



# CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

AT GRAND MERCURE WELLINGTON



# FESTIVE CELEBRATIONS BY FORAGE

Private celebrations, both large and intimate, are exquisitely executed at Forage Kitchen + Bar. Our selection of festive menus showcases the best seasonal and local produce in a stylish setting. For families, friends and colleagues alike; Forage provides a timeless Christmas dining experience.

## LUNCH / DINNER CHRISTMAS SET MENU

3 Course \$70 per person 2 Course \$60 per person

#### **TO START**

Artisan breads with assorted dips

#### ENTRÉE

Cream of cauliflower & blue cheese soup served with focaccia crostini, drizzled with infused avocado oil (gf) (nuts) or Pan seared scallops served with a caper and Parma ham crumb, fennel & cucumber salad, almond skordallia (gf) or

Venison carpaccio with beetroot gel, forest mushroom salad, nut crumble & wasabi aioli (gf)

#### MAIN

*Turkey tenderloins with herb and onion stuffing, wrapped in double smoked bacon, caramelised root vegetables, charred asparagus & mulled wine jus* 

or

NZ lamb rump rubbed in kawakawa spice served with grilled eggplant & courgettes, minted pea purée, fondant potato in a mushroom & bacon ragout

#### DESSERT

Christmas pudding with brandy spiked eggnog custard, white chocolate & vanilla bean ice cream

#### **TO FINISH**

Mini Christmas tartlets Tea infusions and freshly brewed coffee

Minimum numbers apply



## CHRISTMAS BUFFET PACKAGE

3 hour room hire
3 hour drink package (wine, beer & non-alcoholic)

Christmas buffet
Christmas theming & music

\$89 per person | Minimum 20 guests

#### TO START

Artisan Pandoro bread selection with salted butter Otaki vegetable soup of the day with garlic croutons & grated parmesan Cold & cured cuts of meat with marinated vegetables

#### SEAFOOD

Poached Akaroa salmon medallions with wasabi aioli & cream cheese (nuts) Shrimp dressed with cocktail sauce (gf) Marinated NZ green lip mussels in lemon & lime dressing (gf, nuts)

#### SALADS

Levin carrot & raisin salad with herb mustard dressings (v,gf) Otaki tomato & buffalo mozzarella salad with fresh basil, balsamic glazed Chevaliers iceberg lettuce with cocktail tomato, cucumber, green beans & red onion

#### FROM THE CARVERY

Pineapple & brown sugar glazed Champagne ham with apple relish & dark cranberry jus

#### HOT DISHES

Canter Valley roast turkey breast with cranberry stuffing Hawke's Bay beef sirloin with tarragon sauce (gf, nuts) Steamed Otaki vegetables with olive Pomace oil & toasted nuts (v) (gf) Rosemary & garlic roasted Otaki potatoes (v) (gf)

#### DESSERT

Christmas pudding with brandy spiked eggnog custard & whipped vanilla bean cream Chef's selection of sweet items Otaki fresh fruit cocktail with Maraschino cherries Christmas tartlets

Tea infusions & freshly brewed coffee

V - VEGETARIAN / GF - GLUTEN FREE / NUTS - CONTAINS NUTS



All prices include GST



## CHRISTMAS COCKTAIL PACKAGE

• 3 hour room hire • 3 hour drink package (wine, beer & non-alcoholic) • 3 hour canapé package (hot, cold & vegetarian options) • Christmas theming & music

\$89 per person | Minimum of 20 guests

#### COLD

*Spicy eggplant, mushroom & hummus tart (v) (nuts)* Mini polenta rounds with roasted tomato & walnut pesto (v) (gf) *Cream cheese & grape bites coated in crusted pistachio nuts (v, gf)* Filo basket filled with smoked chicken apricot & capsicum chutney (nuts) Wok fried prawns with a chilli mango & coriander salsa (gf)

### HOT

Mini turkey sliders with brie & cranberry (nuts) Champagne ham filled mini vol-au-vent with apricot relish (nuts) Sundried tomato & mozzarella arancini with truffle scented aioli (v) Mini beef mignon topped with béarnaise sauce (nuts) Satay chicken skewers (gf) *Smoked salmon filled baby potatoes with chive cream cheese (gf)* 



Organise your Christmas event call our team on tel: (04) 385 2119 or email: h1991-sb1@accor.com

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