

## Touché Bistro Menu, Dec. 1 - 30

### Hors D'œuvres, (Cold)

### Tomato & Olive Tapenade, \$10

A roasted tomato and olive tapenade drizzled with extra virgin olive oil, crostini, and olives.

#### Cheese Plate, \$20

A selection of cheeses, Pierre Robert, Brie, Point Reyes Blue, Chèvre frais herbe, Jeff's select Gouda garnished with Membrillo, dates, Spanish almonds, and crostini.

### Chez François Shrimp Cocktail, \$25

Shrimp cocktail served with an avocado, cucumber and red onion salad, cocktail sauce.

#### Pâté Maison, \$20

Chicken liver pâté with green peppercorns served with a hard-boiled egg, red onion, caper berries, mixed olives, cornichon pickle and crostini.

### Jambon de Bayonne, \$25

Thin slices of French Prosciutto ham which has been cured in mineral-rich salt of Salies-de-Bearn resulting in a tender cured ham with deep nuanced flavors. Cured naturally in the warm wind of the Pyrenees Mountains. Served with baby arugula salad with extra virgin olive oil.

#### <u>Soup</u>

### French Onion Soup, Gratinée, \$12/\$7 cup

French onion soup with toasted crouton and Gruyère cheese.

#### Lobster Bisque, en Croûte, \$15/\$7 cup

Rich lobster bisque seasoned with garlic, shallots and tarragon topped with puff pastry.

### Cream of Wild Mushroom Soup, Duck Confit, \$15/7 cup

A bowl of seasonal wild mushroom soup served with mushroom brunoise topped with duck confit drizzled with Italian truffle oil, garnished with micro greens.

#### Hors D'œuvres, (Hot)

### Scrambled Eggs & Truffles, \$15

Ohio Proud scrambled eggs seasoned with truffle butter, served in the shell, with black "Burgundy" truffles.

### Artichaut à l'Alouette, \$15 (split + \$5)

California Artichoke hearts, sautéed, stuffed with alouette cheese, lightly breaded with hazelnuts and served with a Dijon honey mustard/raspberry sauce.

### Escargots au Basilic, \$15

Snails served in the shell with a blend of sweet basil, garlic, shallots, and sweet butter.

### Soufflé au Fromage & Truffles, Quail Egg, \$20

A blend of Ubriaco and Parmigiano-Reggiano cheese with truffles, baked in a ramekin topped with a sunny side up quail egg.

### Maine Lobster Raviolis, Truffle Butter Sauce, \$25 (split + 5)

Egg pasta raviolis filled with Maine lobster topped with broiled Scampies and served with a truffle butter sauce garnished with shaved Parmigiano-Reggiano cheese.

### Maine Scallop & Lobster Risotto, \$25

Seared sea scallops served with lobster risotto.

#### Seared Hudson Valley Foie Gras, Golden Delicious Apple Chutney, \$30

Hudson Valley Foie Gras with butternut squash, topped with a warm seasonal Ohio apple and raisin chutney, accompanied with accompanied with Sauternes, La Fleur Renaissance, Bordeaux, France, 2016

# Flat Bread Pizza Du Jour, \$15

Seasonal flat bread du jour, Chef's choice.

### Frites, \$8

French fries seasoned with Parmigiano-Reggiano cheese and fine herbs.

### Frites Poutine, \$12

French fries seasoned with fine herbs, topped with brown sauce, sprinkled with Roquefort cheese.

#### Salad

### Chez François Holiday Salad

Seasonal Erie County greens tossed with a champagne vinaigrette dressing, topped with toasted honey roasted pecans, dried cranberries and Asian pears.

#### \$7/Grand \$14

Crumbled Roquefort Cheese or Montrachet Goat Cheese add \$2

Burrata Con Panna, Heirloom Tomatoes & Arugula, Balsamic Vinaigrette, \$20

Handcrafted fresh mozzarella filled with a light creamy filling of panna di latte, (Italian Cream). With heirloom tomatoes, arugula, and balsamic vinaigrette.

### Fish Plates

### Miso Marinated Chilean Sea Bass Filet, Mirin & Calamansi Vinaigrette

Seared sea bass filet served over braised baby bok choy and fingerling potatoes finished with a Mirin (a subtly sweet Japanese rice wine), Miso (a traditional <u>Japanese soybean seasoning</u>) and Calamansi (a citrus fruit similar to lemon and limes found in the Philippines) olive oil, and a hint of julienne jalapeno peppers.

\$45

Char-Grilled Ōra King Salmon Filet, Seasonal Wild Mushrooms & Truffle Butter Sauce

New Zealand king salmon filet served over braised baby bok choy topped with seasonal mushrooms, (Chanterelles, Hen of the Woods, French Horn & Beech) mushrooms with truffle butter sauce.

\$45

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\$42

### Assiette de Coquillage au Basilic

A medley of shellfish including, cold-water shrimp, Maine sea-scallops, Prince Edward Island mussels, Middle Neck clams and Scampies served over saffron tagliatelle with mushrooms, diced tomatoes, Calamata olives and Parmigiano-Reggiano cheese, basil infused olive oil.

\$42

### Meat Plates

#### Strozzapreti Pasta, Lamb Meatballs & Italian Sausage, \$30

Fresh cavatelli from Puglia Italy, served with lamb meatballs & Italian sausage with Jack Rassie's marinara sauce.

#### Chez François Herb Meatloaf, Brown Sauce, \$30

Baked meatloaf with pork, veal and ground chuck flavored with herbs and spices served over mousseline potatoes, topped with a rich brown sauce, seasonal vegetables.

### Braised Ohio Proud Short Rib, Moroccan Barbeque, \$35

Braised Ohio Proud short ribs served in Moroccan barbeque sauce, with stewed sweet potatoes, seasonal vegetable and fried sweet potato curls.

#### Char-Grilled Filet Mignon, Wild Mushroom Sauce, \$40

Center-cut filet mignon, grilled, served over herb risotto topped with a seasonal wild mushroom sauce, seasonal vegetable.

### <u>Desserts</u>

#### Cherries François

California cherries marinated in a Ruby port sauce seasoned with cinnamon, cloves and whole star anise served over an almond cookie with French Madagascar Vanilla Bean ice cream.

#### Chocolate Mousse

A rich Belgian chocolate mousse, topped with Chantilly cream, seasonal berries, chocolate straw and mint.

### Madagascar French Vanilla Bean Pecan Ball & Luxardo Cherries

French vanilla bean ice cream with pecans topped with chocolate sauce and marinated Luxardo cherries.

#### Crème Brûlé & Fruits

A baked egg and vanilla custard topped with caramelized sugar and seasonal berries.

#### Fruit Sorbet

Freshly made raspberry and passion fruit sorbet served over an almond tuile.

# All Desserts Priced at \$12

Please be advised that raw or uncooked beef, seafood and eggs may be present in our dishes.