

## Hors d'oeuvres

## **RED MEAT**

Mini Pimento Cheese Ground Chuck Burger
Shaved Filet En Croute\*
Braised Short Rib Slider with Blue Cheese Slaw
Spicy Teriyaki Beef Satay
Bite-Sized Shepherd's Pie in Phyllo
Bourbon Meatballs
Lollipop Lamb Chops with Mint Glaze \*
Charcuterie Cones\*

## WHITE MEAT

Mini Chicken & Waffles
Skewered Greek Chicken Tzatziki
Crispy Chicken Rangoon
Nashville Hot Chicken Bite
Sharp Cheddar Sausage Balls
Speared Kielbasa
Loaded New Potatoes
Bacon Wrapped Date
Chef TJ's Award Winning Pulled Pork Slider
Sweet & Savory Ham Rolls

## **FISH**

Mini Fish & Chips
Pan-Seared Sesame Tuna\*
Lump Crab Tart in Phyllo
Chef TJ's Famous Shrimp & Grit Minis\*
Cast Iron Mini Crab Cakes \*
Smoked Salmon Potato Cake
Shrimp Cocktail
Bacon Wrapped Fresh Scallops\*
New Orleans Style BBQ Shrimp

## **VEGGIE AND OTHERS**

Pear and Manchego Brochette
Fried Green Tomatoes with Pimento Cheese
Goat Cheese Quesadillas with Mango Salsa
"Southern Devil" Eggs
Pimento Cheese Stuffed Jalapeño
Classic Tomato Basil Bruschetta
Caprese Skewer
Baked Brie Bites
Goat Cheese Stuffed Sweet Peppers
Belgium Endive & Blue Cheese Mousse
Artisan Cheese Tray
Fresh Seasonal Fruit Display (seasonal selections)
Goat Cheese & Leek Stuffed Mushrooms
Vegetable Crudité
Zucchini & Hummus Taco

## **DIPS**

Sweet Onion and Shallot Hot Dip
"Not Your Average" Spinach & Artichoke Hot Dip
Jack & Crab Hot Dip
Queso Con Carne Hot Dip
Roasted Tomato
DD's Signature Guacamole
Classic Hummus
Scratch made Salsa

\*All dips served with either a selection of fresh pita, house-made chips, Artisan breads or crackers

## **Entrée Selections**

(Plated, buffet or small plates station)

#### DONOVAN'S STUFFED CHICKEN

Prosciutto wrap, sautéed haricot vert, Saffron infused rice, roasted tomato cream sauce

#### NC PIMENTO CHEESE STUFFED CHICKEN BREAST

DD's Signature Pimento Cheese, herb roasted potatoes, Tomato & Corn Salad, Ashe Co. cheddar sauce

#### **CORNISH GAME HENS**

Rosemary thyme seasoning, root vegetables, wild rice pilaf, cranberry & orange compote

#### **CHICKEN AND WAFFLES**

Southern fried chicken, Belgium waffle, bacon, honey bourbon glaze

## **PESTO CHICKEN**

French'd chicken breast, pistachio rice pilaf, caramelized carrots, spinach pesto

#### **PORK TENDERLOIN**

Slow cooked local greens, red bean risotto, smoked onion jam

#### **ROASTED PORK TENDERLOIN**

slow roasted & seasoned, slow cooked greens, truffled whipped potatoes, sage gravy

#### **EAST VS WEST NC BBQ DUO**

The best of both worlds! Smoked, slow roasted and pulled pork prepared two different ways: Chef T J's award winning homemade Eastern NC vinegar BBQ sauce and Western ketchup & brown sugar sauce \*not available for plated

## **RACK OF LAMB\***

Goat cheese & Cremini mushroom risotto, caramelized carrots, mint almond pesto \*not available for buffet

#### **CAST IRON FILET MIGNON \***

Seasoned & cooked to perfection, jumbo asparagus, roasted new potatoes, leek béarnaise sauce
\*not available for buffet

## **BONELESS BEEF SHORT RIBS**

Braised with thyme, garlic, cabernet sauvignon, shallots, truffle whipped potatoes, caramelized carrots, mushroom au jus

## **BISTRO FILET**

Cast iron seared & slow roasted beef tender, truffle whipped potatoes, sautéed haricot vert, Cabernet demi glaze

## **BLACKENED CAROLINA SHRIMP SUCCOTASH**

Heritage Farms Applewood smoked bacon, sweet corn, lima beans, grape tomatoes

#### SHRIMP & SCALLOP FRICASSEE \*

Carolina succotash, linguini, Champagne Cream Sauce \*not available for buffet

## **PAN SEARED TUNA \***

Teriyaki marinade, sesame, pickled ginger, fresh wasabi, roasted seasonal vegetables, rice pilaf
\*not available for buffet

## **CHEF TJ'S FAMOUS SHRIMP & GRITS**

Cremini mushrooms, apple wood smoked bacon, stone ground cheese grits, Chef's special sauce
\*THE BEST YOU WILL EVER HAVE

#### **HERB CRUSTED GROUPER \***

Andouille sausage Succotash, Pistachio Wild Rice Pilaf \*not available for buffet

## PAN SEARED ATLANTIC SALMON

Cast iron blackened, chef's seasoning, mango & pineapple salsa, pistachio rice pilaf

## JUMBO LOW COUNTRY CRAB CAKES \*

Lump crab, loaded orzo, corn & tomato salad, arugula, jalapeno tarter
\*not available for buffet

### **EGGPLANT ROLLITINI**

Lightly battered and fried fresh eggplant, house made ricotta, mozzarella, rigatoni a la vodka, sautéed haircot vert

## **SOUTHERN RATATOULLE**

Diced eggplant, sweet corn, zucchini, peppers, Jasmine rice

## **STUFFED BELL PEPPER**

roasted root vegetables, wild rice, heirloom tomato broth

## WILD MUSHROOM & SPINACH DUMPLINGS

House made ricotta, fresh spinach, roasted tomato, tomato buerre blanc

\*all entrees are served with seasonal salad & Artisan breads

## **Our Signature Live Action Stations**

(Chef attended)

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#### **MAC & CHEESE STATION**

Mini elbow macaroni, applewood smoked bacon, broccoli, roasted tomato, buttered & baked crumb topping, cheddar & gruyere cheese sauce

## **GRILLED FLATBREAD STATION \***

Choose two, hand tossed on site, requires grill rental

Let Them Eat Flat bread-English Stilton, mozzarella, wild arugula, Granny Smith apples, walnuts, olive oil,

Signature Tarragon drizzle

Southern Boy-Chef TJ's Award Winning pulled pork, Ashe Co. Colby Jack, Western NC BBQ sauce Kentucky Pie-our famous Bourbon Meatballs, red onion, Ashe Co. Cheddar, bourbon sauce Wit Whiz-shaved top round, house fried onion, Cheese Whiz

## MORE THAN JUST A PASTA STATION

Penne pasta paired with your choice of two sauces and two proteins Sauce: marinara, alla vodka, alfredo, basil pesto Protein: Italian sausage, signature meatballs, pulled pork, chicken breast

#### **SOUP AND GRILLED CHEESE BAR**

**C**reamy Havarti & Ashe Co. cheddar, country white bread choice of soup: Tomato Bisque, Butternut Squash, Irish Potato or Sweet Potato

## **LOW COUNTRY CRAB CAKE STATION \***

lump crab, jalapeno tarter, pan seared fresh in front of you, tomato, corn s& arugula salad

## **NEW ORLEANS STYLE BBQ SHRIMP**

NC shrimp, North Cackalacky Ginger beer, sweet potato biscuit, signature hot sauce

#### **GOURMET TACO BAR**

Choice of two proteins and one side

Protein: seasoned skirt steak, pulled slow roasted chicken, carnitas, roasted, vegetables, fresh shrimp Sides: hot queso dip & chips, black bean and corn salad, elote "street corn" salad Accompanied by: flour tortillas (self serve, server attended)

# **Carving Stations**

(Chef attended)

## **BEEF TENDERLOIN**

Seasoned & cooked to perfection, leek béarnaise sauce \*prepared med-rare

## **HONEYGLAZED HAM**

Classic offering, house Guinness grain mustard

## **OVEN ROASTED TURKEY**

Fresh turkey breast, sage & Chardonnay gravy

## **ROAST BEEF**

Beautifully slow roasted, horseradish cream, au jus

## **ROASTED PORK LOIN**

BrinedGorgonzola compound butter

## SLOW ROASTED PRIME RIB

Herb crusted, creamy horseradish

## **Self Serve Stations**

## **FARMERS MARKET SALAD STATION**

Mixed baby greens, Roma tomatoes, shaved carrots, Romano cheese, English cucumber, craisins, house made croutons, DD's Signature vinaigrette, scratch Buttermilk dressing

## **MASHED POTATO BAR**

Mashed Idaho potatoes & mashed sweet potatoes, bacon, brown sugar, butter, green onions, cheddar cheese, sour cream

## **SIGNATURE MAC & CHEESE BAR**

Mini elbow macaroni, applewood smoked bacon, broccoli, roasted tomato, buttered & baked crumb topping, cheddar & gruyere cheese sauce

## **Dessert Stations**

## **DONUT FLOMBE STATION**

Krispy Creme donuts holes, caramelized seasonal apple or pear, brandy, spices, vanilla ice cream (chef attended)

## **BANANAS FOSTER STATION**

caramelized sliced banana, brandy, vanilla ice cream (chef attended)

## S'MORES STATION

sweet & airy marshmallows, Hershey's Original chocolate bar, crunchy graham crackers (self- serve)

## SWEET TOOTH DISPLAY

Selections of fudge brownies, s'mores on a stick, general store cookies, individual banana pudding, "Just like Grandma's" seasonal bars,

## PASSED BROWNIES AND SWEET CREAM SHOOTERS

Our Signature fudge brownies, secret recipe sweet cream, house made raspberry preserves, passed tray or cart style

# Accompaniments

## **Starches**

Saffron Infused Rice
Lemon-Roasted Potatoes
Blended Wild Rice Pilaf
Leek Orzo
Pistachio Wild Rice Blend
Pork Belly Hopping John
Truffled Whipped Potato
Cheddar Stone-Ground Grits
Roasted Rainbow Fingerling Potatoes
Pistachio Rice Pilaf
Penne ala Vodka
Southern Mac & Cheese
Whipped Sweet Potatoes

## **Vegetables**

Sautéed Asparagus Fried Zucchini **Haricot Vert** Fall in Carolina Succotash Carolina Succotash **Slow Cooked Greens Roasted Seasonal Vegetables** Sautéed Haricot Vert Pancetta and Sprouts Roasted Baby Zucchini Truffled Zucchini and Squash **Caramelized Carrots Truffled Courgette Southern Greens** Fried Zucchini Steamed Broccini Andouille Sausage Succotash "Sweet and Salty" Broccoli & Bacon Salad Joanne's Potato Salad Corn & Tomato Salad Blue Cheese Slaw Mediterranean Penne Pasta Black Bean & Corn