

The Modern



Thank you for your interest in the exclusive catering
offered by Bon Appétit at the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth.

Our company philosophy emphasizes exceptional quality, and we do everything possible to ensure
the finest preparation and the most striking presentation for your event.

For questions regarding this catering guide and your menu planning, please call our
Catering Department at 817.840.2175.

Menu based on availability. Prices subject to change without notice.
21% Service Charge and 8.25% Sales Tax not included.

Event Capacity Chart

Café	Dinner with Existing Chairs/Tables	Dinner with Round Tables/Silver Chairs	Reception Style Food Stations	No Tables/Chairs
	with Dance Floor	98 seats	150 seats	150 guests
without Dance Floor	160 seats	200 seats	200 guests	240 guests

Lobby	Seated Dinner	Buffet Dinner	Hors d'oeuvre Stations	No Tables/Chairs
	without Café	250 seats	400 seats	400 guests
with Café	250 seats	600 seats	700 guests	800 guests

Rental Rates for the Modern and Café Modern

Please contact Catering at 817.840.2175 or catering@themodern.org for more information or to schedule an event.

Café Modern

Non-Member Rental Rate \$2,000
Existing Member Rental (Patron level) \$500

Grand Lobby and Café Modern

Includes Gallery access for up to 2 hours or until 9 pm.
 Galleries not included for Wedding Receptions.

Saturday Evening 4 hour event rental: Founders Circle Membership/Donation \$7,500
 Sunday- Thursday Evening 4 hour event rental membership \$5,000

Inquire about other rentals available

Modern Auditorium

No food or beverages allowed in the auditorium.

Capacity 250 seats
Rental Rate \$500
Member Rate (Patron level and above) \$350

Additional \$150 After-Hours Fee applies to all auditorium events during non-business hours.

Gallery Access

Galleries close at 9 pm. No food or beverages allowed in the galleries.

Rental Rate \$400 for two floors for two hours
 \$200 per additional hour

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Food and Beverage Minimum (exclusive of service charge and tax) will apply. Existing membership not required.



Equipment Rental Information

Included in Rental

Coat Check Attendant
Tall or Short Cocktail Tables
Existing Café Tables and Chairs
White or Black Square Linens
Round or Rectangular Cake Table
Round or Rectangular Sign-In/Registration Table
Round or Rectangular Seating Card Table
Rectangular DJ Table
Black Skirting for all Buffets, Bars, Cake, Sign-In, and DJ Tables
Tours by Docents in the Art Galleries (with Advance Notice, Gallery Access must be Rented, Not Available for Weddings)
Flatware & Glassware provided up to 200 guests
Complimentary Self-Parking
TABC Certified Bartenders and Servers
No cake cutting fee

Additional Fees (optional)

Round Guests Tables included up to 250 guests	\$10 table
Security Fort Worth Police required	\$300
Power Hook up for Bands	\$250
Removal of half tables and Chairs for Café Rental	\$500.00
Removal of all tables and Chairs for Café Rental	\$1000.00
Podium with Microphone	\$150
Sound System for Background Music in the Café	\$50
Valet Parking	\$40/hour/attendant
Removal of Café Blue Chairs (use existing tables)	\$400
Staging for a Band	Call for Quote
Standard Wood Parquet Dance Floor	Call for Quote
White Cushions for Silver Chivari Chairs	\$4 per cushion
Silver Chivari Chairs	\$5

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Passed Hors d'oeuvres

Choice of four items

Standard List	\$12 per guest
1/2 Standard and 1/2 Premium	\$14 per guest
Premium List	\$16 per guest

\$3.00 per person additional Hors D'oeuvres

Standard Hors d'oeuvres

Grilled Chicken Quesadilla with La Cocina Cheese

Smoked Chicken, Brie, and Fruit Quesadillas

Warm Brie with Fig Merlot Preserves & Spiced Walnuts

Candied Bacon with Texas Goat Cheese Mousse

Tomatillo Pork Tostadas with Cotija Cheese and Pico de Gallo

Mini BLT Bites

Mac and Cheese Bites

Pork Carnita with Chipotle Cheddar Quesadilla

Twice Baked Truffled Potato Bites

Wild Mushroom Quiche

Bruschetta Caprese—Fresh Mozzarella, Basil, and Tomato

Cheese Puffs

Spicy Beef Flauta with Avocado Cream

Spanakopita- Spinach and Feta Cheese Cups

Mini Chicken Pot Pie

Mini Chicken Salad Gougeres

Blue Cheese Celery Toast

Premium Hors d'oeuvres

Wild Mushroom and Herbed Texas Goat Cheese Quesadilla

Grilled Cheese with Tomato Soup Shooter

Duck Spring Rolls with Asian Dipping Sauce

Tuna Tartar on a Wonton Chip

Lobster and Shrimp Cakes with Saffron Aioli

Beef Tenderloin filled Gougeres with Boursin

Shrimp Tostada with Cheese & Pickled Red Onion

Lump Crab Cake with Creole Rémoulade

Crispy Coconut Shrimp with Jezebel Sauce

Miniature Beef Wellington

Shrimp Tostada with Cheese and Pickled Red Onion

Grilled Shrimp Shooter with Bloody Mary Sauce

Prosciutto, Melon, & Blue Cheese Lavosh

Spicy Crab Endive Bites

Petite Duck Nachos with Goat Cheese & Mango Pico

Tomato Cup with Ceviche

Mini Avocado Toast with Quail Egg



Reception Stations Package #1

Minimum of 75 Guests

Select 2 Hors d'oeuvres; 3 Food Stations

Example Layout:

Passed Hors d'oeuvres (Select 2)

Standard List

Avocado Bar

Perfectly Ripe Avocado Halves with Assorted Salads and Toppings to Include:

Lemon Dill Seafood Salad, Roasted Vegetable Couscous Salad,
Roasted Corn and Black Bean Salad, Pico de Gallo, and Fresh Cut Limes

Mini Sliders

Angus Beef Burgers with Cheddar & Jalapenos

Maytag Blue Cheese & Bacon Burgers

Served with Crispy French Fries or Sweet Potatoes Fries

Southwest Munchies Station

Guacamole, Fire Roasted Salsa,

Black Bean-Roasted Corn Relish, and Queso with Crispy Tortilla Chips

\$48 per Guest

Coffee Station Included

Menu based on availability. Prices subject to change without notice.
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Reception Stations Package #2

Minimum of 75 Guests

2 Standard 1 Premium Hors d'oeuvres; 4 Food Stations

Example Layout:

Passed Hors d'oeuvres (Select 3)

2 Standard; 1 Premium

Artisanal Cheese Display

Chef's Selection of Gourmet Cheeses, Fresh Fruit Garnish,
Mixed Nuts, Sliced Baguettes, and Crackers

Low Country Shrimp and Grits

With Cheddar Grits
and Applewood Smoked Bacon

Southwestern Chicken

With Creamy Chipotle Sauce, Crispy Tortilla Strips
Cheddar Mash, and Roasted Vegetables

Breads & Spreads Station

Warm Artichoke & Spinach Dip, Warm Creole Crab Dip,
Guacamame Dip, Roasted Garlic Hummus.
Served with Pita Chips, Flatbreads, & Tortilla Chips

\$58 per Guest

Coffee Station Included

Menu based on availability. Prices subject to change without notice.
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Reception Stations Package #3

Minimum of 75 Guests

Premium Hors d'oeuvres; 1 Food Station; 3 Mini Meal Stations

Passed Hors d'oeuvres

Select 3; Premium list

Salad Station (Select 2)

Bellini—Roasted Peaches and Almonds over Arugula and Radicchio
with Gorgonzola and Champagne Vinaigrette

Margarita—Avocado, Tortilla, Black Bean—Corn Relish, and Tequila-Lime Vinaigrette

Mini Meal Stations

Beef Tenderloin Medallions

with Aged Gouda Macaroni, Red Wine Demi, and Haricots Verts

Pan-Roasted Chicken

with Mushroom Madeira Cream and Cheese Tortellini

Low Country Shrimp and Grits

with Cheddar Grits and Applewood Smoked Bacon

\$69 per Guest

Coffee Station Included

Menu based on availability. Prices subject to change without notice.
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Dinner Buffet Options

Minimum of 50 Guests

All Buffets come with Salad, 2 Sides, and Chefs Seasonal Vegetables

Assorted Rustic Breads & Creamery Butter

Passed Hors D'oeuvres for Cocktail Hour (select 3)

Choose 1 Entrée \$57.00

Choose 2 Entrée \$67.00

Entrée Selection

Grilled Chicken Breast with Creamy Artichoke Florentine Sauce

Modern Chicken Picatta with Capers, Caramelized Onions, and Pinot Grigio Butter

Pan-Roasted Chicken with Mushroom Madeira Cream

Macadamia-Crusted Tilapia with Passion Fruit Butter

Pecan-Crusted Idaho Trout with Creole Mustard Cream

Cajun Seared Strip Bass with Crawfish-Crystal Butter

Low Country Shrimp and Cheddar Grits with Tabasco-Bacon Pan Sauce

Rosemary Roasted Pork Tenderloin with Whole Grain Mustard Cream

Sliced Flank Steak with Roasted Mushrooms and Caramelized Onions

Panang Red Curry Beef with Asian Vegetables

Seared Beef Filet with Truffle Red Wine Demi (add \$2.00 per guest)

Tenderloin Medallions with Shitake-Sake Glaze (add \$2.00 per guest)

Salad Selections

Choose One:

Mixed Greens Salad with Toasted Nuts and Balsamic-Honey Vinaigrette

Crisp Mixed Lettuces with Bacon, Petite Tomatoes, and Creamy Cucumber Herb Dressing

Texas Caesar of Romaine Lettuce, Corn Bread Croutons, Queso Cotija & Smoked Jalapeno Caesar Dressing

Spinach Salad with Blue Cheese, Candied Walnuts, Grapes & Cranberry Vinaigrette

Side Selections

Wild Mushrooms with Madeira Cream Sauce

Olives, Capers, and Fire-Roasted Tomato Sauce

Creamy Pesto and Sundried Tomatoes

Herbed Parmesan Polenta

Whole Grain and Rice Pilaf

Fragrant Herbed Rice

Roasted Potato Trio

Buttermilk Mashed Potatoes

English Cheddar Mashed Potatoes

Chef's Seasonal Vegetable Selection

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Reception Displays and Stations

Minimum of 25 Guests, Minimum of 3 Stations

**Stations are self-serve, or an action station for an additional charge.*

Artisanal Cheese Display Chef's Selection of Gourmet Cheeses, Fresh Fruit Garnish, Mixed Nuts, Sliced Baguettes, and Crackers	\$11 per guest
Avocado Bar (Seasonal) Perfectly Ripe Avocado Halves with Assorted Salads and Toppings to Include: Lemon Dill Seafood Salad, Ceviche, Roasted Vegetable Couscous Salad, Roasted Corn and Black Bean Salad, Pico de Gallo, Feta Cheese, Applewood Smoked Bacon, and Fresh Cut Limes	\$14 per guest
Vegetable Crudités Seasonal Vegetables Served with Wasabi Ranch Dip and Roasted Red Pepper Dip	\$11 per guest
Cocktail Salads (Choice of Two) Bellini—Roasted Peaches and Almonds over Arugula with Gorgonzola and Champagne Vinaigrette Mojito— Cucumber-Melon Relish, Mint, and Spiced Rum Vinaigrette Margarita—Avocado, Tortilla, Black Bean—Corn Relish, and Tequila-Lime Vinaigrette Chopsticks Salad—Blend of Asian Greens with Chinese Mustard Vinaigrette, Peanuts, and Crispy Wontons	\$11 per guest
Italian Antipasto Display Marinated Olives, Artichokes, and Mushrooms, Prosciutto, Salami, and Mortadella, Tomato-Mozzarella Pesto Salad, and Toasted Baguette Slices	\$13 per guest
Ceviche Station Traditional Cocktail of Shrimp, Tilapia, and Scallops Marinated in Lime Juice and Spices Toppings: Pico de Gallo, Tortilla Strips, Avocado, Cucumber Dill Relish, Pickled Onion, and Sweet Jalapeno Relish	\$16 per guest
Maki Sushi Station House-Made Spicy Crab Rolls, Crispy Vegetable Rolls, and Smoked Salmon Wasabi Cream Rolls With Pickled Ginger, Wasabi, and Soy. Seasonal Selections also available.	\$15 per guest
Chilled Shrimp Cocktail Display Lemon & Spice Shrimp, Classic Cocktail Sauce & Remoulade Sauces	\$14 per guest
Breads & Spreads Stations Warm Artichoke & Spinach Dip, Warm Creole Crab Dip, Guacamame Dip, Roasted Garlic Hummus. Served with Pita Chips, Flatbreads, & Tortilla Chips	\$13 per guest
Flat Breads Station: Choice of two Chicken Flatbread with Pesto Sauce, topped with Sundried Tomato, Caramelized Onion, and Brie Fresh Mozzarella, Garlic Olive Oil, Artichoke, and Kalamata Olive Prosciutto, Gouda, and Sundried Tomatoes Pesto	\$15 per guest

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Mashed Potato Martini Bar

\$12 per guest

Creamy Mashed Potatoes with Various Toppings to Include:
Whipped Butter, Sour Cream, Chives, Cheddar, Sautéed Mushrooms, and Bacon
Add Fried Chicken Bites \$5 per guest

Gourmet Macaroni and Cheese Station

\$12 per guest

Decadent Three Cheese Sauce with Pasta and Various Toppings to Include:
Broccoli, Sautéed Mushrooms, Bacon, Ham, Diced Tomatoes, and Chives

Carving Station

Served with Assorted Silver Dollar Rolls, Au Jus and Creamy Horseradish
per guest

one meat \$14

Garlic and Pepper-Crusted Inside Round of Beef
per guest

two meats \$21

Bourbon-Maple Glazed Ham

Apple Jack-Glazed Berkshire Pork

Herb-Infused Roasted Turkey Breast

Roasted Beef Tenderloin (add \$6.00)

Taco Duo

\$15 per guest

Duo of Soft Tacos Garnished with a Dollop of Guacamole and Tortilla Chip:
Grilled Chicken with Poblano and Onions and Beef Carne Asada
with Tomatillo Salsa and Queso Fresco

Munchies Station (Choice of Southwestern or Mediterranean)
guest

\$11 per

Southwestern: Guacamole, Fire-Roasted Salsa, Black Bean-Roasted Corn Relish,
and Queso with Crispy Tortilla Chips

Mediterranean: Roasted Garlic Hummus, Roasted Eggplant Caviar, Cucumber Tzatziki Dip,
and Tabbouleh with Pita Chips

Mini Meal Stations

Minimum of 100 guests

Chef's choice of vegetable unless otherwise noted.

Southwestern Chicken with Creamy Chipotle Sauce, Crispy Tortilla Strips, Cheddar Mash, and Roasted Vegetables	\$17 per guest
Herb de Provence Grilled Breast of Chicken with Kalamata Tomato Sauce and Creamy Risotto	\$17 per guest
Pan-Roasted Chicken with Mushroom Madeira Cream and Cheese Tortellini	\$17 per guest
Macadamia-Crusted Tilapia with Toasted Coconut Jasmine Rice and Passion Fruit Butter	\$18 per guest
Low Country Shrimp and Grits with Cheddar Grits and Applewood Smoked Bacon	\$17 per guest
Beef Tenderloin Medallions with Aged Gouda Macaroni, Red Wine Demi, and Haricots Verts	\$19 per guest
Beef Tenderloin Medallions with Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Bourbon Demi, and Asparagus	\$19 per guest
Braised Short Rib With Buttermilk Mash Potatoes and Crispy Tobacco Onions	\$19 per guest
Mini Sliders (Choose 2) Miniature Angus Beef Burgers with Cheddar and Jalapenos Maytag Blue Cheese and Bacon Burger Served with Crispy French Fries or Sweet Potato Fries California Chicken Slider with Pepper Jack Cheese and Bacon Pulled Pork Slider with Roasted Apple Salsa Turkey Slider with Gouda & Cranberry Sauce Ham Slide with Mustard and Pickles on a King Hawaiian Roll BBQ Beef Brisket Slider with Coleslaw	\$16 per guest
Italian Ravioli Fresh Ravioli Pasta Filled with Three Cheeses and Topped with a Zesty Sauce of Tomato, Olives, Capers, and Parmesan Cheese	\$15 per guest

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Plated Dinner

2 course plated dinner; Salad, Entrée, Bread, tableside Wine Service

Salads *(included in the entrée price, unless otherwise noted)*

Mixed Green Salad with Pears, Pecans, Feta Cheese & Honey-Vanilla Vinaigrette

Texas Caesar of Romaine Lettuce, Corn Bread Croutons, Queso Cotija & Smoked Jalapeno Caesar Dressing

Spinach Salad with Blue Cheese, Candied Walnuts, Grapes & Cranberry Vinaigrette

Crispy Mixed Lettuces with Bacon, Petite Tomatoes & Creamy Cucumber Herb Dressing

Entrées

All seated dinners served with assorted rustic breads, creamery butter, and coffee.

*Choice entrées available for an additional charge. Please inquire for more details.

Chicken

Herb-Roasted Chicken with Caramelized Onion Jus and Sundried Tomato Polenta \$45 per guest

Chili Lime Marinated Chicken with Black bean/ Corn Relish & Queso Fresco Grits \$45 per guest

Roasted Airline Chicken Breast with Sundried Tomatoes, Artichoke Hearts, \$45 per guest

Button Mushrooms, and Parmesan Risotto

Chicken Breast topped with Prosciutto and Provolone, \$46 per guest
with Marsala Sauce and Angel Hair Pasta

Pan-Roasted Chicken with Mushroom Madeira Cream and Cheese Tortellini \$46 per guest

Seafood

Grilled Wild Salmon with Lemon-Thyme Butter, Buttermilk Mash, and Roasted Baby Vegetables \$48 per guest

Honey-Teriyaki Glazed Wild Salmon with Wasabi Mash and Sesame Snap Peas \$48 per guest

Crispy Trout with Provençal Ratatouille, Basil Potatoes, and Yellow Pepper Nage \$48 per guest

Lobster Pot Pie with Applewood Bacon–Wrapped Asparagus and Pernod Hollandaise \$60 per guest

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(Entrée's Continued)

Beef / Veal

Braised Short Ribs with marbled Potatoes and Crispy Tobacco Onions	\$61 per guest
Filet Mignon with Roasted Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Creamed Spinach & Demi-Glace guest	\$66 per
Roasted Beef Tenderloin Filet with Roasted Garlic Mashed Potatoes and Cabernet Demi	\$66 per guest
Grilled Beef Tenderloin Filet with Red Wine Sauce, Paired with Lobster Risotto and Saffron Jus	\$69 per guest
Roasted Veal Tenderloin over Gorgonzola Scented Creamer Potatoes, Roasted Peppers, and Porcini Mushroom Sauce	\$69 per guest

Duet Plates

Anchote Rubbed Petite Filet Mignon with Margarita Grilled Shrimp, Roasted Red Pepper Sauce, guest Chipotle Cheddar Grits, & Fire Roasted Vegetables	\$70 per
Grilled Petite Filet Mignon & Herb Roasted Salmon with Caper Butter & Smoked Tomato Coulis, Dill Whipped Potatoes, Citrus Scented Vegetables	\$70 per guest
Roasted Petite Filet Mignon & Seared Seabass with Balsamic Fig Gastrique & Shallot Orange Butter, guest With Garlic Roasted Marble Potatoes & Haricot Verts	\$74 per
Petite Beef Tenderloin Filet with Herb Grilled Boneless Chicken Breast, Mushroom Fondue, and Roasted Garlic Mash	\$65 per guest

Dessert Stations

Minimum of 25 Guests

Dessert Shot Bar	\$10 per guest
Chef's Choice of Assorted Cakes and Pies Served in Shot Glasses	
Strawberry Shortcake Bar (Seasonal)	\$13 per guest
Angel Food Cake with Fresh Strawberries, Balsamic Caramel Sauce, and Mountains of Whipped Cream Chef Attendant Included	
Mini Dessert Display	\$13 per guest
Assorted Miniature Sweet Bites	
Cheesecake Bar	\$11 per guest
New York–Style Cheesecake with a Variety of Toppings to Include: Chocolate-Vodka Sauce, Seasonal Fresh Fruits, Caramel, Nuts, Raspberry-Merlot Sauce, Whipped Cream, and Cherries	
Chocolatier	\$14 per guest
Assorted Decadent Chocolate Treats	
Bread Pudding Bar	\$9 per guest
Traditional New Orleans–Style with Whiskey Sauce, Rocky Road with Chocolate, Marshmallows, Pecans, and Chocolate Fudge Sauce Banana Cream with Roasted Bananas Toasted Macadamia Nuts and Coconut Caramel Sauce	
<u>Late Night Snacks</u>	
Recommended for half of guests toward the end of your reception	
Breakfast Burritos:	\$3 per piece
Potato, Egg, Bacon and Cheese	
Mini Pigs in a Blanket	\$3 per piece
Cookies n Milk	\$3 per piece
Chocolate Chip or Oatmeal Raisin server with a Shooter of Mile	
Mini Grill Cheese Sandwiches	\$4 per piece
Mini Beef Sliders with Cheddar Cheese	\$5 per piece
Flavored Coffee Station:	

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Starbucks Regular & Decaf Coffee \$4 per person
served with Whipped Cream, Hazelnut, Vanilla, Caramel, Chocolate shaving, Cinnamon

Coffee Station with Cordials
Starbucks Regular & Decaf Coffee \$10 per person
Served with Baileys Irish Cream, Frangelico, Kahlua, Amaretto, Grand Marnier, Chocolate Cigars, Whipped Cream, Cinnamon Sticks

Wine and Spirits Guide for Catered Events

All bars must close 30 minutes before reception ends.

Hosted Bar Packages: The set fee is **\$275** per bar. This fee covers bar setup and bartender. One bar per 100 guests is required. All charges are based on a 4 hour wedding rental.

\$32 Beer/Wine/Champagne

\$37 Beer/Wine/Champagne/Standard liquor

\$42 Beer/Wine/Champagne/Premium liquor / Standard liquor

\$50 Beer/Wine/Champagne/Premium liquor

Specialty/Signature Cocktails are not included in package pricing.

Bar Package includes House Wine

Hosted Bar based on consumption: A Hosted Bar will be provided for your group for a fee of **\$275** per bar. This fee covers bar setup and bartender. One bar per 75 guests is required. All charges (liquor, beer, wine, sodas) will be in addition to the Bar Setup Fee. All charges for drinks will be based on consumption.

House Wines (Red, White, Sparkling)	\$30/bottle
Standard Beer	\$5/bottle
Premium Beer	\$6/bottle
Standard Liquor	\$7/bottle
Premium Liquor	\$8/bottle
Sodas and Bottled Water	\$3/each

Liquor: Please select service with standard or premium liquors. Special-request liquors can be ordered with 30 days' advance notice.

Standard Liquors:

Lone Star Vodka
Broker's Gin
Jack Daniel's Whiskey
Dewar's Scotch
Pelican Bay Rum
Jose Cuervo Tequila
Jim Beam Bourbon Whiskey

Premium Liquors:

Tito's Vodka
Tanqueray Gin
Maker's Mark Whiskey
Crown Royal Whiskey
Flor de Cana Rum
Chivas Regal Scotch
Sauza Hornitos Tequila

Standard Beer: Coors Light, Miller Light, Michelob Ultra

Premium Beer: Rahr & Sons, Martin House, Deep Ellum Brewing Co. Seasonal Beer Choices

Cash Bar: The setup fee is **\$275** per bar. This fee covers bar setup, bartender/cashier, and ticket sales. One bar per 100 guests is required. Prices are inclusive of sales tax.

House Wines (Red, White, Sparkling)	\$9/glass
Standard Beer	\$5.50/bottle
Premium Beer	\$6.50/bottle
Standard Liquor	\$8/drink
Premium Liquor	\$9/drink
Sodas and Bottled Water	\$3.25/ each (Expense may be covered by host)

Frequently Asked Questions

Do we have to become a Member of the Museum to host a Private Event?

Yes, we do require Membership, but your Membership is built into your Room Fee Rental.

Are we able to host Wedding Ceremonies?

Unfortunately we are no able to host wedding ceremonies anywhere on Museum Property.

What Type of Deposit is needed to hold our Space?

The room rental is due with a Signed contract in order to secure your event space.

Are we allowed to bring in an outside caterer?

No, Café Modern is the Exclusive Catered for the Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth. The only exception is a professionally baked Wedding Cake from a licensed bakery & small favor gifts.

Are we allowed to provide our own Alcohol?

No, Café Modern provides all beverages, alcoholic and non-alcoholic Drinks. Café Modern can order a special wine, beer, or liquor with advance notice (based on availability)

Can we take home leftover food?

Unfortunately, for insurance reasons, we cannot allow food to leave the premises once it has been prepared. We are unable to ensure the quality & safety of the food once it leaves the building.

Are complimentary tastings provided?

Yes, tastings are scheduled after hours and with the availability of the Chef. We do not schedule tastings on the weekends or during another private event. Tastings are only available to Private Events with a Signed contract.

What time are we allowed to host an after-hours event?

Most likely after 7:00pm in the Café & 7:30 in the Grand Lobby, however this will depend on the current museum schedule. Please contact the Catering Director for further information. Each rental is for 4 hours, additional time can be requested, but additional charges will apply.

What time does set up begin?

Set up begins at 5:00pm, after the Museum closes to the Public. Early set up must be approved by the Catering Director and Museum Security.

How long do we have for tear down & must it be complete immediately after the Event?

Yes. All events must be cleaned up immediately following the event. Any flowers must be picked up by the florist or taken by the client. All dance floors, staging & any other non-museum furnishings must be removed from the building after the events. Events are allowed an Hour and half for cleanup.

What type of Decoration Restrictions does the Museum have? Balloons, confetti, glitter and Sparklers are not allowed on Museum Property. Nothing can be taped or attached to any wall, granite or concrete flooring. Candles are only permitted in the Café. All candles must be enclosed. No candles are allowed in the Lobby, the Café Patio, or the Sculpture Garden.