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# relax

and enjoy

Our award winning chefs will work with you to create a wonderful dinner for family and friends. We'll handle all of the details so you can relax before your special day.



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## *Practice Makes Perfect*

Special days require planning. Our Certified Wedding Planners can help you decide what traditions and customs work best for you. We are here to make your rehearsal as fun and exciting as possible.

Keep it simple by taking advantage of our space and letting your friends and family who have traveled to celebrate with you stay in for the rehearsal and rehearsal dinner... all in one location.

After your rehearsal, let us help you plan a dinner for your families, friends, and loved ones. You can choose from themed buffets, customized menus, or anything in between. Speak with a Sales Manager to book one of our Banquet Rooms. They can check space and send you our Banquet Event Menu. If Newton's Restaurant is more your style, we can put together an event to make your rehearsal dinner fun and casual. Whatever your desire, we can make it happen for you.

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it's about  
**tradition**

We can accommodate every wish and family tradition for your ceremony, offering spectacular venues to make your wedding fairy tale perfect.



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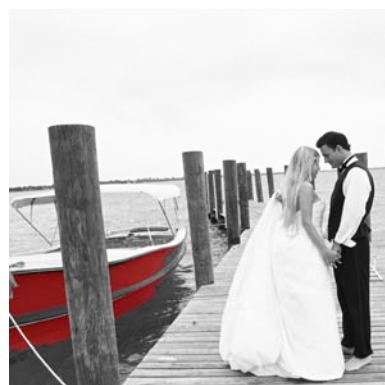
## *Creating Memories to Last a Lifetime*

Congratulations and Best Wishes on your engagement! We are delighted that you are considering the Marriott at Research Triangle Park for your wedding festivities.

A wedding is a special event, one that should reflect the personal desires of the bride and groom, and create memories that will last a lifetime. We would like to meet with you personally to discuss everything you have dreamed of for your special day.

Our Wedding Packages are enclosed to help you begin planning. We also offer assistance with selection of a florist, photographer, baker, and entertainment. Please do not forget to inquire about arrangements for your Rehearsal Dinner and our Sunday Breakfast Buffet.

The staff at the Marriott at Research Triangle Park will do everything possible to assist you during the exciting planning stages of your wedding.





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# taste and style

Your celebration may include a champagne brunch, bountiful lunch buffet or more formal sit down lunch. Whichever you choose, our wedding event planners will help you fashion a fantastic menu that you and your guests will savor.



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## *Wedding Packages*

We offer three selections of wedding packages. All packages will include the following with the option to add on enhancements:

- Certified wedding planner to customize your special day
- Overnight accommodations the evening of the reception for the Bride and Groom
- A special group rate for overnight guestrooms the weekend of your wedding, based on availability
- A customized website with details of your wedding weekend
- Complete Table Top Settings (Linen, China, Glass, Silver, etc.)
- Cake Cutting Service
- Place Card and Favor Placement
- Specialty house centerpieces
- Custom Sized Wood Parquet Dance Floor
- Head Table, Raised or on the Floor
- Complimentary parking and airport transportation for your and your guests
- Menu tasting with our chef, up to four guests



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## *Afternoon Simplicity*

If the simplicity of an afternoon reception is your style you will love our Afternoon Reception. Let us customize your reception to be the perfect reflection of your style and personality

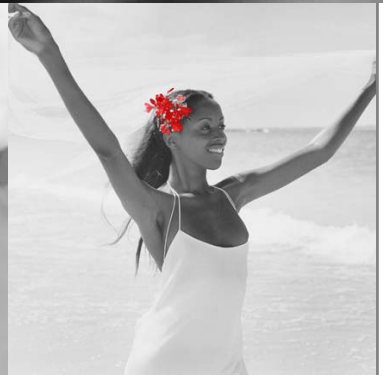
### **Reception**

(Based on 10 Hors d'oeuvres Per Person)

- Sliced Fresh Fruit with Honey Yogurt Dip
- Vegetable Display with Buttermilk Ranch Dip
- Cheese with Assorted Crackers
- Vegetable Spring Rolls with Plum Sauce
- Spanikopita
- Mini Chicken Wellington
- Vegetable Spring Roll

\$29





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# experience

with sensitivity

When it comes to tying the knot, Marriott Certified Wedding Planners are an important part of your special day. Our expert wedding event planners provide complimentary services, handling all of the event details and working closely with you and your wedding planner to ensure the perfect wedding.



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From an intimate hors d'oeuvre reception to a lush buffet spread, from a luxurious four course dinner to a cocktail hors d'oeuvres extravaganza, we can create the wedding celebration you always wished and hoped for.

### *Savor the Moment*

Your selection of one of the following receptions:

Silver | Gold | Platinum

Private Tasting prepared by our team of culinary artists

### *Love and Remember*

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- Overnight accommodations the evening of the reception for the Bride and Groom
- A special group rate for overnight guestrooms the weekend of your wedding, based on availability
- A customized website with details of your wedding weekend
- Complete Table Top Settings (Linen, China, Glass, Silver, etc.)
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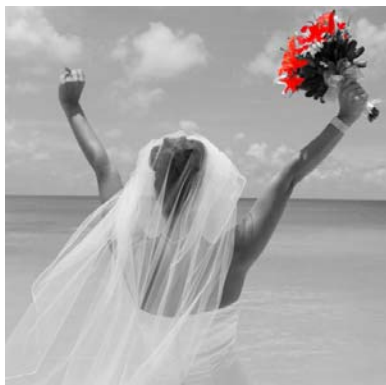
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## *Silver*

The Silver reception includes three individual hors d'oeuvres prepared by our culinary team, our Reception Buffet, and seasonal non-alcohol beverage selections.

### **Hors d'oeuvres**

In addition to a Vegetable and Dip Display and our International Cheese Display you may choose 3 of the following hor d'oeuvres (2 pieces of each per person)

- Cheese Quesadilla Cornucopias
- Vegetable Spring Rolls
- Chicken Sate
- Assorted Canapés
- Tomato and Basil Bruschetta

*Joy*  
YOUR DREAM WEDDING<sup>SM</sup>

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### *Silver continued...*

#### **Reception Buffet**

There's something for everyone to enjoy on this delicious indulgent buffet.

#### salad

- Caesar Salad with Romaine Lettuce, Garlic Croutons, Parmesan Cheese and Traditional Caesar Dressing
- Mediterranean Salad of Bibb Lettuce, Tomatoes, Kalamata Olives, Slivered Red Onions, Feta Cheese, and Red Wine Vinaigrette

#### vegetable

- Sweet Potato, Apple, and Onion Salad
- Whipped Horseradish Potatoes
- Sautéed Medley of Vegetables

#### entree

- Grilled Sirloin Steak topped with Tobacco Fried Onions and Shallot Balsamic Jus with Wilted Greens
- Grilled Chicken Breast with Tequila-Lime Marinade and Roasted Corn Salsa
- Pan Seared Tilapia with Lemon Pepper and Creamy Tomato-Basil Sauce

\$55 for Silver Reception



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## *Gold*

The Gold reception package includes four individual hors d'oeuvres prepared by our culinary team, your choice of plated dinner, four hours of our limited Premium bar and seasonal non-alcohol beverage selections.

### **Hors d'oeuvres**

In addition to a Vegetable and Dip Display and our International Cheese Display you may choose 4 of the following hor d'oeuvres

- Spanikopita
- Chicken Sate
- Assorted Canapés
- Brie with Raspberry
- Hibachi Beef Skewers
- Vegetable Spring Rolls
- Tomato and Basil Bruschetta
- Cheese Quesadilla Cornucopias
- Herbed Cream Cheese Stuffed Cherry Tomatoes
- Roma Tomatoes, Buffalo Mozzarella and Pesto on Crostini
- Seared Tuna with Wasabi Aioli on Fried Wontons
- Prosciutto wrapped Asparagus Tips
- Chicken and Duxelle en Croute



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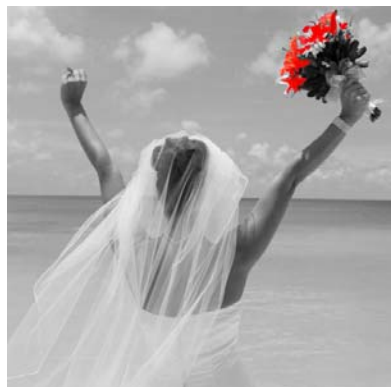
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## *Gold continued...*



### **Drinks**

4 hours of limited open bar to include Domestic and Imported Beers and Premium Wines

### **Salad | choice of 1**

Mixed Green Salad

Traditional Caesar Salad

### **Entrees | choice of 2**

All entrees include warm rolls with butter

- **New York Strip Steak** - Grilled with a special blend of sweet and spicy seasonings and Sweet Potato Gratin
- **Seared North Atlantic Salmon** - drizzled with lemon herb sauce and Saffron Cous Cous
- **Chicken Florentine** - filled with a blend of spinach and cheese, topped with Boursin cream sauce and Sweet Pea Risotto
- **Lemon Rosemary Chicken** - roasted and served with crisp potato and green bean slaw

\$75 for Gold Reception



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## *Platinum*

The Platinum reception package includes five individual hors d'oeuvres prepared by our culinary team, your choice of plated dinner, four hours of our Premium bar and seasonal non-alcohol beverage selections.

### **Hors d'oeuvres**

In addition to a Vegetable and Dip Display and our International Cheese Display you may choose 5 of the following hor d'oeuvres

- Spanikopita
- Chicken Sate
- Assorted Canapés
- Brie with Raspberry
- Hibachi Beef Skewers
- Vegetable Spring Rolls
- Tomato and Basil Bruschetta
- Cheese Quesadilla Cornucopias
- Herbed Cream Cheese Stuffed Cherry Tomatoes
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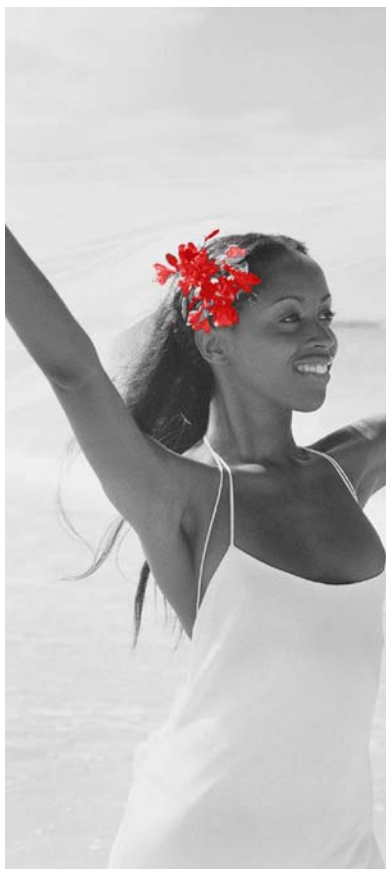
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### *Platinum continued...*

#### **Drinks**

- 4 hours open bar to include Domestic and Imported Beers, Premium Wines, and Premium Liquors
- Iced Tea, Soft Drinks, Coffee, and Water

#### **Entrees | choose 2**

All include warm rolls with whipped butter

**Petit Filet Mignon and Crab Cake** – finished with sherry cream sauce and Roasted Red Potato

**Petit Filet Mignon and Salmon** – with champagne dill cream sauce and Saffron Cous Cous

**Petit Filet Mignon and Chicken Marsala** – in rich Mushroom and Marsala wine sauce and Parmesan Polenta Cakes

#### **Salad | choose 1**

Mixed Green Salad

Traditional Caesar Salad

\$90 for Platinum Reception



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## *Bar Information*

### **Beer**

Domestic: Budweiser, Bud Light, Miller Light, O'douls

Imported: Heineken, Amstel Light, Samuel Adams, Corona Extra

### **Red Wine**

Beaulieu Vineyard Merlot Coastal California

Penfolds Cabernet Sauvignon

Esancia Pinot Noir Pinnacles Monterey

### **White Wine**

Mumm Cuvee Napa Brut Prestige

Beringer White Zinfandel

Clos Bois Chardonnay

Sonoma Cutrer Chardonnay

### **Premium Liquor**

Smirnoff Vodka

Beefeaters Gin

Barcardi Rum

Grants Scotch

Jim Beam Bourbon

Canadian Club Whiskey

Jose' Cuervo Espical Gold

### **Top Shelf Liquor (for additional charge)**

Absolut Vodka

Tanqueray Gin

Myers Rum

Johnnie Walker Red Scotch

Jack Daniels Whiskey

Seagram's VO Whiskey

Jose' Cuervo 1800 Silver



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# unique details

We offer unparalleled services that your guests will appreciate, from valet parking and spacious guestrooms to private pre-reception areas, breathtaking indoor and outdoor ceremony venues and specialty linens and chair covers, as well as many other wedding extras such as distinctively designed place cards, cake boxes and guest books. Marriott can create a day that's special for everyone.



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## *Preferred Vendors*

### *Wedding Cakes*

**Edible Art** | 919-856-0604

[www.edibleartbakery.com](http://www.edibleartbakery.com)

**The Cupcake Shoppe** | 919-821-4223

[www.thecupcakeshopperaleigh.com](http://www.thecupcakeshopperaleigh.com)

**Sweet Memories** | 919-363-1889

[www.sweetmemoriesbakery.com](http://www.sweetmemoriesbakery.com)

**The New York Cheesecake Company** | 919-451-2595

[www.thenewyorkcheesecakecompany.com](http://www.thenewyorkcheesecakecompany.com)

**Blue Moon Bakery & Café** | 919-319-6554

[www.bluemoonbakery.com](http://www.bluemoonbakery.com)



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### *Florist*

**Fresh Affair** | 919-954-0808

[www.freshaffairs.com](http://www.freshaffairs.com)

**Flowers in the Park** | 919-941-9929

[www.rtpflorist.com](http://www.rtpflorist.com)

### *Music & Entertainment*

**DJ Joe** | 919-785-9001

[www.bunndjcompany.com](http://www.bunndjcompany.com)

**Complete Music** | 919-544-1694

[www.cmusic.com](http://www.cmusic.com)

**Island Music** | 919-872-3535

[www.islandsound.net](http://www.islandsound.net)

**Musician Booking Agency** | 919-851-6396

[www.musiciansbooking.com](http://www.musiciansbooking.com)

**EG Peters** | 919-601-7542

[www.egpeters.com](http://www.egpeters.com)



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## *Photographer*

**Mike Bayley Photography** | 919-881-8244

[www.MikeBayleyPhoto.com](http://www.MikeBayleyPhoto.com)

**A Moment Like This** | 919-838-6598

[www.amomentlikethis.com](http://www.amomentlikethis.com)

**Ross Mann Photography** | 919-932-3242

[www.RossMannPhotography.com](http://www.RossMannPhotography.com)

**KD Photo Graphics** | 919-677-1425

[www.kdphoto.com](http://www.kdphoto.com)

## *Transportation*

**Midtown Express** | 919-510-0606

[www.midtown-express.com](http://www.midtown-express.com)

**White Horse** | 919-606-0335

[www.ridewhitehorse.com](http://www.ridewhitehorse.com)

**Capital Style** | 919-460-1230

[www.capitallimo.com](http://www.capitallimo.com)



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### *Décor*

**Special Events** | 919-954-0066  
[www.specialeventsrentals.com](http://www.specialeventsrentals.com)

**Balloon Design** | 919-676-6911  
[www.triangleballoons.com](http://www.triangleballoons.com)

**CE Rental** | 919-833-9743  
[www.cerental.com](http://www.cerental.com)

**Elegant Designz** | 919-426-6305  
[www.elegantdesignz.com](http://www.elegantdesignz.com)

### *Wedding Planners*

**Something Blue** | 919-231-4404  
[www.somethingborrowedsomethingblue.com](http://www.somethingborrowedsomethingblue.com)

**Special Occasions** | 919-662-8281  
[www.soeps.com](http://www.soeps.com)

**Capital Style** | 919-460-1230  
[www.capitallimo.com](http://www.capitallimo.com)



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# distinctive touches

We take great pride in providing exceptional food and drink, service and atmosphere. We offer many services to make wedding receptions special, such as great wine selections, distinctive menus, unique ice carvings, beautiful floral displays and dramatic lighting. It's your wedding reception... and our opportunity to impress you.



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## *Encore*

With all the bliss and elation of the weekend, your guests will undoubtedly hope to continue the festivities. Continue the celebration with an encore.

Reminisce over the previous evening with one of our made to order omelets, a mimosa, and friends and family. Your encore is the continuation of the celebration and can be anything you want.





## *Encore Buffet*

Delight your guests with our Encore Buffet. This brunch includes assorted juices, freshly brewed coffee, and assorted hot teas.

- Seasonal Sliced Fresh Fruits
- Homemade Granola with Yogurt
- Assorted Cereals with 2% and Skim Milk
- French Toast with Warm Maple Syrup
- Crispy Bacon and Country Link Sausage
- Breakfast Potatoes
- Chef's selection of Freshly Baked Breakfast Pastries and Bagels
- Fruit preserves, butter, margarine and cream cheese

**\$20 per person**

### **Enhancements**

**Omelets Made to Order | \$7**

With a selection of Ham, Bacon, Peppers, Onions, Mushrooms, Tomatoes, Cheddar and Swiss Cheese

**Waffle Station | \$6**

Fresh Belgian Waffles with Whipped Butter, Warm Syrup, Whipped Cream, Berry Compote, and Honey Pecan Butter

**Crepe Station | \$6**

Fresh Crepes filled with Seasonal Berries, Apple Compote, or Chocolate & Walnuts, Served with Whipped Cream

\*Please include a \$50 attendant fee for stations



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# romance and memories

The ceremony and reception are just the beginning. Let the romance continue. Imagine a gorgeous honeymoon suite with champagne, chocolate covered strawberries and breakfast in bed. Choose from our romantic honeymoon packages, available at more than 2,500 hotels and resorts worldwide for a unique destination wedding.



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## *Additional Information*

### **Pricing**

Prices are effective March 1, 2009

### **Tax and Service Charge**

22% service charge and 6.75% state tax is applied to all food, beverage, room rental, and audio visual charges.

### **Payment**

Cash, Check, and most major Credit Cards are accepted as payment. If final payment is being made by check it must be received by the hotel 14 business days prior to the scheduled program date.

### **Food and Beverage Requirements**

Final guaranteed number of guests is due 3 business days in advance. This will be considered the final guarantee and is not subject to reduction.

If no guarantee is received, the original expected number on the Banquet Event Order will be used.

Revisions in your group counts, times, dates, or meal functions may necessitate renegotiating the charges.



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## *Additional Information*

### **NC ABC Laws**

NC State Law prohibits the serving of alcoholic beverages to anyone under the age of 21. Alcoholic beverages may be denied to anyone who appears to be intoxicated.

### **Cancellation**

In the event of a cancellation, written notification must be sent to the hotel. Cancellation fees will apply as outlined in the contract agreement.

### **Unattended Items / Additional Security**

Routine security services are provided by the Hotel. However the guest or organization will be responsible for ordering and paying for any additional security required by the organization to protect merchandise or to monitor attendance of an event,

### **Use of Outside Vendors**

If an organization wishes to hire outside vendors to provide any goods or services during the Event, Hotel may, in its sole discretion, require that such vendor provide Hotel, an indemnification agreement and proof of adequate insurance.

### **Hold Harmless**

The Organization assumes the entire responsibility and liability for losses, damages and claims arising out of injury or damage to the organization



