CHOCOLATE チョコレート BUDDHA

WELCOME

Welcome to Chocolate Buddha

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We offer some Sushi items in smaller portions for Lunch Wednesday to Friday.

Guests are welcomed to choose from our Sushi Train Plates - White \$6 Blue \$8 Black \$10



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SUSHI

KINGFISH JALAPENO SASHIMI (4 PCS) 26 freshly sliced kingfish w/ jalapeno, asparagus, garlic, black caviar, wombok, yuzu soy and miso flakes **OCEAN TROUT NIGIRI (4 PCS)** 26 seared ocean trout w/ wasabi le **GYU TATAKI NIGIRI (4 PCS)** 25 rare seared beef nigiri sushi topped w/ house made japanese steak sauce & wasabi leaf 31

BUDDHA'S FIRE (6 PCS) inside out roll w/ kingfish, jalapeno, asparagus, glazed & seared w/ a special spicy scallop sauce topped w/ spring onion & ito togarashi **BUDDHA'S LOVE (VE) (2 PCS / 6 PCS)**

avocado, cucumber, Japanese mayo, red capsicum, takuan & glazed. seared & topped with a creamy mushroom, jalapeno & sesame BBQ CHICKEN ROLL (2 PCS / 6 PCS)

Two & Three piece available Lunch Wednesday to Friday

grilled chicken, lettuce & avocado w/ a bbq sauce wrapped in rice & nori & covered w/ panko crumbs SOFT SHELL CRAB ROLL (6 PCS)

inside out roll covered w/ furikake & filled w/ avocado, deep-fried warm soft shell crab & cucumber served w/ tobiko mayo black sesame seeds

EGGPLANT HAKO MAKI (VE) (2 PCS / 6 PCS) 8/26 grilled eggplant, sweet soy, mayo, sriracha sauce, nori spring onions & sesame seeds

SPICY TEMPURA PUMPKIN & VEGETABLE ROLL (6PCS) (V) *(VE) 28 tempura pumpkin, avocado, cucumber, pickled radish, kanpyo sriracha & pumpkin sauce SALMON TERIYAKI MAKI (2 PCS / 6 PCS) 8/26 salmon, marinated in teriyaki sauce & mixed green

WAGYU YAKINIKU MAKI (6 PCS) wagyu on a avocado, asparagus, grilled red capsicum maki roll w/ peri peri mayo & tobiko

AVOCADO & MAYO MAKI (3 PCS / 8 PCS) 6/16 COOKED TUNA & MAYO MAKI (3 PCS / 8 PCS) 6/16

FRESH SALMON & MAYO MAKI (3 PCS / 8 PCS) 8/19 **MIXED SASHIMI (12 PCS)** 58 62/82

MIXED SUSHI & SASHIMI (12 PCS / 18 PCS) MIXED SUSHI (12 PCS OR 18 PCS) 68/88

BENTO

ALL BENTO SERVED WITH GREEN VEGETABLE, STEAMED RICE, GREEN GYOZA, MISO SOUP (GF on request served with Zucchini tataki)

TERIYAKI CHICKEN (GF ON REQUEST) chargrilled marinated chicken thigh fillet w/ our house made. spicy teriyaki sauce over mixed greens **VEGETABLE ANKAKE *(VE) (GF ON REQUEST)** deep fried eggplant & zucchini in a shiitake mushroom & ginger ankake sauce

GRILLED SALMON (GF ON REQUEST) 80g of grilled salmon w/ a BBQ miso glaze. served medium rare

CHICKEN KARAAGE drizzled with a mustard, honey & Japanese mayo **IZAKAYA / SHARE**

EDAMAME (VE) 10 steamed soy beans w/ rock salt or chilli salt SPICY LAMB GYOZA (5PCS) 18 homemade gyoza w/ garlic, chilli, cabbage w/ a ponzu dipping sauce CHICKEN KARAAGE 10/24

served w/ a mustard, honey & Japanese mayo **KOREAN FRIED CHICKEN** crispy coating of Korean seasoning w/ our sticky hot garlic & chilli sauce

RENKON CRISPS (V) crunchy lotus root crisps w/ miso sour cream

GREEN GYOZA (V) (5 PCS) Fried Gyoza w/ wasabi Mayo AGEDASHI TOFU (V) *(VE)

deep-fried silken tofu, grated daikon, spring onion & nori w/ vegetable broth

BEEF TATAKI grilled scotch fillet steak served rare w/ a jalapeno, garlic.

onion yuzu dressing with spring onion & fried shallots **ZUCCHINI TATAKI (VE)**

grilled zucchini w/ a jalapeno, garlic, onion yuzu dressing with spring onion & fried shallots

NASU DENGAKU (V) steamed eggplant diced, beni shoga, our nasu sauce & sesame seeds

STEAMED NOODLE DUMPLING (6 PCS) (evenings & weekends only) prawns & salmon, chives, water chestnuts, wrapped in brown rice noodles & served with a soy, ginger & sesame dressing

SEARED WAGYU YAKINIKU HOTPLATE sizzling wagyu pieces w/ kai lan, oyster mushrooms & garlic in a yakiniku sauce (contains sesame seeds)

SIZZLING TOFU & VEGETABLE HOTPLATE (V) *(VE) tofu. onion, cauliflower, zucchini, capsicum, oyster mu sesame topped w/ togarashi & spring onion with our sizzling vegan sauce

DONBURI I RAMEN I UDON

w/fresh salmon sashimi marinated in vuke sov w/sliced cucumber. shiso leaf, sesame, alfalfa & shredded nori (Served with miso soup)

VEGETABLE CURRY (V) japanese curry w/ carrots, pumpkin, tomato, onion, capsicum, mushrooms, mixed salad, pickled radish over rice. Served with miso soup add pork katsu +10 add tofu katsu +9 add grilled chicken +10

TERIYAKI CHICKEN DON chargrilled marinated chicken thigh w/ our spicy home made teriyaki sauce w/ oyster mushroom, kai lan veg, shredded nori. (Served with miso soup)

SPICY PORK RAMEN slow cooked rolled & sliced pork belly (3pcs) in a pork broth, marinated egg, bok choy, corn, bean shoots, beni shoga, shichimi, spring onion & nori RAMEN WAGYU

& sesame in a miso broth SHAKE RAMEN 100g grilled salmon served medium rare in a vegetable or pork dashi broth, marinated egg, bok choy, corn, bean shoots, shichimi, spring onion & nori

wagyu, egg, black fungus, corn, edamame, bok choy, nori, chilli oil

MISO UDON (V) *(VE) udon noodles in a vegetable miso broth w/ deep-fried silken tofu, carrots, shitake mushrooms, bok choy, wakame & spring onions

Dashi broth w/ grilled chicken, soft boiled egg, wombok, shiitake, carrots, spring onion, tempura prawn, enoki mushrooms over udon noodles

* (VE)

GLUTEN FREE FRIENDLY

EDAMAME (VE) steamed soy beans w/ rock salt

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KINGFISH JALAPENO SASHIMI (4 PCS) freshly sliced kingfish w/ jalapeno, asparagus, garlic, black caviar, wombok, yuzu soy and miso flakes

SASHIMI DON w/fresh salmon sashimi marinated in yuke soy w/sliced cucumber, shiso leaf, sesame, alfalfa & shredded nori

OCEAN TROUT NIGIRI (4 PCS) seared ocean trout

BUDDHA'S LOVE (VE) (2 PCS / 6 PCS) avocado, cucumber, Japanese mayo, red capsicum, takuan & glazed, seared & topped with a creamy mushroom, jalapeno & sesame

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BEEF TATAKI grilled scotch fillet steak served rare w/ a jalapeno, garlic, onion yuzu dressing with spring onion & fried shallots

ZUCCHINI TATAKI (VE) grilled zucchini w/ a jalapeno, garlic, onion yuzu dressing with spring onion & fried shallots

TERIYAKI CHICKEN DON chargrilled marinated thigh fillet w/ house made yakitori sauce, oyster mushroom, kai lan, mixed salad, shredded nori & Jananese mayo

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STICKY DATE PUDDING (VE) (GF) served w/ a nut mix of pecans, peanuts, walnuts & Ice-cream

ORANGE BLOSSOM CAKE w/ orange sauce, yuzu flakes & fresh cream

YUZU CHEESECAKE BOMB (GF) (VE) made w/ cashews, lemon, lime, yuzu w/ a passionfruit centre

CARAMEL. CHOCOLATE & MISO MOUSSE

served w/ a yuzu jam

SIDES

TOFU KATSU

EDAMAME (VE) (GF)

STEAMED RICE MISO SOUP (VEG OR FISH) SIDE GREEN SALAD (VE) **PORK KATSU**

GRILLED CHICKEN THIGH ANKAKE VEGETABLES (GF ON REQUEST) (V) *(VE)

deep fried eggplant & zucchini in a shiitake mushroom and ginger ankake sauce SEASONAL GREEN VEG (VE) (GF)

blanched w/ a garlic, ginger & sesame dressing

KIDS RENKON CRISPS (V) crunchy lotus root crisps w/ miso sour cream

GREEN VEGETARIAN GYOZA (3) fried & served with/ Japanese Mavo **CHICKEN KARAAGE** AVOCADO & MAYO MAKI ROLL (8 PCS) (GF) **CUCUMBER & MAYO MAKI (8 PCS) (GF)**

COOKED TUNA MAKI ROLL (8 PCS) (GF) TERIYAKI CHICKEN & MAYO MAKI (8PCS) 17 FRESH SALMON & MAYO MAKI ROLL (8 PCS) 19 RAMEN NOODLES 12 in our pork or vegetarian broth

KOREAN FRIED CHICKEN crispy coating of Korean seasoning w/ our sticky hot garlic & chilli sauce **CHICKEN BENTO (GF)** grilled chicken with teriyaki glaze, sesame seeds, mayo, steamed rice & salad

DESSERTS STICKY DATE PUDDING *(VE) (GF)

served w/ a nut mixture (pecans, peanuts, walnuts, macadamia & pistachio) & Ice-cream CHOCOLATE, CARAMEL & MISO MOUSSE (GF) WHITE & DARK CHOCOLATE SPRING ROLLS (6PCS) belgian chocolate spring rolls (3 white & 3 dark) served

w/ a caramel miso sauce & fresh cream ORANGE BLOSSOM CAKE *(VE) (GF) 17 w/ orange sauce, yuzu flakes & fresh cream **CHOCOLATE MUD CAKE (VE)** served w/ a nut mix of pecans, peanuts, walnuts, ice-cream & chocolate sauce

YUZU CHEESECAKE BOMB *(VE) (GF) made w/ cashews, lemon, lime, yuzu w/ a passionfruit centre served w/ a yuzu jam **DUO OF ICE-CREAM**

12 azuki bean & green tea DUO OF SORBET (VE) yuzu & peach





GLUTEN FREE FRIENDLY

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SAKE

MIO TAKARA SPARKLING SAKE HYOGO, JAPAN 5.9%

a subtly sweet sparkling sake with crisp acidity, lively aromas and gentle sweetness. Notes of Fuji apple and Nashi pear

90mL 15 | 300mL 35

MINATOYA TOSUKE JUNMAI DAIGINJO NIIGATA, JAPAN 15.5%

a rich, smooth medium dry premium sake that pairs well with our sushi dishes, great to share between 2 or by oneself!

180mL 22. Served chilled

IPPIN JUNMAI DAIGINJO IBARAKI. JAPAN 16%

made with Yamadanishiki rice, a mellow ginjo aroma and an elegant sweetness with a long dry finish.

90mL 14 | 250mL 38 | 500mL 68. Served chilled.

MIOYA SHUZO "YUHO 55" JUNMAI GINJO MUROKA NAMA GENSHU ISHIKAWA, JAPAN 17%

a delicate aroma with a palate of honeydew melon and spice with vibrant acidity, the finish is long and complex and full of umami 90mL 16 | 250mL 45 | 500mL 75. Served chilled.

KIKUSUI JUNMAI GINJO NIIGATA. JAPAN 15%

a great introduction to premium sake, rich aroma w/ hints of mandarin. medium bodied this sake is smooth & clean with a slight dry finish 90mL 13 | 250mL 37 | 500mL 65. Served warm or chilled

KATSUYAMA EN TOKUBETSU JUNMAI SENDAI, JAPAN 15%

a beautifully elegant sake with sweet aromas and a clean and refreshing flavour, this Junmai is brewed by this renowned brewery, who are celebrated for their absolute focus to refinement with each bottle 90mL 14 | 250mL 38 | 500mL 68. Served warm or chilled.

FUNAGUCHI ICHIBAN SHIBORI HONJOZO NAMA **GENSHU NIIGATA, JAPAN 19%**

unpasteurized undiluted fresh & lively on the nose & palate w/ a rich full bodied flavour w/ fruity notes & a refreshing finish 200ml Can 25. Served chilled.

HAKUTSURU SAYURI JUNMAI NIGORI HY0G0 12.5%

this cloudy sake has hints of white grape & cherry blossom, is creamy & has a smooth semi dry finish

90mL 13 | 250mL 36 | 500mL 62. Served Chilled.

SAKE FLIGHTS (3 X 50ML)

MAYDAY	26
PAN PAN Kitajima Sea Salt Yuzu Shu / Ippin Junmai Daiginjo / Hakutsuru Umeshu Genshu	24
'V2' Umenoyado Yuzu Shu / Katsuyama Tokubetsu / Hakutsuru Sayuri Nigori	22
Mio Takara Sparkling / Kikusui Junmai Ginjo / Choya Green Tea Umeshu	19

Heiwa Tsuru Ume Yuzu Shu / Mioya Shuzo Yuho 55 / Umenoyado Umeshu Oubai

COCKTAILS

PINK CLOUD 22 an irrepressible concoction of lychee & green apple liqueurs shaken with blue peaflower yuzu juice 22 a blend of natient wolf gin passion fruit liqueur umenovado umeshu & orange juice YUZU BELLINI 22 yuzu shu, peach sparkling wine stirred down with triple sec

UMESHU

YUZU SPRITZ

UMENOYADO NO UMESHU OUBAI NARA JAPAN 12%

this umeshu is mady by using 15 different varieties of Japanese ume plums. it is aromatic, rich in flavour, well balanced between sweet & savoury 90mL 14 | 250mL 38 | 500mL 70

a refreshing blend of umenoyado yuzu shu, isla vodka & kimino sparkling yuzu

HAKUTSURU UMESHU GENSHU KOBE JAPAN 19.5%

this big rich umeshu is undiluted (Genshu) and provides its higher alcohol percentage but is still well balanced and is semi sweet. a very popular umeshu in Japan 90mL 13 | 250mL 37 | 500mL 65. Served chilled or over ice.

CHOYA GREEN TEA UMESHU OSAKA, JAPAN 7.5%

premium plum ume with premium green tea leaves infused to make this light & delicious green tea umeshu 90mL 13 | 250mL 37 | 500mL 65. Served chilled or over ice.

YUZU SHU

KITAJIMA SEA SALT YUZU SHU - SHIGA, JAPAN 7%

Made with four times more vuzu than others, a pinch of salt & a lively tart citrus feel. 90mL 16 | 250mL 46 | 500mL 75. Served chilled or over ice.

HEIWA SHUZO TSURU UME YUZU SHU - WAKAYAMA, JAPAN 7.5%

this vuzu shu is made with a one-vear-old junmai sake and vuzu juice at a 1:1 ratio, the vuzu fruit is grown in wakayama and is juiced with its peel, giving all the qualities of the fruit, sweet, sour & bitter. truly gold standard yuzu shu 90mL 18 | 250mL 49 | 500mL 79. Served chilled or over ice.

UMENOYADO YUZU SHU - NARA, JAPAN 8%

a delicious subtle hint of sweetness and a distinct vuzu sourness 90mL 14 | 250 mL 38 | 500mL 70. Served chilled or over ice.

SPIRITS

ISLA VODKA - PRESTON MELBOURNE	12
PATIENT WOLF DRY GIN - SOUTH MELB, VIC	12
BRIX WHITE RUM - SURRY HILLS, NSW	12
BURN CITY SPICED RUM - MALVERN, VIC	12
STARWARD TWO FOLD WHISKY - PORT MELB, VIC	12
AKASHI WHITE OAK BLENDED WHISKY - JAPAN	15

(GF)

GRACE UNDER PRESSURE SPARKLING LIMESTONE COAST, S.A Premium cool climate fruit, it is bright, fresh apple, citrus blossom and a soft tingly finish.	15	-	-	70
'24 PIZZINI IL SOFFIO PROSECCO KING VALLEY, VIC fragrant lift of jasmine, green apple & white peach prosecco	15	-	-	70
ARRAS BRUT ELITE CUVEE ROSE	-	-	-	85

TASMANIA a spectacular Australian, made with Pinot Noir, Chardonnay & Pinot Meunier creating complete, seamless & elegant bubbles

MARGARET RIVER, W.A this vineyard is ACO certified organic is bright & fresh, textured & a bit savoury.

'20 MARS NEEDS MOSCATO **SOUTH AUSTRALIA** light, refreshing sweet but not overly sweet!

'24 DEAD MAN WALKING RIESLING CLARE VALLEY, S.A

'24 SWELL SEASON ROSE

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a classic clare valley style riesling with citrus characters textural, crisp with a dry finish (vegan) '24 HELM "HALF DRY' RIESLING

MURRUMBATEMAN - NSW This delicious wine is medium dry & perfectly sits between

sugar & acid. Ken Helm is an iconic Australian Riesling Producer. We love this Riesling.

'24 SWELL SEASON SAUVIGNON BLANC MARGARET RIVER, W.A this lovely wine has stone fruit and citrus flavours and is easy drinking. (vegan & organic)

'22 JERICHO FUME BLANC ADELAIDE HILLS, SA beautifully textural, complex & fresh with notes

of pineapple, peaches & delicate brioche **'24 PROVENANCE PINOT GRIS** DOEVEN (HENTY), VIC showing pure orchard fruits of nashi pear and golden apple.

soft and easy to drink, with a creamy palate and dry finish. '24 CURLEWIS BEL SEL CHARDONNAY **BELLARINE PENINSULA, VIC**

bright fruit flavours true to aroma + hint of citrus. A nice amount of texture + a long find finish

'23 MIGHTY SMALL WINE CO CHARDONNAY

SOUTH EASTERN AUSTRALIA bright, crisp, balanced acidity & a fresh finish **'23 DAGGER PINOT GRIGIO**

KING & ALPINE VALLEYS, VIC

pear and honeydew zing in the mouth. dry & light bodied with a fresh, lively finish (yegan) '22 SMALL WONDER PINOT NOIR TAMAR VALLEY, TAS quenching & assured without being imposing or opulent. some fruit generosity but still vivid and shapely

'21 OTTELIA SANGIOVESE COONAWARRA, SA cherries, rhubarb & a rich earthy finish '22 THE LOBETHAL TEMPRANILLO

with wispy fresh tannins (vegan)

ADELAIDE HILLS, SA medium bodied, savoury, earthy tones w/ a touch of spice '22 MIGHTY SMALL WINE CO SHIRAZ

SOUTH EASTERN AUSTRALIA dark plums & forest fruit, light tannins & easy drinking

'21 LADIES OF THE ROUND TABLE SYRAH 15 24 - 70 YARRA VALLEY, VIC a hint of spice, soft silky tannins & intense black & red berries (vegan) **'22 HEAD RED GSM** 24 BAROSSA - S.A Grenache, Shiraz, Mataro. Slightly sweet w/ blue fruits dried spices & a smooth finish '22 MIGHTY SMALL WINE CO. SHIRAZ 38 **SOUTH EASTERN AUSTRALIA** Dark plums, forest fruit, light tannins - easy drinking

BEER & CIDER

COLDSTREAM APPLE CIDER - COLDSTREAM, VIC 375mL (CAN)	11
TWO BAYS BREWING GLUTEN FREE PACIFIC ALE DROMANA VIC 375ML	12
HEAPS NORMAL ANOTHER LAGER (NON-ALCOHOLIC) MERRICKVILLE, NSW 375mL	10
ASAHI SUPER DRY DRAFT - JAPAN 500mL	17

PRICKLY MOSES OTWAY LIGHT - BARONGAROOK, VIC 330mL

BEER (TAP) 425ML

KIRIN ICHIBAN SHIBORI - JAPAN 330mL

YEBISU PREMIUM - JAPAN 350mL

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ONION DRAIT - JAPAN
SAPPORO PREMIUM - JAPAN
WHITE RABBIT DARK ALE - HEALESVILLE, VIC
JETTY ROAD PALE ALE - DROMANA VIC

NON ALCOHOLIC PUREZZA SPARKLING MINERAL WATER 750mL BOTTLE

CAPI SPARKLING MINERAL WATER 250mL dry ginger tonic water spicy ginger beer soda water blood orange grapefruit
LEMON LIME & BITTERS OJ CRANBERRY JUICE APPLE JUICE BITTERS LIME & SODA

NESPRESSO COFFEE Ristretto Intenso (strong) ${f OR}$ Ristretto Origin India (medium) OR Lungo Origin Guatemala (weak)

Short Black | Long Black | Flat White | Latte | Cappuccino | Mocha (Available until 5pm daily)

HOT CHOCOLATE | ICED LATTE | ICED MOCHA MATCHA LATTE | CHAI LATTE add Sov or Oat milk +1 (Available until 5pm daily)

COKE | COKE NO SUGAR | LEMONADE

LOOSE LEAF TEA (POT) Japanese Sencha Green Tea | Japanese Gen Mai Cha | English Breakfast | Earl Grey | Lemongrass & Ginger |

Chamomile | Peppermint

