



Providing Distinguishing Cuisine and Outstanding Service Since 1931

Banquet Menu

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Frank Guagenti was born in Sicily, a beautiful island off the coast of Italy. Italy is the mother of Continental European cookery. Its dishes are purely traditional, the use of only the finest in herbs, salad greens, vegetables, olive oils and wines.

Frank learned to cook these colorful and diversified dishes as a boy. He retained these many recipes, and over the years, became widely known for his culinary talents. He brought to this area a cross section of Italian cookery, one in which we feel, over the years, has pleased the most discriminate palates.

In the tradition of our fathers and grandfathers we have also been involved in the restaurant business since a young age.

We are proud to be able to carry on a tradition and a family business which was started over 80 years ago.



Milano Café Catering will do the utmost to provide your event, the finest in food, service and atmosphere. We specialize in parties of all sizes, and personalized attention is given to every event. We pride ourselves in working with our customers to accommodate their every need. All our efforts are devoted to making your event a successful one. We welcome any suggestions you may offer to help us attain this desire.

Our dishes are made to order, our sauces are made fresh from scratch, our meats are cut on premise, and our family philosophy of "Fresh is Best", was and will always remain a standard in our kitchen.

The Milano Café is the culmination of many years of experience, with the desire to bring to the Lima area, a restaurant and caterer of which it may be justly proud. We hope you will give us the opportunity to serve you often in the future.

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Hors D'oeuvre Menu

Fresh Relish Trays	\$1.50 per person	Italian Sausage Bites	\$2.95 per person
<i>An array of 5 fresh vegetables and your choice of tarragon, bleu cheese, brown sugar or onion dip.</i>		<i>Bite size, homemade Italian Sausage, served with green peppers and onions in our special tomato sauce.</i>	
Cheese Tray	\$1.75 per person	Assorted Cold Cut Tray	\$3.25 per person
<i>Assortment of three cheeses, sliced.</i>		<i>Sliced Turkey Breast, round of beef and country ham.</i>	
Tortellini Salad	\$1.50 per person	Hors D'oeuvres Sandwiches	\$2.95 per person
<i>Miniature cheese ravioli, tossed with vinaigrette and oil dressing.</i>		<i>Bite sized ham, beef and turkey sandwiches, topped with our special dressing served on your choice of bread.</i>	
Macaroni or Potato Salad, Cole Slaw, Pea Salad Or Carrot Raisin Salad	\$1.50 per person	Stuffed Pizza	\$2.95 per person
Rotini Salad	\$1.50 per person	<i>Rolled crust stuffed with a variety of meats & vegetables baked and sliced.</i>	
<i>Spinach Rotini tossed with cheese, Olives, oil and vinegar.</i>		Calamari Rings	\$3.75 per person
Hot Asiago and Sweet Pepper Dip	\$2.75 per person	<i>Tender squid rings seasoned and fried to a golden brown, served with a tangy sauce.</i>	
<i>Served with Baked Pita Bread</i>		Watermelon or Cantaloupe Baskets & Pineapple Birds	\$3.50 per person
Pizza Bread	\$2.75 per person	<i>Garnished with fresh fruit</i>	
<i>French bread baked with pizza sauce and your choice of three toppings.</i>		Cheese Displays	\$3.25 per person
Stuffed Mushrooms	\$2.95 per person	<i>3 imported cheeses garnished with fresh fruits</i>	
<i>Tender Mushrooms stuffed with Italian breadcrumbs, sherry and butter.</i>		Whole Baked Country Ham	\$3.75 per person
Assorted Pastry Hors D'Oeuvres	\$2.95 per person	<i>Brown sugar baked and carved to order</i>	
<i>Miniature Pastry shells stuffed with Shrimp Crabmeat, Potato and Mushrooms</i>		¼ Chicken	\$3.00 per person
Miniature Egg Rolls	\$2.95 per person	<i>Baked, Broiled, BBQ or Southern fried</i>	
<i>Meat and vegetable egg rolls, served with sweet and sour sauce.</i>		Crab Stuffed Mushrooms	\$3.25 per person
Swedish Meatballs	\$2.95 per person	<i>Large Button mushrooms stuffed with a delicate herbed cream cheese & crab stuffing</i>	
<i>Choice of stroganoff, tomato or beef sauce</i>		Hot Virginia Ham	\$3.75 per person
Chicken Livers wrapped in Bacon	\$2.95 per person	<i>Sliced and simmered in light pineapple sauce</i>	
<i>The perfect appetizer.</i>		Smoked Turkey	\$3.95 per person
Chicken Alberta	\$2.95 per person	<i>Sliced turkey, cured and hickory smoked. Served cold and table side.</i>	
<i>Tender Chicken breast pieces stuffed with Mozzarella cheese and wrapped in bacon and served with cheddar cheese sauce.</i>		Smoked Salmon	\$3.95 per person
Chicken Wings	\$2.95 per person	<i>Cured and hickory smoked. Served with cream cheese and purple onion.</i>	
<i>Fried, Teriyaki, Thai, BBQ, Lemon Garlic, Sweet Chili or Buffalo style</i>		Hot Roast Sirloin of Beef	\$4.25 per person
Cold Gourmet Canapé's	\$2.95 per person	<i>Choice sliced beef, served Au Jus</i>	
<i>Assorted canapés topped with prime rib of beef, marinated shrimp and an array of delicate cheese spreads.</i>		Steamboat Round	\$4.95 per person
Bruschetta and Dipping oils	\$2.95 per person	<i>Roasted top round beef carved to order</i>	
<i>Served with Crostinis.</i>		Shrimp Cocktail	<i>market price, per Shrimp</i>
		<i>Served with cocktail sauce and lemon wedges.</i>	

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Hot Meat Buffets or Family Style

	<u>1 Meat/Pasta</u>	<u>2Meats</u>	<u>3 Meats</u>
<i>Luncheon</i>	<i>12.99</i>	<i>15.99</i>	<i>17.99</i>
<i>Dinner</i>	<i>15.99</i>	<i>18.99</i>	<i>20.99</i>

Minimum 35 persons

Roast Sirloin of Beef (carved to order)

Baked Whole Virginian Ham

Fresh Roast Young Turkey

Southern Fried Chicken

Broiled Lemon Rosemary Chicken

Fresh Homemade Italian Sausage

Braised Beef Tips with Mushrooms

Breast of Chicken Picatta

Baked Herb Crusted Cod

Fresh Herb Roasted Pork Loin

Buffet Compliments

Choice of one Potato/ Side

Baked Idaho Potato

Roasted Redskin Potatoes

Garlic Whipped Potatoes

Herb Roasted Potatoes

Au Gratin Potatoes

Cheddar Whipped Potatoes

Wild Rice Pilaf (1.00 extra)

Celery Dressing

Fresh Cooked Rigatoni

Choice of one Vegetable

Pea, Onion, Mushroom Sauté

Buttered Cauliflower Broccoli Blend

Buttered Baby Corn

Fresh Steamed Seasonal Vegetables

Italian Mixed Vegetables

Green Bean Almandine

Italian Cut Green Beans

Sugared Carrots

Gourmet Tossed Salad or Salad Bar

Tossed Salad with Assorted Dressing

Seashell Pasta Salad

Italian Bean Salad

Redskin Potato Salad

Cucumber Salad

Desserts (1 selection or assorted dessert table)

Double Chocolate Brownies

New York Cheesecake

Strawberry Shortcake(in season)

Carrot Cake

Fresh Baked Apple Pie

Fresh Fruit (in season) Specialty Dessert

Available (per request)

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**“Specialties”
Gourmet Buffet**

Prime Rib of Beef
And one choice of additional meat

Fresh Roast Turkey
Herb Roasted Pork Loin
Chicken Picatta dipped in batter, served with mushrooms & capers in a lemon butter sauce
Chicken Breast Armstead baked and served with distinctive cream sauce and crab meat
Mediterranean Baked Shrimp
Fresh Fish Selection baked with herb butter and white wine

Gourmet Buffet Includes: individual Milano Café salads or Milano café salad bowl

Appetizers

Shrimp (3 per person)
Hors D’ Oeuvres
Fresh Relish & Cubed Cheese Tray

Choice of Potato/Side

Cheddar Whipped Potatoes
Baked Idaho Potatos
Roasted Redskin Potatoes
¼ Roasted Potatoes
Au Gratin Potatoes
Parslied Potatoes
Fresh Cooked Rigatoni
Celery Dressing
Twice Baked Potatoes (\$1.00 extra)

Choice of Vegetable

Italian Mixed Vegetables
Fresh Steamed Seasonal Vegetables
Pea, Onion, Mushroom Sauté
Buttered Broccoli
Cauliflower Blend
Buttered Baby Corn
Sugared Carrots
Italian Cut Green Beans

Green Beans Almandine
Choice of Dessert

New York Cheesecake
Amaretto Parfait
Chocolate Mousse Cake
Strawberry Shortcake
Caramel Apple Pie
Fresh Baked Turtle Brownies

\$29.99

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Italian Fiesta Dinner

Served of Buffet Style or Family Style

Antipasto

Includes Imported Italian Cold Cuts, Cheeses, Olives and Peppers

Choice of Two Meats:

Broiled Chicken with Lemon Garlic

Chicken Cacciatore

Breaded Beef Sicilian

Pork Picatta

*Homemade Italian Sausage with Green
Peppers and Onions*

Choice of Two Pasta Dishes:

Baked Rigatoni with Fresh Ricotta Cheese

Fettuccini Alfredo

Homemade Thin Spaghetti with Our Famous

Meat Sauce

Baked Penne with Fresh Ricotta Cheese

*Includes a vegetable of the day, Dessert (spumoni)... **\$19.99***

Cold Cut Buffet

Includes the Following Meats:

Sliced Virginian Ham—sliced Roast Sirloin of Beef—Sliced Young Turkey.

Assorted Bread Trays—Assorted Cheese Tray

Choice of Two:

Boston Baked Beans—Au Gratin Potatoes—Escalloped Potatoes

Hot Vegetable—Assorted Salad—Desert (Brownies or Cookies)

Luncheon \$9.99

Dinner \$11.99

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Sit Down Luncheons

<i>6 oz. Choice Filet Mignon (Burgundy Sauce)</i> <i>Price</i>	<i>Market</i>
<i>8–10 oz. Prime Rib of Beef (Au Jus or Burgundy Sauce)</i>	<i>Market Price</i>
<i>10 oz. New York Strip Sirloin</i> <i>Price</i>	<i>Market</i>
<i>Fresh Baked Fish Selection</i> <i>(Choose from an array of delicate fresh fish selections)</i>	<i>Market Price</i>
<i>Stuffed Chicken Breast Parmesan</i>	<i>\$12.99</i>
<i>Breast of Chicken Picatta</i>	<i>\$12.99</i>
<i>Italian Roasted Breast of Lemon Chicken</i>	<i>\$11.99</i>
<i>Italian Roasted Sirloin of Beef (Cut to Order)</i>	<i>\$11.99</i>
<i>Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad</i> <i>(Served with home baked bread)</i>	<i>\$9.99</i>
<i>Fresh Herb Roasted Pork Loin</i>	<i>\$11.99</i>
<i>Gourmet Breaded Pork Tenderloin</i>	<i>\$9.99</i>
<i>Tuscan Salad</i> <i>(Served with home baked sweet breads)</i>	<i>\$8.99</i>
<i>Homemade Soup & ½ Sandwich</i> <i>(Choice of Ham & Swiss, Roast Sirloin & Provolone, or Turkey & Swiss on Eight-Grain Bread)</i>	<i>\$8.99</i>

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Sit Down Dinners

<i>8 oz. Filet Mignon (USDA Choice)</i>	<i>Market Price</i>
<i>13 oz. New York Strip Sirloin (USDA Choice)</i>	<i>Market Price</i>
<i>10–12 oz. Slow Roasted Prime Rib of Beef (USDA Choice)</i>	<i>Market</i>
<i>Price</i>	
<i>Fresh Seafood Selections</i> <i>(Choose from an array of delicate fresh fish selections)</i>	<i>Market Price</i>
<i>Veal Picatta</i>	<i>\$18.99</i>
<i>Stuffed Cornish Game Hen</i>	<i>\$17.99</i>
<i>Breast of Chicken Picatta</i>	<i>\$17.99</i>
<i>Stuffed Chicken Parmesan</i>	<i>\$17.99</i>
<i>Breast of Chicken Cordon Bleu</i>	<i>\$16.99</i>
<i>California Roasted Pork Tenderloin</i>	<i>\$16.99</i>
<i>Double Cut Broiled Pork Chop</i>	<i>\$16.99</i>
<i>Lemon Basted Breast of Chicken</i>	<i>\$15.99</i>
<i>Herb Crusted Breast of Chicken</i>	<i>\$15.99</i>
<i>Roast Sirloin of Beef (Cut to Order—USDA Choice)</i>	<i>\$15.99</i>

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Sit Down Luncheon & Dinner Accompaniments

Salads

Tossed with Assorted Dressings

Peppercorn Salad

Presidents Salad

Italian House Salad

Caesar Salad (2.00 additional)

Tuscan Salad (2.00 additional)

Potatoes (Choice of 1)

Baked Idaho Potato

Cheddar Whipped Potatoes

Roasted Redskin Potatoes

Herb Roasted Potatoes

Au Gratin Potatoes

Fresh Cooked Rigatoni

Wild Rice Pilaf

Garlic Whipped Potatoes

Vegetables (1 Selection)

Pea, Onion & Mushroom Sauté

Buttered Broccoli/ Cauliflower Blend

Buttered Baby Corn

Fresh Steamed Seasonal Vegetables

Italian Mixed Vegetables

Green Beans Almandine

Sugared Carrots

Desserts (1 Selection)

Double Chocolate Carmel Brownies

New York Cheesecake

Strawberry Shortcake (in season)

Carrot Cake

Home Baked Apple Pie

Fresh Fruit (in season)

Specialty Desserts Available (per request)

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Party Policies & Procedures

In accordance with Milano Café we cannot guarantee prices more than 90 days in advance. Prices become guaranteed when a banquet or catering contract is signed between Milano Café and Party.

Service Charges

All Prices are subject to 20% service charge on all food and beverages.

Sales Tax

Applicable taxes will be added to you total food and beverage check. If your group is tax exempt, please forward you tax exemption certificate to our office prior to your event.

Setup & Menu Selection

Provided is a selection of sit down and buffet menus. Our staff is more than happy to work with you on menu suggestions and recommendations to suit you specific needs. Milano Café will also work with you regarding special dietary or religious menu requirements.

Corkage Bar

A Corkage Bar is a bar sponsored and paid for by the host on a bottle basis. The host is charge the closest 1/3 bottle used. Host is not charged for entire bottle opened and not consumed. All prices are subject to 20% service charge and applicable taxes. If party does not exceed \$100.00 per hour, a bartender charge will be applied.

Cash Bar

A cash bar is set up and invited guests purchase drinks on an individual basis. All applicable taxes are included. Bartenders are permitted to provide tip jars unless otherwise advised by party host.

Deposit required when booking is confirmed. No refunds. Prices subject to change

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