

Host an enormously Unforgettable Holiday Party!



Our culinary team is dedicated to making your special day memorable. Our menus are designed to feature fresh, local ingredients, as well as regionally produced meats and cheese, with a focus on offering traditional flavor profiles in a sustainable presentation.





Whether you're planning a holiday gathering for your company, organization or friends and family, Catering at the Zoo offers a five-star menu from acclaimed **Executive Chef Dan Hudson**, top-notch service from our expert staff and a wildly unique venue at Syracuse's internationally accredited Rosamond Gifford Zoo!

We provide:

A wide selection of delicious menu options, beverage offerings and flexible setup and seating plans.

Beautiful banquet space with elegant holiday décor.

Access to the indoor zoo and/or an animal greeter available nowhere else in CNY.

Best of all, your event benefits the animals of the Rosamond Gifford Zoo!

Holiday Party Package

\$55/PER PERSON

AVAILABLE DATES:

December 1 – January 31, 2023

4 hours maximum

Minimum guaranteed guest count of 50

HOLIDAY PACKAGE INCLUDES:

Holiday decor, music, banquet room rental including set-up and linens

All pricing subject to 21% service charge and 8% sales tax.

BOOK YOUR
HOLIDAY EVENT
BY OCTOBER 31
AND RECEIVE A
**COMPLIMENTARY
MEET AND MINGLE**
WITH ONE OF OUR
CHARMING
ANIMAL AMBASSADORS!



CATERING AT THE ZOO

ENHANCE YOUR EVENT!

Ask our Catering team about the "Holiday Nights Experience"

Take a festive and fun stroll amid sparkling displays of holiday lights that transform the zoo into a winter wonderland.

Warm up by a fire pit and enjoy hot chocolate, s'mores station, and festive music!



Holiday Party Menu

"A fantastic, high-quality setting for our party. The catering service was outstanding; everyone enjoyed the food and desserts. The visit from the red-tailed hawk 'zoo ambassador' and his knowledgeable handler was the highlight of the event for sure!"

– Cheryl H.

FARMER'S MARKET

An abundant display of seasonal fruits and vegetables; domestic and imported cheeses, spreads and dips; assortment of crackers and freshly baked international breads

SLICED-MEAT STATION

Oven-roasted breast of turkey with cranberry chutney; oven-roasted sirloin of beef with horseradish and au jus; served with dinner rolls, oven-roasted red potatoes, Chef's-blend steamed vegetables

PASTA STATION

Tortellini alfredo with chicken and broccoli; vegetarian lasagna; penne Bolognese

SALAD STATION

House salad-mixed greens with cucumber tomato and carrots accompanied with ranch and balsamic dressing; classic Caesar salad; kale salad-chopped kale with pecans, dried cranberries, goat cheese, champagne vinaigrette

DESSERT/DRINK STATION

Apple-cranberry cobbler, hot chocolate and coffee bar



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Add-on Beverage Package



HOST BAR

(Charges based on consumption)

\$5.50	House brand liquor
\$6.50	Premium brand liquor
\$4.75	Domestic bottled beer
\$5.50	Imported bottled beer
\$6.00	Craft beer
\$5.75	House wine
\$1.75	Soda
\$2.00	Juice

CASH BAR

(Guests purchase own beverages; includes tax)

\$6.00	House brand liquor
\$7.00	Premium brand liquor
\$4.00	Domestic bottled beer
\$6.00	Imported bottled beer
\$6.00	Craft beer
\$6.00	House wine
\$2.00	Soda
\$2.00	Juice

OPEN BAR HOUSE BRANDS

(Priced per person)

Recipe 21: vodka, gin, rum, bourbon, tequila; domestic and imported beer, craft beer, house wines, assorted sodas and juices

\$15.95	1-hour open bar
\$18.95	2-hour open bar
\$22.95	3-hour open bar
\$27.95	4-hour open bar

OPEN BAR PREMIUM BRANDS

(Priced per person)

Tito's Handmade Vodka, Jim Bean Bourbon, Johnny Walker Red, Beefeater Gin, Bacardi Rum, domestic and imported beer, craft beer, house wines, assorted Pepsi products and juices

\$18.95	1-hour open bar
\$23.95	2-hour open bar
\$29.95	3-hour open bar
\$34.95	4-hour open bar

WINE SERVICE

Please ask your event coordinator for a quote.

