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oysters*

	EACH		HALF		DOZEN
Beau Soleil (<i>Miramichi Bay, N.B.,CN</i>)	4.5	/	27	/	54
Chelsea Gem (<i>Eld Inlet, WA</i>)	4	/	24	/	48
Hog Island Sweets (<i>Point Reyes, CA</i>)	4.5	/	27	/	54
Kumamoto (<i>Baja, MX</i>)	4.75	/	28.5	/	57
Kumiai (<i>Baja, MX</i>)	4	/	24	/	48
Marin Gem (<i>Point Reyes, CA</i>)	3.75	/	22.5	/	45
Marin Miyagi (<i>Tomales Bay, CA</i>)	4	/	24	/	48
Royal Malpeque (<i>Prince Edward Island, CN</i>)	4.75	/	28.5	/	57
Salazar (<i>Totten Inlet, WA</i>)	4.5	/	27	/	54
Sapphire (<i>Eld Inlet, WA</i>)	4.5	/	27	/	54

shellfish*

	FOUR		EIGHT		DOZEN
White Prawn Cocktail (<i>Sea of Cortez</i>)	12	/	24	/	36
Maine Lobster	HALF 50	/	WHOLE 100		
Plateaux de Fruits de Mer <i>today's selection of steamed & raw shellfish</i>	ROYAL 78	/	IMPERIAL 170		
caviar					
Tsar Nicoulai Estate .5 oz. served with papadum & crème fraîche	42				

Tonight we are featuring Calabretta, Nerello Mascalese 'Vigne Vecchie' Sicilia, Italy 2012 \$19/glass or \$55/carafe
Calabretta grows their grapes from the slopes of Mount Etna, an active volcano. These vineyards are at the risk of being lost if there is an eruption. In describing the native grape, Nerello Mascalese, it's like taking pinot noir and teaching it Italian. So a little bigger & drier. This producer has championed old vineyards and the tradition of long aging in botti (large wooden vats).
Pair with the American Heritage pork chop

urban picnic*

Warm Mediterranean mixed olives	7.5
Brandade gratinée: whipped salt cod, potatoes, green chilis, garlic; house escabèche, toasted bread	16
Lavender-scented baked chèvre in a grape leaf, coral cherry compote, Spring crudité, crostini	17
Potted smoked trout rillettes, gold caviar, crème fraîche, capers, pickled onions, baguette toasts	19
Chef's Charcuterie: pâté de maison, finocchiona, duck liver mousse, pancetta piana, lengua, accoutrements	32

premieres*

Soup: San Danielle prosciutto brodo, Parmesan, Spring aromatics, garlic croutons	12
Martin's arugula, pluots, sherry vinaigrette, toasted walnuts, saba, Wilde Wiede	16
Soledad butter lettuce, green goddess, avocado, radish, toasted seeds, tortilla crisps, Manchego	17
Fresh mozzarella stracciatella, warm peaches, fava beans, greens, grilled bread, Egyptian dukkah, Aleppo pepper	20
Bigeye tuna ceviche, salsa papi chulo, serrano chilis, Spring onion, sliced avocado, island chips	24
Beef sirloin carpaccio, marinated julienne Summer squash, lemon-anchovy dressing, Calabrian chilis, breadcrumbs, cress	20
Plancha! Monterey Bay calamari, Oaxacan mole rojo, aioli, chickpeas, totopos, cilantro	19

main features*

Hawaiian mahi-mahi, Spring squash, Genovese basil, artichokes, butter beans, snap peas, tapenade, aioli	40
Garganelle pasta, burn morels, fresh ricotta, spring garlic, chili, lemon, basil, splash of cream, Parmesan, pangrattato	29
Saffron risotto galettes, cara cara orange, marinated beets, coriander baby carrots, masala lentils, meshwya, wispy chips	29
Sesame fried chicken, Madras curry, apple-cabbage slaw, hummus, kishmish, ras spiced honey, watermelon radish	30
American Heritage pork chop, rubbed with tabil, grilled broccoli di ciccio, mixed grains, fig-hazelnut aillade	36
Exotic spiced duck breast, roasted nectarine, warm chicories, English pea purée, quacklins, duck butter	38
Grilled Akaushi bavette steak, May tomatoes, Salinas asparagus, French fingerlings, bagna cauda, cabernet jus	40
Grilled 14oz dry Akaushi rib-eye steak, served with the above accompaniments	70

House-cured local sardines in extra virgin olive oil	6.5
Fried green olives stuffed with anchovies	8.5
Ibérico pork chicharrónes, our harissa blend, sea salt, lime	5.5
Warm Edible Schoolyard bread, our cultured butter, flaky sea salt	5.5

Film: 'Moulin Rouge', 2001, 35mm

**Notice: The consumption of raw or undercooked seafood or shellfish, poultry, eggs, or meat, may increase your risk of food borne illness.*
Corkage fee: \$40 per 750ml bottle, Magnum corkage \$60; 2 bottle maximum. Foreign Cinema is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged items.
A 6% charge is being applied to each check for San Francisco city mandates.