



514 E. Wilson Street
Madison, WI 53703
(608) 255-4674

www.essen-haus.com info@essen-haus.com



German Restaurant Banquet Menu



www.essen-haus.com

Make Your Banquet
an Experience!
Lively, Festive, Fun ...
Essen Haus!



Cocktails and Bier

COCKTAIL TAB

All drinks are put on one check. You set a dollar amount limit and we will notify you when that amount has been reached. At that time you have the option to continue or close out the tab.

CASH COCKTAILS

Guests pay for their own drinks.
Gratuuity is voluntary and appreciated.

CHAMPAGNE

Haus Champagne

WINE

Served in liter carafes, choose your favorite wine from the list below.

Reds: Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Valpolicella, Lambrusco
Whites: Chardonnay, Pinot Grigio, Fritz Zimmer Riesling
Blush: White Zinfandel

\$28.75 per liter carafe

KEGS OF BEER

1/2 Barrel of German Beer \$449.00
1/2 Barrel of Microbrew \$449.00
1/2 Barrel of Domestic Beer \$349.00

1/2 Barrels serve an average of two 1/2 liter beers per person for a group of 50 people. Sorry, Weiss beer is not available for parties. Please make Keg selections two weeks prior to the event.

Our taps change frequently. You can view our current Beers at www.zszen-haus.com

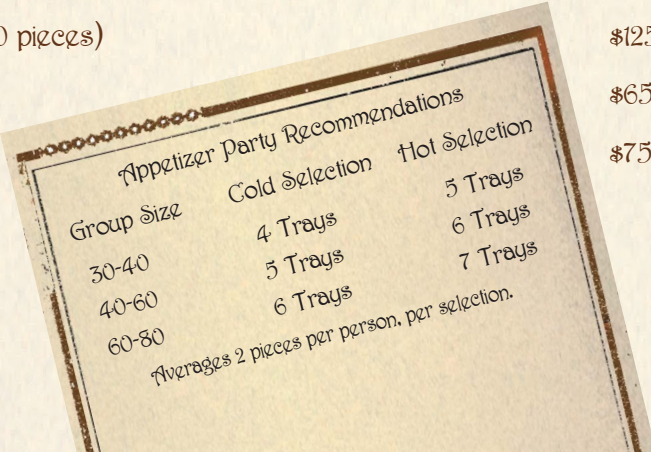
Hors D' Oeuvres

Cold Hors d' Oeuvres

Assorted Meats & Cheese (3 meats, four cheeses) (180 pieces)	\$75.00
Fresh Vegetables with Haus Ranch (Feeds 30 people)	\$65.00
Fresh Fruit Tray (Feeds 30 people)	\$85.00
Jumbo Shrimp with Cocktail Sauce (60 pieces)	\$129.00
Tortilla Rollups with Cheese & Salmon (50 pieces)	\$75.00
Pretzels with Mustards & Dip (30 pieces)	\$45.00

Hot Hors d' Oeuvres

Cocktail Meatballs in Swedish, BBQ or Marinara Sauce (60 pieces)	\$75.00
German Stuffed Potato Skins with Bacon & Cheese (50 pieces)	\$75.00
Stuffed Mushrooms with Four Cheeses (90 pieces)	\$85.00
Crab Cakes with Mustard and Caper Sauce (30 pieces)	\$85.00
Assorted Sausage & Sauerkraut (120 pieces)	\$75.00
Bacon Wrapped Water Chestnuts (100 pieces)	\$75.00
Salmon Cakes with Dill Sauce (30 pieces)	\$85.00
Bacon Wrapped Scallops (70 pieces)	\$125.00
Buffalo Wings (60 pieces)	\$65.00
BBQ Porkribs (50 pieces)	\$75.00



Family Style Banquet

Your guests will be served family style. Please choose your food selections from the following list.

Choose Three Entrées

Sauerkraut
Beef marinated in a red wine vinegar with herbs and spices.
Served in a robust sweet and sour gravy.

Schwäzle
Tender pork tips in a mild sour cream gravy with mushrooms, onions and green peppercorns.

Spareribs
Extra meaty and tender ribs baked with herbs and spices.

Baked Chicken
A classic German and American favorite.

BBQ Pork Ribs
Extra meaty and tender ribs basted in our own BBQ sauce.

Königsberger Klopse
Pork and veal meatballs in a white wine and caper sauce.

Roast Pork
Tender boneless pork loin with herbs and spices.

Fish Fry (Fridays Only)
Beer battered deep fried cod with tartar sauce and lemon.

Tenderloin Tips
Bite size pieces of tenderloin tips with mushrooms and onions in a seasoned au jus. Baked Ham
Slow roasted and savory.

Assorted German Sausages
Bratwurst (veal & pork), Thüringer (smoked beef & pork) and Knoekwurst (beef & pork).

Kase Spaetzle (Also available Vegetarian)
Homemade spaetzle mixed with fresh vegetables cheeses and ham baked into a casserole.

Please Choose Two Potatoes

Spaetzle
German Fries
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
Baked Potato

Please Choose Two Vegetables

Red Cabbage
Sauerkraut
Vegetable of the Day

Add-Ons

Prime Rib
One 6-7oz slice per person. Substitute prime rib for one of your entrée selections for an additional \$3.25 per person for the entire party.

Beef Rouladen
Fresh-sliced prime rib wrapped around tender ground pork & beef, bacon, onion, a thinly sliced dill pickle spear, and Dijon mustard. Substitute beef rouladen for one of your entrée selections for an additional \$2.50 per person for the entire party.

Apple Strudel
Flaky butter crust filled with apple chunks and cinnamon, topped with confectioner's sugar. An additional \$3.75 per person for the entire party.

\$24.95 Per Person
25 Person Minimum

In addition, you will be served our house salad, hot soft pretzels and coffee, tea, milk or soda.
Please provide us with your menu selection a minimum of two weeks prior to your event.

BANQUET POLICIES

The Essen Haus is the perfect destination for any special occasion. We can accommodate groups of up to 100 or more. Your guests will be captivated by our award-winning food, authentic German décor and live oompah music. We look forward to hosting your event. Please review our policies below.

We do not charge a room rental fee. We do require a Visa or MasterCard to hold on file, or a \$50 deposit, to reserve a private room on your requested date. The credit card on file will not be charged unless requested and cash deposits will be deducted from the final bill.

We do not issue separate checks for banquets. Only one check will be issued for the event. All bills must be paid the day of the event unless prior written arrangements have been made. We accept Visa and Mastercard. We can not accept out of state checks.

Food and beverage sales are subject to 5.5% sales tax and a 18% gratuity charge. Tax exempt groups must provide a copy of their tax exemption certificate in advance.

We reserve the right to seat groups in the area most suited to size and type of function. We also reserve the right to substitute rooms or private areas depending upon the final guaranteed guest count. We can not guarantee a private room during special events.

There is a \$500 food minimum to guarantee a private room on Friday and Saturday nights. Main floor seating is also available.

Banquet menu prices are subject to change without notice unless a price has been guaranteed in writing and a deposit has been received.

All food and beverages must be purchased from the Essen Haus with the exception of sheet cakes. No carry-ins of any kind will be permitted.

Minors are welcome in the restaurant and bar area only when accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. We will not serve alcohol to anyone under the age of 21. Please inform your guests to bring along two forms of ID if their age is questionable.

We request your final food and beverage selections a minimum of two weeks prior to your event with a guaranteed final guest count three days prior to your event. We allow a 10% leeway on the final count.

The Essen Haus will open up exclusively for your banquet during non-business hours for groups of 40 or more. We can also add live entertainment during non business hours for an additional cost.