



THE ALLERTON HOTEL CHICAGO

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Magnificent Mile*

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A Letter to the Bride & Groom

Congratulations on your recent engagement! Your wedding will be one of the most important occasions in your life, and you will want to entrust your special day to the most professional, creative and experienced catering staff available. We at The Allerton Hotel Chicago pride ourselves on our extraordinary cuisine, personalized service and our close attention to detail.

If I can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to call upon me.

Kind Regards,

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Director of Catering

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THE ALLERTON HOTEL CHICAGO

Our Gifts to You

Bridal Suite

Champagne and Chocolate Covered Strawberries

Suite Upgrades for Parents

Preferred Room Rates for Your Guests

Dressing Rooms for Bridesmaids and Groomsmen

Private Menu Tasting for Contracted Wedding
(Four Guest Maximum)

Consultation and Cake Tasting with Our Wedding Cake Designer

A One-Year Anniversary Gift Certificate

Includes a Junior Suite for One Evening and Complimentary Breakfast for Two

Your Wedding Package

Butler Passed Champagne and White Wine upon Guest Arrival

Four Hour Deluxe Bar

Four Butler Passed Hors d'oeuvres

Champagne Toast before Dinner

Continuous Wine Service with Dinner

Four Course Dinner Including Your Wedding Cake for Dessert

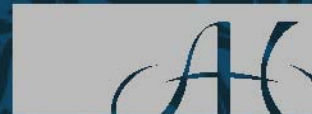
Votive Candles

Floor Length White Linens

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The Beginning
(Select Four)

Chilled Canapés

Smoked Salmon Roulade, Capers and Chives
Boursin, Apple and Candied Pecans
Prosciutto Wrapped Asparagus, Aged Balsamic
Beef Tenderloin on Garlic Crostini, Horseradish Cream, Crisp Shallots
Goat Cheese, Toasted Pine Nuts and Stewed Raisins in a Phyllo Cup
Tri-Color Tomato Bruschetta, Shaved Asiago Cheese, Micro Basil

Warm Hors d' oeuvres

Beggars Purse of Wild Mushroom
Sesame Chicken, Plum Sauce
Mini Quesadilla of Brie Cheese and Roasted Pear
Miniature Beef Wellington with Horseradish Sauce
Hand Wrapped Spanakopita

Additional Chilled Suggestions

4.00/piece

Spicy Crab Salad on Crisp Cucumber Round
Orange Scented Lobster Crostini, Citrus Crème Fraîche
Tuna Sashimi on Wonton Crisp, Caviar Cream
Vegetable Spring Rolls with Sesame Honey Dressing
(Minimum 25 Pieces Per Item)

Additional Warm Suggestions

3.50/piece

Scallop Wrapped in Prosciutto
Thai Shrimp Satay
Skewer of Beef with Teriyaki Sauce
(Minimum 25 Pieces Per Item)

Garden Fresh Crudités

Cherry Tomatoes, Celery, Carrots, Jicama, Broccoli, Cauliflower,
Cornichon, Baby Corn, Ripe and Green Olives
Garden Vegetable Dip
(Serves 50 Guests)

300

International & Domestic Cheese Board

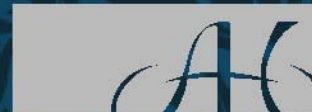
Garnished with Seasonal & Dried Fruits
Artisan Bread and Gourmet Crackers
(Serves 50 Guests)

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We Proudly Announce

First Course

Lobster Filled Ravioli, Pesto Cream Sauce

Spinach and Ricotta Cheese Rotolo, Garlic Alfredo Sauce

Garden Vegetable Strudel, Sweet Coconut Curry Cream

Pan-Seared Jonah Crab Cake, Sweet Corn Relish, Creole Rémoulade

Forest Mushroom Soup, Garlic Spinach Puffs Garnish

Tomato Bisque, Seared Potato Ravioli Garnish

Second Course

Caprese Salad of Red and Yellow Beefsteak Tomatoes, Buffalo Mozzarella
Basil Vinaigrette

Salad of Mixed Field Greens, Herb Crusted Goat Cheese Medallion
Mediterranean Olives and Sun-Dried Tomatoes
Blueberry Vinaigrette

Butter Lettuce, Lola Rosa, Red Oak Leaf, Roma Tomatoes
Dried Apricots, Cherries and Aged Goat Cheese
Poached Pear Vinaigrette

Fresh Spinach Salad, Shiitake Mushroom, Red Onion, Pine Nuts and Aged Asiago Cheese
Bing Cherry Vinaigrette

Traditional Caesar Salad, Tossed Tableside
(Add 3/guest)

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Our Distinct Pleasure

Chicken & Poultry

Rosemary Scented Airline Breast of Chicken

Lemon Garlic Sauce

126

Risotto Stuffed Breast of Chicken

Red Pepper Coulis

131

Roasted Breast of Duck

Chinese Five Spice Rub

135

Roasted Cornish Game Hen

Roasted Herb Butter Sauce

133

Beef & Lamb

Char-Grilled Filet Mignon with Sweet Onion Confit

Herbed Demi-Glace

143

Pan-Seared Filet Mignon au Poivre with Forest Mushrooms

Madeira Demi-Glace

140

Navarin of Lamb

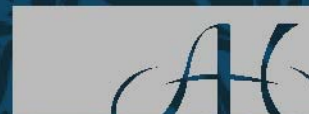
Essence of Mint

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Fish & Seafood

Herb Dusted Chilean Sea Bass

Chive Butter Sauce

Market Price

Halibut Filet

Dill Cream Sauce

136

Grilled Atlantic Salmon Filet

Mango and Papaya Chutney

135

Chef's Signature Duets

Petit Filet Mignon

Truffle Merlot Reduction

Herbed Breast of Chicken

Parsnip and Shallot Purée

148

Petit Filet Mignon

Wild Mushroom Ragoût

Three Grilled Jumbo Spot Prawns

Tomato Basil Concassé

155

Petit Filet Mignon

Thyme Demi-Glace

Pan Seared Halibut with Roasted Garlic

Lemon Cream

151

Citrus Glazed Breast of Chicken

Filet of Salmon

Balsamic Glaze

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Dessert

Your Personally Selected Wedding Cake

Allerton Select Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Specialty Teas

The Sweet Table

Milk Chocolate and White Chocolate Dipped Strawberries
Miniature French Pastries and Assorted Cookies

A Variety of Cakes, Tortes and Cheesecakes
Vanilla, Strawberry and Chocolate Sauces

Seasonal Fruit, Berries and Melons
Lemon Sabayon Sauce

Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Assorted Herbal Teas

18

Just a Taste

We Suggest One Platter per Table

Miniature French Pastries and Assorted Cookies

38/dozen

After Thoughts

Bailey's Irish Cream, Amaretto Di Saronna, Sambuca Ramono, Kahlua

10/drink

5/adult

After Hours

Mini Beef Sliders with Cheddar and Sautéed Onions

Mini Grilled Cheese Sandwiches

Tater Tots

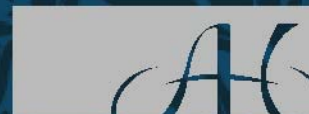
(Minimum 75 Guests)

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The Allerton Deluxe Four-Hour Bar Package

Absolut Vodka, Tanqueray Gin, Captain Morgan Spiced Rum, Maker's Mark Bourbon,
Dewar's Scotch, Jack Daniels Whiskey, Courvoisier VS Cognac

Allerton Select Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Chardonnay, Pinot Grigio,

Miller Genuine Draft, Miller Light, Goose Island 312,
Samuel Adams Light, St. Pauli Non-Alcoholic

Assorted Soft Drinks

**Additional Hour of Deluxe Bar
10/guest**

**The Luxury Four-Hour Bar Package
Add 15/guest**

Ketel One Vodka, Ketel One Citroen Vodka, Bombay Sapphire Gin,
Captain Morgan Spiced Rum, Knob Creek Bourbon, Johnnie Walker Black Scotch,
Crown Royal Whiskey, Courvoisier VSOP Cognac

14 Hands Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Chardonnay and Riesling

Miller Genuine Draft, Miller Light, Goose Island 312,
Heineken, Amstel Light, St. Pauli Non-Alcoholic

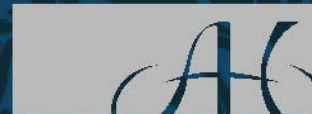
Assorted Soft Drinks

**Additional Hour of Luxury Bar
15/guest**

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Allerton Action Stations

When in Rome

Choice of two Pastas:

Tri-Color Tortellini, Spinach Cheese Ravioli,
Cavatappi Pasta, Bowtie Pasta, or Potato Gnocchi

Choice of two Sauces:

Tomato Vodka, Pomodoro, Lemon Alfredo, Basil Pesto, Sweet Italian Sausage, Arrabbiata,
Wild Mushroom, Bolognese

Accompanied with Sun Dried Tomato, Sliced Scallions, Fresh Herbs, Wild Mushrooms, Pinenuts,
Bell Peppers, Fresh Grated Parmesan and Soft Garlic Bread Sticks

18

East Meets West

Pan-fried Dumplings with Dipping Sauces
Assorted Satays with Peanut Sauce and Ginger Shoyu
Vegetable Spring Rolls with Hot Mustard and Sweet and Sour Sauce
Spicy Hoisin Pork Riblets
Chicken and Vegetable Pad Thai
Tempura Bites

23

Gulf Coast

Jumbo Gulf Shrimp Sautéed with Garlic, Shallots,
Sun Dried Tomatoes and Cilantro
Hot Red Pepper Oil and Rémooulade Sauce Hinted with Horseradish
Chilled Shrimp Cocktail, Traditional Cocktail Sauce, Lemon and Shallot Vinaigrette
(Based on 4 shrimp per person)

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Martini Mashed

Whipped Idaho Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes and Garlic Mashed, served in Martini Glasses
Crisp Smoked Bacon Bits, Shredded Cheddar Cheese,
Crumbled Blue Cheese, Sour Cream, Green Onions
Brown Sugar Butter, Mini Marshmallows

18

Muy Bueno

Chicken Fajitas and Beef Tacos with Condiments,
Bell Pepper Quesadillas, Jalapeno Poppers
Blue Tortilla Chips with House-made Salsa, Guacamole, and Sour Cream

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Mediterranean

Roasted Vegetables, Fried Calamari, Spanikopita
Assorted Olives with Feta Cheese
Hummus and Baba Ghannouj with Warm Pita and Flatbreads

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Carving Stations

Roast Tenderloin of Beef with Roasted Garlic Aioli, and a Sage Merlot Mushroom Sauce

(Serves 25)

425

Roast Inside Round of Beef with Natural Jus, Garlic Aioli, and Chipotle Mustard, Demi Sauce

(Serves 75)

550

Roast Steamship of Beef with Bordelaise Sauce, Creamed Horseradish, Gourmet Mustards and Rolls

(serves 150)

800

Roast Boneless Breast of Turkey with Cranberry Compote, Natural Herbed Jus and Rolls

(Serves 25)

280

Sushi and California Roll Display

(100 pc)

450

Almond Baked Brie with French Bread, Crackers and Sliced Apples

(Serves 25)

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Wedding Breakfast Selections

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Freshly Squeezed Orange and Grapefruit Juice
Sliced Seasonal Fruit Garnished with Wild Berries
Assorted Muffins, Croissants and Danishes
Sweet Butter and Fruit Preserves
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee
Assorted Herbal Teas

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Mag Mile

Freshly Squeezed Orange and Cranberry Juice
Sliced Seasonal Fruit Garnished with Wild Berries
Assorted Muffins, Croissants and Danishes
Sweet Butter and Fruit Preserves
Scrambled Eggs with Fresh Herbs & Hickory Smoked Bacon
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee
Assorted Herbal Teas

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Downtown

Freshly Squeezed Orange, Cranberry
Sliced Seasonal Fruit Garnished with Wild Berries
Assorted Yogurts
Assorted Muffins, Danishes and Bagels
Cream Cheese, Sweet Butter and Fruit Preserves
Scrambled Eggs with Fresh Herbs & Hickory Smoked Bacon
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee
Assorted Herbal Teas

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Gold Coast

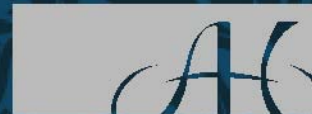
Freshly Squeezed Orange, Cranberry, and Grapefruit Juice
Sliced Seasonal Fruit Garnished with Wild Berries
Assorted Yogurts
Assorted Muffins, Croissants, Danishes and Bagels
Cream Cheese, Sweet Butter and Fruit Preserves
Scrambled Eggs with Fresh Herbs
French Toast or Buttermilk Pancakes, Vermont Syrup
Choose two meats: Hickory Smoked Bacon, Sausage Links
Or Country Ham
Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee
Assorted Herbal Teas

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General Banquet Information

Time

All afternoon banquets must be completed by 4:00 p.m. and all evening banquet functions need to begin at 6:00 p.m. or after, unless arranged otherwise with your Event/Sales Manger.

Deposit

All events will require a deposit in order to secure the function space on a definite basis. An initial deposit of \$2,500.00 is required to secure any ballroom space. Please see the deposit schedule on your contract in order to make payment on scheduled dates. The final payment with your final guarantee is required three (3) business days prior to the function. All deposits are applied toward the function's balance and are non-refundable. Accepted forms of payment at this time are: credit card, cash or cashier's check.

Tax and Service Charge

All menu prices are subject to a 22% service charge and an 11.5% sales tax.

Liquor Liability and Corkage Fee

The City of Chicago prohibits the consumption of alcohol for a catered function after 1:00 a.m. Any wine or champagne not provided by the hotel will be subject to a \$15.00 per bottle corkage fee.

Ceremony

A \$3.00 per person set up fee will be assessed for all ceremonies performed at the hotel.

Coat Check

A coat check will be available for guests for the flat rate of \$250.00.

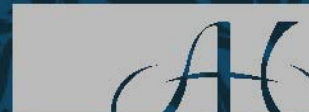
Sweet Table

A \$6.00 per person service fee will be assessed for parties wishing to provide their own sweet table. A \$2.00 per person service fee will be assessed for parties wishing to provide additional sweets to hotel's sweet table.

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Vendor Recommendations

Florists

Addison Ashland Florist ■ 773-281-3920

Dilly Lily ■ 773-404-0602

Elizabeth Wray Design ■ 630-232-1975

Flowers with Feeling ■ 312-829-1141

M&M Special Events ■ 630-871-9999

Music

Michael O'Dea ■ 773-376-1535 (DJ)

Stitely Entertainment ■ 847-866-8002 (BAND)

Bill Pollack Music ■ 847-475-0411 (DJ & BAND)

Toast & Jam ■ 773-687-8833 (DJ)

David Rothstein Music ■ 773-244-1239 (BAND)

Photographers

Tricia Koning Photography ■ 773-561-4178

George Street Photo & Video ■ 866-831-4103

Edward Fox Photography ■ 773-736-0200

Clergy

"I Do" Weddings, Ltd. ■ 630-628-3500 (Rev. Phil Landers)

Clergy for Weddings ■ 773-445-2121 (Rev. Sharon L. Lindvall)

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