spinach and grilled portabella mushrooms topped with heirloom tomato picallili \$21

### Bruschetta Chicken

sautéed chicken breast topped with fresh bruschetta and balsamic glaze, served over garlic parmesan risotto, with steamed lemon-pepper broccolini \$21

### **Chicken and Mushroom Crepes**

served with a white truffle rice pilaf and broccoli hollandaise

\$21

## Lunch Buffet

Buffets are available for groups of 25 people or more

### Garden Salad

includes cherry tomatoes, sliced cucumbers, red onions, croutons, bacon bits, and shredded cheddar cheese, with choice of dressings

## Chef's-choice Pasta Salad

Ham and turkey silver dollar sandwiches accompanied by

appropriate condiments

Soup du jour

## Fresh sliced melons and berries

## Freshly baked cookies and fudge brownies

## Coffee station

\$22 per person



## Hors d' Oeuvres Presentations

### Bar Snacks Choose One:

fresh made popcorn or hard pretzels \$1 per person

#### Chips & Salsa

homemade tortilla chips, three tomato salsa \$3 per person add homemade guacamole \$3 per person

#### Schwarz Fish Company Salmon Display

smoked Atlantic salmon, traditional garnishes, chopped eggs, diced red onions, lemon wedges, capers, and crackers \$7 per person minimum of 25 guests required for all presentations

#### Antipasto Platter

prosciutto d'parma, abbruzzio and calabrese sausages, hard salami grilled zucchini, red onions, pepperoncini, marinated mushrooms, artichokes, kalamata and manzanilla olives, roasted peppers, sun-dried tomatoes, and stravecchio parmesan \$8 per person

### Assorted Domestic Cheeses and Gourmet Sausages

\$7 per person

#### Vegetable Crudités

assorted chilled vegetables with peppercorn dipping sauce \$5 per person

#### **Sliced Fresh Seasonal Fruits and Berries**

\$6 per person

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## Cold Hors d' Oeuvres

Classic Bruschetta \$2 Eggplant Caponata \$2 Chef's Choice Sushi \$3 Duck Breast Rose on Brioche Crouton \$4 Chicken Waldorf Salad in a Phyllo Cup \$2 Blue Cheese Apricot Canapes \$1.75 Crispy Prosciutto with Red Onion Marmalade \$2.5 Cucumber Tea Sandwiches \$1.5 Caramel Apple Grapes \$1.75 Mediterranean Antipasti Brochette \$3 Ahi Tuna Wonton \$4 Salami Cornucopias \$1.75 Smoked Salmon Canapé \$3.5 Classic Wedge Salad Brochettes \$2.75 Grilled Prosciutto-Wrapped Asparagus \$2.75 Snow Crab Claws Market Price Chilled Shrimp Cocktail Market Price



## Hot Hors d' Oeuvres

All prices are per piece



Fig & Goat Cheese Flatbread \$3.25 Chive and Cheddar Cheese Curds \$3.50 Twice-Baked Stuffed Tater Tot \$3.25 Spicy Shrimp Montadito with Eggplant Tapenade \$4 Bacon-Wrapped Water Chestnut \$2 BBQ, Asian, or Swedish Meatballs \$2 Beef Wellington with Burgundy Demi Glace \$4.25 Chorizo & Cheese Quesadilla \$2 Coconut Shrimp with Pina Colada Dipping Sauce \$4 Bacon & Green Onion Stuffed Mushroom \$3 Chicken & Cashew Spring Rolls \$3.5 Tempura Chicken with Honey Mustard Sauce \$2.50 Kung Pao Chicken Brochette \$2.50 Beef Sate with Thai Peanut Sauce \$3 Chicken & Waffles with Rosemary Maple Syrup \$3 Parmesan-Breaded Tortellini with Smoked Tomato Ragu \$2.50 Bacon-Wrapped Chicken with Cranberry Mustard \$2.50 Classic Spanakopita \$3

## Specialty Soups and Salads

If you are looking for a special touch to start your meal, the specialty starters listed may be substituted at dinner for an additional \$3 per person

#### Puree of Wild Mushroom

finished with white truffle oil, baked under a golden puff pastry dome

#### **Cold Water Lobster Bisque**

chantilly cream and poached lobster meat

#### **Golden Winter Soup**

butternut squash and leek bisque with gruyere crouton

#### Tomato Basil Bisque

baked under a golden puff pastry dome BelGioso parmesan cheese

#### French Onion Soup

gruyere cheese crouton

#### Chicken Tortilla Soup

pico de gallo, sour cream, and queso cotija

### Signature Spinach Salad

citrus segments, fresh berries, red onions, & caramelized pecans, and fat free raspberry vinaigrette

#### Salad of Baby Lettuces

honey-roasted pecans, green and red grape halves, cherry tomatoes, dried cranberries, and boursin cheese, with fat-free raspberry vinaigrette

#### **Caprese Salad**

roma tomatoes and fresh mozzarella cheese, balsamic vinaigrette, and fresh basil

#### **Blueberry Salad**

seasonal greens topped with fresh blueberries, toasted walnuts, red onion and creamy gorgonzola drizzled with minted champagne honey vinaigrette

### Winter Greens

baby arugula, pomegranate and pumpkin seeds, stravecchio cheese with cranberry balsamic vinaigrette

## Plated Dinner Selections

Available for groups of 25 people or more All entrees include freshly baked warm rolls & whipped butter and a house salad

Please select up to two entrée options for your guests to choose from

## **Raspberry Pecan Chicken**

pecan-dusted chicken breast, topped with melted brie cheese, served over wild rice pilaf and baby spinach \$31

### Chicken Confit

slow-braised all-natural Bell & Evan's chicken thighs, charred scallion red potato mash, red pepper relish, pea shoot \$26

Bruschetta Chicken

sautéed chicken breast topped with fresh bruschetta and balsamic glaze, Served over garlic parmesan risotto with steamed lemon-pepper broccolini \$28

### **Chicken Marsala**

garlic-whipped yukon gold potato puree, sautéed green bean medley, finished with marsala jus \$28

## **Roasted Pork Loin**

rosemary-scented, slow-roasted pork loin served over garlic red potato mash, finished with caramelized onion jus and steamed broccolini \$30

### Duroc Pork Osso Bucco

slow-braised center cut pork shank served over creamy polenta with natural jus and crispy brussels sprouts \$36 Southwest Rubbed Filet Mignon over Smoked Potato Puree, Fire Roasted Corn, and Argentinian Chimichurri

## Plated Dinner Selections

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### **Grilled Beef Filet Mignon**

horseradish yukon gold mashed potatoes, steamed asparagus hollandaise brandied mushroom demi-glace 5 oz or 7oz Market price

### Southwest Rubbed Filet Mignon

served over smoked potato puree, with fire roasted corn topped with Argentinian chimichurri

5 oz or 7oz Market price

## Filet Mignon & Jumbo Shrimp (3)

grilled 5oz filet and sautéed shrimp served with buttery yukon gold mashed potatoes, and steamed asparagus Market price

### Harvest Squash Ravioli

locally grown butternut squash finished with creamed madeira mushrooms, arugula, walnuts, dried cranberries, and apple cider gastrique \$26

### **Portabella Florentine**

a marinated portabella mushroom cap overflowing with sautéed vegetables and spinach, topped with melted mozzarella and parmesan cheese, served over angel hair pasta with tomato coulis \$26

### **Vegetarian Stuffed Shells**

cheese and spinach-stuffed shells baked in parmesan cream over julienne vegetables, finished with sauce marinara and basil pesto

\$26

## **Plated Dinner Selections**

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Potato Crusted Salmon

crispy yukon gold potatoes - horseradish creamed autumn greens dilled tomato concasse \$39

### Maplewood Roasted Salmon

over mascarpone laced sweet potato puree Door County cranberry compote \$38 tomato concasse

### Grilled Mahi Mahi

marinated and grilled over plantain mofongo served with chimichurri and radish escabeche salad \$36

### **Coconut Prawns**

jumbo freshwater prawns dredged in crispy coconut, served over jasmine sticky rice and curried cream, finished with pineapple mango salsa \$39

Cajun Red Snapper Oscar

sautéed spinach and grilled portabella mushrooms flamed crawtails, and sauce béarnaise \$38

### Black and Blue Ribeye Steak

14oz blackened ribeye smothered with brandied exotic mushrooms, gorgonzola cheese, and buttermilk-breaded crispy haystack onion rings

\$48

## Homestyle Buffet

Garlic Cheddar Biscuits

whipped honey butter

## Tomato Basil Bisque

**Iceberg Salad** 

roma tomato, gorgonzola cheese, hardwood-smoked bacon, and hard boiled egg french, ranch and thousand island dressing

> Buttermilk Chicken crispy all-natural Bell & Evan's Chicken

## Whipped Yukon Gold Potato Puree

black pepper country gravy

## Homemade Macaroni and Cheese

## Steamed Broccoli and Carrots

## Freshly Baked Apple Pie

\$28 per person buffets are available for groups of 25 people or more



## That's Amore Buffet



Parmesan Garlic Bread

## **Classic Caesar Salad**

topped with shredded parmesan cheese and garlic croutons served with creamy caesar dressing

## **Caprese Salad**

roma tomatoes and fresh mozzarella cheese finished with balsamic vinaigrette and fresh basil

## Chicken Marsala

sautéed chicken breast finished with a mushroom marsala sauce

## Homemade Meatballs Marinara

Pasta Combinations roasted red pepper & Italian sausage seafood alfredo pasta primavera

## **Homemade Cannolis**

\$24 per person

Add a chef-manned station for made-to-order pasta \$200 per chef Buffets are available for groups of 25 people or more

## Traditional Buffet

## Warm Rolls and Whipped Butter

## Garden Salad Bar

includes cherry tomatoes, sliced cucumbers, shredded carrots, red onions, homemade croutons, & bacon bits, with french, ranch, and balsamic dressings

## Chef's-choice Compound Salad

## Fresh Fruit Display

## Parmesan–roasted Red Potatoes

## Vegetable Herb Rice Pilaf

## Steamed Broccoli & Carrots

## Choice of (select one)

- applewood-smoked pork loin accompanied by bourbon glaze and apple mustard
- slow-roasted beef inside round accompanied by cabernet demi-glace and creamed horseradish
- herb-roasted all-natural turkey breast accompanied by turkey gravy and cranberry compote
- lemon herb broiled Icelandic cod fillets accompanied by tartar sauce and lemons

add a second option for an additional \$7 per person

incorporate a chef-manned carving station for an additional \$200

## Dessert Turtle Cheesecake

New York Style cheesecake topped with homemade caramel, salted pecans, and rich fudge

#### \$29 per person

buffets are available for groups of 25 people or more



## **Carving Stations**

Items listed below are served with oven roasted potatoes, vegetable du jour, fresh baked rolls and an appropriate selection of condiments

## Steamship of Beef

served with creamed horseradish and cabernet demi glace (serves 50-60 people) market price

### **Chile Marinated Flank Steak**

served with Argentinean chimichurri (serves 15-20 people) market price

### Salmon en Croûte

with dill cream \$280 (serves 15-20 people)

#### Prime Rib of Beef au Jus

served with creamed horseradish (serves 25 people) market price

## Marinated Natural Turkey Breast with Chile Mango Chutney

\$180 (serves 20 people)

#### Montague Grilled Beef Tenderloin with Burgundy Jus & Creamed Horseradish

(serves 15-20 people) market price

## Slow-Roasted Pork Loin Apple Cider Bourbon Glaze

\$220 (serves 25 people)

An additional \$200 chef-carving fee will be added to all buffets

# Themed Stations

## Italian Station

\$17 per person

## Antipasto Display

prosciutto di parma, abbruzzio and calabrese sausages, hard salami, grilled zucchini, red onions, pepperoncini, marinated mushrooms, artichokes, kalamata and manzanillo olives, roasted peppers, and sun-dried tomatoes, stravecchio parmesan

## Parmesan Baked Garlic bread

French Italian bread covered in toasted parmesan

## Roasted Vegetable Pasta Primavera Meatballs Marinara

# Mashed-Tini Bar

\$13 per person

## Whipped Garlic Herbed Butter Mashed Potatoes

served in a martini glass toppings include: shredded cheddar, crispy bacon, green onions, caramelized onions, exotic mushrooms, crispy jalapenos, crispy onions, cabernet demi, mild salsa, steamed broccoli, sour cream, gorgonzola cheese, and fresh horseradish

## **Risotto Station**

\$13 per person (add \$200 for labor)

There are two options for guests to choose from:

## Seasoned Chicken & Vegetable Herb Risotto and

Wild Mushroom & Vegetable Herb Risotto (spicy sautéed shrimp, add \$3)

## Dessert

#### WRC Signature Sundae

vanilla bean ice cream presented in an almond lace basket, topped with homemade hot fudge, freshly whipped cream, and a maraschino cherry

\$8

#### **Chocolate Flourless Torte**

fresh strawberries in sauce \$7

#### Belgium White Chocolate Crème Brulee

twice-poached raspberries and vanilla whipped cream \$7

#### State Fair Trio

fresh baked profiteroles with vanilla, raspberry and chocolate filling \$6

**Turtle Fudge Cake Trifle** 

chocolate cake layered with homemade caramel sauce, candied pecans, rich fudge, and fresh vanilla whipped cream \$4

**Peach Cobbler** 

warm sweet Georgia peaches with a crumbled biscuit topping served with vanilla ice cream

\$8

### Red Velvet Cookie Sundae

fresh-baked red velvet cookie topped with vanilla ice cream, bubbly hot fudge, chantilly cream, and Bordeaux cherry \$6

#### Apple Strudel

traditional cranberry-studded apple filling and crispy phyllo served warm with greek vanilla yogurt

\$6

## Dessert

#### **Small Bites**

assorted miniature desserts for all, including cream puffs, raspberry bars, mini cheesecakes, brownie bites, and miniature cookies \$7 per person

### **Delectable Dessert Station**

a selection of our most decadent specialties: chocolate éclairs, Italian macaroons, chocolate truffles, cream puffs, chocolate-covered strawberries, lemon berry trifles, cheesecake shooters, chocolate espresso mousse tarts, English toffee, assorted petit fours, and miniature cakes \$12.5 per person

### Chef's Desserts Flambé

your choice of flaming bananas foster, cherries jubilee, or strawberry chambord, served over country rich vanilla ice cream \$8 per person + \$200 chef-manned station fee

## **Chocolate Chip Cookies**

\$1.50 each

## **Double Fudge Brownies**

\$1.50 each

Seven Layer Bars, Turtle Bars & Raspberry Lemon Bars \$2 each

Peppermint Patty Brownies & Reindeer Christmas Bars \$3.50 each

> Eggnog Cheesecake \$5 each

Assorted Chocolate Truffles \$2 each





## Late Night Snacks

Assorted Made-to-order Pizzas

\$18 each

Assorted Flatbreads \$12 each

BBQ Pork Sliders with white cheddar cheese & pickled red onions Served on a pretzel bun \$5 each

> Build-your-own Beef Slider Bar \$5 each

Mini Hot Dog or Bratwurst Sliders \$4 each

Barbecue or Swedish Meatballs \$2 each

Soft Baked Pretzels with warm cheese sauce \$3 per person



## **Bar Information**

Bar service is charged by consumption for events at Western Racquet Club

#### Beer and House Wine:

Imported and domestic beer is available in draft and bottles. House wines include chardonnay, sauvignon blanc, pinot grigio, riesling, moscato, white zinfandel, merlot, pinot noir, and cabernet sauvignon wines.

#### **Call Brands:**

Call brands include: Beefeaters, Bombay, Canadian Club, Tanqueray, Jim Beam, Korbel, Seagram's 7 Crown, Seagram's V.O., Tito's, Southern Comfort, Bacardi, Captain Morgan

#### Premium Brands:

Premium brands include: Absolut, Bombay Sapphire, Tanqueray, Tullamore Dew, Ketel One, Stolichnaya, Dewars, J & B, J. Walker Red, Bulleit, Chambord, Crown Royal, Cointreau, Jack Daniels, Frangelico, Jameson, Makers Mark

#### **Top Shelf Brands:**

Top shelf brands Include: Grey Goose, Glenlivet, J. Walker Black, Gentleman's Jack, Jack Daniels Single, Hendrick's, Knob Creek, Don Julio Silver, Grand Marnier, Patron Silver, B & B



# Bar Information

### **Cash Bar Service**

Call Brand Cocktails: \$8-\$10 per drink Premium Cocktails: \$9-\$11 per drink Top Shelf Cocktails: \$10-\$12 per drink Imported & Domestic Beer: \$5-\$7 per draft or bottle

House Wine: \$28 per bottle Champagne: \$28 per bottle Sangria (red or white): \$60/gallon Non-alcoholic Punch: \$40/gallon

Blender drinks are not available at events.

## Courtney Koprowski Clubhouse Manager and Director of Banquets & Events

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Courtney Koprowski joined the Food & Beverage team at Western Racquet Club in July of 2014 as Clubhouse Manager. Courtney oversees all aspects of front of the house dining and Club events. She is passionate, driven, and has nearly 20 years of experience in the restaurant and hospitality industry. Prior to joining the WRC team Courtney managed Jimmy's Island Grill located in the Radisson Hotel and has planned events for The Westown Association which include the Downtown St. Patrick's Day Parade, River Rhythms concert series, and downtown Farmer's Market. She has also managed large corporate training seminars for Rockwell Automation. In addition to her passion for leading her team, she enjoys decorating the Club for the holidays and booking music for member events. Courtney holds a Hotel Management degree from Milwaukee Area Technical College

## James Golombowski Executive Chef and Director of Food & Beverage

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Executive Chef James Golombowski joined the Western Racquet Club in 2004 as Sous Chef and was offered the coveted Executive Chef position in 2007 that he occupies today. Along with his talented kitchen staff, Chef James prepares lunch and dinner for club members and their guests. Chef James has received multiple NRA Professional Development Certifications including Nutrition, Menu Planning and Design, Catering and Special Events Planning, ServSafe Food Protection Management and Successful Hospitality Supervision.

Chef James' first culinary experience was as a line cook at the Elm Grove Inn. He received a culinary arts degree from the Milwaukee Area Technical College receiving both the Gold Medal Student Hot and Cold Plate Competitions. Chef James also studied at the Culinary Institute of America in Napa Valley, California in 2012. He earned his American Culinary Federation Accreditation and is an American Culinary Federation Certified Culinarian. Chef James apprenticed at the four-star restaurant Harold's located in the Four Points by Sheraton and later worked at Crawdaddy's as a Lead Line Cook.



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