



Restaurants at The Palazzo Resort Hotel Casino and The Venetian Resort Hotel Casino create delicious menus for Christmas day

Las Vegas, Nevada (December 15, 2008)---The Palazzo Resort Hotel Casino and The Venetian Resort Hotel Casino welcome Christmas day as select world-renowned restaurants serve up extraordinary menus. From prix fixe menus that include creamy lobster bisque and grilled filet mignon to scrumptious desserts consisting of apple walnut strudel and pomegranate parfait, there is a dish that will please the pallet of each guest.

The Palazzo restaurants offering exclusive Christmas day menus include Dos Caminos, Emeril Lagasse's Table 10, SUSHISAMBA, and Morels French Steakhouse & Bistro. At The Venetian, restaurants include Joachim Splichal's Pinot Brasserie, Mario Batali's B&B Ristorante, Piero Selvaggio's Valentino and Zeffirino.

Details of each menu are listed below. Please contact the restaurant directly to make reservations or visit www.palazzolasvegas.com or www.venetian.com for more information.

The Palazzo Resort Hotel Casino

Dos Caminos

- Prices vary on each menu item
- Open 2pm-10pm
- Reservations: 702.577.9600

Appetizers

OYSTER POSOLE

guajillo chile broth, hominy, crispy oysters / \$12

DUCK CARNITAS TAMAL

mole coloradito, quince salsita, shaved foie gras terrine / \$14

ENSALADA NOCHE BUENA

mixed organic greens, roasted beets, pomegranate seeds, toasted pinenuts, goat cheese, chipotle honey vinaigrette /\$11

Entrees

ANCHO GRILLED FILET MIGNON

fork mashed fingerling potatoes, spinach en cazuela, chipotle garlic butter / \$32

PISTACHIO CRUSTED HALIBUT

wild mushroom, huitlacoche and chorizo risotto, brussels sprouts, salsa borracha / \$28

POLLO A LA PLANCHA

Crispy marinated young chicken, sweet potato croquettes, pipian verde / \$25

Desserts

PASTEL DE CAJETA

white chocolate cake, cajeta mousse, patron xo /\$9

POMEGRANATE PARFAIT

pomegranate flan, exotic fruit salsita, blood orange raspado / \$9

Emeril Lagasse's Table 10

- Prices vary on each menu item
- Reservations: 702.607.6363

Salad

Butter Poached Lobster Tail with Baby Arugula & Citrus Supremes tossed in a Creamy Fennel Dressing and Shaved Winter Truffles

\$20

Appetizer

Seared Halibut Cheeks on a Lima Bean & Corn Succotash with Creole Tomato Glaze and a Pancetta Chip

\$18

Entrées

Cola soaked Rotisserie Duck with Wild Mushroom & Artichoke Bread Pudding, Southern Cooked Greens and an Apricot Reduction

\$38

Slow Roasted Filet Mignon & a Maine Sea Scallop served with Cauliflower Gratin
and Basil Pesto Oil

\$48

Dessert

Apple Walnut Strudel with an Egg Nog Ice Cream and
Calvados Caramel Sauce

\$9.00

SUSHISAMBA

- \$45 per person; \$75 per person with a sake pairing
- Menu available December 24-25, 2008
- Reservations: 702.607.0700

Holiday Sambatini

Cabana cachaca, egg white, crème de cacao light, lime juice, chocolate drizzle

Organic Beet Salad

Sake roasted baby beets, winter greens, cabrales cheese carmelized brazil nuts,
yuzu beet froth

Black Beer Braised Short Rib

Pork crackling and frijol canario escabeche

Holiday Sushi Assortment

Blueberry Chinsuko Yaki

Blueberry cobbler, doce de leite ice cream and milk cinnamon foam

Morels French Steakhouse & Bistro

- \$75 per person plus tax and gratuity
- Reservations: 702.607.6333

CHOICE OF:

ROASTED KURI SQUASH & LOBSTER BISQUE

Toasted Pepita Seeds & Truffle Crème

OR

IMPORTED BELGIUM ENDIVE SALAD

Farmers Market Apples, Candied Pecans, Fourme d'Ambert Blue Cheese &
Balsamic Shallot

CHOICE OF:

OVEN ROASTED CHILEAN SEABASS

Wild Mushroom Risotto, Petite Parsley & Asparagus Spuma
OR
GRILLED 100% NATURAL 8 oz. FILET MIGNON
Butternut Squash Dumplings, Bloomsdale Spinach, Caramelized Pearl Onions
Red Wine Reduction

WARM WINTER APPLE & PEAR CLAFOUTIS
Vanilla Bean & Rum Ice Cream, Carmel Sauce

The Venetian Resort Hotel Casino

Joachim Splichal's Pinot Brasserie

- \$65 for four courses, \$75 for five courses, \$25 for children
- Available 5pm-10pm on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day
- Reservations: 702.414.8888

First Course Selection

Oyster in half shell, celery-watermelon relish, Champagne mignonette
Creamy Lobster bisque with crème fraîche
Smoked salmon terrine, tomato mousse, caviar
Belgian endive – Confit foie gras, mache, Port-black truffle reduction

Second Course Selection

Oven roasted lobster tail, creamy green lentils, red wine reduction
Crispy lump blue crab cake, fennel radish croquant, spicy red bell pepper coulis
Short rib ravioli, langoustine, short rib-chive reduction

Third Course Selection

Pan seared scallop, quail egg, crispy chorizo
Potato wrapped halibut, oven roasted tomato, truffled poultry jus
Grilled filet mignon and roasted langoustine tail, shellfish Bordelaise

Fourth Course Selection

Crème brûlée
Oven roasted strawberries with Balsamic vinegar and black pepper, Humboldt
fog goat cheese
Crêpes Suzette
Belgian chocolate souffle with Grand Marnier sauce

Mario Batali's B&B Ristorante

- Feast of the Seven Fishes Dinner (La Vigilia)
- \$110 per person
- Available December 19-24, 2008
- Reservations: 702.266.9977

Oyster
Baccala Crudo & Cotto
San Pedro Squid with Puntarelle and Tangerines
Taylor Bay Scallops with Black Spaghetti
Lobster Cannelloni with Saffron Passato
Skate Saltimbocca
Tuna Trapanese
Local Citrus & Olive Oil Gelato
King's Ranch Raisins Sbrisolona

Piero Selvaggio's Valentino

- \$95 per person
- Reservations: 702.414.3000

Steamed Scampi with Artichoke & Taleggio Salad with a Verjus and grape dressing

Lobster bisque

Creamy Rabbit Spezzatino with Fontina Stuffed Bucatini and funghi di bosco

Buffalo Medallion with Caramelized cauliflower, White Wine Demi and White Truffle

Cheese three ways: Hot, Cold and Crispy with Mixed Fruit

Panettone pudding

Zeffirino

- \$55 per person plus tax and gratuity
- Brunch menu will be served 10:00am-3:00pm
- Reservations: 702.414.3500

Freshly steamed Lobster, Shrimp, Oyster, Clams
Appetizers: Mozzarella Caprese, Prosciutto and Melon

Grilled Vegetables
Smoked Salmon
Variety of Salads
Selection of Cold Cuts
Home Made Pastas
Lamb Chops
Chateaubriand
Chicken
Poached Salmon
Chilean Sea Bass
Breakfast Delicacies
Omelets made to order
25 Varieties of Pastries and Cakes freshly made
Champagne, Mimosas, Bellinis and Bloody Mary's

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With over 3,000 expansive suites, luxury shopping and world-class dining and entertainment, the \$1.9 billion, 50-story Palazzo Las Vegas literally takes luxury to new heights. Highlighted by a flagship, 85,000-square-foot Barneys New York, The Shoppes at The Palazzo features more than 60 luxury boutiques. In addition, 20 remarkable stores and luxury brands made their Las Vegas debuts at The Palazzo, including Chloe, Tory Burch, Christian Louboutin, Diane Von Furstenberg, Van Cleef & Arpels, Catherine Malandrino, Anya Hindmarch, and Michael Kors. Additionally, The Palazzo offers a variety of cuisines from a collection of award-winning chefs such as CarneVino by Mario Batali, CUT by Wolfgang Puck, Table 10 by Emeril Lagasse and Restaurant Charlie by Charlie Trotter. Other one-of-kind offerings include, Tony Award winning Broadway musical, JERSEY BOYS, the chic dining and nightlife LAVO, the world's largest Canyon Ranch SpaClub, and the Strip's first Lamborghini dealership.

ABOUT THE VENETIAN

The Venetian Resort-Hotel-Casino, the largest property in the country to receive AAA's Five Diamond Award and Mobil Four-Star, is one of the world's most

luxurious resort and convention destinations. Re-creating Venice's legendary landmarks, the resort offers unmatched service and quality for leisure and corporate guests. Located in the heart of the Las Vegas Strip, The Venetian features The Grand Canal Shoppes, an indoor streetscape complete with gondolas and singing gondoliers, the Canyon Ranch SpaClub, world-class gaming, exquisite restaurants, and a wide variety of entertainment such as Phantom-The Las Vegas Spectacular, Blue Man Group and Wayne Brady on its premises, as well as extensive convention and corporate services. For additional information, visit The Venetian website at www.venetian.com.