## The History of Il Fornaio

Il Fornaio (eel for-NIGH-oh, "the baker" in Italian) can trace its roots back to an unlikely origin - an Italian manufacturer of retail fixtures. Following generations into the family business, Carlo Veggetti began his career producing bakery cases and distributing espresso machines to bakeries throughout Italy. In order to prevent the bakeries' obsolescence and to stimulate demand for his products, Veggetti founded the Il Fornaio Baking School in Balassina (near Milan) in 1972. His family began to train candidates who would, upon graduation, purchase an Il Fornaio panetteria (bread store) outfitted with his fixtures and recipes. Veggetti did more than sustain his livelihood, he preserved the concept of the "neighborhood bakery", and Il Fornaio now has built more than 3,000 bakeries around the world.

Il Fornaio first attracted attention from the United States when Howard Lester, Chairman and C.E.O. of Williams-Sonoma, was on a buying trip in Florence and noticed the abundance of these wonderful, Old World bakeries. After tracking down Veggetti in 1980, Lester negotiated an agreement for the rights to Il Fornaio in North America, and until 1983, Williams-Sonoma operated the first four bakeries. Within a short time, Williams-Sonoma exited the business and an independent Il Fornaio (America) continued to build and operate bakeries, for a total of eight outlets in California.

In January 1987, Il Fornaio (America) reorganized and Laurence B. "Larry" Mindel became Chairman and Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Mindel quickly established a management team of highly experienced colleagues to streamline operations, consolidate assets and forge a new direction for the company. The most important change made by this new team was to extend the concept beyond bakeries to include full-service restaurants.

For the first time, the American dining-out public began to understand that not all-Italian food was red-sauced and laden with cheese. They tasted the sublime flavors of simple dishes using fresh high-quality ingredients, the same way food is prepared in every province, in every region of Italy. Healthier cooking methods like rotisseries and wood-burning ovens - used for centuries in Italy - became the foundation of the II Fornaio experience. For his efforts, Mr. Mindel became the first person of non-Italian descent to receive the Caterina di Medici award, bestowed each year by the Italian government to an individual who best promotes Italian culture outside of the republic.

Il Fornaio's goal was, and still is, to offer the most authentic Italian dining experience available outside of Italy. The company's philosophy emphasizes serving the highest-quality food from the freshest ingredients in stylishly comfortable surroundings, while providing exceptional value. Using its Italian baking heritage as a foundation, the first full-service restaurant opened in Corte Madera (Marin County), California. The response was so overwhelmingly positive that Il Fornaio has since opened a total of 21 restaurants in California, Las Vegas, Colorado, and Washington.

We thank you for your interest in holding your event with II Fornaio Catering and know that we will provide you with an elegant, memorable, and authentically Italian event.

## **BREAKFAST**

## Buffet

**Continental Breakfast** 

\$22.25++ per person -

Fresh orange and grapefruit juices

Assorted fresh baked pastries, muffins and toasts

Butter and preserves

Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf teas

**Executive Continental Breakfast** 

\$25.50++ per person -

Fresh orange and grapefruit juices

Seasonal fruit salad

Assorted fresh baked pastries, muffins and toasts

Butter and preserves

Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf teas

**American Breakfast** 

\$26.50++ per person -

Fresh squeezed orange juice

Seasonal fruit salad

Assorted fresh baked pastries, toasts and bagels

Scrambled eggs

Applewood smoked bacon and sausage

Grilled potatoes and onions

Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf teas

Farmers Breakfast

\$26.50++ per person -

Fresh squeezed orange juice

Assorted fresh baked pastries, muffins and toasts

French toast with mascarpone cheese and maple syrup

Applewood smoked bacon and sausage

Eggs scrambled with onions, bell peppers, and mushrooms

Grilled potatoes and onions

Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf teas

**Healthy Start Breakfast** 

\$26.50++ per person -

Fresh orange and grapefruit juices

Assorted toasts

Butter and preserves

Fruit, granola, and berries with low fat and non-fat milk

Warm steel cut Irish oatmeal, fresh berries, cinnamon and brown sugar

Egg whites scramble with spinach

Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf teas

Groups of less than 12 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee.

Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax.

Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

Menus effective March 2017

## **BREAKFAST** (continued)

#### **European Continental Breakfast**

\$27.75++ per person -

Fresh squeezed orange juice
Assorted muffins and scones
Fresh baked II Fornaio Breads
Italian Meats and Cheese
Seasonal fruit salad
Yogurt and Granola
Hard boiled eggs
Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf teas

Groups of less than 12 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee.

Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax.

Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

Plated:

\$27.75++ per person -

(Maximum of 40 guests)

Served with seasonal fresh fruit, a glass of fresh squeezed orange juice and Starbucks coffee

Please choose one entrée:

#### Uova con Pancetta Affumicata o Salsiccia

Scrambled eggs, grilled potatoes, apple-wood smoked bacon or sausage; toasted filone bread

#### **Tostato Francese**

French toast made with II Fornaio filone bread, mascarpone cheese, and maple syrup

#### Fritelle alla Sciroppo d'acero

Pancakes with maple syrup and butter

#### Manzo Salmistrato con Uova Affogate

Two poached eggs served over Italian corned beef hash

## A LA CARTE BREAKFAST OPTIONS

Scrambled Eggs \$8.00++ per person

Add vegetable or protein to the scramble \$2.00++ per person

Sausage or Apple-wood Smoked Bacon \$ 4.00++ per person

Chicken Apple Sausage \$ 9.00++ per person

**Breakfast Burrito** \$10.50++ each

Grilled flour tortilla stuffed with egg, cheese, peppers, onion In addition, your choice of: Bacon, Sausage, Ham or Vegetarian

**Breakfast Sandwich** \$11.50++ each

Toasted bagel with egg, cream cheese,

In addition, your choice of: Bacon, Ham, or Smoked Salmon with Spinach

**Bruschetta al Salmone** \$8.00++ per person

Grilled ciabatta topped with dill crème fraiche, smoked salmon, Tomato, onion, and capers

**Quiche (serves 8)** \$48.00++ each

Stuffed with egg, cheese, spinach, mushrooms, and Choice of: Ham or Vegetarian

Avena Calda \$8.00++ per person

Warm steel cut Irish oatmeal, fresh berries, cinnamon, brown sugar

**Boxed Cereal** \$6.00++ each

Assorted Cereals with milk

Granola, berries and milk \$8.00++ per person

Make Your Own Parfait \$8.50++ per person

Granola, yogurt, berries

Assorted Individual Yogurts \$5.00++ each

Assorted Breakfast Pastries \$60.00++ per dz.

Seasonal Sliced Fresh Fruit Platter \$7.00++ per person

Omelet Station with personal Chef \$28++per person

Assorted toppings include smoked salmon, bay shrimp, tomatoes, onions, cheddar, and mozzarella cheese, etc.

(Minimum of 30 guests)

Groups of less than 12 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee.

Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax.

Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

## **BRUNCH**

Traditional Buffet Brunch

\$50.25++ per person

Assorted fresh baked pastries, muffins and toasts

Sliced fresh fruit platter

Granola with fresh berries

Assorted yogurts

Omelette Station with personal Chef

(Assorted toppings include smoked salmon, bay shrimp, tomatoes, onions, cheddar and mozzarella cheese, etc.)

French toast with mascarpone cheese, powdered sugar and maple syrup

Applewood smoked bacon and sausage

Breakfast potatoes

Prosciutto(baked ham) served with sweet mustard glaze

Zabaione alla Gritti (Chilled zabaione with fresh berries, Bellini sorbet, fresh whipped cream; garnished with Italian Biscotti)

Fresh squeezed orange juice

Starbucks Coffee and Mighty Leaf Tea Service

One complimentary glass of Mimosa per person included in the menu price.

## **Brunch Enhancements:**

Carving Station:

New York strip

Whole roasted, deboned Turkey

\$18.50++ per person \$12.00++ per person

Pasta Station:

(With two pastas: Penne Sorrentina and Conchiglie al Pollo)

\$9.00++ per person

Italian cured meats and cheese display

\$17.75++ per person

Seafood Station:

\$23.50++ per person

(featuring: Oyster shooters, cracked crab claws, clams, jumbo prawns, marinated calamari, poached sea scallops, Cold poached salmon display)

A minimum of 30 guests required for Brunch and all stations

Groups of less than 30 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee. Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax. Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

## **LUNCHEONS**

## Buffet

#### Il Fornaio "Extra" Buffet Luncheon

\$42.00++ Per Person

Il Fornaio's Fresh Baked Breads with Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar

Cold Fresh Pasta Salad

Mixed Greens with House Vinaigrette

Fresh Sliced Fruit Display

Fresh Seasonal Vegetables & Roasted Potatoes

Petti di Pollo alla Ducale

(Sautéed chicken breast with artichoke hearts, sundried tomatoes, chardonnay cream sauce)

Penne Con Ruchetta

(Pasta tubes, tomatoes, kalamata olives, arugula pesto)

Assorted II Fornaio Fresh Baked Desserts, Cookies and Brownies

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

#### Il Fornaio "Crosstrainer" Buffet Luncheon

\$40.00++ per person

Il Fornaio's Fresh Baked Breads with Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar

Mixed Greens with Italian Dressings

Fresh Fruit Salad

Pasta Primavera Salad

Eggplant Parmesan

(Breaded Eggplant layered with marinara, mozzarella, and parmesan cheese)

Grilled Salmon with lemon and olive oil

Fresh Seasonal Vegetables & Roasted potatoes

Fresh Fruit Tarts and Lemon Squares

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

\$42.00++ Per Person

NTIC ITALIAI

#### Il Forngio "South of the Border" Buffet Luncheon

Tortilla chips with fresh salsa and house made guacamole

Caesar Salad with House Dressing

Tortilla Soup

Fresh Fruit Salad

Cheese Enchiladas with Salsa Roja

Traditional Mexican Rice

Fajita bar with soft corn and flour tortillas, beef, Chicken and Shrimp Fajitas
Salsa Fresca, Guacamole, Sour Cream, Grated Cheeses, Onions and Cilantro

Assorted II Fornaio Fresh Baked Desserts, Cookies and Brownies

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

#### Il Fornaio "BBQ" Buffet Luncheon

\$44.25++ Per Person

Il Fornaio's Fresh Baked Breads with Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar

Mixed Green Salad with House Made dressing

Fresh Fruit Salad

Southwestern Potato Salad

Ranch Style Beans

Fresh Grilled Asparagus

Marinated Tri Tip

BBQ Breast of Chicken

Grilled Salmon with lemon and olive oil

Assorted Fruit tarts, Walnut Brownies and Chocolate Chip Cookies

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

Groups of less than 30 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee.

Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax.

Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

## **LUNCHEONS** (continued)

#### Il Forngio "Deli" Buffet Luncheon

\$35.25++ Per Person

Mixed Green Salad

Fresh Sliced Fruit Tray

Chef's Cold Pasta Salad of the Day

Assorted Deli Meats of Roast Beef, Turkey, Ham, Mild Coppa, Mortadella & Breseola; Tuna Salad

Grilled Vegetables

Assorted Cheeses, Breads, and Condiments

Assorted Fresh Baked II Fornaio Biscotti

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

#### Il Fornaio "Salad Bar" Buffet Luncheon

\$39.75++ per person

Il Fornaio Fresh Baked Breads and Olive Oil

Fresh Fruit Salad

Pasta Primavera Salad

House made Minestrone Soup and Chef's Soup of the Day

Tossed Chicken Caesar Salad

Mixed greens with assorted toppings: tomatoes, bell peppers, onions, mushrooms, cheese, and bacon;

Salad Dressings to include: Balsamic vinaigrette, Il Fornaio House dressing, Gorgonzola & Creamy Oregano

Wood-Fired Grilled Breast of Chicken Breast (boneless and skinless) Herbs Garlic and Olive Oil

Walnut Brownies and Lemon Squares

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

ADD A PIZZA STATION
Assorted pizzette focaccia from Il Fornaio's ovens
\$11.00++ pe

**Plated** 

#### Il Forngio "Executive" Served Luncheon

\$41.00++ per person

Il Fornaio's Fresh Baked Breads with Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar Insalata del Fornaio (House mixed greens salad)

Petto di Pollo con Marsala e Funghi (Chicken breast served with Mushroom and Marsala sauce; fresh vegetables

and roasted potatoes)

Torta di Cioccolato (Rich chocolate cake)

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee Service

T AND BAKER

#### Il Forngio "Premier" Served Luncheon

\$44.25++ per person

Il Fornaio's Fresh Baked Breads with Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar

Insalata di Spinaci (Spinach salad with aged ricotta, red onions, applewood-smoked bacon,

fresh mushrooms and toasted walnuts; red wine vinaigrette)

Controfiletto di Manzo (New York steak grilled medium-rare and served with a

balsamic vinegar reduction sauce; seasonal vegetables and roasted potatoes)

Tiramisu

Iced Tea and Starbucks Coffee service

Groups of less than 30 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee for Buffet Service. Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax. Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

## **LUNCHEONS** (continued)

**II Fornaio Box Lunches** 

\$26.50++ per person

Assorted Sandwiches: ham, roast beef, grilled chicken, turkey, chicken salad, grilled vegetables, or Italian meats; fruit salad, kettle chips, a chocolate chip cookie, and soda, or bottled water.

Piatti Unici "Express" Lunch

\$32.75++ per person

Il Fornaio's fresh breads and olive oil

Each Guest to choose one of the following entrée salads:

Parties of 25 or less may choose their salad on site; Parties over 25 must provide split counts three business days prior to the event and meal indicators for the day of the event.

Salmone con Spinaci

Grilled salmon over organic baby spinach salad with red onions, mushrooms, toasted walnuts and warm vinaigrette

Insalata di Pollo dal Girarrosto

Mixed greens, shredded free-range rotisserie chicken breast, applewood-smoked bacon, shaved Grana Padano cheese, tomatoes, focaccia croutons and house vinaigrette

Insalata con Filetto di Manzo

Grilled and sliced beef tenderloin served over a couscous, arugula, tomato, raisin, onion, caper, lemon, and extra-virgin olive oil salad; topped with avocado, shaved Grana Padano and drizzled with extra-virgin olive oil

Tiramisu

Iced tea and Coffee service

Lunch Enhancements:

Minestrone or Zuppa del Giorno

\$5.00++ per person

Seasonal Vegetable soup made with vegetable stock, or Chef's Soup of the day

Baked Potato Bar

\$14.00++ per person

Baked potato bar with apple-wood smoked bacon, Shredded cheese, chopped tomatoes, sour cream, chives, onion, broccoli, etc.

**Kettle Chips** \$4.00++ per bag

**Bite-sized Dolci Assortiti** (mini fruit tarts, French pastries (petit fours, and cream puffs)

\$60.00++ per dz

## **BREAKS**

Sweet and Salty \$16.95++ per person

Mixed Nuts, Pretzels, and Popcorn Walnut Brownies and Lemon Squares

House made Lemonade

Tea Time \$10.95++ per person

Assorted Biscotti Starbucks Coffee

Assortment of specialty Might Leaf hot teas

**South of the Border** \$13.95++ per person

Tortilla chips Fresh Salsa

House made Guacamole Agua Fresca (Fruit Water)

Health and Wellness \$16.95++ per person

Granola and High Energy Bars Assorted Individual Yogurts

Vegetable Crudité with dip or Assorted Whole Fruit

Bottled Water

**Energy Boost** \$15.95++ per person

Granola and High Energy Bars
Assorted Whole Fruit

Assorted Soft Drinks & Vitaminwater

Taste of Italy
FORMAGGI IMPORTATI E LOCALI

(Borsin, Bell Paese, Brie, Reggiano, Drunken Goat, Manchego, and

\$22.95++ per person

Baby Gouda; Served with crackers, baguettes, and grapes)

ANTIPASTO MISTO

(Italian antipasto display with mild coppa, mortadella, bresaola, parma prosciutto,

Artichokes, olives, and Insalata Russa. Served with Il Fornaio panini)

Iced Tea

Sweet Things \$15.95++ per person

Chocolate Chip Cookies

Walnut Brownies

Strawberries

Choice of two beverages: Starbucks Coffee, Mighty Leaf Tea, Iced Tea, and Lemonade

**Recharge** \$18.95++ per person

Baked pita chips, black bean and red pepper hummus

Cucumber dill tzatziki, Grape tomato, low fat mozzarella boccocini

With olive; Chilled orange infused bittersweet and chocolate soy drink

## A LA CARTE BREAK OPTIONS

•	Starbucks Coffee and Mighty Leaf Tea Service (regular and decaffeinated)	\$80.00++ per gal.
•	Fresh Orange, Grapefruit, Apple Juice	\$75.00++ per gal.
•	Assorted Soft Drinks	\$5.00++ each
•	Vitaminwater	\$6.00++ each
•	Assorted Flavored Mineral Waters	\$5.00++each
•	Iced Tea, Lemonade, Non-Alcoholic Fruit Punch	\$75.00++ per gal.
•	Assorted Breakfast Pastries	\$60.00++ per dz.
•	Seasonal Sliced Fresh Fruit Platter	\$8.00++ per person
•	Whole Fresh Fruit	\$3.00++ each
•	Assorted Individual Yogurts	\$5.00++ each
•	Domestic and International Cheese Platter	\$8.00++ per person
•	Vegetable Crudité with Dip	\$7.00++ per person
•	Kettle Chips/bag	\$4.00 ++ each
•	Mixed Nuts, Pretzels, Popcorn	\$7.00++ per person
•	Pizzette Assortiti (assorted bite-sized pizzas)	\$29.95++ per dz
•	Chocolate Chip or Oatmeal Raisin Cookies or Walnut Brownies	\$48.00++ per dz
•	Bite sized Dolci Assortiti (mini fruit tarts, French pastries (petit fours, and cream puffs)	\$60.00++ per dz
•	STRESS REDUCER (minimum of 20 guests) (Assorted dried fruits and nuts)	\$8.50++ per person
•	BRAIN BOOST (minimum of 20 guests) (Blueberries, purple grapes, raspberries and walnuts)	\$8.00++ per person
•	TRANQUILITY (minimum of 20 guests) (Oven baked honey bran date muffin and three nuts and dried fruit bl	\$7.50++ Per Person lend)

## **HORS D'OEUVRE RECEPTIONS**

ANTIPASTO MISTO:
 \$17.50++ per person

Italian antipasto display with mild coppa, mortadella, bresaola, parma prosciutto, Artichokes and olives. Served with II Fornaio panini.

PASTA STATION:
 \$21.25++ per person

(Exhibition cooking by our II Fornaio Chefs at your event!)

**Penne alla Putanesca** (Freshly prepared penne pasta with marinara, kalamata olives capers, basil, garlic, red peppers and chopped tomatoes)

**Conchiglie al Pollo** (Shell pasta, chicken breast, fresh broccoli, sundried tomatoes, roasted garlic, trebbiano wine and pecorino cheese)

**Gnocchi alla Friulana** (Potato dumplings, sausage, caramelized onions, Mushrooms, tomato-cream sauce, white wine)

• PIZZA STATION: \$17.50++ per person

Assorted pizzette focaccia from II Fornaio's ovens, topped with the following: Italian sausage, roasted peppers, mushrooms, imported cheeses, and garden vegetables

• SHELLFISH STATION: \$32.00++ per person

Fresh oyster shooters, clams, jumbo prawns, marinated calamari, poached sea scallops and cracked crab claws. All served on ice with a selection of sauces.

• CARVING STATION: (all prices include chef charges)

1. Tacchino (whole roasted and deboned turkey) (serves 40 guests) \$450.00++ each

(Filled with apples, pinenuts, swiss chard, filone and parmesan)

2. Prosciutto (whole baked ham) (serves 40 guests) \$450.00++ each (served with sweet mustard glaze and II Fornaio rolls)

3. Controfiletto di Manzo (serves 30 guests) \$525.00++ each

(New York strip served with mixed mushroom sauce)

4. Lonza di Maiale (serves 30 quests) \$475.00++ each

(Roasted pork loin filled with prosciutto and spinach;

rosemary demi-glace; Il Fornaio bread) **5. Primo Taglio**(serves 30 guests)

\$575.00++ each

(Prime Rib roasted in herbs and Italian rock salt, served with fresh horseradish and au jus; Il Fornaio rolls)

6. Gamba d'Agnello (serves 30 guests) \$550.00++ each

(Roasted leg of lamb served with mint jam; Il Fornaio bread)

• PESCE AFFUMICATO (minimum of 20) \$21.75++ per person

(Smoked and cured salmon, trout, and sturgeon served with tartar sauce, capers, shaved sweet red onion and lemon. Sliced II Fornaio breads and toasted crostini)

Starbucks coffee and Mighty Leaf tea service)

• FRUTTA FRESCA DI STAGIONE \$8.00++ per person

(Fresh seasonal fruit presentation)

FORMAGGI IMPORTATI E LOCALI
 \$8.00++ per person

(Borsin, Bell Paese, Brie, Reggiano, Drunken Goat, Manchego, and Baby Gouda. Served with crackers, baguettes and grapes)

• PINZIMONIO

(Raw vegetable platter served with dip)

\$6.00++ per person

DOLCI ASSORTITI
 \$16.00++ per person

(Elegant dessert display of our traditional cakes and tarts, our fresh-baked assorted biscotti and cookies.

## Hors d'Oeuvre Package #1

#### **COLD ANTIPASTI**

#### Fragole Ripiene

(Strawberries filled with herbs and Boursin cheese)

#### Crostini Assortiti

(Sliced baguette toasted with extra virgin olive oil, garlic served with assorted toppings: brie and roasted garlic clove, fresh tomato basil and garlic, black olive tapenade, roasted bell peppers)

#### Melanzane al Formaggio di Capra

(Grilled eggplant stuffed with goat cheese, sundried tomatoes, and basil)

## HOT ANTIPASTI Pizzette Assortite

(Bite-sized assorted pizzas)

#### Funghi con Mortadella

(Baked mushroom caps stuffed mortadella, mozzarella, parmesan, garlic and chopped parsley)

\$25.50++ per person

# AUTHENTIC ITALIAN RESTAURANT AND BAKERY

## Hors d'oeuvre Package #2

(Each item is prepared at 1-1/2 pieces per person guaranteed)

#### **COLD ANTIPASTI**

#### Crostini Misti di Mare

(Toasted sfilatino baguette served with assorted toppings: smoked salmon with cream cheese, capers and dill; grilled prawn with goat cheese, red onions and cocktail aioli; seared Ahi tuna with cucumber, cream cheese and wasabi caviar)

#### Fighi con Prosciutto

(Sun-dried figs wrapped in prosciutto; stuffed with gorgonzola cream and a toasted walnut)

#### Melanzane al Formaggio di Capra

(Grilled eggplant stuffed with goat cheese sundried tomatoes, and basil)

#### Fragole Ripiene

(Strawberries filled with herbs and Boursin cheese)

#### HOT ANTIPASTI

#### Pizzette Assortite

(Bite-sized assorted pizzas)

#### Funghi con Mortadella

(Baked mushroom caps stuffed with mortadella, mozzarella, parmesan garlic, and chopped parsley)

#### **Zucchini Ripiene**

(Zucchini stuffed with Italian sausage, ricotta, and parmesan. Garnished with fresh sage leaves and chopped tomato)

#### **Pollo al Curry**

(Roasted chicken, raisins, pine nuts, pineapple, and curry baked in phyllo dough)

#### Vol au Vent di Polenta con Gorgonzola

(Polenta baskets stuffed with gorgonzola, walnuts and truffled honey)

\$33.25++ per person

## Hors d'oeuvre Package #3

#### **ANTIPASTO STATION**

(Italian antipasto display with mild coppa, mortadella, bresaola, parma prosciutto, artichokes, and olives. Served with Il Fornaio panini.)

#### **PIZZA STATION**

(Assorted pizzette focaccia from II Fornaio's ovens served with assorted toppings: Italian sausage, roasted peppers, mushrooms, imported cheeses and garden vegetables)

#### FRESH SLICED FRUIT DISPLAY

#### DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL CHEESE DISPLAY

(Served with crackers and baguettes)

#### COLD ANTIPASTI Melanzane al Formaggio di Capra

(Grilled eggplant stuffed with goat cheese sundried tomatoes, and basil)

#### Barchette di Endivia con Salmone

(Belgium endive topped with smoked salmon, cream cheese, capers and fresh dill)

#### Crostini Assortiti

(Seeded baguette toasted with extra virgin olive oil and garlic served with assorted toppings: brie and roasted garlic clove, black olive tapenade, roasted bell peppers)

#### HOT ANTIPASTI Gamberoni Pancettati

(Prawns wrapped in pancetta; served with lemon citronette)

#### **Zucchini Ripieni**

(Zucchini stuffed with Italian sausage, ricotta and parmesan. Garnished with fresh sage leaves and chopped tomato)

#### **Pollo al Curry**

(Roasted chicken, raisins, pine nuts, pineapple, and curry baked in phyllo dough)

\$44.25++ per person

## COLD ANTIPASTI

(Priced per dozen)

#### Melanzane al Formaggio di Capra \$23.75++

(Grilled eggplant stuffed with goat cheese sundried tomatoes, and basil)

#### Prosciutto ai due melone \$25.25++ (Seasonal)

(Fresh melon pieces wrapped with prosciutto)

#### Salmone Affiumicato e Pere al Cucchiaio \$28.25++

(Poached pear with goat cheese, smoked salmon and fried capers)

#### Tartara di Tonno al Cucchiaio \$28.25++

(Ahi Tuna, red onion, wasabi, caviar, capers, lemon and lime. Served on a curved handled spoon with capers)

#### Cocktail di Gamberoni \$36.25++

(Chilled jumbo prawns; cilantro pesto and traditional cocktail sauce)

#### Crostini Misti di Mare \$41.75++

(Toasted sfilatino baguette served with assorted toppings: smoked salmon with cream cheese, capers, and dill; grilled prawn with goat cheese, red onions, and cocktail aioli; seared Ahi tuna with cucumber, cream cheese, and wasabi caviar)

#### Fighi con Prosciutto \$43.75++

(Sun-dried figs wrapped in prosciutto; stuffed with gorgonzola cream and a toasted walnut)

#### Fragole Ripiene \$31.25++

(Strawberries filled with herbs and Boursin cheese)

#### Crostini Assortiti \$26.00++

(Seeded baguette toasted with extra virgin olive oil garlic served with assorted toppings: brie and roasted garlic clove, fresh tomato basil and garlic, black olive tapenade, roasted bell peppers)

#### Crostini con Uova, Tartufo e Formaggio \$26.00++

(Thinly sliced Sfilatino topped with Quail eggs, brie, and a touch of cayenne pepper)

#### Ostriche Fresche \$63.25++ (Chilled oysters shooters with cocktail sauce - min 2 dz)

#### Barchette di Endiva con Salmone \$31.25++

(Belgium endive topped with smoked salmon, cream cheese, capers and fresh dill)

#### Cestini con Trota Affumicata \$28.75++

(English cucumber, thinly sliced, topped with smoked, fresh Trout mousse, Italian Brie, and red seedless grapes)

## **HOT ANTIPASTI**

(Priced per dozen)

#### Gamberoni Pancettati \$51.25++

(Prawns wrapped in pancetta; served with lemon citronette)

#### Panzerotti Caprese \$26.00++

(Puff pastry stuffed with mozzarella and pizza sauce)

#### Panzerotti con Tartufo Nero e Brie \$40.75++

(Puff pastry stuffed with black truffles and brie; drizzled with truffle honey oil)

#### Pizzette Assortite \$29.95++

(Bite-sized assorted pizzas)

#### Funghi Farciti \$24.00++

(Baked mushroom, filled with pesto and cheese)

#### Funghi con Mortadella \$25.25++

(Baked mushroom caps stuffed with mortadella, mozzarella, parmesan, garlic and chopped parsley)

#### **Zucchini Ripiene** \$25.25++

(Zucchini stuffed with Italian sausage, ricotta and parmesan.

Garnished with fresh sage leaves and chopped tomato)

#### **Pollo al Curry** \$39.95++

(Roasted chicken, raisins, pinenuts, pineapple and curry baked in phyllo dough)

#### Salsiccia alla Griglia \$31.00++

(Grilled mild Italian sausages served with Dijon mustard sauce)

#### Salsiccia di Pollo \$31.00++

(Chicken apple sausage served with bell peppers and basil)

#### Vol au Vent di Polenta con Gorgonzola \$27.00++

(Polenta baskets stuffed with gorgonzola, walnuts and truffled honey)

#### Capesante con Pancetta \$37.00++

(Mesquite grilled pancetta wrapped sea scallop skewers)

#### Arancini di Riso \$25.00++

(Deep fried rice balls filled with mozzarella and parmesan cheeses and vegetables)

#### Cozze con Salsiccia \$27.00++

(Sautéed Fresh Mediterranean mussels served with a mix of Italian sausage, fresh ricotta, and grated parmesan. Topped with a Genoa pesto)

#### Agnello alla Scottadito \$78.00++

(Grilled Iollipop style marinated lamb chops served with mint salmoriglio)

## **BUFFET #1**

(Minimum of 30 guests)

#### Il Fornaio Fresh Baked Breads with Extra Virgin Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar

#### Insalata del Fornaio

(Mixed greens, toasted garlic croutons, shaved parmesan; house vinaigrette)

#### Insalata Stagionale

(Green beans, roasted bell peppers, pear and mozzarella, grilled mushrooms, fresh chives; red wine vinaigrette dressing)

#### Frutta Fresca di Stagione

(Fresh seasonal fruit display)

#### Petto di Pollo alla Ducale

(Breast of chicken with artichoke hearts and sundried tomatoes; chardonnay cream sauce)

#### Controfiletto di Manzo

(New York steak grilled medium rare and sliced, rosemary; served with balsamic-vinegar and green peppercorn sauce)

#### Penne Melanzane

(Penne pasta with roasted eggplant, marinara sauce, smoked mozzarella, and parmesan)

## Fresh Seasonal Vegetables Roasted Potatoes

Il Fornaio Dessert Display featuring our cakes, tarts, cookies, and brownies

Starbucks Coffee and Mighty Leaf Tea Service

Menu Price: \$55.25++ per person

Groups of less than 30 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax. Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

## **BUFFET #2**

(Minimum of 30 guests)

#### II Fornaio Fresh Baked Breads with Extra Virgin Olive Oil and Balsamic Vinegar

#### Insalata Cedri e Feta

(Romaine lettuce with red onion, feta cheese, mandarin oranges, & toasted almonds; Served with a lemon & oregano citronrette)

#### Insalata Spinaci e Gamberoni

(Mixed greens, tomato, sweet red onion, shrimp, crumbled goat cheese; lime-shallot vinaigrette)

#### Asparagi in Bellavista

(Asparagus, radicchio, marinated tomatoes, thin sheet of cucumber with fresh basil julienne cracked black pepper; drizzled with extra virgin olive oil)

#### Pollo con Marsala e Funghi

(Chicken breast topped with a Marsala and mushroom sauce)

#### Salmone alla Griglia

(Fresh grilled salmon with extra virgin olive oil and lemon sauce)

#### Lasagna al Magro

(Housemade pasta layered with ricotta cheese, steamed spinach, marinara sauce, and parmesan)

## Carved at the Buffet by II Fornaio's Chefs Primo Taglio

(Prime rib roasted in herbs and Italian rock salt; au jus and fresh horseradish)

Roasted Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables

#### Dolci Assortiti

(Assortment of II Fornaio's fresh baked desserts)

Starbucks Coffee and Mighty Leaf Tea Service

Menu Price: \$66.25++ per person

Groups of less than 30 will be assessed a \$150.00 labor fee Prices Do Not Include 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax. Please inform your event coordinator of any dietary restrictions.

## Entrees include choice of Soup, Salad, or Appetizer (Please select one item only for the group)

## ZUPPA, INSALATE, E ANTIPASTI

- Minestrone di Verdure (Fresh seasonal vegetable soup)
- Insalata del Fornaio (Mixed greens, garlic croutons, parmesan; house vinaigrette)
- Insalata Cesarina (Romaine lettuce, parmesan cheese, focaccia croutons; Caesar dressing)
- **Insalata Mediterranea** (Mixed wild greens, goat cheese rolled in cracked pepper, eggplant, roasted red and yellow peppers, cherry tomatoes; balsamic vinaigrette)
- Insalata di Spinaci (Spinach salad with aged ricotta, red onions, applewood smoked bacon, fresh mushrooms and toasted walnuts; red wine vinaigrette)
- Insalata Caprese (Sliced tomatoes, fresh mozzarella, basil; basil-olive oil)
- Insalata Caprina (Mixed greens, roma tomatoes, goat cheese rolled in walnuts; balsamic vinaigrette)
- Insalata Cedri e Feta (Romaine lettuce with red onion, feta cheese, mandarin oranges & toasted almonds; topped with a lemon & oregano citronrette)

### **Entrees Include Choice of Dessert**

(Please select one)

- Torta di Formaggio (Rich cheesecake; Choice of: lemon, raspberry, espresso, or chocolate)
- Gelati Misti (Assortment of Italian gelato and sorbetto with cookie garnish)
- Torta di Mele (Fresh apple tart garnished with walnuts and caramel sauce)
- Tiramisu (Lady fingers, rum, zabaglione and mascarpone cheese, espresso and cocoa powder)
- **Zabaione alla Gritti** (Chilled zabaione with fresh berries, Bellini sorbet, fresh whipped cream; garnished with Italian Biscotti)
- Torta di Cioccolato (Chocolate cake with chocolate ganache)

DOLCI ASSORTITI: (additional \$8.25++ per person)
Elegant dessert display of our traditional cakes and tarts,
In addition, our fresh-baked assorted Biscotti and Cookies.

## PASTE - PASTA

All prices include II Fornaio's fresh baked breads and olive oil at your table, a salad or appetizer, dessert and coffee service. No more than two entrees are allowed for any catered event. Vegetarian options are also available. If the meal does have more than two entrees, a split entrée charge of \$5.00++/person will be charged.

Meal indicators are required it you c	noose to have more than one entrée.
---------------------------------------	-------------------------------------

•	<b>Penne Melanzane</b> (Penne pasta with roasted eggplant, marinara sauce, smoked mozzarella and parmesan)	\$39.25++
•	Conchiglie al Pollo (Shell pasta, chicken breast, fresh broccoli, sundried tomatoes, roasted garlic, trebbiano wine, and pecorino cheese)	\$40.25++
•	Risotto San Terasmo (Arborio rice, fresh shrimp and baby artichokes)	\$42.75++
•	Lasagna Ferrarese (Spinach pasta layered with meat ragu, porcini mushrooms, parmesan and bechamel)	\$40.75++
•	Gnocchi alla Friulana (Potato dumplings, sausage, caramelized onions, mushrooms, tomato-cream sauce, white wine)	\$39.25++

Gluten Free and Vegan Pastas available upon request.

# Il Pesce - SEAFOOD

All prices include Il Fornaio's fresh baked breads and olive oil at your table, a salad or appetizer, dessert and coffee service. No more than two entrees are allowed for any catered event. Vegetarian options are also available. If the meal does have more than two entrees, a split entrée charge of \$5.00++/person will be charged.

Meal indicators are required if you choose to have more than one entrée.

	olive oil and lemon sauce, served with seasonal vegetables and roasted potatoes)	KER
•	<b>Pesce Spada alla Siciliana</b> (Grilled swordfish with caponata, frisee drizzled with lemon and olive oil infusion; roasted potatoes)	\$52.50++
•	<b>Ippoglosso con Salsa di Uva</b> (Baked halibut with grape beurre blanc sauce; roasted potatoes and vegetables)	\$52.50++
•	Tonno ai Capperi e Pomodorini (Seared Ahi tuna seasoned with fennel and herbs, cherry tomato and caper sauce, garlic and olive oil; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)	\$53.75++

• Scaloppine di Pollo Picatta e Salmone Norvegese \$59.75++

(Thinly pounded chicken breast served with white wine sauce, Garlic, capers and butter, alongside a half portion of grilled local salmon with extra virgin olive oil and lemon sauce; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables

Salmone alla Griglia (Grilled local salmon with extra virgin

## Il Pollo - POULTRY

All prices include II Fornaio's fresh baked breads and olive oil at your table, a salad or appetizer, dessert and coffee service. No more than two entrees are allowed for any catered event. Vegetarian options are also available. If the meal does have more than two entrees, a split entrée charge of \$5.00++/person will be charged.

Meal indicators are required if you choose to have more than one entrée.

•	Pollo Toscano	(Wood-fired free-range rotisserie chicken; served with	\$47.00++

roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

- Involtino di Pollo (Chicken breast stuffed with prosciutto and fontina \$48.00++ cheese in a balsamic vinegar reduction sauce; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)
- Pollo Valdostana (Deboned and pounded chicken breast, rolled with thinly sliced ham and fontina cheese; dipped in bread crumbs, cooked and finished with chicken demi-glace, trebbiano wine, fried sage leaves and Dijon; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

  \$47.00++
- **Scaloppine di Pollo** (Thinly pounded chicken breast with Marsala e Funghi, Ducale or beurre blanc sauce; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)
- Pollo al Mattone (Double free-range chicken breast marinated with lemon and fresh herbs, cooked on the wood-fired grill; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)
- Petti di Pollo alla Ducale (Sautéed chicken breast, artichoke hearts, sundried tomatoes; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)
- Scaloppine di Pollo Picatta e Salmone Norvegese \$59.00++

(Thinly pounded chicken breast served with white wine sauce, Garlic, capers and butter, alongside a half portion of grilled local salmon with extra virgin olive oil and lemon sauce; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

## La Carne - MEAT

All prices include II Fornaio's fresh baked breads and olive oil at your table, a salad or appetizer, dessert and coffee service.

No more than two entrees are allowed for any catered event. Vegetarian options are also available. If the meal does have more than two entrees, a split entrée charge of \$5.00++/person will be charged.

Meal indicators are required if you choose to have more than one entrée.

• Controfiletto di Manzo (New York steak, mesquite grilled medium-rare and sliced, \$52.75

• ++ served with balsamic-vinegar and green peppercorn sauce; Seasonal vegetables and roasted potatoes)

 Primo Taglio (Baked prime rib of beef served medium-rare with Horseradish; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables) (minimum of 15)

• **Filetto di Manzo Grigliato** (Tender filet mignon, grilled medium-rare \$60.75++ with shallot demi-glace; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

 Costolette di Agnello (Grilled rack of lamb, encrusted with parmesan served with warm, sweet mint balsamico reduction; roasted potatoes and asparagus)

Lonza di Maiale (Grilled pork chop served with braised fig and white wine \$51.25++
demi-glace; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

 Scampi alla Griglia e Filetto di Manzo (Filet mignon grilled medium-rare in a Sangiovese reduction and jumbo prawns sautéed in lemon, garlic, butter and parsley; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

 Aragosta e Filetto di Manzo (Filet mignon grilled medium-rare in a Sangiovese reduction and fresh lobster tail served with clarified butter and fresh lemon; roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables)

\$84.75++

## RESTAURANT AND BAKERY

## **VEGETARIAN**

All prices include II Fornaio's fresh baked breads and olive oil at your table, a salad or appetizer, dessert and coffee service. No more than two entrees are allowed for any catered event. Vegetarian options are also available. If the meal does have more than two entrees, a split entrée charge of \$5.00++/person will be charged.

Meal indicators are required if you choose to have more than one entrée.

•	<b>Eggplant Parmesan</b> (Breaded eggplant layered with marinara, mozzarella) And parmesan)	\$42.75++
•	Lasagna al Magro (House made pasta layered with ricotta cheese, steamed Spinach, marinara sauce and parmesan)	\$41.75++
•	Crespelle Vegetariana (Stuffed crepes with mushrooms, chopped tomatoes Bechamel sauce, garlic and basil)	\$42.75++
•	<b>Penne alle Melanzane</b> (Pasta tubes tossed with diced eggplant, Tomatoes, Calabrese pepperoncino and smoked mozzarella)	\$40.75++
•	Barilotti alla Pugliese (Barrel shaped whole wheat pasta with cherry tomatoes, Arugula, dried ricotta, garlic and tomato sauce)	\$42.75++
•	Conchiglie (Shell pasta, fresh broccoli, sundried tomatoes, roasted garlic, Trebbiano wine and pecorino cheese)	\$40.75++
•	Penne alla Putanesca (Pasta tubes, fresh marinara, kalamata olives, capers Basil, garlic, red peppers and chopped tomatoes)	\$40.75++
•	<b>Risotto Milanese, Funghi or Zucca</b> (Italian Carnaroli rice with saffron, Parmesan, chopped shallots, and tomatoes; wild mushroom, white wine, shallots and parmesan; or butternut squash, sage, white wine, shallots, and parmesan)	\$42.75++
•	Gnocchi alla Genovese or Sorrentina (House made potato dumplings	\$42.75++

Gluten Free and Vegan pastas available upon request.

with choice of: pesto sauce or tomato sauce with mozzarella and basil)

### Dinner Enhancements:

## **CONTORNI:**

(Upgrade your side dishes)

• Puree di Patate \$3.00++ per person

Mashed potatoes sprinkled with parmesan cheese and white truffle oil

• Polenta Fresca \$4.00++ per person

Italian soft polenta

• Fagioli al Rosemarino \$4.00++ per person

Cannellini beans sautéed with shallots, garlic bacon, rosemary, Parsley and trebbiano

• Risotto Tortine \$5.00++ per person

Creamy Arborio rice simmered in vegetable stock & oven baked; Choice of: Saffron, Mushroom or Artichoke & Sun-dried tomato

• Patate al Forno due Volte \$4.00++ per person

Twice Baked Potatoes: Potatoes stuffed with chives, cheddar, and fontina And parmesan cheeses; oven baked

• Potato Gratin \$5.00++ per person

Scalloped potatoes with sweet red onions, pecorino, cream, & parsley

• Spinaci all'Aglio e Burro \$3.00++ per person

Organic spinach sautéed with garlic, butter, and extra virgin olive oil

Asparagi alla Griglia
 \$4.00++ per person

Fresh asparagus grilled with extra virgin olive oil

RESTAURANT AND BAKERY

## **ADDITIONAL COURSES:**

(Appetizer Platters for the table)

#### • Antipasto della Casa

\$13.75++ per person

(A sampling of II Fornaio's favorite assorted cold antipasti: bruschetta alla contadina, salumeria Italiana, marinated vegetables, stuffed eggs, melanzane al formaggio di capra)

• Granchi

\$29.75++ per person

(Marinated whole cracked crab or claws served with classic cocktail sauce, lemon and butter)

Astici

\$29.75++ per person

(Lobster, served with clarified butter and fresh lemon)

• Pennette all' Amatriciana

\$8.50++ per person

(Pasta tubes, pancetta, tomato sauce, onions, pecorino and fresh parmesan cheese)

Risotto all Ducale

\$10.75++ per person

(Carnaroli rice simmered with vegetable stock, chicken breast, sundried tomatoes and artichoke hearts)

Gnocchi alla Friulana

\$9.75++ per person

(Potato dumplings, sausage, caramelized onions, mushrooms, tomato-cream sauce, white wine)

# AUTHENTIC ITALIAN RESTAURANT AND BAKERY

## **BEVERAGE ARRANGEMENTS**

## **HOST BAR**

Soft Drinks & Juice	\$5.00++
Mineral Waters	\$5.00++
Domestic Beer	\$7.00++
Import/Premium Beers	\$8.00++
Wine by the glass	\$10.00++ & up
Mixed House Drinks	\$10.00++ & up
Premium Drinks	\$12.00++ & up
Super Premium	\$14.00++ & up

Prices Do Not Include A 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax



Soft Drinks & Juices \$5.50 \$5.50 Mineral Waters Domestic Beer \$7.50 Import/Premium Beers \$8.75 Wine by the glass \$11.00 & up Mixed House Drinks \$11.00 & up \$13.00 & up Premium Drinks Super Premium \$15.00 & up Cordials \$15.00 & up

\$150.00 Bartender fee applies for applies for sales less than \$350.00 per bar.
(1) Bartender is recommended per 75 guests.



### **Optional Bar Package:**

Full Hosted Bar Packages are available for you and your guests, Alternatively, a "bar tab" may be used for the duration as well.

Our Event Coordinator will be able to assist you with all of your beverage needs for your special event.

#### **Hosted Bar Packages:**

1st Hour of the Event: \$24.00

(plus 20% Service Charge and Applicable State Sales Tax)
Soft drinks, mineral waters,
Domestic and premium beers;
House wines
House mixed drinks

2<sup>nd</sup> hour @ \$17.00++pp

3rd hour @ \$12.00++pp

# AUTHER HOUT @ \$9.00++pp ITALIAN RESTAURANT AND BAKERY

To upgrade to premium level liquor there will be an additional \$6++/pp charge per hour

## **CATERING POLICIES AND INFORMATION**

#### **AUDIO-VISUAL:**

Il Fornaio Catering will gladly arrange for any and all Audio-Visual Equipment you may need for your event. The equipment needed will be provided on a rental basis, and we are happy to provide you with the full rental brochure.

#### **CAKE-CUTTING FEE:**

Il Fornaio does not prepare traditional Wedding Cakes. We do work closely with many bakeries in the area and would be happy to refer you to any of these bakeries to set-up an appointment. The Cake-Cutting Fee is **\$2.50 per person** based on your guarantee. This fee covers the plates, napkins, cutting and serving of your cake to your guests. There is, of course, no fee if you wish to use one of our traditional desserts for your dessert item.

#### **COAT CHECK:**

If requested, the Catering Department can provide for a hosted coat check for your event. The charge is \$25.00/hour (4-hour minimum) per attendant.

#### **CORKAGE CHARGE:**

Il Fornaio is proud of its wines and champagnes, and has working agreements with all of the major distributors in the Bay Area. We will be able to provide you and your guests with any type of beverage you desire. If you desire to bring in your own wine and/or champagne, the Corkage fee for this is **\$20.00 per bottle opened**. No Liquor, Beer, or any soft beverages (soft drinks, mineral waters, etc.) will be allowed to be brought in. Wine/Champagne bottles to be used are standard 750ml bottles. Magnums (1.51) will carry a **\$35.00 per bottle** corkage price.

The Host of the event also acknowledges that II Fornaio reserves the right to refuse service of alcoholic beverages to any and all guests at any time.

#### **CONDUCT OF EVENT:**

The Host of the event shall conduct the event in an orderly manner in full compliance with applicable laws, regulations, and hotel rules. The Host of the event assumes full responsibility for the conduct of any persons in attendance and for any damages done to any part of the premises by guests, invitees, and employees of the Host, independent contractors working for the Host, or other agents under the Host's control. Patron hereby indemnifies and hold harmless II Fornaio, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and each of the foregoing, against any and all claims, liabilities, or costs (including reasonable attorney's fees and whether by reason of personal injury of death or property damage otherwise) arising out of, or connected with the event or this agreement, caused or contributed by the negligence of patron, or any guest, invitee, or agent of patron. Upon the request of II Fornaio, patron shall procure and maintain, at its expense, policies of insurance, in such amounts, upon such terms and with such responsible insurance companies as shall be satisfactory to Il Fornaio. Including, comprehensive general liability coverage (with a specific endorsement acknowledging the insuring of contractual liabilities assumed by patron under the section) and such workers compensation, employer's liability and automobile liability coverage as may be required by II Fornaio. Certificate of the insurance of each such policy shall be delivered to II Fornaio at least 3 days prior to event. Each such policy shall name II Fornaio as additional insured. Such insurance shall be considered primary of any similar insurance carriers by any of the above-named parties. A breach by Host of the event, or company conducting the event, of any of the terms or obligations of this section shall give II Fornaio the right to immediately terminate this agreement.

Continued...

#### **EVENT TIMES:**

Host agrees to begin its event at the scheduled time and to vacate the event space at the designated time on the contract. If the room is not vacated at the designed time, the Catering Department reserves the right to bill the host for additional fees and costs incurred.

#### **FOOD AND BEVERAGE:**

Food, not prepared by Il Fornaio, cannot be served, displayed, or reheated by Il Fornaio Catering or any employee of Il Fornaio at the event. Beverages, which are being brought by Host, can be served by the Il Fornaio staff, with prior knowledge of the Catering Department in order to adequately staff to serve the host's own beverages. Bartender and labor charges will apply for this service.

Food may not be taken off premises after it has been prepared and served. Under no circumstances will remaining food from Buffet/Brunch menus be allowed to be taken as "to-go". Individual "to-go" bags are available for you and your guests at the event for their specific served meals.

#### **GUARANTEE/DEPOSIT/CANCELLATION:**

The Catering Department must receive by 11:00 AM, 3 business days prior to the event, the exact number of guests you are guaranteeing for the event. The count at that time shall not be reduced; however, we will prepare 5% over your guarantee. If no final guarantee is received, then the number on the Banquet Event Order shall constitute the Final Guarantee, and not be subject to reduction. Should your final guarantee be significantly less than your minimum guarantee then the Hotel reserves the right to move the event to a more suitable room for the size of the event.

In order to secure your reserved date, II Fornaio will send a contract asking for a returned signed copy, along with a non-refundable deposit, that will be applied to the overall cost of the event. Deposits are generally due 10 days after the event has been booked with the Catering Department. In the event of Cancellation, the amount of deposit will not be refunded.

#### LABOR CHARGES:

A \$150.00 Bartender fee will be applied to the Banquet Bill, unless \$350.00 or more in bar sales, at which time, the bartender fees will be waived. There will be a \$150.00 labor fee for each brunch, lunch or dinner buffet meal service with fewer than 30 guests. There will be \$150.00 labor fee for each breakfast buffet meal service with fewer than 12 guests.

#### **MENU SELECTION:**

A qualified member of the Catering Department will be assigned to your event, and will meet with you to finalize all details, including menu selection, for your event. Menus need to be finalized a minimum of 30 days prior to your event.

Continued...

The Catering Department requests that menu selection is limited to three entrees maximum; and, we will be able to provide vegetarian meals, upon request. If the meal has more than two entrees, a split entrée charge of \$5.00++/person will be charged. The vegetarian choice is not charged the split entrée fee. It is the **Host's responsibility** to prepare a manner in which the Servers will be able to differentiate which guests get which entrees. We suggest Placecards or Tickets stating what the guest ordered. When the Guarantee comes due, three business days prior to the event, the "Split Count" needs to be given to the Catering Department. Please consult the Catering Department for any questions on split-entrée service.

#### **PAYMENT POLICY:**

Payment, in full, of the estimated balance of the event, must be received at the Catering Department 3 business days prior to the actual starting date of the event. The Catering Department will be able to furnish a full written estimate of the costs of the event.

If such payment is not made, Il Fornaio reserves the right to terminate the event, and retain the deposit.

#### PERFORMANCE OF AGREEMENT:

Performance of this agreement is contingent upon the ability of II Fornaio to complete same and is subject to labor troubles, disputes, strikes, or picketing, accidents, governmental (federal, state, or local) requisitions, restrictions upon travel, transportation, delivery of food, beverage, or supplies, construction and/or any other courses enumerated herein or not, beyond the control of the management of II Fornaio. In no event shall II Fornaio be liable for loss of profit or for other consequential damages, whether based on breach of contract, warranty or other wise. In no event shall II Fornaio liability be in excess of the total amount of the food and beverages contracted heretofore.

#### SERVICE CHARGE AND SALES TAX:

Service charge is currently 20% and Sales tax is currently 8.75%. These charges may change at any time, and are not necessarily under the control of II Fornaio. Please note that according to California State Tax laws, that for all Catering and Group events, **the Service Charge shall be taxable**.

AUTHENTIC ITALIAN RESTAURANT AND BAKERY