



HAUS KARTHEISER

Wirtshaus

LAUNCH MENU

GERMAN COMFORT KITCHEN

Dinner service only. Thursday-Sunday, 4:00 PM-8:00 PM, and Friday-Saturday until 9:00 PM. Pricing reflects the current launch draft and will be refined with distributor quotes and chef sign-off.

ENTRÉES

Rahmschnitzel \$24

G E D

Breaded pork cutlet served with rich cream sauce, Spätzle, and Tagesgemüse.

Jägerschnitzel \$24

G E D

Breaded pork cutlet topped with mushroom gravy, served with Spätzle and Tagesgemüse.

Paprikaschnitzel \$24

G E

Breaded pork cutlet finished with bell pepper, onion, paprika, and tomato sauce.

Sauerbraten \$27*

D

Marinated beef roast sliced and served with dark pan gravy, Kartoffelbrei, and Rotkohl.

Käsespätzle \$18

G E D V

Baked cheese Spätzle with caramelized onion.

HOUSE SIGNATURES

Schnitzel Sampler \$25

G E D

One schnitzel served with Rahm, Jäger, and Paprika sauces for the full Wirtshaus tasting plate.

Brat or Knack on Bun \$15

G

Choice of bratwurst or knackwurst on a bun, with sauerkraut and mustard on the side.

Brat + Knack Plate \$19

Two-link sausage plate with sauerkraut, mustard, and warm German potato salad.

Wurst Sampler \$17

Sliced bratwurst and knackwurst served over sauerkraut with mustard and Bratkartoffeln.

NOTES

* Sauerbraten may open as an early-menu special depending on final launch timing and prep schedule.

Additional beef features and dessert will follow after launch.

Please alert us to food allergies before ordering.

Badge key: G Gluten/Wheat • E Egg • D Dairy • V Vegetarian



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SIDES & HOUSE NOTES

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Haus Kartheiser Wirtshaus will also offer custom menus for weddings, hall rentals, private dinners, and special events in partnership with Chef Mason Hessing.

SIDES

Spätzle

\$5



Buttered Central European egg pasta.

Kartoffelbrei

\$5



Creamy mashed potatoes.

Bratkartoffeln

\$6

Fried potatoes with bacon and onion.

Kartoffelsalat

\$6

Warm German potato salad with bacon and vinegar broth.

LIGHT PLATES & ADD-ONS

Kartoffelpuffer

\$13



Crisp potato pancakes served with sour cream and applesauce.

Large Bavarian Pretzel

\$12



Soft pretzel served with sweet mustard.

Beilagensalat

\$5



Chopped lettuce, cucumber, beet, onion, and house vinaigrette.

Rotkohl

\$6



Sweet-sour braised red cabbage.

HOUSE NOTES

Chef-driven specials will rotate as the kitchen finds its rhythm.

Dinner only at launch. Lunch service is not planned for the initial opening.

Mason can design custom plated dinners, buffets, and special menus for weddings and private hall events.

Follow the site and social channels for opening-night updates, menu additions, and event announcements.

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Menu draft prepared for launch planning. Final pricing and featured specials will be updated after distributor quotes and chef review.