

# CITY TAVERN SPECIAL EVENTS NOVEMBER 2017-JANAURY 2018



THANKSGIVING THURSDAY NOVEMBER 23, 2018 EARLY: 1:00/1:30 MID DAY: 4:00/4:30 EVENING 7:30/7:45

> **Menu** Aperitif: **Champagne Shrub**

First Course Appetizer Sampler Shrimp Newburg vol~au~vent. Petit Crab Cake, Miniature Quiche Lorraine & Mallard Duck Sausage (Mushroom toast †, Asparagus Vinaigrette Z) Second Course Country Salad ¤ Entrée Roasted Free Range Turkey Country Ham & Seared Salmon & Roasted Prime Rib of Beef ¤&Fried Tofu †As well as our children's menu. Accompanied by Sage & Marjoram Stuffing Smashed Red Bliss Potatoes¤ Sweet Potatoes with Apples<sup>a</sup> Creamed Green Beanst & Cranberry Relishta Dessert & Madeira Selection from City Tavern's Dessert Tray Accompanied by a Madeira Toast

\$92.95 per person \$35.95 per Child 12 & Under Other beverages, tax & gratuities are additional An 18% gratuity will be added to parties of 6 or more ¤Gluten Free Option /Vegetarian Option

Reservation Requirements Reservations will be accepted by phone only beginning Monday, October 2, 2017 Please note we will require a credit card number to confirm all reservations. A \$50.00 per person cancellation fee will apply from the time of booking. If unsure of the number of guests, we recommend making the reservation for the lower end, then increase if necessary. We will make accommodates until two week prior to the event. Seating requests: We cannot guarantee any particular table assignment; however, will be happy to accommodate the notations below as available. Options: Request Main,

No Second Floor, Request cellar level

## New Year's Day Monday Janaury 1, 2018

CELEBRATE THE NEW YEAR WITH CHEF WALTER STAIB CITY TAVERN WILL OPEN AT 1:00PM SERVING OUR DINNER MENU CHRISTMAS EVE & NEW YEAR'S EVE SUNDAYS DECEMBER 24 & 31, 2017 (CITY TAVERN WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY DECEMBER 25)

11:30AM-2:45PM CITY TAVREN'S LUNCH MENU 3:00PM HOLIDAY FEAST BEGINS First Course Basil Shrimp *G*F, Mushroom Toast & Asparagus Vinaigrette, Mallard Duck Sausage or Smoked Salmon & Trout Second Course Lobster Bisque Mushroom Barley Soup & Or Tavern Country Salad, Raspberry vinaigrette *G*F Entrée Shrimp, Scallops & Crab Claws Herb Crusted Prime Rib of Beef Chicken Breast Oscar

Roasted Leg of Lamb ĠF Lobster, Scallop & Shrimp Pie Honey Roasted Duckling ĠF Veal & Herb Sausage Paillard of Salmon Sally Lunn Breaded Fried Tofu & Pork Chop "Apple-Wood Smoked" ĠF

Dessert

Select from City Tavern's Dessert Tray featuring an array of holiday inspired delicacies \$75.95 per guest \$35.95 per child 12 or under 18% gratuity included on parties of 6 or more. Tax, gratuity & beverages are additional \$\$ Gluten free; \$Vegetarian Option

### CENTER CITY DISTRICT'S RESTAURANT WEEK

SUNDAY JANUARY 14-FRIDAY JANUARY 19, 2018\* SUNDAY JANAURY 21- FRIDAY JANAURY 26, 2018\*

> 3 COURSES JUST \$35.00 FOR DINNER \$20.00 FOR LUNCH.

COMPLETE MENU DETAILS WILL BE AVAILABLE AS THE DATES APPROACH

\*CITY TAVERN DOES CLOSE MONDAYS INJANAUARY & FEBRUARY FOR PAINTING & REGULAR MAINTENANCE. CITY TAVERN DOES UPDATE OUR WEBSITE FOR INCLEMENT WEATHER.



# CHEF WALTER STAIB PRESENTS THE TRADITIONAL HOLIDAY FEAST DECEMBER 24 & DECEMBER 31, 2017 FROM 3:00PM



# SEASONAL LIBATIONS **WASSAIL**

Wassail dates back to the old English custom of wassailing during the Christmas and New Year's season. In those days, a big punch bowl was filled with this spiced drink and everyone gathered around the wassail bowl to toast the season.

### \$9.50

### **CITY TAVERN WARMER**

During the 18th century, rum from the Caribbean, French brandy and English whiskey were consumed in healthy quantities. This refreshing drink combines them with another common beverage, apple cider.

### \$11.50

## THE ALES OF THE REVOLUTION GENERAL WASHINGTON'S TAVERN PORTER

Brewed from a genuine recipe on file in the Rare Manuscripts Room of the New York Public Library. A rich, dark brew loaded with flavor.

## THOMAS JEFFERSON'S 1774 TAVERN ALE

Thomas Jefferson made beer twice a year. Our version of this ale is made following Jefferson's original recipe: unfiltered, medium bodied, light in color with great taste.

### POOR RICHARD'S TAVERN SPRUCE

Based on Benjamin Franklin's recipe, written while he was ambassador to France. This beer made with very little hops, has a caramel color, dark molasses hue, a hint of herbal spruce and a dry finish.

### ALEXANDER HAMILTON'S TREASURY ALE

In the style of the common man's ale, this pale ale is brewed with Pilsner malt, crisp & hoppy with citrus flavors & aromas

YOUR CHOICE \$8.50 TRY ALL FOUR! REVOLUTIONARY FLIGHT \$13.50 ALL FOUR AVAILABLE FOR TAKE AWAY, 6-12 OUNCE BOTTLES FOR JUST \$15.00

# a Taste of HISTORY

### Every Saturday on WHYY TV 12 at 12:00Pm!

The Emmy Award Winning series

makes it vibrant as we step back in

brings America's history to life and

time and get to know the founders of our country through the food they ate and the recipes they prepared.



Host, Chef Walter Staib demonstrates a true mastery in the preparation of sophisticated

18th century cuisine, sure to inspire the home cook.

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## FIRST COURSE

BASIL SHRIMP GF MUSHROOM TOAST & ASPARAGUS VINAIGRETTE MALLARD DUCK SAUSAGE OR SMOKED SALMON & TROUT

# SECOND COURSE

LOBSTER BISQUE MUSHROOM BARLEY SOUP 5 OR TAVERN COUNTRY SALAD, RASPBERRY VINAIGRETTE

**ENTRÉE** 

Children may choose from either these selections or entrees from our award-winning children's menu

### VEAL & HERB SAUSAGE

Herbs de Provence, crispy fried onion, mashed potatoes Imported Hengstenburg sauerkraut SHRIMP. SCALLOPS & CRAB CLAWS

White wine garlic sauce, fresh tomato  $\mathcal{E}$  basil, linguine HERB CRUSTED PRIME RIB OF BEEF

Yorkshire pancake, mashed potatoes & a medley of vegetables

### CHICKEN BREAST OSCAR

Crabmeat, asparagus & Sauce Béarnaise Mashed potatoes  $\mathcal{E}$  a medley of vegetables

### PAILLARD OF SALMON

Citrus marinated, pan-seared, Sauce Béarnaise Mashed potatoes  $\mathcal{E}$  vegetable of the season SALLY LUNN BREADED FRIED TOFU 5

Franklin introduced tofu to the colonies in a 1770 letter to John Bartram White wine garlic sauce, fresh tomato  $\mathcal{E}$  basil, linguine PORK CHOP "APPLE-WOOD SMOKED" GF

## In the 18th century, meats were preserved by curing them in salt & then smoking This dish, like ham, is a classic example.

Imported Hengstenburg sauerkraut, Mashed potatoes, Dijon mustard

# ROASTED LEG OF LAMB

Rosemary au jus, mint jelly Mashed potatoes  $\mathcal{E}$  a medley of vegetables

LOBSTER. SCALLOP & SHRIMP PIE Mushroom cream sauce, en croûte HONEY ROASTED DUCKLING

Mango Chutney Mashed potatoes  $\mathcal{E}$  a medley of vegetables

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