

## SAMPLE PLATED DINNER PARTY MENU

#### Hors D'oeuvres

# **Lamb Lollipops with Mint Pesto**

Rounds of lamb loin encrusted in herbs and cooked medium rare, served on lollipop sticks with mint pesto dipping sauce

#### Miniature Salmon Cakes with Lemon Aioli

Petite salmon cakes flavored with Old Bay, served with lemon aioli

## Phyllo Cups with Brie, Raspberry and Almonds

Mini Greek pastry cups with imported brie, raspberry preserves, and toasted almonds

## **Peking Duck Pancakes**

Breast of duck, crisp skin & hoisin wrapped in a steamed pancake,

Tied with a chive ribbon

#### **Plated First Course**

## Arugula, Hearts of Palm and Shaved Parmesan Salad

Arugula tossed with hearts of palm, shaved parmesan cheese, grape tomatoes & avocado, drizzled with a lemon vinaigrette

#### Paired With

## **Butternut Squash and Apple Soup**

A demitasse cup of non- cream based soup made with butternut squash and tart apples

#### **Entree**

# Tenderloin of Beef and Maryland Jumbo Lump Crab Cake

Petite filet of beef cooked medium rare, drizzled with red wine sauce Teamed with a Maryland jumbo lump crab cake flavored with Old Bay Served with individual corn pudding and grilled asparagus

## **Sweet Endings**

# Apple Rose with Vanilla Ice Cream

A combination of fresh apples and puff pastry in the shape of a rose, served on a plate drizzled with raspberry coulis, garnished with a scoop of vanilla ice-cream, assorted berries and a sprig of fresh mint