Welcome to Chocolate Buddha Winter 2025

Our menu offers some Sushi, Izakaya & Bento for Weekday Lunch in smaller portions

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





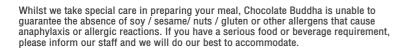


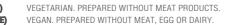
WINTER 2025

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| SUSHI Two & Three piece available Lunch Wednesday to Friday | • • • • • • | IZAKAYA / SHARE | | GLUTEN FREE FRIENDLY | • • • • • | SIDES | ••• |
| | | EDAMAME (VE) steamed soy beans w/ rock salt or chilli salt | 10 | (PLEASE READ DISCLAIMER) | | STEAMED RICE | 5 |
| KINGFISH JALAPENO SASHIMI (4 PCS) freshly sliced kingfish w/ jalapeno, asparagus, garlic, black caviar, wombok, yuzu soy and miso flakes | 26 | SPICY LAMB GYOZA (5PCS) | 18 | EDAMAME (VE) steamed soy beans w/ rock salt | 10 | MISO SOUP (VEG OR FISH) | 5 |
| | | homemade gyoza w/ garlic, chilli, cabbage w/ a ponzu dipping sauce | Steamed Soy beans W/ Took Sait | Steamed Soy Dearts W/ Lock Salt | | SIDE GREEN SALAD (VE) | 7 |
| OCEAN TROUT NIGIRI (4 PCS) seared ocean trout w/ wasabi leaf | 26 | CHICKEN KARAAGE | 10/24 | KINGFISH JALAPENO SASHIMI (4 PCS) freshly sliced kingfish w/ jalapeno, asparagus, garlic, black caviar, wombok, yuzu soy and miso flakes | 26 | PORK KATSU | 10 |
| | | served w/ a mustard, honey & Japanese mayo KOREAN FRIED CHICKEN | 14/04 | | | TOFU KATSU | 10 |
| BUDDHA'S FIRE (6 PCS) inside out roll w/ kingfish, jalapeno, asparagus & covered in our special prawn & scallop sauce, glazed & seared, topped w/ spring onion | 31 | crispy coating of Korean seasoning w/ our sticky hot garlic & chilli sauce | 14/24 | | | GRILLED CHICKEN THIGH | 10 |
| | | RENKON CRISPS (V) crunchy lotus root crisps w/ miso sour cream | 9 | OCEAN TROUT NIGIRI (4 PCS) seared ocean trout | 26 | ANKAKE VEGETABLES (GF ON REQUEST) (V) *(VE) deep fried eggplant & zucchini in a shiitake mushroom and ginger ankake sauce | 12 |
| BUDDHA'S LOVE (VE) (2 PCS / 6 PCS) avocado, cucumber, Japanese mayo, red capsicum, takuan & glazed, seared & topped with a creamy mushroom, jalapeno & sesame | 10/30 | GREEN GYOZA (V) (5 PCS) Fried Gyoza w/ wasabi Mayo | 14 | WAGYU YAKINIKU MAKI (6 PCS) wagyu on a avocado, asparagus, grilled red capsicum maki roll | 31 | SEASONAL GREEN VEG SALAD (V) (VE) w/ a garlic, ginger & sesame dressing | 10 |
| BBQ CHICKEN ROLL (2 PCS / 6 PCS) grilled chicken, lettuce & avocado w/ a bbg sauce | 8/28 | AGEDASHI TOFU (V) *(VE) deep-fried silken tofu, grated daikon, spring onion & nori w/ vegetable broth | 16 | w/ peri peri mayo & tobiko | | KIDS (Big & Small) | |
| wrapped in rice & nori & covered w/ panko crumbs | | BEEF TATAKI | 25 | | 10/30 | | |
| 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 | 30 | grilled scotch fillet steak served rare w/ a jalapeno, garlic, onion yuzu dressing with spring onion & fried shallots | | avocado, cucumber, Japanese mayo, red capsicum, takuan & glazed, seared & topped with a creamy mushroom, jalapeno & sesame | | GREEN VEGETARIAN GYOZA (3) fried & served with/ Japanese Mayo | 9 |
| | | NASU DENGAKU (V) steamed eggplant diced, beni shoga, our nasu sauce & sesame seeds | 16 | | | EDAMAME (VE) (GF) | 6 |
| EGGPLANT HAKO MAKI (VE) (2 PCS / 6 PCS) grilled eggplant, sweet soy, mayo, sriracha sauce, nori spring onions & sesame seeds | 8/26 | STEAMED NOODLE DUMPLING (6 PCS) | 25 | BUDDHA'S FIRE (6 PCS) inside out roll w/ kingfish, jalapeño, asparagus & covered in our special prawn & scallop sauce, glazed & seared, topped w/ spring onioni | 31 | RENKON CRISPS (V) crunchy lotus root crisps w/ miso sour cream | 6 |
| | | prawns & salmon, chives, water chestnuts, wrapped in brown rice noodles & served with a soy & ginger dressing | | | | CHICKEN KARAAGE | 10 |
| SALMON TERIYAKI MAKI (2 PCS / 6 PCS) salmon, marinated in teriyaki sauce & mixed greens | 8/26 | SEARED WAGYU YAKINIKU HOTPLATE | 38 | EGGPLANT HAKO MAKI (VE) (2PCS / 6 PCS) grilled eggplant, sweet soy, mayo, sriracha sauce, nori spring onions & sesame seeds | 8/ 26 | AVOCADO & MAYO MAKI ROLL (8 PCS) (GF) | 16 |
| | | sizzling wagyu pieces w/ kai lan, oyster mushrooms & garlic in a yakiniku sauce (contains sesame seeds) | | | | CUCUMBER & MAYO MAKI (8 PCS) (GF) | 16 |
| WAGYU YAKINIKU MAKI (6 PCS) wagyu on a avocado, asparagus, grilled red capsicum maki roll w/ peri peri mayo & tobiko | 31 | SIZZLING TOFU & VEGETABLE HOTPLATE (V) *(VE) tofu, onion, cauliflower, zucchini, capsicum, oyster mushrooms & sesame topped w/ togarashi & spring onion with our sizzling vegan sauce | 28 | BEEF TATAKI grilled scotch fillet steak served rare w/ a jalapeno, garlic, | 25 | COOKED TUNA MAKI ROLL (8 PCS) (GF) | 16 |
| | | | | | | TERIYAKI CHICKEN & MAYO MAKI (8PCS) | 17 |
| AVOCADO & MAYO MAKI (3 PCS) | 6 | | | onion yuzu dressing with spring onion & fried shallots | | FRESH SALMON & MAYO MAKI ROLL (8 PCS) | 19 |
| COOKED TUNA & MAYO (3 PCS) | 6 | DONBURI I RAMEN I UDON | | CHICKEN DON | 28 | RAMEN NOODLES | 12 |
| FRESH SALMON & MAYO MAKI (3 PCS) | 8 | VEGETABLE CURRY (V) | 21 | Chargrilled chicken thigh w/ our house made sauce | 20 | in our pork or vegetarian broth | |
| MIXED SASHIMI (12 PCS) | 58 | japanese curry w/ carrots, pumpkin, tomato, onion, capsicum, mushrooms, mixed salad, pickled radish over rice. Served with miso soup | | w/ oyster mushroom, Kai lan, mixed salad, shredded nori & Japanese mayo | | KOREAN FRIED CHICKEN crispy coating of Korean seasoning w/ our sticky hot garlic & chilli sauce | 14 |
| MIXED SUSHI & SASHIMI (18 PCS) | 82 | 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 | 28 | STEAMED NOODLE DUMPLING (6 PCS) prawns & salmon, chives, water chestnuts, wrapped in brown rice noodles | 25 | DECOEDTO | |
| BENTO Lunch Bento Weekdays (12-4pm) | | w/ oyster mushroom, kai lan veg, shredded nori. (Served with miso soup) | | & served with a soy & ginger dressing | | DESSERTS | |
| ALL BENTO SERVED WITH GREEN VEGETABLE, STEAMED RICE, YASAI ITAMI (stir-fried vegetables GFF + VE) & MISO SOUP | LUNCH DINNER | 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 | 27 | SEARED WAGYU YAKINIKU HOTPLATE | 38 | STICKY DATE PUDDING *(VE) (GF) served w/ a nut mixture (pecans, peanuts, walnuts, macadamia & pistachio) & Ice-cream | 17 |
| TERIYAKI CHICKEN (GF ON REQUEST) chargrilled marinated chicken thigh fillet w/ our house made, spicy teriyaki sauce over mixed greens | 19 29 | RAMEN WAGYU | sizzling wagyu pieces w/ kai lan, oyster mushrooms & garlic in a yakiniku sauce (contains sesame seeds) | | CHOCOLATE, CARAMEL & MISO MOUSSE (GF) | 15 | |
| | | wagyu, egg, black fungus, corn, edamame, wombok, nori, chilli oil & sesame in a miso broth | | | | WHITE & DARK CHOCOLATE SPRING ROLLS (6PCS) | 18 |
| VEGETABLE ANKAKE *(VE) (GF ON REQUEST) deep fried eggplant & zucchini in a shiitake mushroom & ginger ankake saucc | 18 28 | SHAKE RAMEN 100g grilled salmon, served medium rare, in a vegetable dashi broth, | 28 | STICKY DATE PUDDING (VE) (GF) served w/ a nut mix of pecans, peanuts, walnuts & Ice-cream | 17 | belgian chocolate spring rolls (3 white & 3 dark) served w/ a caramel miso sauce & fresh cream | |
| GRILLED SALMON (GF ON REQUEST) | 20 30 | bok choy, corn, bean shoots & spring onion MISO UDON (V) *(VE) | 26 | CARAMEL, CHOCOLATE & MISO MOUSSE | 15 | YUZU CHEESECAKE BOMB *(VE) (GF) made w/ cashews, lemon, lime, yuzu w/ a passionfruit centre served w/ a yuzu jam | 18 |
| 80g of grilled salmon (50g lunch) w/ a BBQ miso glaze. served medium rare | | udon noodles in a vegetable miso broth w/ deep-fried silken tofu, carrots, shitake mushrooms, bok choy, wakame & spring onions | | | | DUO OF ICE-CREAM | 12 |
| CHICKEN KARAAGE drizzled with a mustard, honey & Japanese mayo | 19 29 | NABEYAKI UDON | 29 | YUZU CHEESECAKE BOMB (GF) (VE) made w/ cashews, lemon, lime, yuzu w/ a passionfruit centre | 18 | azuki bean & green tea | |
| | | Dashi broth w/ grilled chicken, soft boiled egg, kai lan, shiitake, carrots, spring onion, tempura prawn, shimeji mushroom over udon noodles | | served w/ a yuzu jam | | DUO OF SORBET (VE) yuzu & peach | 12 |







* (VE) DISH CAN BE ALTERED UPON REQUEST TO BE VEGAN.

(GF) 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 13 | 300mL 35

SHICHIKEN YAMA NO KASUMI SPARKLING SAKE YAMANASHI, JAPAN 11%

this Sparkling is lightly cloudy has a balanced sweetness with fruity & umami notes. A great choice for those seeking a nuanced sparkling

360mL 45. Served chilled.

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 25. Served chilled.

KAGURA BLACK JUNMAI DAIGINJO KYOTO, JAPAN 15%

clean, mildly sweet, smooth umami, crisp finish with a medium body Made w/ a local rice Kyo no Kagayaki & polished ratio 50%

90mL 16 | 250mL 46 | 720mL 120. Served Chilled or Room Temperature.

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 18 | 250mL 49 | 720mL 110. 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 | 720mL 85. *Served warm or chilled warm sake not available in 720ml

SHICHIKEN JUNMAI GINJO YAMANASHI, JAPAN 15%

*warm sake not available in 720ml.

this delicious, velvety Sake, is packed with flavour due to its long & careful fermentation at low temperature. It is smooth, off dry w/ a med-finish

90mL 16 | 250mL 46 | 720mL 120. Served 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 15 | 250mL 39 | 720mL 98. *Served warm or chilled.

FUNAGUCHI ICHIBAN SHIBORI HONJOZO NAMA GENSHU NIIGATA, JAPAN 19%

unnasteurized 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 HYOGO 12.5%

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

Umenoyado Yuzu Shu / Katsuyama Tokubetsu / Hakutsuru Sayuri Nigori

90mL 13 | 250mL 36 | 720mL 60. Served Chilled.

SAKE FLIGHTS (3 X 50ML)

18 Mio Takara Sparkling / Kikusui Junmai Ginjo / Choya Green Tea Umeshu 22

COCKTAILS

PINK CLOUD an irrepressible concoction of lychee & green apple liqueurs shaken with blue peaflower yuzu juice

HARLI FLING

a blend of patient wolf gin, passion fruit liqueur, ippin mito umeshu & orange juice

TOKYO DOVE

kikusui Junmai Ginjo, casa white rum, lime syrup, capi pink grapefruit

YUZU SPRITZ

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

UMESHU

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 15 | 250mL 39 | 720mL 110.

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 | 720mL 100. 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 | 720mL 95. Served chilled or over ice.

YUZU SHU

KITAJIMA SEA SALT YUZU SHU - SHIGA, JAPAN 7%

Made with four times more yuzu than others, a pinch of salt & a lively tart citrus feel. 90mL 16 | 250mL 46 | 720mL 120. Served chilled or over ice.

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

this yuzu shu is made with a one-year-old junmai sake and yuzu juice, at a 1:1 ratio. the yuzu 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 | 720mL 125. Served chilled or over ice.

UMENOYADO YUZU SHU - NARA, JAPAN 8%

a delicious subtle hint of sweetness and a distinct yuzu sourness 90mL 15 | 250 mL 39 | 720mL 110. Served chilled or over ice.

SPIRITS

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

WINES GRACE UNDER PRESSURE SPARKLING LIMESTONE COAST, S.A

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Premium cool climate fruit, it is bright, fresh apple, citrus blossom and a soft tingly finish.

'24 PIZZINI IL SOFFIO PROSECCO KING VALLEY VIC

fragrant lift of jasmine, green apple & white peach prosecco

ARRAS BRUT ELITE CUVEE ROSE **TASMANIA** a spectacular Australian, made with Pinot Noir, Chardonnay &

Pinot Meunier creating complete, seamless & elegant bubbles **'24 SWELL SEASON ROSE**

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 HELM "HALF DRY' RIESLING MURRUNBATEMAN, NSW

this delicious wine is 'half dry' & sits perfectly 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)

'23 JERICHO FUME BLANC ADELAIDE HILLS, SA heautifully textural complex & fresh with notes of pineapple, peaches & delicate brinche

'25 LOBETHAL ROAD PINOT GRIS ADELAIDE HILLS, SA

hand picked & whole bunch pressed, nashi pear & spice,

fine acidity & good length (yegan) '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

'24 MIGHTY SMALL WINE CO CHARDONNAY **SOUTH EASTERN AUSTRALIA** bright, crisp, balanced acidity & a fresh finish

'24 DAGGER PINOT GRIGIO KING & ALPINE VALLEYS, VIC

pear and honeydew zing in the mouth. dry & light bodied with a fresh, lively finish (vegan)

'24 SMALL WONDER PINOT NOIR TAMAR VALLEY, TAS quenching & assured without being imposing or opulent.

some fruit generosity but still vivid and shapely with wispy fresh tannins (vegan) **'22 OTTELIA SANGIOVESE**

cherries rhubarh & a rich earthy finish '23 THE LOBETHAL TEMPRANILLO ADELAIDE HILLS, SA

COONAWARRA. SA

medium bodied, savoury, earthy tones w/ a touch of spice

'21 LADIES OF THE ROUND TABLE SYRAH YARRA VALLEY, VIC a hint of spice, soft silky tannins & intense black & red berries (vegan)

'22 MIGHTY SMALL WINE CO. SHIRAZ **SOUTH EASTERN AUSTRALIA** Dark plums, forest fruit, light tannins - easy drinking

BEER & CIDER

PRICKLY MOSES OTWAY LIGHT - BARONGAROOK, VIC 330mL COLDSTREAM APPLE CIDER - COLDSTREAM, VIC 375mL (CAN) TWO BAYS BREWING GLUTEN FREE PACIFIC ALE DROMANA VIC 375ML

HEAPS NORMAL ANOTHER LAGER (NON-ALCOHOLIC) MERRICKVILLE. NSW 375mL ASAHI SUPER DRY DRAFT - JAPAN 500mL

KIRIN ICHIBAN SHIBORI - JAPAN 330mL YEBISU PREMIUM - JAPAN 350mL

BEER (TAP) 425ML

ORION DRAFT - JAPAN SAPPORO PREMIUM - JAPAN WHITE RABBIT DARK ALE - GEELONG, VIC

JETTY ROAD PALE ALE - DROMANA VIC

NON ALCOHOLIC PUREZZA SPARKLING MINERAL WATER 750mL BOTTLE

NESPRESSO COFFEE

CAPI SPARKLING MINERAL WATER 250mL dry ginger I tonic water I spicy ginger beer I soda water I blood orange I grapefruit

LEMON LIME & BITTERS | OJ | CRANBERRY JUICE APPLE JUICE | BITTERS LIME & SODA COKE | COKE NO SUGAR | LEMONADE

Ristretto Intenso (strong) **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) LOOSE LEAF TEA (POT)

Japanese Sencha Green Tea | Japanese Gen Mai Cha | English Breakfast | Earl Grey | Lemongrass & Ginger | Chamomile | Peppermint





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