## 2024-2025







# CATERING GUIDE

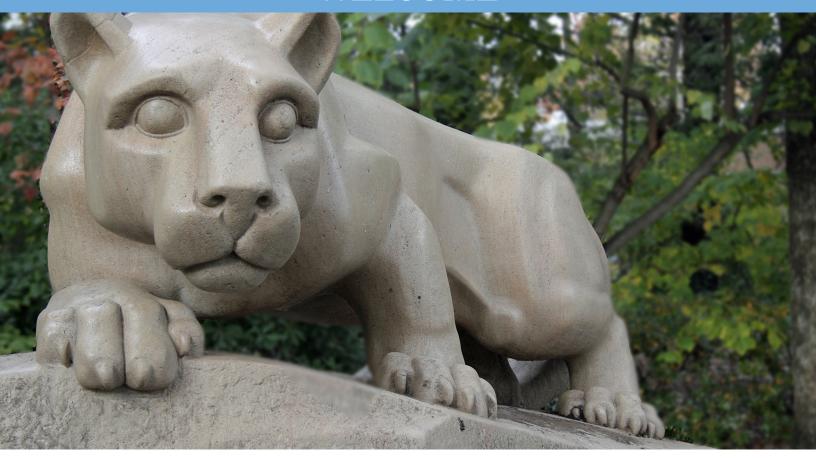




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## WELCOME



Catering Services provides unparalleled quality catering to the Penn State campus community—from coffee breaks to buffets to multi-course meals to theme celebrations. We can tailor a menu to match your food service needs—and your budget.



## **BREAKFAST**

## **Continental**

Includes Starbucks  $^{\circledcirc}$  coffee, regular and decaf, Teavana  $^{\leadsto}$  tea, ice water

minimum of 15 guests

**Quick Break Breakfast** per person **7.00** fresh fruit medley, assorted breakfast pastries

**Hot Buffets** 

Includes Starbucks  $^{\tiny{\textcircled{\tiny \$}}}$  coffee, regular and decaf, Teavana  $^{\tiny{\textcircled{\tiny $\texttt{M}$}}}$  tea, ice water

minimum of 15 guests

**Country Breakfast Buffet** per person 11.50 scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage patty, home fries, fresh fruit medley

**Create Your Own Breakfast Bowl** per person **9.50** includes scrambled eggs, Cheddar cheese, sour cream, assorted vegetables, and your choice of bacon or sausage

### **ENHANCEMENTS**

Buttermilk Pancakes	2 ea	3.00
Spinach Quiche	per person	3.50
Breakfast Fritatta	per person	3.50

### **BAKERY SELECTIONS**

Assorted Muffins	1 ea	2.75
blueberry, banana nut, chocolate chip		
Donuts	1 doz	19.00
Granola Bar	1 ea	2.25
Mini Pastries	1 doz	15.00
donuts, croissants, danishes		
Assorted Quick Bread	1 ea	2.75
zucchini, orange glazed, banana chocola	te chip, cinnam	non
streusel		

### **YOGURT**

Fruit and Yogurt Parfait Bar	per person	4.25
includes assorted fruit, yogurt and granological	3	
Blueberry Yogurt Parfait	ea	2.75
Chobani Yogurt Cup	ea	3.00

### **BREAKFAST BEVERAGE**

Coffee Service	per person	3.00
includes regular and decaf coffee and	hot tea; one 8oz p	oortion
per person		

Bottled Water	20 oz	2.50
Bottled Juice	15 oz	3.70
orange, apple, cranberry		
Juice	per person	2.25
orange, apple, cranberry		
Iced Water	per person	0.25

## **Build Your Buffet**

Pick two sandwiches or wraps. Includes two sides and your choice of cookies or brownies. Includes iced water and iced tea. 15.00

minimum of 10 quests

### **SANDWICHES**

Ham & Swiss on a Pretzel Bun	a la carte	8.00
ham, swiss, dijonnaisse on pretzel roll		
Italian Chicken on Ciabatta grilled chicken breast, provolone, pesto, mix	a la carte tapenade, toma	8.00 ato, spring
Chicken Cassar on Ciabatta	a la carto	9.00

8.00 Chicken Caesar on Ciabatta sliced chicken breast, creamy Caesar dressing, tomatoes, romaine

**Cucumber Hummus** 8.00 a la carte hummus, cucumbers, tomato on deli wheat bread

Roasted Tomato Garlic Focaccia 8.00 roasted tomatoes, basil, mozzarella cheese, provolone cheese

Surimi Salad on Hawaiian Roll 8.00 a la carte seafood salad, spring mix on King's Hawaiian roll

**Tuna Salad Croissant** a la carte 8.00 tuna salad, tomato and lettuce on croissant

### **WRAPS**

Turkey with Provolone	a la carte	8.00
turkey, cheese, lettuce, tomato on a w	hite tortilla wrap	
Southwest Chicken	a la carte	8.00
Southwest seasoned grilled turkey this	ghs, tomato, romai	ne,
cheddar cheese, ranch dressing on a	white tortilla wrap	
Ranch Chicken	a la carte	8.00

fried chicken tenders, provolone cheese, lettuce, tomato, ranch dressing

8.00 Mediterranean Vegetable a la carte hummus, feta, romaine, tomato, chickpeas, black olives, lemon olive oil dressing on white tortilla wrap

Italian Asiago a la carte sun dried tomatoes, artichoke hearts, provolone cheese, asiago cheese, black olives, roasted peppers, lettuce, golden Italian dressing on a white tortilla wrap

Cajun Salmon\* a la carte cajun salmon, spinach, capers, red onions, and lemon aioli on tortilla wrap

\*additional upcharge to include wrap with deli buffet or boxed lunch

### **BOXED LUNCHES**

Pick two sandwiches or wraps. Includes bagged chips, whole fruit, cookies, and bottled beverage. 15.00

### **SIDES**

Soup du Jour

vegetarian and vegan options available

SIDES		
Garden Salad iceberg/romaine mix, grape tomato, red o	a la carte	4.00
pepper	mion, cucumb	ei, green
Caesar Salad	a la carte	4.00
romaine, croutons, parmesan cheese, Cae	esar dressing,	pepper
Greek Salad	a la carte	4.00
chopped romaine, tomatoes, onion, cucul chick peas, feta cheese, red wine vinaigre		vocado,
Asian Chopped Salad with Cashews		4.00
cabbage, edamame, carrots, celery, greer oranges, red peppers, cashews, chili ging		
Caprese Salad	a la carte	4.00
comato, mozzarella, balsamic vinaigrette	2 /3 03/10	
Pasta Salad	a la carte	1.50
rotini, tomatoes, peppers, broccoli, cauliflo	ower, Italian dr	essing
Potato Salad	a la carte	1.50
ed potatoes, hard-boiled egg, mayo dres	ssing	
Broccoli Salad proccoli, bacon, onion, mayo dressing	a la carte	1.50
Macaroni Salad	a la carte	1.50
nacaroni, onion, celery, mayo dressing		
Homemade Potato Chips Choice of Ranch, BBQ, or Old Bay	a la carte	1.50
Fresh Fruit Salad	a la carte	3.00
Small Bag of Chips	a la carte	1.00
ADD A SALAD PROTEIN		
Grilled Chicken Breast	4 oz	4.00
Fresh-Seared Atlantic Salmon	4 oz	7.00
Italian Baked Tofu	3 oz	2.50
SOUP		
minimum of 10 guests		
12 oz per serving		

5.00

a la carte

## **BUFFETS**

## **Hot Buffet Selections**

Choice of one entrée, one vegetable, and one starch. Includes side salad, dinner roll, iced water, and iced tea. Additional entrée choices available. See menu for pricing.

### **BEEF**

minimum of 15 guests		
Beef Tenderloin	4 oz	30.00
Carved Beef Brisket	4 oz	19.00
London Broil	4 oz	19.00

### **PORK**

minimum of 15 guests		
additional entrée 6.00 per person		
Neapolitan Ragu	4 oz	17.00
Sweet Tea Brined Pork Chops	4 oz	17.00

### **SEAFOOD**

minimum of 15 guests		
Herb-Roasted Salmon	4 oz	25.00
Shrimp Scampi	6 oz	20.00

### **POULTRY**

minimum of 15 guests

additional entrée 6.00 per person Halal options available		
Halal Grilled Citrus Herb Chicken	1 ea	17.00
Halal Biryani Chicken	8 oz	17.00
Chicken Bruschetta	6 oz	17.00
Chicken Marsala	6 oz	17.00
Chicken Piccata	4 oz	17.00
Lemon Garlic Chicken Quarters	8 oz	17.00

### **VEGETARIAN**

minimum of 15 guests additional entrée 6.00 per person		
Mac & Cheese	6 oz	17.00
Tikka Masala	4 oz	17.00
Fried Rice Tofu	3 oz	17.00
Indian Potato Cake		
with Coconut Curried Chickpeas	4 oz	17.00
Bruschetta Spaghetti	4 oz	17.00

### **VEGAN**

minimum of 15 guests additional entrée 6.00 per person		
Quinoa Butternut Squash Spinach with Walnuts	6 oz	17.00
Mushroom Strudel	1 ea	17.00
Crabless Cake Cajun Aioli	1 ea	17.00

## **Choose Your Buffet Sides**

### SALAD

Includes Assorted Dressing additional salad 4.00 per person

Garden Salad Caesar Salad

**Greek Salad** 

### **STARCHES**

additional starch 2.50 per person

**Fingerling Potatoes** 

Buttered Parsley

**Red Potatoes** 

**Roasted Garlic** 

**Mashed Potatoes** 

**Basmati Rice** 

**Buttered Penne** 

### **VEGETABLES**

additional vegetable 2.25 per person

**Green Beans with Almonds** 

**Roasted Garlic Brussels Sprouts** 

**Honey Roasted Carrots** 

**Broccoli with Roasted Red Peppers** 

**Asparagus** 

Seasonal Vegetable Medley

### **BREADS**

additional bread 1.50 per person

**Assorted Dinner Rolls** 

**Cornbread Muffin** 

Focaccia

**Cheddar Biscuit** 

### **Featured Buffets**

priced per person includes iced water and iced tea or lemonade

PICNIC 17.00

Hamburger, Hot Dog, Sliced American Cheese, Burger Topping Bar, Potato Chips, Potato Salad, Fudge Brownie minimum of 15 guests veggie burger available upon request

### **FAR EAST FEAST**

18.00

Vegetarian Egg Roll, Vegetable Lo Mein, General Tso's Chicken, Jasmine Rice

minimum of 15 guests

BBQ BUFFET 15.00

BBQ Pulled Pork on Hawaiian Pretzel Roll, Mac & Cheese, Broccoli & Bacon Salad, Corn, and Jalapeno Corn Bread minimum of 15 quests

### **FLAVORS OF INDIA**

15.00

Butter Chicken, Paneer Tikka Masala, Dal Makhani, Basmati Rice, Turmeric Roasted Carrots and Naan minimum of 15 guests

### **CLASSIC CARIBBEAN**

12.00

Grilled Jamaican Jerk Chicken, Caribbean Jerk Fried Tofu, Collard Greens with Bacon, Caribbean Fried Rice minimum of 15 guests

### **BUILD YOUR SALAD**

13.00

Spring Mix, Romaine Iceberg Mix, Assorted Toppings, Cheeses, and Dressing

minimum of 15 guests

### **ADD A SALAD PROTEIN**

Grilled Chicken Breast	4 oz	4.00
Shrimp	4 oz	7.00
Italian Baked Tofu	3 oz	2.50

### **TACOS**

minimum of 15 guests		
Beef Walking Taco includes topping bar	per person	9.00
Beef Taco includes topping bar	2 per person	6.00
Chicken Taco includes topping bar	2 per person	6.00
Vegetarian Taco Option includes topping bar	2 per person	6.00

**Taco Bar Toppings**: shredded lettuce, diced tomato, shredded cheddar, sour cream, green onions, black olives, guacamole, jalapeños, taco sauce

### **NACHO BAR**

minimum of 15 guests

Nacho Bar per person 8.00 choose beef taco meat or chicken, tortilla chips, salsa, nacho cheese, green onions, diced tomato, black olives, jalapeños, shredded lettuce, guacamole, sour cream, taco sauce

**Vegetarian Nacho Bar Option** per person **8.00** 





## **BUDGET FRIENDLY MEALS**

priced per person includes iced water SOUP AND SALAD

9.00

minimum of 15 guests

Soup of the Day
Garden Salad

12 oz

Assorted Dinner Rolls

**Assorted Cookies** 2 per pe

SIMPLE ITALIAN 9.00

minimum of 15 guests

Penne with Marinara

Caesar Salad with Dressing

**Cheesy Breadsticks** 

Assorted Cookies 2 per person

add Chicken Parmesanper person6.00Meatballs in Milano Sauce2 per person2.75

MACARONI AND CHEESE BAR 10.00

minimum of 15 quests

Macaroni and Cheese

bacon, broccoli, green onions, jalapenos, Chef choice proteir

Garden Salad with Dressing

**Assorted Dinner Rolls** 

**Assorted Cookies** 2 per person

MASHED POTATO BOWL 9.00

minimum of 15 quests

includes corn, mashed potatoes, chicken, gravy, bacon pieces and cheddar cheese

### **BASIC BOX LUNCH**

Sandwich 10.00

Choice of deli turkey or ham with lettuce, tomato, onion and cheese on a Hawaiian hamburger bun

Can of Soda or Bottled Water

**Bag of Chips** 

**Cookies** 2 per person

## PIZZA & SUBS

**Deluxe Specialty Pizza** 

### **PIZZA**

17.00
20.00
22.00

22.00

#### SHIPS

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Roast Beef Sub Platter serves 5 people/2 full subs/ 10 pieces	1ea	22.00
Italian Sub Platter serves 5 people/2 full subs/ 10 pieces	1ea	22.00
Turkey Sub Platter serves 5 people/2 full subs/ 10 pieces	1ea	22.00
Veggie Sub Platter serves 5 people/2 full subs/ 10 pieces	1 ea	22.00

## LIGHT FARE

### **CHIPS & DIP**

Potato Chips individual potato chip bags	per person	1.00
Nacho Cheese Sauce includes tortilla chips minimum of 25 guests	per person	2.50
Hot Spinach Artichoke Dip includes pita chips minimum of 25 guests	per person	3.00
Buffalo Chicken Dip includes chips and veggies minimum of 25 guests	per person	4.00
Roasted Garlic Hummus choice of one: everything bagel, roasted includes chips and veggies minimum of 25 guests	per person I red pepper, or t	3.00 traditional
Salsa includes tortilla chips	per person	2.50

### **FINGER FOOD**

Boneless Chicken Wings buffalo, barbecue, or sweet Thai chilis includes celery and blue cheese or ra		15.00
serves 3-4 people/5-6 oz per person		
Bone-In Chicken Wings buffalo, barbecue, or sweet Thai chilis includes celery and blue cheese or ra		15.00
Chicken Tenders includes dipping sauce	doz	22.00
Mozzarella Sticks includes milano sauce	doz	14.00
French Fries	per person	2.00
Pretzel Stick includes nacho cheese	ea	3.25
Mac & Cheese Bites	25 per order	25.00





## APPS & ADDS

## Hot

25 pieces per order 5-8 pieces per quest is recommended

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Mini Crab Cakes with Remoulade	100.00
Spinach & Feta Stuffed Mushrooms	75.00
Italian Meatballs	30.00
Fried Coconut Chicken Strips	50.00
Thai Chili Barbecue Shrimp Skewers	65.00
Chicken Satay with Two Sauces	60.00
Caprese Skewers	40.00
Deviled Eggs	25.00
Margherita Flatbread Pizza	25.00
Buffalo Chicken Flatbread	32.00
Samosas with Tahini Yogurt Sauce	40.00
Pakora with Tahini Yogurt Sauce	40.00
Pork Potstickers with Ponzu Sauce	35.00
Spring Rolls	35.00

## Cold

### Vegetables with Dip

carrots, brocolli, cauliflower, celery, grape tomato, cucumber, green pepper, red pepper, ranch

serves 8-10 guests **30.00** serves 25 guests **50.00** 

### **Cheese & Crackers**

swiss, colby, monterey, dijon mustard, assorted crackers

serves 8-10 guests **40.00** serves 25 guests **75.00** 

### Fresh Fruit

grapes, honeydew, cantaloupe, pineapple, strawberries, cream cheese honey fruit dip

serves 8-10 guests	40.00	serves 25 guests	75.00
Charcuterie Boar	r <b>d</b>	serves 25 guests	90.00
Shrimp Cocktail		platter	110.00
Bruschetta with I	Baguettes	12 servings	43.00

## **BEVERAGES**

## **Hot Beverages**

Coffee Serviceper person3.00includes regular and decaf coffee and hot tea; one 8oz portionper personHot Chocolateper person3.00

## **Cold Beverages**

### **BOTTLED**

Water Juice	20 oz 15 oz	2.50 3.70
orange, apple, cranberry		
Assorted Pepsi Beverages	20 oz	2.50
Lipton Tea	18.5 oz	2.50
CANS		
Assorted Pepsi Beverages	12 oz	1.50

### **COLD BEVERAGE DISPENSERS**

Lemonade	per person	1.50
Unsweetened Iced Tea	per person	1.50
Sweetened Iced Tea	per person	1.50
Cranberry Juice	per person	2.25
Apple Juice	per person	2.25

### WATER PITCHER

Iced Water Pitchers	per person	0.25
no charge if other beverages purchased		

### **INFUSED WATERS**

Cucumber Iced Water	per person	0.50
Orange Iced Water	per person	0.50





## **DESSERTS**

## **Penn State Bakery**

**BROWNIES**ea
1.50
Traditional, Brookie Square, Iced Chocolate, Cheesecake
Swirl

**CAKES**Slice
4.00
White Chocolate Raspberry, Old Fashioned Chocolate,

Chocolate Peanut Butter Crunch, Chocolate Flourless
Cake

Blue & White Confetti Cupcakesdoz22.50Assorted Cupcakesdoz22.50Seasonal Cupcakesdoz22.50

CHEESECAKES slice 4.00

New York, Raspberry Swirl, Caramel Apple Pumpkin (seasonal)

MINI PIES doz 24.00

Lemon, Boston Creme, Pecan, Chocolate, Pumpkin

WHOOPIE PIES doz 24.00

Chocolate, Chocolate Chip, Blue and White

ASSORTED DESSERT SHOOTERS ea 3.95 minimum 2 weeks notice

COOKIES

Large Chocolate Chip doz 21.00
Small doz 9.00

Chocolate Chip, Sprinkle Sugar, Candy Coated Pieces, Double Chocolate

Peanut Butter Chocolate No Bake doz 9.00
Oatmeal Chocolate Chip No Bake doz 9.00
Vegan Friendly

## **Penn State Berkey Creamery**

### **BUILD YOUR ICE CREAM BAR**

**3 Gallon Tub** *ea* **75.00** 

serves approx. 45 guests

Half Gallonea15.00Topping Barper tub15.00

chocolate syrup, caramel syrup, rainbow sprinkles, cherries, whipped cream

Penn State Creamery Dixie Cups ea 2.00

## **GUIDELINES**

### **Room Reservations**

Before contacting Food Services please make sure you have confirmed your room reservation in 25Live by CollegeNet and a Work Order has been placed with Maintenance and Operations. Food Services does not provide tables and chairs for setup.

## **Catering Orders**

Please provide Food Services a two-week notice for your event. This will help plan and schedule accordingly. If you provide less than a two-week notice, we will make every attempt to cater your event; however, your initial food and beverage selection cannot be guaranteed.

For all events a Penn State internal order or cost center is required when placing the order. Please make sure you provide the department and budget administrator.

Please work with your catering manager on finalizing payment details.

## Important details to include with your catering order:

### NAME OF YOUR EVENT

#### DATE

#### START TIME AND END TIME

- \* Please make any notes regarding meetings/events before or after yours. We make every attempt to be on time for clean up, but other activities during the day could delay us.
- \*Standard setup is complete 15 minutes before Event Start Time; large events may require more setup time.
- \* A service fee could be charged for any event outside of our normal operating hours.

### **LOCATION OF EVENT**

\* Please provide any important details regarding the setup that might be helpful for us to know prior to arriving to the event location.

### **MENU**

- \* We would be happy to assist in customizing a menu.
- \* Please share any known guest dietary needs or food allergies.

### **ESTIMATED NUMBER OF GUESTS**

### CHOICE OF CHINA OR DISPOSABLE TABLE SERVICE

\* Additional charges may be required for china service.

### **LINEN NEEDS**

\* If you require linen for any other tables besides food and beverage, please see Linen section of the guidelines.

## **Policies**

Guests are not permitted to take leftover food, beverages, condiments or paper products from the premises of any catered event. This policy is driven by food safety concerns and is not negotiable.

The client is responsible for ensuring that all property belonging to Food Services is promptly returned. Items may not be stored in departments for future use. Clients may be assessed a fee for any items that are not returned.

### **FINAL COUNTS & CANCELLATIONS**

Final counts are due to the catering manager at least 72 hours before the scheduled event. If the client does not provide the final count within this time frame the client will be billed 100% of the guaranteed number of guests.

Once the final count is received an updated Sales Confirmation will be sent to the client. It is the responsibility of the client to review to make sure all details are correct for their event.

To provide a quality catering event, Food Services agrees to provide 5% above the guaranteed number. Quantities of food prepared will adequately serve the number of guaranteed guests, but this does not imply all-you-care-to-eat.

If an event begins more than 30 minutes after the scheduled starting time, Food Services cannot be held responsible for the overall quality of the meal. The client will be responsible for any additional labor costs incurred, which will be applied to the catering bill.

Catering charges will be based on the guaranteed number of guests or the actual number of guests in attendance, whichever is higher.

In the event of a cancellation less than 48 hours before the scheduled event, 50% of the non-recoverable costs incurred by Food Services will be charged to the appropriate group or department.

Product availability and pricing is subject to change without notice. If an unusual or uncontrollable circumstance arises and Food Services must make changes, substitute items of comparable quality will be served. When possible, clients will be notified of any changes.

### STAFFING CHARGES

If an attendant fee is requested or required there will be additional charges based on the event needs.

All events are set up as a buffet service with disposable serving products. Linens are provided for food and beverage tables. Food Services can provide customized linens, china service, and attendants for an additional cost. Arrangements for these services must be made at least two weeks before the scheduled event.

### **DELIVERY SERVICE**

A minimum order of \$25.00 is required for delivery. Catered events can be delivered to any location on campus. Delivery times are available during normal business hours. Any delivery before or after these times may incur an additional charge depending on time, guest count and location.



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