## 2020




## Premier Cuisine | Timeless Venue | Exceptional Service

Whether you are planning a wedding, business meeting, special event, or a large family function, our professional staff is here to help make it memorable. We welcome the opportunity to service your event with the elegance and style our newly renovated clubhouse and grounds offer you.

We pride ourselves on attention to detail and surpassing your expectations to be a standard by which others judge themselves.

Under the direction of our award-winning Executive Chef Mark Boor, we prepare distinctively delicious cuisine crafted in our kitchen because your event deserves to have freshly prepared and produced selections on site. Our highly experienced team will guide you effortlessly every step of the way. If you prefer to design your own menu just let us know and we will do our very best to accommodate your special requests.

## Your event will be a memorable occasion for you and your guests.

Here at River Hills Country Club we pride ourselves on making your special event dream reality. Located close to Tampa in the Brandon area we offer venues with incredible views of the golf course, spectacular oaks and fauna with our private wedding area that is the ideal setting for the ceremony and reception you have always imagined. The clubhouse offers a spectacularly renovated, timeless and appointed new interior that accommodates your visions for a venue hosting up to 250 guests for an event or reception. Our wedding pavilion is perfect your outdoor ceremony. On your big day, our experienced event staff will free you from worry and stress allowing you to fully enjoy your experience. With an elegant and custom culinary meal specifically prepared by our highly experienced team, we will take care of
every detail subtly, attentively and thoroughly.

## Your special event is meant to be remembered and we vow to make sure it's one you won't forget!

Weddings I Receptions I Rehearsal Dinners I Banquets I Proms I Bridal Showers Bar/Bat Mitzvah I Corporate Gatherings I Golf Outings I Holiday Parties Anniversaries I Reunions I Workshops I Fundraisers


## River Hills Reception Menus

## Chilled Small Bites

Chilled Jumbo Shrimp ..... 4Gulf of Mexico shrimp, Remoulade sauce
Bacon + Egg (GF) ..... 4
Deviled egg, candied bacon, smoked trout roeRoasted Corn "Elote" lollypops (V)3Local sweet corn, chili-lime salt, creama, Cojita cheese
Beef Tartare Canapé5
Beef tenderloin, cornichon, shallot, caper, Dijon, cured egg yolk, crostini
Ahi Poke Cones4.5
Soy \& sesame marinated sushi grade tuna, avocado mousse, wonton cones Caprese Skewers (V ..... 3
Toybox heirloom tomatoes, basil, bocconcini, balsamic, rosemary skewer Crab Ceviche (GF) ..... 5Blue crab, avocado, bell pepper, red onion, lime, salsa verdeBruschetta (V)3Heirloom tomatoes, basil, Extra Virgin olive oil, ciabatta
Mediterranean (V)3
Hummus, olive tapenade, pita chip
Pastrami Cured Salmon ..... 4.5
Scottish Salmon, chive cream cheese, shaved red onion, caper, pumpernickelLobster Slider7.5Maine lobster claw, lemon-infused mayo, celery, chive, toasted slider bunCaribbean Chicken Salad3.5Jamaican jerk spice, candied walnuts, grape, plantain chip


## Hot Small Bites

Mini Crab Cake ..... 4.5Lump Blue crab, remoulade
Wagyu Meatballs ..... 4
Pomodoro \& parmesan
Beef Tenderloin Skewer (GF) ..... 5
Garlic mojo marinade, romesco
Wagyu Slider ..... 5Caramelized onion-tomato jam, garlic aioli
Nashville Chicken Slider ..... 4
Buttermilk soaked, flash-fried, house-made pickle, slaw
Lobster "Corn-Dogs" ..... 6.5Skewered + cornmeal dusted lobster tail, flash-fried, sweet chili aioliLollypop Colorado Lamb Chops6.5Seared +Moroccan spices, harissa aioli
New Bedford Scallops ..... 6Prosciutto wrapped, maple-bourbon glaze
Mojo Pork Empanadas ..... 3.5
Garlic aioli
Stuffed Baby Portobello (GF) ..... 3.5Prosciutto, roasted red pepper, basil, blue cheeseCuban Egg Rolls3.5Mojo pork, glazed ham, Genoa salami, Swiss, mustard aioli
Pesto Chicken Skewer3
Basil, pinenut, parmesan, lemon vinaigrette
Artichoke Hearts (V) ..... 3Parmesan-panko crusted, pomodoro sauce


## Displays

Seasonal Fruits ..... 100
Selection of fruits, yogurts
Imported \& Domestic Cheese ..... 125
Lavosh, assorted crackers, breadsticks
Charcuterie ..... 150Prosciutto, Capicola, Mortadello, Salami, Sopresatta, grilled breads
Meat + Cheese ..... 170Sampling of sliced cured meats, cheeses, garnishesGrilled Vegetable125
Seasonal vegetables, grilled breads, condiments ..... 135Mediterranean
Hummus, bruschetta, quinoa tabouli, marinated olives, grilled breads ..... 95Seasonal raw vegetables, buttermilk ranch
145
House Cured SalmonCapers, red onion, shaved egg whites, yolks, pita chips
Raw Bar325Poached \& chilled jumbo Gulf shrimp, Oysters on the half shell,remoulade, mignonette, cocktail, horseradish, mini Tabasco, crackers

- Add Alaskan Split King Crab-10-pound minimum 40 per lb.- Add Stone Crab Claws-10-pound minimum (seasonal)Market



## The Carveries

Chef Attended/Per Person Chef attendant $+\$ 125$ per station
Herb Crusted Breast of Turkey ..... 1448-hour brine, slow roasted, natural jus
Virginia Ham ..... 14Brown sugar glaze, selection of mustards
Cedar Planked Salmon ..... 18Lemon-caper beurre blanc
Cuban Style Pork Loin ..... 16
Citrus mojo marinade, garlic aioli
Colorado Lamb Rack ..... 24Moroccan spices, harissa aioliPrime Rib25
Spice crusted, horseradish sauce, natural au jusBeef Tenderloin29Steak house seasoning, béarnaise, horseradish sauce


## Action Stations

Pasta Station ..... 15Cavatappi \& penne pasta, pomodoro, alfredo, parmesan, chicken breast,Italian sausage, mushrooms, bell peppers, assorted seasonal vegetables
BBQ Shrimp \& Grits ..... 19Sautéed Gulf of Mexico shrimp, New Orleans BBQ sauce, cheddar gritsSliders17
Wagyu beef- Caramelized onion-tomato jam, garlic aioliBlue crab cake- Napa cabbage, roam tomato, mustard aioli
Street Tacos ..... 15
Mojo pork, ancho chili chicken, Napa slaw, pickled red onion, avocado, pickled Fresno chili's, sour cream, cojita cheese, flour tortillas
Risotto "Paella style" ..... 25Sofrito, saffron Arborio rice, chicken stock, white wine, asparagus,clams, mussels, shrimp, chicken, chorizo
Scallops ..... 20New Bedford jumbo scallops, roasted wild mushrooms,aged balsamic vinaigrette, shaved parmesan, Mache
Thai Curry ..... 17Choice of chicken breast or tofu, bean sprouts, green onions,snap peas, mushrooms, onions, carrots, snow peas,yellow coconut curry, pad Thai noodles
Low Country Seafood Boil ..... 24Gulf of Mexico shrimp, littleneck clams, mussels, Andouille sausage,red potatoes, corn on the cob
Ceviche ..... 19
Select one Gulf of Mexico shrimp, Blue crab or Bay scallops, tossed with bell peppers, avocado, heirloom tomato, red onion, Fresno chili, cilantro and lime. Served with salsa verde and plantain chips


# Breakfast Buffets 

## Grab and Go

Minimum 25 / 10pp

## Mini assorted Danishes \& muffins \& guava turnovers

Assortment of whipped butters \& jellies
Bagels
Selection of flavored bagels \& scented cream cheeses
Hand Fruits
Apples, bananas \& oranges
Beverage
Orange juice, coffee, tea and water

## Tradition

## Scrambled Eggs

Locally source cage free eggs, Monterrey jack, tomato
French Toast
Tampa Bay Bakery sourdough, Vietnamese cinnamon, maple syrup
Breakfast Potatoes
Flash-fried Russet potatoes, bell peppers, onions

## Sourdough + Whole-Grain Toast

Assortment of whipped butters \& jellies
Hand Fruits
Apples, bananas \& oranges
Beverage
Orange juice, coffee, tea and water

- Add Bloody Mary Bar

10 per person, 1 hour

- Add Mimosa Bar



# Lunch Buffets <br> All buffets include Coca Cola products, tea, coffee and water Not available for evening events 

## Gourmet Deli

 Minimum 25 / 16ppMixed Green Salad - Seasonal vegetable, herb croutons, ranch \& balsamic vinaigrette Faro Salad - Blueberries, frisee, sweet corn, sun-dried tomato, basil, heirloom tomato, lemon vinaigrette
Brown Sugar Glazed Ham - House-made pickles, Tillamook cheddar, mustard aioli, tomato, romaine, Tampa Bay Bakery nine-grain wheat bread
Chicken Salad - Grilled \& chilled chicken breast, candied pecans, celery, green onion, red grapes, Duke's mayonnaise, served in lettuce cups
Quinoa Wrap - Hummus, cucumber, tomato, arugula, kalamata olive, mint red onion, lemon vinaigrette, flour tortilla
Sweets Display - Oatmeal raisin \& chocolate chip cookies, double fudge brownies

## All-American

Minimum 25 / 17pp
Mixed Green Salad - Seasonal vegetable, herb croutons, ranch \& balsamic vinaigrette
Potato Salad - Red bliss potatoes, celery, onion, mustard, dill, mayonnaise, crème fraiche
Cheeseburger - Our signature short rib + chuck + brisket blend, Tillamook cheddar, Tampa Bay bakery brioche (impossible burger available for +2)
Chicken Sandwich - Grilled breast, Tampa bakery brioche
Condiment Display - Romaine lettuce, sliced tomato, red onion, house-made pickles
Kettle Chips - House made potato chips, tossed in sea salt
Sweets Display - Oatmeal raisin \& chocolate chip cookies, double fudge brownies

## Backyard BBQ

Minimum 25 / 19pp
Cole Slaw - Shaved red \&green cabbages, carrots, whole grain mustard, creamy dressing Pasta Salad - Cucumbers, red onion, cherry tomatoes, smoked bacon, penne, ranch Pork Loin - Marinated for 24 hours in our special dry rub, slow roasted, hand carved Free Range Chicken - Bone-in cage free chicken, marinated 24 hours in our special dry rub
Condiment Display - House made Carolina BBQ \& Midwest BBQ sauces, pickled vegetables
Baked Beans - Creamy navy beans, brown sugar, mustard, spices
Kettle Chips - House made potato chips, tossed in sea salt
Sweets Display - Oatmeal raisin + chocolate chip cookies, double fudge brownies

River Hills House Salad - Arugula, baby spinach, romaine, heirloom tomato, goat cheese, cucumber, red onion, lemon vinaigrette
Herb Crusted Turkey Breast - 48-hour brine, slow roasted, natural au jus
Cedar Plank Salmon - Lemon-caper beurre blanc
Red Bliss Potatoes - Fresh herbs \& sea salt
Green Bean Amandine - Roasted red peppers, toasted almonds
Key Lime Pie - House Made traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest


# Plated Lunches <br> Served with Tampa Bay Bakery assorted rolls All lunches include Coke products, tea, coffee and water 

Minimum 25 / 23pp
Salads (select one)
River Hills - Arugula, baby spinach, romaine, heirloom tomato, goat cheese, cucumber, red onion, lemon vinaigrette
Chopped - Chopped iceberg, tomato, cucumber, red onion, bacon, ranch
Mixed Green -Seasonal vegetable, herb croutons, ranch + balsamic vinaigrette
Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 4/ per pp
Lemon Chicken - Sautéed free-range breast, wild mushroom, capers, tomato \& beurre blanc, crispy Brussels sprouts + parmesan
George's Banks Cod Florentine - Baby spinach, parmesan, white wine, toasted panko, herb roasted potatoes, hollandaise
Wagyu Meatloaf - Brown sugar \& tomato glaze, potato puree, onion straws
Pappardelle - Pomodoro \& cream, roasted mushroom, bocconcini, basil, crostini
Sweets (select one) - All House Made / add other for 3pp
Key Lime Pie - Traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest
Bread Pudding - Cuban bread soaked with milk, egg, chocolate, raisins, topped with white chocolate sauce

## Taste of Tampa

Minimum 25 / 27pp
Salads (select one)
Ybor City - Chopped iceberg, tomato, ham, swiss, olives, Romano, garlic-herb vinaigrette
Tarpon Springs Greek - Chopped lettuce, kalamata, cucumber, tomato, anchovy, feta, green pepper, potatoes, Greek dressing

Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 3pp
Skirt Steak - Garlic mojo marinade \& chargrilled, chimichurri, crispy tri-color potatoes
Mojo Chicken - Citrus marinated chicken breast, coconut-cilantro rice, tostones Grouper - Pan roasted, sautéed spinach, artichoke, tomato\& smashed avocado Quinoa - Black beans, avocado, cilantro, chickpeas, sweet corn, tomato, lime creama

Sweets (select one) add other for 3pp
Flan - Spanish inspired egg custard, caramel sauce
Guava Turnover - Fruity Guava \& cream cheese, baked in flaky pastry, rum spiked café con leche anglaise

## Dinner Buffets

Served with Tampa Bay Bakery assorted rolls All buffets include Coke products, tea, coffee and water

## Mediterranean

Salads (select one) + add second option for 3pp
Mixed Green Salad - Seasonal vegetable, herb croutons, balsamic
Tarpon Springs Greek - Chopped lettuce, kalamata, cucumber, tomato, anchovy, feta, green pepper, potatoes, Greek dressing
Toybox Caprese - Toybox heirloom tomatoes, petite bocconcini, micro basil, balsamic
Caesar - Baby romaine hearts, herb croutons, parmesan
Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 5pp
Chicken Picatta - Sautéed free-range breast, wild mushroom, capers, tomato \& beurre blanc
Pappardelle - Pomodoro \& cream, roasted mushroom, bocconcini, basil
Swordfish - Herb marinated, sun-dried tomato \& olive tapenade
Risotto "Paella style" - Sofrito, saffron Arborio rice, chicken stock, white wine, asparagus, clams, mussels, shrimp, chicken, chorizo
Pork Ragu - Slow roasted pork shoulder, potato gnocchi, roasted tomatoes \& herbs

Sides (Select two) add third option for 3pp
Crispy Brussels Sprouts - Parmesan cheese
Mashed Potatoes - Roasted garlic \& olive oil, ricotta, sea salt, chive
Vegetable Medley - Seasonal selection \& oven roasted
Sweets (select one) add second option for 3pp
Flan - Spanish inspired egg custard, caramel sauce
Bread Pudding - Cuban bread soaked with milk, egg, chocolate \& raisins, topped with white chocolate sauce



Floridian
Salads (Select two) add third option for 3 pp
Ybor City - Chopped iceberg, tomato, ham, swiss, olives, Romano, garlic-herb vinaigrette
Hearts of Palm - Arugula \& romaine hearts, mandarin orange, tomato, avocado, citrus vinaigrette
Faro Salad - Blueberries, frisee, sweet corn, sun-dried tomato, basil,
heirloom tomato, lemon vinaigrette
Caesar - Baby romaine hearts, herb croutons, parmesan
Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 5pp
Jerk Chicken - Marinated airline chicken breast, grilled pineapple \& coconut rum sauce
Snapper - Lightly blackened, tropical fruit salsa
Cuban Style Pork Loin - Citrus mojo marinade, garlic aioli
Brisket Ropa Vieja - Braised beef brisket, tomatoes, bell peppers, onions, smoked paprika, cojita
Mahi-Mahi - Plantain crusted, key lime butter sauce
Quinoa - Black beans, avocado, cilantro, chickpeas, sweet corn, tomato, lime creama

Sides (Select three) add fourth option for 3pp
Black Beans
Coconut-Cilantro Rice
Sweet Plantains + Tostones - Garlic aioli
Charred Heirloom Carrots
Vegetable Medley - Seasonal selection + oven roasted
Yucca Fritta - Garlic aioli
Sweets (select one) add second option for 3pp
Key Lime Pie - Traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest
Bread Pudding - Cuban bread soaked with milk, egg, chocolate \& raisins, topped with white chocolate sauce


Salads (Select two) add third option for 3pp
Baby Wedge - Baby iceberg, toybox heirloom tomato, red onion, Nueske bacon, blue cheese
River Hills - Arugula, baby spinach, romaine, heirloom tomato, goat cheese, cucumber, red onion, lemon vinaigrette
Hearts of Palm - Arugula \& romaine hearts, mandarin orange, tomato, avocado, citrus vinaigrette
Faro Salad - Blueberries, frisee, sweet corn, sun-dried tomato, basil, heirloom tomato, lemon vinaigrette
Caesar - Baby romaine hearts, herb croutons, parmesan
Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 5pp
Baby Eggplant - Israeli couscous, soy cheese, fire roasted vegetables, yellow pepper coulis
Grouper - Crawfish \& Andouille cream, maque choux
New York Strip - Hand carved, house made steak sauce, béarnaise
Kurabota Pork Tenderloin - Caramelized fennel \& green apple compote
Fra Diavolo - Gulf of Mexico shrimp, littleneck clams, mussels, scallops, spiced pomodoro, pappardelle

Sides (Select three) add fourth option for 3pp

Crispy Brussels Sprouts
Creamed Spinach
Vegetable Medley Mac N' Cheese

Grilled Asparagus
Charred Heirloom Carrots
Mashed Potatoes
Roasted Red Bliss Potatoes

Sweets (select two) add third option for 3pp
Panna Cotta - Wild berry compote
Key Lime Pie - Traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest
Flourless Chocolate - Raspberry Coulis

## Plated Dinners

Served with Tampa Bay Bakery assorted rolls All dinners include Coke products, tea, coffee and water

Wingspan
Minimum 25 /35pp
Salads (select one)
River Hills - Arugula, baby spinach, romaine, heirloom tomato, goat cheese, cucumber, red onion, lemon vinaigrette
Chopped - Chopped iceberg, tomato, cucumber, red onion, bacon, ranch
Caesar - Baby romaine hearts, herb croutons, parmesan
Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 5 per person
Pork Chop - 48-hour brine, natural jus, mashed potatoes
Creole Shrimp - Cajun spiced Gulf shrimp, bell pepper, tomato, lemon, sweet corn puree
Pappardelle - Pomodoro \& cream, roasted mushroom, bocconcini, basil
Mahi-Mahi - Plantain crusted, key lime butter sauce, coconut-cilantro rice
Chicken Picatta - Sautéed free-range breast, wild mushrooms +capers+ tomato, beurre blanc, mashed potatoes
Scottish Salmon - Maple-bourbon glaze, crispy Brussels sprouts

Sides (Substitute or add) second option for 3pp
Crispy Brussels Sprouts
Grilled Asparagus
Creamed Spinach
Charred Heirloom Carrots
Vegetable Medley
Mashed Potatoes
Mac N' Cheese
Roasted Red Bliss Potatoes

Sweets (select one) add second option for 3 per person
Key Lime Pie - Traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest
Bread Pudding - Cuban bread soaked with milk, egg, chocolate \& raisins, topped with white chocolate sauce

Salads (select one)
River Hills - Arugula, baby spinach, romaine, heirloom tomato, goat cheese, cucumber, red onion, lemon vinaigrette
Ybor City - Chopped iceberg, tomato, ham, swiss, olives, Romano, garlic-herb vinaigrette
Hearts of Palm - Arugula \& romaine hearts, mandarin orange, tomato, avocado, citrus vinaigrette
Faro Salad - Blueberries, frisee, sweet corn, sun-dried tomato, basil,
heirloom tomato, lemon vinaigrette
Caesar - Baby romaine hearts, herb croutons, parmesan

Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 3pp
Snapper - Lightly blackened, tropical fruit salsa, coconut-cilantro rice
Lake Meadow Farms Chicken - Wild mushroom \& goat cheese stuffed, Marsala reduction, mashed potatoes
Shrimp + Blue Crab Scampi - Heirloom tomatoes, basil, white wine butter sauce, pappardelle
Filet Mignon - 8-ounce choice filet, roasted shallot butter, house steak sauce, grilled asparagus
Quinoa - Black beans, avocado, cilantro, chickpeas, sweet corn, tomato, lime creama

Sides (Substitute or add) second option for 3pp
Crispy Brussels Sprouts
Grilled Asparagus
Creamed Spinach
Charred Heirloom Carrots
Vegetable Medley
Mashed Potatoes
Mac N' Cheese
Roasted Red Bliss Potatoes

Sweets (select one) add second option for 3pp
Panna Cotta - Wild berry compote
Key Lime Pie - Traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest
Flourless Chocolate - Raspberry Coulis

## The Oaks

Salads (select one)
River Hills - Arugula, baby spinach, romaine, heirloom tomato, goat cheese, cucumber, red onion, lemon vinaigrette
Baby Wedge - Baby iceberg, toybox heirloom tomato, red onion, Nueske bacon, blue cheese
Hearts of Palm - Arugula \& romaine hearts, mandarin orange, tomato, avocado, citrus vinaigrette
Faro Salad - Blueberries, frisee, sweet corn, sun-dried tomato, basil, heirloom tomato, lemon vinaigrette
Caesar - Baby romaine hearts, herb croutons, parmesan
Entrée's (Select two) add third option for 3pp
Surf \& Turf - Petite filet mignon, Gulf of Mexico shrimp, pomme puree, house steak sauce
Baby Eggplant - Israeli couscous, soy cheese, fire roasted vegetables, yellow pepper coulis
Grouper - Crawfish \& Andouille cream, maque choux
Chicken \& Gnocchi - Pan roasted airline chicken breast, carrot puree, brown butter \& wild mushroom potato gnocchi
Kurabota Pork Tenderloin - Caramelized fennel \& green apple compote, smoked gouda grits
Cioppino - Fisherman's stew of Gulf of Mexico shrimp, littleneck clams, mussels, scallops, tomato-fennel scented broth, crostini

Sweets (select one) add second option for 3pp
Panna Cotta - Wild berry compote
Key Lime Pie - Traditional key lime custard, graham cracker crust, whipped cream, lime zest
Flourless Chocolate - Raspberry Coulis

## Open Bar Pricing

Prices are pp

|  | One Hour | Two Hours | Three Hours | Four Hours | Five Hours |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Beer \& Wine | 15 | 22 | 27 | 30 | N/A |
| House Liquor | 20 | 27 | 32 | 35 | N/A |
| Premium Liquor | 25 | 32 | 37 | 40 | N/A |
| Top Shelf | 30 | 37 | 42 | 45 | N/A |
| *Last calls are made 15 minutes prior to the length of service selected |  |  |  |  |  |
| *Prices are subject to service charge and sale tax |  |  |  |  |  |

## Venue Fees

Venue rental fees are not included in the dining package pricing. Members of River Hills receive a 50\% discount on fees if booked by them personally with such member having to attend the event. Members securing an event in their name are $100 \%$ responsible for all payments, damages, fees and other charges incurred by their guests. Room rental fees are for (4) hours.


## Rental Fees

## Season

(January - May / September - December) Weekday (Mo-Th) Weekend (Fr-Sun)

- The Oaks
- Wingspan Terrace
- Clubhouse
- Ceremony Fee
- Additional Hour

Summer
(June - August)

- The Oaks
- Wingspan Terrace
- Clubhouse
- Ceremony Fee
- Additional Hour
* Entire clubhouse fees are for up to 5 hours including ceremony
* The Deck is included when the entire clubhouse is rented
* Linens are included for basic colors / custom colors add \$2pp
* Other fees may applicable


## Special Notes

- All packages and fees are subject to a $21 \%$ service charge and $8.5 \%$ State sales tax
- Deposits are required upon the agreement acceptance
- Deposits are non-refundable
- Events booked in excess of 120 days are subject to food price increases based on market
- Only wedding cakes are permitted to be catered by the party
- Any special ethnic food caterer must be approved in advance and requires added fees
- A separate list is available for customer requests of chairs, linens or other rentals
- All entertainment must be properly insured
- All events must be paid in full on the day of the function


## Taste Your Meal

Once your agreement is signed and the deposit has been offered, you are able to reserve a special taste testing of your meal selection. This tasting is offered at $50 \%$ off the retail rate for (2) two people and is credited to your final billing. Any other guests invited to the taste resting will be at full retail (plus service charge and taxes) and will not be credited from your final bill. A maximum of (6) six people may attend the taste testing.

## Wedding Checklist

As a courtesy, this checklist covers a full year. Certainly, you can adjust the schedule to your own timeline, whether you're planning two years or even one month in advance. Simply start the list below and check off boxes in each period of "to do's" before heading to the next period. Review your list regularly to keep your mind at ease.

## 12 Months Before

- Announce your engagement to family and friends and plan an engagement party Place an engagement announcement in your local newspaper
Sign up for a wedding website to keep your guests informed about event details
Work on the budget!
Consider purchasing wedding planning software or hire a wedding planner to help secure contracts, help you stay on track and be there on your big day.
Choose your wedding day - consider a few days in case venues are booked
Choose a location and reserve your ceremony and reception site(s). Act quickly as some venues book up quickly especially on special dates (i.e. 9/19/20, 10/10/20, etc.) Begin your guest list and compile current addresses and emails.
$\square \quad$ Invite your attendants, including your maid of honor, best man and groomsmen.
Begin wedding gown shopping.
Attend a local bridal show or two
- Purchase a wedding planning organizer or calendar to keep track of dates and times


## 6-9 Months Before

- Research and choose one or more bridal gift registries
$\square \quad$ Order your wedding gown and buy undergarments that you will wear
Order other bridal accessories - shoes, gloves and veil
Begin shopping for bridesmaids' dresses
Find an officiant who will perform your ceremony
Research local vendors and book ceremony musicians, a wedding band/DJ, photographer, videographer, caterer, florist (see River Hills Vendor Collection)


## 4-6 Months Before

$\square \quad$ Order your wedding invitations, invitation envelopes and thank-you cards
Purchase wedding favors
Purchase any desired ceremony and reception decorations
Start researching wedding cakes
Book your honeymoon and ensure you have the necessary travel documents including passports and visas. This can sneak up on you!
$\square \quad$ Book a room for your wedding night
Book hotel rooms or arrange other accommodations for out-of-town guests
Finalize your guest list and send out save-the-date cards
Print out directions to the ceremony, reception, rehearsal dinner and hotel(s) for guests
Compile a list of area information and things to do for out-of-town guests
Reserve transportation for you, your wedding party and family

## 2-4 Months Before

$\square \quad$ Find out what your state's requirements are for obtaining a marriage license Order tuxedos for the groom and groomsmen
Meet with your food \& beverage providers to discuss the menus and needs
Meet with your officiant to discuss ceremony details, wording and wedding vows
Select or write wedding vows
Order your wedding cake
Buy thank-you gifts for your attendants, flower girl and ring bearer
Shop for a gift for your spouse to be
Purchase wedding rings
Choose and reserve a location for the rehearsal dinner or meal Purchase necessities for your honeymoon
Obtain or renew passports if necessary - this is very important!
Make decision on whether children are invited to the event
Schedule an appointment with your dentist

## 1-2 Months Before

Mail invitations out to everyone eight weeks prior with the wedding date, accommodations and directions to out-of-town guests
$\square \quad$ Compile and complete name change documents
Plan a bridal luncheon or dinner with your bridesmaids

- Fill out a change of address form at the post office

Design and print ceremony programs
Purchase accessories such as a guest book, toasting glasses, cake knife, ring pillow, etc.
Choose your hair and makeup stylists and schedule a trial for both.
Book your appointments to have your hair, make-up and nails done on wedding day
Review insurance information to see what documents need to be updated once you are legally married

## 2 Weeks to 1 Month Before

$\square \quad$ Create you seating chart for the reception

- Contact your food \& beverage provider with a final guest count
$\square \quad$ Print out a timeline of events and vendors with all contact information
$\square \quad$ Meet with your photographer to finalize your wedding photo list
$\square \quad$ Contact your florist to confirm your final flower orders and review any decor details or venue delivery logistics
Finalize your ceremony and reception music and song lists
Confirm lodging reservations for out-of-town guests
Place a wedding announcement in your local newspaper and online
Pick up wedding bands
Schedule a final wedding dress fitting
Obtain your marriage license
Write rehearsal dinner toasts


## 1 Week Before

$\square \quad$ Write out final checks to your wedding vendors (each organized in an envelope) and let your wedding coordinator or one of your attendants to distribute at the wedding
$\square \quad$ Pick up your wedding gown
Pick up your marriage license and secure it safely
$\square \quad$ Confirm limo or other transportation reservations

- Pack for your honeymoon and confirm travel arrangements
$\square \quad$ Have your post office hold your mail if necessary


## 24 Hours

- Personally, welcome out-of-town guests as they arrive
$\square \quad$ Schedule your hair appointment for prior to the rehearsal dinner
Attend the rehearsal and enjoy the rehearsal dinner!


## The Big Day

- Set aside some time before the festivities to share gifts with your bridesmaids or close family members
$\square \quad$ Eat a healthy breakfast - you'll need your energy!
It's better to plan a little more time for each item on your list today as to not be rushed Enjoy it; Best Wishes and Congratulations!

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## CLOSE TO TAMPA \& CLOSE TO NATURE

From St. Pete, Clearwater, Tampa Airport, Downtown Tampa: Take I-275 North to I-4 East to I-75 South to exit 257. Turn left (east) on Brandon Blvd (Hwy 60). Go approximately 4 miles to Lithia Pinecrest Road and turn right (south) for 6 miles. River Hills will be on the left.

## From North of Tampa:

I-75 South to exit 257. Turn left (east) on Brandon Blvd (Hwy 60). Go approximately 4 miles to Lithia Pinecrest Road and turn right (south) for 6 miles. River Hills will be on the left.

## From South Tampa:

I-75 North to exit 254 (Hwy 301 South). Take 301 South to the first red light and turn left onto Bloomingdale. Go 7 miles to Lithia Pinecrest Road, turn right and go 2 miles. River Hills will be on the left.

## From East of Tampa:

1-4 West to I-75 South to exit 257. Turn left (east) on Brandon Blvd (Hwy 60).
Go 4 miles to Lithia Pinecrest Road turn right (south) for 6 miles. River Hills will be on the left.

From Hwy 60 (East):
Take 60 East to Lithia Pinecrest Road and turn left (south). Go 6 miles and River Hills will be on the left.

From the Crosstown:
East on the Crosstown to the Faulkenburg exit (the last exit before I-75). Go south on Faulkenburg (right) to the red light and turn East (left) onto Causeway Blvd. Follow Causeway Blvd (which becomes Lumsden Rd) to Lithia Pinecrest Road (approximately 4.5 miles). Turn right (south) onto Lithia Pinecrest Road and go 6 miles. River Hills will be on the left.

## River Hills Suggestion:

Download the app named WAZE. This app will redirect you when traffic
becomes achallenge, give you an estimated arrival time and give you warnings about road conditions and hazards.

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