



Appetizer

CHARDONNAY



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Gulf Coast Oysters Rockefeller Suggested Pairing:

Texas Sparkling White Chardonnay

# DINNER

Grilled Tiger Prawns with lemon and basil

Porterhouse Steak with herb compound butter

Wedge Salad Roasted Vegetables Suggested Pairing: Sauvignon Blanc Pinot Noir

# DESSERT

#### Prosecco Soaked Strawberries Chocolate Raspberry Soufflé

with fresh whipped cream Suggested Pairing: Chenin Blanc Sparkling Moscato





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# SURF & TURF MENU

We invite you to uncork love this February with some of our favorite pairings.

# FIRST COURSE - APPETIZER

Gulf Coast Oysters Rockefeller

#### **Appetizer Wine Option 1: Texas Sparkling Wine**

Sparkling wine is the perfect pairing for all kind of oysters. The bright acidity of the sparkling wine gives a great contrast to the rich smoothness of the oyster. The lemon-citrusy aromas from the wine complement the greens and the smokiness of the bacon.

#### **Appetizer Wine Option 2: Chardonnay**

A full bodied oaked Chardonnay carries flavors of ripe fruits like lemon, apple, pear, passionfruit and aromas of white flower, lemon zest, limestone and other minerals. The richness and minerality of the Chardonnay balances that of the oysters and brings a bright refreshing finish to the dish.

### **SECOND COURSE - DINNER**

Grilled Tiger Prawns with lemon and basil, Porterhouse Steak with herb compound butter, Wedge Salad, Roasted Vegetables

#### Dinner Wine Option 1 : Sauvignon Blanc

A white wine that is full bodied. It boasts of lime, green apple, passion fruit and white peach flavors and an abundance of herbaceous aromas. The full body will go well with the steak but won't overpower the delicate prawns and the herbaceous aromas will highlight those in the prawns and the compound butter on the steak.

#### Dinner Wine Option 2 : Pinot Noir

The light body of this red wine and the flavors of cranberry, cherries and raspberries complement the steak and aromas of vanilla, licorice, mushrooms and cloves accentuate the earthy taste of the prawns. Pinot Noir is a great all-around wine and this pairing is no exception.

# **THIRD COURSE - DESSERT**

Prosecco soaked strawberries, chocolate raspberry soufflé with fresh whipped cream

#### **Dessert Wine Option 1: Chenin Blanc**

With aromas of peach blossom, lime zest, lime leaf and a vivid floral bouquet with hints of orange zest, the Chenin Blanc complements and makes the fruit and chocolate come to life. Add some homemade fresh whipped cream and this pairing will be really rounded out.

#### Dessert Wine Option 2: Sparkling Moscato (Spumante)

This sweet sparkling white wine with medium acidity has flavors of apricots, peaches, nectarines, Meyer lemon and aromas of honeysuckle, vanilla bean, orange blossom and caramel. The flavors and aromas of the wine will accentuate those in the desert and the bubbles will bring a nice palate cleansing ending to a delicious rich meal.

This list was curated by the Texas Department of Agriculture's Wine Division team.