

Cedars Mediterranean Kitchen

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STARTERS 14

Roasted Hummus

Our original recipe of white garbanzos pureed with Tahini, fresh lemon, & garlic. Garnished with pine nuts & sumac and drizzled with olive oil.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

\$4.99

With Chicken or Lamb Shawarma:

\$6.99

Grilled Baba Ghanooj

Smoked, skinned eggplant, chopped with fresh parsley and mint, then blended with fresh lemon, garlic and tahini, and finally topped with extra-virgin olive oil.

\$4.99

Crispy Falafel

A Mediterranean Classic. Garbanzos blended with fresh herbs, vegetables and imported Mediterranean spices, then lightly fried to a crisp. 6 pieces served with a side of Jerusalem Salad..

\$4.50

Kibbeh

A wheat shell stuffed with sautéed spiced lamb, onions and pine nuts. Lightly fried to a crisp with a golden brown crust.

\$6.50

Chunky-Style Foul Modammas

Crushed fava beans sautéed in extra-virgin olive oil with garlic & a mixture of chopped seasonal peppers, then drizzled with extra-virgin olive oil.

\$4.99

Sauteed Vegetables

Lightly sautéed Cauliflower and Eggplant topped with Cedars' Tangy Spicy Garlic sauce.

\$4.50

Three Cheese FlatBread

Fresh dough topped with mozzarella, feta & ricotta cheeses, hearth baked in our stone oven.

\$5.99

Spinach-Garlic FlatBread

Fresh dough topped with mozzarella, spinach, bell peppers, fresh herbs & spices, hearth baked in our stone oven.

\$5.99

Mediterranean Grilled Shrimp

A Skewer of Jumbo Shrimp marinated in garlic, lemon & extra-virgin olive oil char-grilled to perfection.

\$8.50

Tomato & Sausage FlatBread

Fresh pita topped with minced lamb, tomatoes, onions, garlic, hearth baked in Cedars' Stone Oven.

\$6.50

Rolled Dolma

Grape leaves stuffed with rice, tomatoes, parsley, and fresh herbs and spices. Served as 8 pieces.

\$5.99

Spicy Chicken Wings **\$5.99**

Chicken wings topped with Cedars' Tangy Spicy Garlic sauce on a bed of fresh-cut Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Cedars Sampler **\$9.99**

Serves 3-4. An Assortment of our most popular appetizers, including Hummus, Falafel, Tabboule, & Dolma.

Cedars' Dip Trio **\$9.99**

Enjoy your favorite dips together! Select 3 Dips from these choices: Roasted Hummus, Lebna, Chunky-Style Foul Modammas, Grilled Baba Ghanoosh, Jerusalem salad, Tabouleh Salad.

SANDWICH PITAS 6

Falafel Sandwich Pita **\$5.99**

Garbanzos blended with fresh herbs, vegetables and imported Mediterranean spices, then lightly fried to a crisp, & stuffed in fresh pita with tahini sauce. Served with Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Mediterranean Grilled Chicken **\$7.50**

Char-grilled chicken breast, marinated Mediterranean style, topped with red onions, lettuce, and tomato, served in a pita. Served with Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Tandoori Chicken Sandwich Pita **\$7.50**

Char-grilled chicken breast, marinated with spicy tandoori masala flavoring, & topped with red onions, lettuce, and tomato, served in a pita. Served with Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Shawarma (Chicken or Lamb-Beef) **\$7.50**

Marinated chicken or lamb-beef, roasted on a skewer rotisserie and topped with tomatoes, onions, and tahini sauce, served in a pita. Served with Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Veggie-Hummus Sandwich Pita **\$5.99**

Lightly sautéed eggplant, cauliflower & potato topped with Cedars' Tangy Spicy sauce, tomatoes, onions and tahina sauce served in a pita. Served with Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Kefta Kebob Sandwich Pita **\$7.50**

Char-Grilled rolled lamb skewers topped with tomatoes, onions and tahina sauce served in a pita. Served with Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

ENTREES 9

Mashawi **\$13.99**

Lamb-Beef and Chicken Shawirma, along with a skewer of Kefta Kebob.

Combination Kebob Platter **\$16.50**

A platter combining traditional meats. Shish Kebob, Chicken Kebob, and Kefta Kebob.

Braised Ribs & Chicken **\$13.99**

Our pomegranate-braised short ribs combined with chicken tika.

Lamb-Beef Shawarma **\$12.50**

Spit-roasted Lamb & Beef on a rotisserie and sliced thin and served on a bed of onions.

Grilled Lamb Chops (Kastalata)

\$18.50

Grilled baby lamb chops marinated in Lemon, Garlic and fresh herbs and spices.

Shish Kebob

\$13.99

A Mediterranean Classic Lamb filet center cuts marinated in lemon, garlic and fresh herbs and spices skewered with veggies and char-grilled.

Pan-Sauteed Lamb (Kallayah)

\$9.99

Sautéed Lamb immersed in a spicy tomato sauce, with onions and peppers served over rice.

Shekriya

\$9.99

Lamb chunks braised for hours in a garlic-yogurt stew & served with Basmati rice.

Kefta Kebob

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Char-grilled ground lamb blended with fresh herbs and spices then rolled on skewers with tomato.

\$12.99

With Tomato Sauce:

\$13.99

POULTRY 5

Chicken Shawerma

\$10.99

Chicken marinated overnight in Mediterranean herbs and spices, then roasted on a skewer rotisserie and thinly sliced served over a bed of onions.

Chicken Kebob (Shish TeWook)

\$11.50

Chicken breast cuts marinated in Mediterranean herbs and spices skewered with veggies and char-grilled.

Spicy Chicken Wings

\$10.99

Chicken wings Mediterranean style!! Marinated in Cedars' Tangy Spicy Garlic sauce for 24 hours, then fried until crispy. Served with fresh-cut Cedars' Homestyle Fries.

Lemon-Garlic Chicken

\$10.99

Char-Grilled Chicken breast & thigh, marinated in lemon, garlic, fresh herbs and spices.

Chicken Tika Tandoori

\$10.99

Char-Grilled chicken breast & thigh, marinated in spicy tandoori masala flavorings.

STEAKS 4

Mediterranean Skirt Steak

\$15.99

A 10 ounce Char-Broiled skirt steak, marinated in lemon, cumin, garlic, and jalapeño. A must try!

NY Cut Sirloin Strip

\$16.99

16oz ounce Certified Angus Grade. NY Cut features generous marbling, lending the richest flavor & texture

Pomegranate-Braised Short Ribs

\$17.99

Hearty beef ribs braised over low heat for several hours, served with a pomegranate sugar glaze.

Beef Tenderloin Kebob

\$13.99

Highest Prime Grade of Beef Tenderloin cuts marinated in lemon, garlic and fresh herbs and spices skewered with veggies and char-grilled.

SEAFOOD 4

Tiger Shrimp

\$17.99

Freshwater tiger shrimp seasoned in a lemon-curry mix, then skewered & char-grilled to perfection.

Seafood Kebob

\$15.99

Two skewers of fresh Jumbo Shrimp, Jumbo Sea Scallops & Chilean Salmon marinated in Mediterranean flavors and char-grilled.

Curry Grilled Salmon

\$15.99

Fresh filet of Chilean Salmon dry rubbed with curry & fresh Mediterranean herbs & spices.

Salmon Kebob

\$13.99

Freshly skewered Chilean Salmon, marinated and char-grilled. Served with grilled fresh vegetables and rice.

SOUPS AND SALADS 8

Cedars' Signature Lentil Soup

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Mediterranean country lentil soup, served with warm, fresh pita hearth baked in Cedars' Stone Oven.

Cup: \$2.75

Bowl: \$3.75

Soup of the Day

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Cedars' seasonal selection of cream or broth-based soups. Served with warm, fresh pita hearth baked in Cedars' Stone Oven.

Cup: \$2.75

Bowl: \$3.75

Tabouleh

\$5.99

A Mediterranean Classic. Finely diced tomatoes, cucumbers, onions, mint, and parsley mixed with cracked wheat, fresh lemon and extra-virgin olive oil.

Jerusalem Salad

\$4.99

Diced tomato, cucumber, and parsley tossed with a Tahina and Lemon dressing.

Mediterranean Salad (Fattoush Salad)

\$6.99

Mixed greens with fresh vegetables and feta cheese topped with house-made vinaigrette.

Shepard's Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Mixed greens, shredded cabbage, sweet dates, tomatoes, toasted almonds & goat cheese tossed in a balsamic vinaigrette.

\$7.50

with Chicken: \$9.50

Chopped Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Crisp cucumbers, tomatoes, bleu cheese, pita chips & red onions tossed with mixed lettuce in our sweet white balsamic vinaigrette.

\$7.50

with Chicken: \$9.50

Pear / Gorgonzola Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Mixed greens with toasted almonds, diced Bosc pears, raisins, & gorgonzola cheese, all tossed in a balsamic vinaigrette.

\$7.50

with Chicken: \$9.50

HEARTY TRADITIONAL MEALS 4

Ripe Tomato Cous Cous

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

Imported cous-cous, boiled & sautéed, with Mediterranean spices, then topped with a ripe tomato, garbanzo, and onion-flavored sauce.

\$10.99

With Lamb or Chicken:

\$12.99

Kushary

Basmati rice tossed with caramelized onions and sauteed lentils. May be topped with tomato sauce or yogurt.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

\$9.99

With Lamb or Chicken:

\$11.99

Tagene

A medley of fresh vegetables, such as potatoes, carrots, eggplant, onions, and zucchini stewed in a thick, ripe tomato sauce. Served with rice.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

\$9.99

With Lamb: \$11.99

Curry Vegetables

A medley of vegetables, such as potatoes, carrots, eggplant, onions, and zucchini, stewed in a thick, spicy curry tomato sauce. Served with rice.

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

\$9.99

With Chicken: \$11.99

OUR CLASSIC FAMILY STYLE 5

Appetizers (Choose Three)

Hummus, Baba Ghanooj, Falafel, Sauted Vegetables, Spinach-Garlic Flatbread, Dolma, Spicy Chicken Wings, Three Cheese Flatbread, Jerusalem Salad, Tabboule.

Salads (Choose One)

Mediterranean Salad, Shepard's Salad, Pear + Gorgonzola Salad, Chopped Salad.

Meat Entrees (Choose Two)

Chicken Kebob, Kefta Kebob, Shish Kebob, Beef Tenderloin Kebob, Lamb & Beef Shawirma, Chicken Shawirma, Char-Grilled Lamb Chops add \$2 per person, Lemon Garlic Chicken, Chicken Tika.

Vegetarian Entrees (Choose One)

Ripe Tomato Cous-Cous, Kushary, Curry Vegetables, Tagene.

Desserts (Choose Two)

Honey-Glazed Baklava, Pineapple-Cheese Hareesa, Cinnamon Rice Pudding.

OUR LUNCHEON FAMILY STYLE 3

Appetizers (Choose Three)

Hummus, Baba Ghanooj, Falafel, Sauted Vegetables, Spinach-Garlic Flatbread, Dolma Spicy Chicken Wings, Three Cheese Flatbread, Jerusalem Salad, Tabboule.

Salads (Choose One)

Mediterranean Salad, Shepard's Salad, Pear + Gorgonzola Salad, Chopped Salad.

Main Course (Choose Two)

Chicken Kebob, Kefta Kebob, Shish Kebob, Lamb & Beef Shawirma, Chicken Shawirma, Char-Grilled Lamb Chops add \$2 per person, Lemon Garlic Chicken, Chicken Tika Ripe Tomato Cous-Cous.

BREAKFAST CATERING 2

Breakfast Meeting

\$3.50

An assortment of fresh bagels, muffins, and other assorted seasonal morning pastries served with cream cheese, butter and preserves.

Breakfast Buffet

\$6.50

A more complete hot breakfast for your guests: Fluffy Scrambled, Eggs Choice of Turkey Bacon or Turkey Links, Crispy Garlic Breakfast Potatoes, Assortment of Toast & English Muffins

COMPLETE YOUR BREAKFAST WITH THESE ACCOMPANIMENTS: 3

Fresh Brewed Coffee Box (Reg or Decaf)

\$15.00

Includes creamer, sugar, cups, & stirrers (12-15 cups)

Juice (Orange, Grapefruit, Apple, Cranberry)

\$15.00

Includes cups (12-15 cups)

Chafing Dish Setup

\$9.95

Includes disposable stand & 2 sternos

BARBECUE 7

Kefta Kebob

\$3.95

Salmon Kebob

\$4.95

Shrimp Kebob

\$5.50

Shish Kebob

\$4.95

Beef Tenderloin Kebob

\$4.95

Chicken Kebob

\$3.95

Fresh Vegetable Kebob

\$2.50

BUFFET SPREADS 3

Social Starter

\$9.95

Get your gathering started right with our simplest party spread, great for left lunch & dinner events. Entrée choices include lemon-garlic chicken, tandoori chicken and/or chicken Shawarma. Also, choose up to three Accompaniments from below.

Cedars' Delightful Party Spread

\$12.95

Impress your guests with a wide variety of delicious, unique & healthy Mediterranean fare. Entrées include kefta Kebob and Lemon-garlic chicken or Tandoori chicken. Also, choose up to four Accompaniments from below.

Cedars' Mediterranean Feast!

\$15.95

Create a highly memorable dinner event ! Cedars presents its most flavorful combinations as your guests take in the full experience. Entrée choices include lemon-garlic chicken and salmon kebob or beef Tenderlion kebob. Choose up to four Accompaniments from below.

ACCOMPANIMENTS 6

Roasted Hummus

Garnished with Olive Oil, Toasted Pine Nuts, & Sumac

Grilled Baba Ghanooj

Garnished with Olive Oil & Tangy Garlic Sauce

Crispy Falafel

Sumac & Parsley Sprinkled on Top

Mediterranean Salad

Mediterranean Vinaigrette Included Ripe-Tomato, Cous Cous, Ripe Tomato, Garbanzo, & Onion-Flavored Sauce

Basmati Rice

Garnished with Toasted Almonds & Parsley

Tabbouleh Salad

Served with Fresh Lemon & Tomato Wedges

APPETIZERS 7

Roasted Hummus

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$16.95

Full Tray (serves 15-20): \$29.95

Grilled Baba Ghanooj

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$16.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$29.95

Crispy Falafel

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$12.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$24.95

Tabboule

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$17.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$33.95

Spicy Chicken Wings

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$26.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$51.95

Sauteed Garlic Vegetables

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$17.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$33.95

Dolma

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$24.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$47.95

SOUPS & SALADS 5

Country Lentil Souop

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$24.95

Full tray (serves 15-20): \$47.95

Mixed Greens Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$19.95
full tray (serves 15-20): \$37.95

Cedars Mediterranean Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$24.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$47.95

Crunchy Fattush Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$24.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$47.95

Caesar Salad

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$24.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$47.95

DESSERTS ⁴

Honey-Glazed Baklava

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$9.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$17.95

Pineapple-Cheese Hareesa

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$19.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$37.95

Fresh-Made Cheesecake

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$19.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$37.95

Decadent Chocolate Cake

AVAILABLE OPTIONS

1/2 tray (serves 8-10): \$19.95
Full tray (serves 15-20): \$37.95
