

# FRANKLIN TAP EVENT PLANNING GUIDE

THE LOOP'S BEST CRAFT  
BEER SELECTION



SPACE FOR UP TO 150 GUESTS



HANDCRAFTED  
COCKTAILS



MADE FROM SCRATCH  
TAVERN FARE



## Our Space

With an open floor plan and space to accommodate up to 150 guests, Franklin Tap is the ideal destination for parties and events. Spaces are available to meet your budget.

## Our Menus

Our event menus offer a wide range of options. Whether you are planning a cocktail party or buffet event, menus are available to meet your budget. We are also pleased to design a custom menu for you.

## Special Extras

Looking to add extras to your event such as a AV equipment or microphones? We can provide you with these.

## Contact Us

Call our events team at 312-922-8025 to help you plan your next event!

# BUFFET EVENTS

90 MINUTE REPLENISHED BUFFET SERVICE | PRICED PER PERSON WITH A MINIMUM OF 25 GUESTS

## Classic Cocktail Party Buffet

- Spinach Artichoke Dip** vegetable crudité (vg)
  - Roasted Garlic Hummus** assorted vegetables, grilled pita (v)
  - Grilled Chicken Skewers** teriyaki glaze
  - Grilled Shrimp Skewers** grilled with a chili lime glaze
  - Knob Creek Whiskey Sliders** Knob Creek Maple Bourbon whiskey glaze, blue cheese crumbles, crispy onion strings, brioche buns
  - Mini BBQ Meatballs** beef and pork meatballs, house made bbq sauce
  - Assorted Mini Desserts**
- \$38 per guest**

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### Suggested Bar Option

*priced per guest*

**Platinum Package** | super-premium beer and liquor, premium wine, and sparkling wine  
1.5 hours \$32      2 hours \$42      3 hours \$55

## Tailgate Party Buffet

- House Made Guacamole** tortilla chips (v)
  - Pretzel Bites** cheese sauce (vg)
  - Cheeseburger Sliders** caramelized onions, pickle chips, american cheese, brioche buns
  - Santa Fe Black Bean Rolls** black beans, corn, monterey jack & cheddar cheese, chipotle ranch (vg)
  - Chicken Tenders** ranch and honey mustard dressing
  - Macaroni & Cheese** baked elbow macaroni, creamy cheese sauce, toasted breadcrumbs (vg)
  - Caramel Brownies**
- \$28 per guest**

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*priced per guest*

**Gold Package** | premium beer, liquor, and red and white wines  
1.5 hours \$28      2 hours \$35      3 hours \$50

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## Street Taco Party Buffet

**Tortillas & Chips** White Corn Tortillas, Flour Tortillas, House Made Tortilla Chips

**Meat/Vegetables** Seasoned Flank Steak, Chipotle Chicken, Charred Peppers & Onions

**Toppings** Roasted Tomato Salsa, Guacamole, Pico de Gallo, Pickled Red Onion, Queso Fresco and Shredded Cheddar & Monterey Jack Cheeses, Sour Cream

**Sides** Mexican Rice, Refried Beans

**Dessert** Mini Churros''''

**\$22 per guest**

*seasoned, charred cauliflower can substituted for one meat at no charge  
add \$5 per guest to add grilled shrimp or grilled fish*

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### Suggested Bar Option

*priced per guest*

#### Standard Beer & Wine Package

standard beer selections, house red & white wine selections

1.5 hours \$20      2 hours \$25      3 hours \$35

## TAVERN DINNER PARTY Buffet

### STARTER

Spinach Artichoke Dip - house-made tortilla chips (v)

### ENTREES

Grilled Boneless Chicken Breast

Beer Battered Haddock

### SIDES & SALADS

Caesar Salad

Creamy Coleslaw

Macaroni & Cheese

Garlic Mashed Potatoes

### DESSERT

Caramel Bread Pudding

**\$38 per guest**

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**Gold Package** | premium beer, house liquor, and red and white wines

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# PARTY PLATTERS

each platter serves 10-12 guests

## CHIPS & DIPS

**Roasted Garlic Hummus** assorted vegetables, grilled pita 50 (vg)

**Roasted Tomato Salsa** house-made tortilla chips 30 (vg)

**Guacamole** house-made tortilla chips 50 (vg)

**Artichoke Dip** house-made tortilla chips 50 (v)

**Pretzel Bites** cheese sauce 50 (v)

## VEGETARIAN

**Buffalo Cauliflower "Wings"** buttermilk battered cauliflower florets, buffalo sauce, carrots & celery, ranch and blue cheese dressing (28pcs) 60

**Santa Fe Black Bean Rolls** black beans, corn, monterey jack & cheddar cheese, rolled in a crispy flour tortilla, chipotle ranch (24pcs) 55

## CHICKEN, MEAT & SEAFOOD

**Buffalo Chicken Sliders** breaded chicken sliders, buffalo sauce, ranch, brioche bun (15pcs) 65

**Cheeseburger Sliders** caramelized onions, pickle chips, american cheese, brioche buns (15pcs) 65

**BBQ Pulled Pork Sliders** roasted pork shoulder, habanero bbq sauce, coleslaw, brioche bun (15pcs) 65

**Knob Creek Whiskey Sliders** Knob Creek Maple Bourbon whiskey glaze, blue cheese crumbles, crispy onion strings, brioche buns (15pcs) 75

**Buffalo Rolls** pulled chicken, carrot, celery, buffalo sauce, blue cheese crumbles, rolled in a crispy flour tortilla, ranch dressing (24pcs) 55

**Reuben Rolls** corned beef, swiss cheese, sauerkraut, rolled in a crispy flour tortilla, thousand island dressing (24pcs) 55

**Grilled Chicken Skewers** teriyaki glaze (24pcs) 55

**Buffalo Wings** your choice of buffalo or BBQ sauce with ranch dressing (28pcs) 60

**Buttermilk Battered Chicken Tenders** ranch & honey mustard dressing (20pcs) 55

**Mini BBQ Meatballs** beef and pork meatballs in bbq sauce (24pcs) 60

**Baja Shrimp Skewers** chili lime glaze (24pcs) 90

## SIDES

**Creamy Coleslaw** 45 (vg)

**Pasta Salad** 45 (vg)

**House Salad** mixed greens, cherry tomatoes, red onion, cucumber, balsamic and ranch dressings 45 (vg)

**Caesar Salad** chopped romaine hearts, parmesan cheese, brioche croutons, caesar dressing 45 (vg)

**Build Your Own Loaded Tater Tots** cheese sauce, applewood smoked bacon, scallions, sour cream on the side 60 (vg)

**Macaroni & Cheese** baked elbow macaroni, creamy cheese sauce, toasted breadcrumbs 60 (vg)

## DESSERTS

**Fudge Brownies** double fudge brownies with caramel drizzle (24pcs) 50

**Assorted Mini Desserts** mini eclairs, mini cream puffs, mini cheesecakes, and assorted truffles (24pcs) 60

**Mini Churro** house made with caramel and chocolate sauces (30pcs) 50

(V) - VEGETARIAN (VG) - VEGAN

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# BAR OPTIONS

## Package Bar Options - Prices are per guest | 25 person and 1.5 hour minimum

All packages include red bull, soda, lemonade, iced tea, and juices.  
Shots and doubles not included.

**Standard Beer & Wine Package** Standard beer selections, house red & white wine selections

1.5 hours \$20      2 hours \$25      3 hours \$35

**Premium Beer & Wine Package** Premium beer and wine selections, including sparkling

1.5 hours \$25      2 hours \$32      3 hours \$44

**Gold Package** Standard beer, house liquor, and house red & white wine selections

1.5 hours \$28      2 hours \$35      3 hours \$50

**Platinum Package** Premium beer, liquor & wine selections, including sparkling

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### Standard Beer

#### Draft:

Krombacher Pils  
Guinness

### Bottles & Cans:

Coors Light  
Miller Lite  
Miller High Life  
Goose Island 312  
Blue Moon  
Corona  
Heineken  
Modelo Especial  
New Belgium Fat Tire  
Revolution Fist City  
Virtue Michigan Cider  
Krombacher Weizen NA  
White Claw Hard Seltzer (GF)

### House Liquor

Vodka  
Gin  
Rum  
Bourbon  
Irish Whiskey  
Scotch  
Tequila

### House Wines

**White:**  
Chardonnay  
Pinot Grigio  
**Red:**  
Malbec  
Pinot Noir

### Premium Beer

#### Standard selections plus:

select bottled and canned beers from Goose Island, Half Acre, Revolution & Lagunitas, and select draft from our rotating craft draft lineup

### Premium Liquor

Tito's Vodka  
Tanqueray Gin  
Captain Morgan Spiced Rum  
Bacardi Rum  
Jameson Irish Whiskey  
Jack Daniel's Whiskey  
Makers Mark Bourbon  
Johnnie Walker Black Scotch  
Patron Tequila

### Premium Wines

#### House wines plus:

**White:**  
Riesling  
Sauvignon Blanc  
**Red:**  
Merlot  
Cabernet Sauvignon  
**Sparkling:**  
Prosecco

**Hosted Bar** - Beverage charges will be calculated based on consumption depending on what guests order at the event. Drinks will be placed on one bill and presented to the host at the conclusion of the event. Event hosts are welcome to customize the beverage options offered to guests at the event by setting limitations (monetary limit and/or liquor exclusions)

**Cash Bar** - Guests purchase their own beverages

### NA Beverage Package - 2hr package | \$5 per guest

soda, ginger ale, iced tea, Lemonade, root beer, premium sparkling water, premium iced tea

# CELEBRATE AT THE LOOP'S NEIGHBORHOOD TAVERN

GREAT FOOD, GREAT BEER, GREAT TIMES!

## Event Guidelines

Thank you for your interest in hosting an event at Franklin Tap. Please contact our event manager at 312-922-8025 to discuss your event.

### Tax and Service Charges

Current sales tax and 22% service charge will be added to all food and beverage.

### Deposits

For groups requesting food and/or beverage packages, food platters, or requiring a minimum spend, a 25% deposit of the estimated charge may be required to secure the event space.

### Food and Beverage Minimums and Room Charges

Minimums and room charges may apply. Please speak to our event manager for details.

### Payment Arrangements

Payment is due upon completion of the event. All major credit cards are accepted. Corporate checks are accepted with a 14-day advanced notice and payment in full is due the day of the event.

### Guarantee

A final guest guarantee and final menu selections are required three business days prior to your event. The event will be billed per the final guarantee or the actual number of guests in attendance, whichever is greater.

### Health & Safety

We're closely monitoring the advice and guidance from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the World Health Organization (WHO) as well as strictly following City of Chicago and State of Illinois guidelines and mandates to keep guests and staff safe. If anyone in your party feels ill, please advise them not to attend.

**All guests must be 21 years of age or older**

**Reserved space will be released 15 minutes after reservation start time**

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