



## Private Dining Information

Welcome to The Grand Marlin, and thank you for considering our beautiful water front, award-winning venue to host your private event. We are thrilled to assist & host your special event. Providing the highest quality food and service on the Gulf Coast, we pride ourselves in creating an unforgettable experience.

Our venue accommodates formal sit down dinners, cocktail receptions, and buffet receptions.

We request that parties of 15 or more select from our private party menus.

The Grand Marlin is happy to accommodate any special food needs you may have, including vegetarians, vegans, and food allergies.

To begin your planning process please contact Natalie Liongson, Banquet & Event Coordinator, to set up a formal viewing of our private dining areas.

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# The Grand Marlin Private Dining Rooms

## The Grander Room

The Grander Room is complete private dining and seats up to 100 guests, while accomodates 125 guests for a cocktail reception. The Grand Room offers a private balcony, and floor to ceiling windows of the beautiful Santa Rosa Sound overlooking the Gulf Islands National Seashore. The Grand Room offers a 50 in. TV and 70 in. TV, both include HDMI and AppleTV capabilities. For programs and discussions there is also a podium with a microphone.

The food & beverage minimum (before tax and gratuities) is as follows: Sunday through Thursday \$4,000 and Friday or Saturday \$5,000. Evening seating times are flexible Sunday through Thursday. Seating times for Friday and Saturday are 5pm-8pm or 8:30pm-11:30pm.

## The Santa Rosa Room

The Santa Rosa Room seats up to 65 guests, with standing room for 70 guests. The Santa Rosa Room offers a private balcony, and floor to ceiling windows overlooking the beautiful Santa Rosa Sound and the Gulf Islands National Seashore. The Santa Rosa Room offers a 50 in. TV with HDMI and AppleTV capabilities.

The food & beverage minimum (before tax and gratuity) is as follows: Sunday through Thursday \$2,500 and Friday or Saturday \$3,000. Evening seating times are flexible Sunday through Thursday. Seating times for Friday and Saturday are 5pm-8pm or 8:30pm-11:30pm. Seating times for lunch are flexible Monday through Saturday.

## The Club Room

For a more intimate experience The Club Room seats up to 35 guests, with standing room for up to 40 guests. The Club Room features a 70 in. television with audio visual connections including HDMI and AppleTV capabilities. For programs and discussions there is also a podium with a microphone.

The food & bevergae minimum (before tax and gratuity) is as follows: Sunday through Thursday \$1,500 and Friday or Saturday \$2,000. Evening seating times are flexible Sunday through Thursday. Seating times for Friday and Saturday are 5pm-8pm or 8:30pm-11:30pm. Seating times for lunch are flexible Monday through Saturday.

If our private dining rooms do not fit your needs, we are happy to assist in making a reservation for our Main Dining Room or North Drop patio.

**Complimentary WiFi throughout establishment.**



# Private Party Appetizers

**Tax and gratuity are not included in the prices**  
**Each platter is recommended to serve 4-6 guests**

## **HOT SEAFOOD APPETIZER PLATTER**

New Orleans Shrimp - BBQ Butter Sauce  
Salt & Peppers Calamari - Habanero Lime Aioli  
Seared Mini Crab Cakes (Seasonal) - Roasted Corn Relish & Remoulade Sauce  
Baked Oysters - Rockefeller Style  
\$65 Per Platter

## **CHILLED SEAFOOD APPETIZER PLATTER**

Colossal Shrimp Cocktail - Comeback Sauce  
Oysters on the 1/2 Shell - Spicy Cocktail Sauce  
Tuna Poke  
\$65 Per Platter

**We recommend 3-5 pieces for each guest.**  
**All items are priced per 30 pieces**

## **COLD HORS d'OEUVRES**

Smoked Salmon Canapes - Caper Relish .....	\$50
Fresh Shucked Oysters on the 1/2 Shell .....	\$40
Seared Ahi Tuna (Seasonal) - Wasabi, Pickled Ginger, Soy Sauce .....	\$55
Colossal Shrimp Cocktail - Spicy Cocktail Sauce, Comeback Sauce .....	\$105
Tomato Bruschetta - Herb Goat Cheese, Crispy Crostini .....	\$38
Olive Tapenade - Crispy Crostini .....	\$38

## **HOT HORS d'OEUVRES**

Baked Stuffed Oysters - Choice of Rockefeller, BBQd, Casino .....	\$70
Edamame Dumplings- Ginger Soy Glaze .....	\$36
Seared Mini Crab Cakes (Seasonal) - Roasted Corn Relish, Remoulade .....	\$105
Beef Skewers - Sesame Seeds, Ginger Soy Glaze .....	\$60
Chicken Skewers - AL White BBQ Sauce .....	\$60
Crispy Lobster Fingers - Vanilla Bean Honey Mustard Sauce .....	\$185
Spicy Shrimp - BBQ Butter Sauce .....	\$60
Peking Duck Spring Rolls- Ginger Soy Glaze .....	\$96

Cocktail receptions can be composed with the Hors d' Oeuvres list

**\*Desserts available for Cocktail Receptions upon request\***



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# THE GRAND MARLIN LUNCH BANQUET PACKAGES

Entrees, with the exception of the Caesar Salad, are served with whipped potatoes and seasonal vegetables.  
We request all proteins are cooked at the same temperature.

## **\$21 PER PERSON**

Field Green Salad - Balsamic Vinaigrette, Shaved Parmesan

Grilled Salmon - Caramelized House Rub, Lemon Butter Sauce

Top Sirloin Steak - Blue Cheese Butter, Balsamic Reduction

Grilled Chicken Kale Caesar Salad - Served with a Cup of Gumbo Instead of Field Greens

## **\$27 PER PERSON**

Field Green Salad - Balsamic Vinaigrette, Shaved Parmesan  
or Kale Caesar Salad - House-made Caesar Dressing (Host Chooses One)

Grilled Market Fish - Shrimp Scampi Sauce

Top Sirloin Steak - Bearnaise Sauce

Chicken Picatta- Parmesan Crusted, Brown Butter, Crispy Capers

## **CUP OF SOUP**

(Host Chooses One)

Additional Per Person

Seafood Gumbo \$7.50

or Seasonal Soup

## **DESSERT**

Additional \$7.50 per person

(Host Chooses Two)

Key Lime Pie, New York Style Cheesecake, Chocolate Raspberry Torte

## **BEVERAGES**

Additional \$2.75 per person

Includes Coffee, Tea, or Soda

**Menu selection restrictions ~ Parties of 15-50 guests select 3 entrees, 50-75 guests select 2 entrees, and parties over 75 guests select 1 entree.**

**Tax and gratuity are not included in above prices.**

***Prices are subject to change without notice.***



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# THE GRAND MARLIN DINNER BANQUET PACKAGES

Entrees are served with whipped potatoes and seasonal vegetables.  
We request all proteins are cooked at the same temperature.

## THREE-COURSE PLATED DINNERS

### **\$40.50 PER PERSON**

Field Green Salad - Balsamic Vinaigrette, Shaved Parmesan

Chicken Picatta - Brown Butter, Crispy Capers  
Grilled Salmon - Caramelized House Rub, Lemon Butter Sauce  
Top Sirloin Steak - Blue Cheese Butter, Balsamic Reduction

### **\$50.50 PER PERSON**

Field Green Salad - Balsamic Vinaigrette, Shaved Parmesan  
or Kale Caesar Salad - House-made Caesar Dressing (Host Chooses One)

Shrimp Brochette - Salsa Verde Sauce  
Grilled Market Fish - Shrimp Scampi Sauce  
Filet Mignon - Bearnaise Sauce

### **\$60.50 PER PERSON**

Field Green Salad - Balsamic Vinaigrette, Shaved Parmesan  
or Kale Caesar Salad - House-made Caesar Dressing (Host Chooses One)

Grilled Lobster Tail - Key Lime Butter Sauce  
Grouper Picatta - Parmesan Crusted, Crispy Capers, Brown Butter  
Filet Mignon Oscar - Sauteed Lump Crab Meat, Bearnaise Sauce

### **\$80.50 PER PERSON**

Field Green Salad - Balsamic Vinaigrette, Shaved Parmesan  
or Kale Caesar Salad - House-made Caesar Dressing (Host Chooses One)

8oz Filet and Maryland Style Lump Crab Cake - Roasted Corn Relish, Creole Mustard Butter  
Grouper Oscar - Sauteed Lump Crab Meat, Bearnaise Sauce

## DESSERT

(Host Chooses Two)

Key Lime Pie, New York Style Cheesecake, Chocolate Raspberry Torte

**Choice of 1 salad and 2 desserts for the entire party. Parties up to 50 guests select 3 entrees, 50-75 guests select 2 entrees, and parties over 75 guests select 1 entree.**

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# THE GRAND MARLIN PRIVATE DINING PACKET

## OPTIONAL ITEMS:

### CUP OF SOUP

(Host Chooses One)  
Additional per person

Seafood Gumbo \$7.50  
or Seasonal Soup

## REFILLABLE BEVERAGES

Sodas, Ice Teas .....	\$2.75
Coffee (Regular/Decaf) .....	\$2.75
Hot Tea .....	\$2.75

## BOTTLED WATER

Flat - Aqua Panna .....	\$3.29
Sparkling - San Pellegrino .....	\$3.29



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# PRIVATE DINING BAR PACKAGES

With our award-winning wine list and full service bar selection you can customize your private bar to you and your guests desire.

**A Private Bar with a private bartender is recommended for bars of 25 guests or more  
\$75 Private Bartender fee is in addition to the Food & Beverage minimum.**

## Bar Pricing Based on Consumption

Domestic Bottled Beer .....	\$4.00
Imported Bottled Beer .....	\$4.50 & up
Wine by the Glass .....	\$8.00 & up
Call Brand Liquors .....	\$7.25 & up
Premium Brand Liquors .....	\$9.50 & up

**(Based on Consumption, Prices are Per Drink)**

### **Call Brands**

Absolut Vodka, Tanqueray Gin,  
Bacardi Rum, Jack Daniels Whisky,  
Dewars Scotch, Cuervo Tequila

### **Premium Brands**

Grey Goose Vodka, Bombay Gin,  
Cruzan Rum, Makers Mark Bourbon,  
Johnny Walker Scotch, Patron Tequila

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# BANQUET WINE LIST

This list represents a cross-section of our wine list.  
~2011-2017 Wine Spectator Award Recipient~

## CHARDONNAY

Cambria, Santa Maria Valley, California .....	40
Miner, Napa Valley, California .....	67
Cakebread, Napa Valley, California .....	90

## SAUVIGNON BLANC

Mohua, Marlborough, New Zealand .....	35
Peju, Napa Valley, California .....	43
Cloudy Bay, Marlborough, New Zealand .....	68

## ALTERNATIVE WHITE WINES

Martin Codax, Albarino, Spain.....	36
King Estate, Pinot Gris, Oregon .....	45
Conundrum, Rutherford, California.....	45
Schloss Vollrads, Spatlese, Riesling, Germany .....	48

## CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Avalon, Napa Valley, California .....	30
Silver Palm, North Coast, California .....	44
Girard, Napa Valley, California .....	70

## PINOT NOIR & MERLOT

Meiomi, Pinot Noir, Central Coast, California .....	43
Belle Glos, Pinot Noir, Las Alturas, Central Coast, California .....	72
Mercer, Merlot, Columbia, Washington .....	52
Freemark Abbey, Merlot, Napa Valley, California .....	68

## ALTERNATIVE RED WINES

Decoy, Merlot Cabernet Blend, Sonoma, California .....	54
Nugan Estate, Shiraz, McLaren Vale, Australia .....	43
Prisoner, Red Blend, Napa Valley, California .....	85

## CHAMPAGNE AND SPARKLING WINES

Piper Sonoma, Brut, Sonoma, California .....	40
Adami Garbel, Prosecco, Italy .....	45
Annalisa, Moscato di Asti, Piedmont, Italy .....	32
Ruinart, Champagne, Brut or Brut Rose, Reims, France (Reserve List) .....	115/125

**Full Wine List & Reserve Wine List are available upon request.**

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# RECEPTIONS & SPECIAL FUNCTIONS

## RENTAL OF THE RESTAURANT

Large events up to 300 guests may take place in the restaurant with a food and beverage minimum sales amount to be set by the Operating Partner. The sales minimum does not include taxes and gratuity. If the party does not meet the set sales minimum the price difference will be charged to the guest check as a restaurant rental fee. Initial deposit set by the Operating Partner is required to reserve the date of your party. A cancellation must be made at least 45 days prior to the reservation time, or the set deposit will be considered forfeited and paid to The Grand Marlin Restaurant, LLC. Any food or beverage item brought into The Grand Marlin must be approved by the management of The Grand Marlin.

## FEES

**(Fees are not applied to the Food and Beverage Minimum.)**

Private Bar & Bartender Set Up Fee .....	\$75
Cake Fee .....	per person \$2.50

**The Cake Fee includes set up, service, cutting and to go packaging.**

## RENTAL ITEMS

The Banquet Coordinator can arrange for additional rental items for your event such as tents, chairs, tables, specialty linens, and audio visual equipment. These items will be charged to the guest and must be paid for in full by initial deposit.

**DJ's and Live Music are allowed only in The Grand Banquet Room and not permitted when there is live entertainment at The North Drop Bar.**

**Other set up fees may apply for your function and will be discussed by your Banquet Coordinator.**