

#### Summer 2014

"With Pride & Passion"

Chef/owner Matt Merrin and the kitchen crew are dedicated to provide modern seasonally inspired menus. Matt, having worked in both Perth & Melbourne, is passionate about using our wonderful North Queensland produce as well as sourcing the best from all over the country

"Surrounded by great produce and fantastic customers, that feel more like family & friends, while sharing some amazing wine, has to be one of the best jobs in the world"

#### **Events & Functions**

Private dining room - Luxe Room with exclusive seating available between 6 - 18 guests, perfect for celebrating any personal occasion or business gathering in style

**First floor - A Level Above** located upstairs is an astounding private function room with large balconies overlooking the CBD & Ross River. We can tailor menus and occasions to suit your requirements, functions of up to 50 guests sit down or cocktail functions up to 100

Restaurant - Available for exclusive hire including Weddings

**Special events** - Throughout the year we hold special events, to receive our quarterly newsletter drop your details at reception to be added to our data base







# T<mark>o</mark> start

Crumbed Queen green olives + Ligurian olives w/warm ciabatta, aioli		
Mini baked flat bread, caramelised onion, feta, eucalypt honey, rosemary		
Fried goats cheese, spiced beetroot relish, honey		
Thai prawn + ginger rolls w/Nahm Jim dipping sauce	16	
Chicken liver pâté w/shiraz jelly, fresh figs, sopressa, cranberries, truffled honey, toasted ciabatta		
ENTRÉE		
Duck prosciutto, esquites, tomato, shredded pastry feta balls, grains + nuts	18	
Rannoch Farm quail stuffed w/wild rice + macadamia nuts w/asparagus, figs, spiced beetroot relish, walnuts, witlof	22	
Bento- Crispy prawns w/ cashew + chilli sauce Local ½ shell scallops w/ lemon + ginger curd, pearls Steamed pork belly bun w/ XO sauce, mango, watercress Chicken dumplings w/chilli soy	20	
Goat's cheese tortellini, Soubise sauce, asparagus, toasted almonds, sage butter	19	
Salmon ceviche, XO battered oysters, cucumber ribbons, tendrils, pomelo, galangal emulsion	18	
Townsville steamed prawns on a finger lime panna cotta & avocado, citrus salsa	25	
Salt flake + Sichuan pepper dusted calamari on Malaysian chilli sauce	17	
Linguini tossed w/prawns, calamari, chili, garlic, herbs & extra virgin olive oil Entrée's continue	19 d	

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MAINS	E	М
Red Emperor w/summer salad, chips, galangal aioli Grilled or beer battered	19	29
BBQ Townsville Tiger prawns split, brushed with chilli, garlic + oregano w/chips	20	35
Moroccan pumpkin + eggplant tagine, white bean salad w/salsa verde, kataifi eg	g	26
Puffed rice crusted salmon in shiitake broth, scallop ceviche, wild mushrooms, pickled ginger, radish, wakame, aromatic herbs		33
Free range chicken + feta roulade, grain + nut salad, wilted chard, peach, organic pumpkin + yoghurt sauce		33
Victorian lamb rack w/Freekah, jamón ibérico, feta, olive, + fig salad, Pinot glaze		37
300gm <i>Grass Fed</i> Pure Black Natural Angus Rump w/chips, roasted eschallots, baby beets, witlof, cress, béarnaise		34
250gm <i>Grain fed</i> Stanbroke- North Queensland Eye fillet w/ buckwheat gnocchi, mushroom crème, spiced cauliflower, sage		38

# SIDES

Chips, Murray River salt flakes, aioli	6
Snow peas + beans w/ miso butter, ginger	7.5
Grains + pumpkin, feta + egg salad	7.5
Summer salad- baby cos, cherry tomato, shaved pickled cucumber, orange, Pedro Ximenez dressing	7.5





### DESSERT

Passionfruit & white chocolate brulee, plum, pistachio sand, caramel & fig ice cream	15
Dark Callebaut chocolate fondant, macadamia nut + date tart, vanilla ice cream	15
Summer strawberries & cream – strawberry parfait, rosewater mascarpone cream, strawberry + peach salad, praline	15
Layered lemon curd + set vanilla yoghurt w/hazelnut meringue biscuits + berry salad	15
Affogato- Di Manfredi espresso, chocolate ice cream, Baileys liqueur	10
Artisan cheeses served w/ lavoche, crisp breads + truffle honey 1/serve 9 2/serves16 3/se	erves <b>22</b>
<b>Soignon Buche Blanche</b> - France. Soft ripen goat's cheese from Loire Valley, a reg renowned for its world class goat's cheese. The cheese interior bright white with a tangy flavour dotted with sweet notes of caramel	

**Gorgonzola Dolce**- *Milder version of Gorgonzola, sweet* & gentle, rich & creamy **Pyengana Cheddar**- Tasmania. *Matured to 12 months or more this cheese develops a very nutty and aged taste* 

## **DESSERT BEVERAGES**

Espresso Martini- Skyy vodka, Kahlua coffee liqueur, fresh espresso, crème de cacao, dash vanilla Gomme			15
Heggies Boytrytis Riesling (375ml) SA Eden Va	lley-James Halliday 2013 -95 Points	Glass-8	38
Josef Chromy Boytrytis Riesling (375ml) Tasmania			38
Kalleske JMK Shiraz VP 2008 (375ml) SA Barossa Valley			40
Penfolds Grandfather Port, Barossa Valley, SA			12
St Hallet Anniversary Tawny, Barossa Valley, SA			8
Baileys of Glenrowan Topaque, Glenrowan Vic			7
Seppeltsfield Para Grand Tawney, Barossa Valley, SA			9
COGNAC			
Hennessy XO			18
Hennessy V.S.O.P			12
Rémy Martin VS			9
Wenjun	China-Sichuan		12

