

# vegetarian MENU

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"All our guests commented on the amazing food, venue and level of service."

Aisha & Tauseef 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2017

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"The food is amazing, all of our guests have been wowed by the food and venue."

Komal & Deji 14<sup>th</sup> May 2017





# INTRODUCING MERIDIAN GRAND CATERING

Meridian Grand is all about passion for creating the perfect event - and when it comes to event catering, we take this passion to the next level.

Our catering packages deliver a full flavour sensation - from the dazzling visual appeal, to the delicate balance of flavours in each dish, to the smile on the team delivering the event. Whether you're looking for unique canapés to create a buzz, or rich traditional dishes presented with a twist, our team take the time to understand your palate and desires, and create a bespoke menu and package that will have your guests raving about the catering.

Our aim is to always deliver fresh and aromatic vegetarian dishes that offer traditional flavours. Our vegetarian dishes create fragrant, authentic flavours and tastes that will bring so much delight to your taste palette.

All our food is cooked freshly on site in Meridian Grand's kitchen, and we only use the best quality ingredients. With a hygiene rating of 5, a diverse menu filled with lots of scrumptious dishes and an excellent team behind it all, you most certainly will have an amazing dining experience!

For a culinary experience with a wow-factor, choose Meridian Grand Catering.

Call us now on 020 3700 2727 to start planning your event.

Gluten - G Dairy - D Nuts - N Eggs - E Mustard - M Vegetarian - V
\* Surcharge applies \*\* Canape option

Key:



Great food is key to the success of any event



# CANAPÉS

# VEGETARIAN

### CHEF'S SPECIALS -

CHATTPATTE MUSHROOMS VD Tandoori mushrooms stuffed with paneer, served in a spicy tomato sauce

VEGETABLE MONEYBAGS V N G Seasonal vegetables in a filo bag PANEER KE GOLE VGD Mini paneer cheese dumplings seasoned with coriander, chilli and ginger, coated in breadcrumbs and deep fried

PUCHKA BHEL VGD Gol guppas stuffed with bhel puri mix in tamarind sauce

#### PANEER SHASLIK V D

Spiced cubes of Indian cottage cheese, onions and peppers, marinated in yogurt and cooked in a clay oven

#### ALOO PUDINA TIKKI VE

Mini mint and potato round fritters served with a pink mayonnaise dressing

> ALOO TIKKI V Potato fritters, mildly spiced

#### VADA PAV VG

Deep fried potato patties with spices in mini bread buns

#### COCKTAIL PAV BHAJI V G D

Slightly pan fried mini bread buns served with spicy vegetable mash

#### KURKURI MUSHROOM VG

Thinly sliced mushrooms spiced with ginger & onion

#### COCKTAIL SAMOSA VG

Spicy seasonal vegetables wrapped in filo pastry and deep fried

"Meridian Grand is a fabulous place and the food is exceptional."

Father of the Groom 22nd April 2017



CANAPÉS

### VEGETARIAN

#### PIZZA SAMOSA VGD

A twist on the classic cocktail samosa but with an Italian twist – a filling consisting of spicy tomato sauce and melting mozzarella

#### COCKTAIL PANEER SAMOSA VGD

Mini cottage cheese parcels wrapped in filo pastry and deep fried

#### COCKTAIL VEGETABLE SPRING ROLLS VG

Julienne vegetables stuffed in filo pastry and deep fried

#### PANEER VOL-AU-VENT DVG

Sautéed chilli paneer and potatoes served in a crumbly vol-au-vent case

#### MUSHROOM VOL-AU-VENT DVG

Sautéed chilli mushrooms and potatoes in a delightful vol-au-vent casing

# VEGETARIAN STREET CART WHICH INCLUDES:

GOL GUPPE VG

BHEL PURI VG

ALOO CHAAT VDG



"The food was delicious, there was so much food! The catering team were fantastic as well. The food arrived on time and everything ran smoothly!"

Faatimah & Daniel 6th October 2017



# STARTERS

# VEGETARIAN

### CHEF'S SPECIALS

CHILLI PANEER VDG Strips of cottage cheese, stir fried with mixed peppers in soya sauce

GOBI MANCHURIAN VG Deep fried cauliflower, served in a manchurian sauce \*\*Canapé option ALOO PAPDI CHAAT **V D G** A mixture that has it all! Crispy wafers, boiled potatoes and chickpeas served in a tangy blend of yogurt and tamarind, garnished with pomegranate \*\*Canapé option

#### TANDOORI PANEER SHASLIK V D

Marinated cubes of cottage cheese, mixed peppers & onions cooked on skewers in clay oven \*\*Canapé option

#### PANEER KOLIWADA V D N

Spicy paneer marinated with fresh herbs \*\*Canapé option

#### HARA BHARA KEBAB

Round vegetarian kebabs made from a blend of spinach, potatoes and mint \*\*Canapé option BAGECHE KE KEBAB V Exotic seasonal vegetables in spicy marinated kebabs \*\*Canapé option

**VEGETABLE CUTLETS V G** Mixed vegetable spicy patties

SAMOSA CHAAT V G D Samosas in yogurt with a spicy tamarind sauce

PUNJABI SAMOSA VG Spicy pea and potato filled pastry, deep fried MOGO CHIPS V Deep fried cassava chips

CHILLI MOGO (DRY) V Deep fried cassava chips with a chilli coating \*\*Canapé option

GARLIC MOGO V Deep fried cassava chips in a spicy garlic sauce \*\*Canapé option

# "The service, help, assistance, food, professionalism and the team were all perfect."

Harpreet & Manny 15th July 2017



# MAIN COURSE

### VEGETARIAN

### CHEF'S SPECIALS -

PANEER BHURJI V D Grated cottage cheese cooked in spicy sauce

PINDI CHOLE V Whole chickpea cooked Punjabi style in a tomato & onion masala

PATIYALA SHAHI BENGAN VDN Baby aubergine cooked Punjabi style with a garlic & tomato sauce

SAAG METHI VD A fiery blend of fresh spinach & fenugreek leaves VEGETABLE MANCHURIAN VG Deep fried vegetable dumplings served with a manchurian sauce

VEGETABLE JALFREZI V D A variety of mixed vegetables and peppers cooked in a spicy, thick sauce

SATRANGI DAL V Our chefs signature dish. Seven different types of lentils cooked in our secret blend of spices

#### PANEER MAKHANI V D

Cubes of cottage cheese cooked in spicy creamy sauce

#### MATAR PANEER VD

Cubes of cottage cheese cooked with fresh garden peas

#### SAAG PANEER VDN

Cubes of cottage cheese, cooked with spinach, flavoured with nutmeg & ginger

#### KARAHI PANEER VD

Fresh cottage cheese tossed with whole spices, onion & tomatoes

#### ALOO CHOLE V

Potato and white chickpea spicy curry

#### ALOO BENGAN V

Potato and aubergine curry





# MAIN COURSE

# VEGETARIAN

#### SARSON KA SAAG V D

Fresh green mustard leaves cooked in a traditional Punjabi style with spinach

#### SAAG ALOO V D

Spinach & potato cubes cooked in ginger and chilli

#### JEERA ALOO

Potatoes cooked with cumin seeds, flavoured with tomatoes & spices

#### ALOO GOBI CAPSICUM V

Potato, cauliflower and capsicum cooked in an onion and tomato gravy

#### METHI CHAMAN V D

Specially prepared curry made with fresh fenugreek

#### MALAI KOFTA V D N

Mixed vegetable dumplings in a creamy sauce with cashew nut

#### VEGETABLE KOFTA CURRY V D N

Mixed vegetable dumplings in a tomato sauce

#### MIXED VEGETABLE CURRY V D N

Seasonal vegetable curry, cooked with tomatoes, onions and spices

### BHINDI MASALA V

Okra cooked in coriander and cumin powder

#### BHINDI DO PYAZA V

Okra cooked in a traditional Punjabi recipe with cumin and onions.

#### BHINDI KURKURI VG

Crispy okra, deep fried, sprinkled with mango powder

#### RAJMA KI DAL

Kidney beans cooked in a spicy thick sauce

#### DAL MAKHANI V D

Black lentils, slowly cooked over low flame, spiced with ginger and garnished with fresh cream

#### TADKA DAL V

Yellow lentils tempered in onion and cumin

"Eating is a necessity but cooking is an art."

Barry Popik



# BREADS

(WE DON'T USE EGG OR EGG PRODUCT IN OUR FRESH NAAN)

### CHEF'S SPECIALS

ONION & CAPSICUM KULCHA G Bread topped with onion and capsicum (Available with buffet only)

#### PLAIN NAAN OR BUTTER NAAN DG

#### GARLIC NAAN G

Bread topped with garlic (Available with buffet only)

#### DHANIA NAAN DG

Bread, sprinkled with fresh coriander (Available with buffet only)

#### LACCHA PARATHA DG

Layered bread (Available with buffet only)

#### BHATURA G

Fluffy deep fried bread (Available with buffet only)

#### ONION KULCHA G

Wheat bread with onions and cooked in the clay oven (Available with buffet only)

#### PURI G

Deep fried Indian bread (Available with buffet only)

# "The food was lovely and the service was fantastic."

Mother of the Bride 6th October 2017



# RICE

# VEGETARIAN

### CHEF'S SPECIALS -

KESARI PILAU V D Rice cooked in saffron

**VEGETABLE BIRYANI V** Spicy vegetable rice

MIXED VEGETABLE PILAU V

Vegetable rice

MATAR JEERA PILAU V Peas and whole cumin seed Pilau made from long grain Himalayan Basmati

JEERA PILAU V

Basmati rice tempered with cumin seeds

ELAICHI PILAU V

Delicate Saffron Pilau made from long grain Himalayan Basmati

**PILAU RICE V** Rice flavoured with spices

SADHA CHAWAL V Steamed Basmati Rice





# ACCOMPANIMENTS

### CHEF'S SPECIALS -

#### BHUKHARA CHUTNEY V Sweet & sour chutney made with dried plums

#### MIXED GREEN SALAD

Assorted green salad with olive oil and balsamic vinegar – option to add fresh green chillies if required

#### KHACHUMBAR SALAD

Indian style salad with cucumber, onions, tomatoes, lemon juice and spices

#### PUNJABI SALAD

Mixed carrots, cucumber, radish, tomatoes, green chillies

#### GREEK ROCKET SALAD

Rocket leaf salad with cucumber, cherry tomatoes, feta cheese, olives with an olive oil and lemon juice dressing \* Surcharge applies **PUDINA CHUTNEY V D** Fresh mint sauce with green chillies & ginger

> IMLI CHUTNEY V Tamarind chutney

#### MANGO CHUTNEY

A sweet chutney made from mangos

#### MINI PAPADUM V

Choice of plain, cumin, or pepper fried Papadums (Available with buffet only)





# RAITA

# FRESH YOGURT

PLAIN RAITA V D Plain yogurt

CUCUMBER RAITA V D Yogurt with cucumber

**BOONDI RAITA VD** Yogurt with pearls of gram flour

**POMEGRANATE RAITA V D** Yogurt with pomegranate

**PINEAPPLE & GRAPE RAITA V D** Yogurt with pineapple and grape

DHAI BHALLE V D Spicy yogurt with dumplings, garnished with fresh coriander and green chillies

"The kitchen is a country where there are always discoveries to be made."

Laurent Grimo de La Reyniere



# DESSERTS

### CHEF'S SPECIALS -

GAJAR HALWA CRUMBLE V D N Meridian Grand's signature dessert; delicious Gajar Halwa served in a buttery pastry case garnished with flaked pistachio ANGOORI RASMALAI V D N Small cheese dumplings in thickened milk

GAJAR HALWA VDN Delicate carrot and milk halwa

#### GULAB JAMUN V D N

Round fried dumplings dipped in sugar syrup with saffron & cardamoms

#### KALA JAMUN V D N

A variation on the Gulab Jamun but darker in colour

#### KHEER VDN

Milk and rice pudding with cardamoms

#### FIRNI VDN

Ground rice and dried fruit in a thickened rice

#### DOODHPAK VDN

A Gujarati favourite, made from milk, vermicelli, saffron and nuts

FALOODA VDN Rose milk with vermicelli, dried fruits and basil seeds

**RASGULA VDN** Cheese dumplings in a sugar syrup

#### RASMALAI V D N

Round cheese dumplings soaked in sweetened, thickened milk, flavoured with cardamom

#### RASMALAI KESHRI V D N

Soft poached homemade cheese dumplings in a light milk syrup flavoured with saffron

> **MOONG DAL HALWA V D N** Pudding made with lentils

#### JALEBI V D N

A deep fried, orange coloured Indian sweet





# DESSERTS

#### SHREEKAND V D N

Sweet dish made from strained yogurt, saffron and other spices

#### ICE-CREAM VD

(Vanilla, Strawberry, Chocolate)

SORBET V (Coconut, Mango, Raspberry)

> KULFI V D (Mango, Pista, Malai)

SEASONAL FRUITS V

#### SPICY POACHED FRUIT V

CHEESECAKE VDGE (Lemon, Strawberry & Raspberry)

CHOCOLATE BROWNIE V G D E N

MACAROONS VG

VICTORIA SPONGE V G D E N

FRUIT TARTLETTES V G D E

FRUIT TRIFLE V G D E N

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