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COLUMBUS



Travel Information Packet

*Cincinnati, Ohio*

10.21.09

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35 W. 5<sup>th</sup> Street Cincinnati Ohio, 45202  
513.421.9100

- Wi Fi & high speed internet access available for \$4.95 per minute in the lobby or \$9.95 per day in individual rooms. Across from the hotel is an open area called Fountain Square that offers free Wi Fi (if the weather isn't unbearable).
- Parking available for \$15 per day
- On site work out facility
- On site pool & hot tub
- No complimentary breakfast is served
- The Grille at Palm Court, on site. Serves breakfast, brunch, and lunch. See attached menu. Hours:
  - 6:30a-2:00p Monday-Saturday
  - 6:30a-1:30p Sunday
- Orchids at Palm Court, on site. 5 star restaurant serving a seasonal menu. Business casual attire. Hours:
  - 5:30p-10:00p daily
- There is also a breakfast kiosk open M-F 6:00a-9:30a in the lobby featuring coffee, espresso, juice, fruit, and pastries.
- ATM, florist, gift shop, & convenience store on site
- Room service available Sunday-Thursday 6:00a-12:00a, Friday & Saturday 6:00a-2:00a.
- Coin operated laundry facility



**DRIVING DIRECTIONS**

**From BalletMet**

Go West on Mt Vernon toward 6th St.  
Turn R on N. 4th St.  
Merge onto I-670W  
Merge onto OH-315S  
315S becomes 71S  
Take the 3<sup>rd</sup> St. exit on the left toward Downtown/Riverfront  
Stay straight to go on 3<sup>rd</sup> St.  
Turn R onto Elm St.  
Turn R onto W. 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
End at 53 W. 5<sup>th</sup> St.

**WALKING DIRECTIONS**

**To Cincinnati Ballet**

Go West on W. 5<sup>th</sup> St. toward Race St.  
Turn R onto Elm St.  
Turn L onto W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
Turn R onto Plum St.  
Turn Slight L onto Central Pkwy  
End at 1555 Central Pkwy

**To the Aronoff Center**

Go East on W. 5<sup>th</sup> St. toward Vine St.  
Turn L onto Vine St.  
Turn R onto E. 6<sup>th</sup> St.  
Turn L onto Walnut St.  
End at 650 Walnut St.

## The Grille at Palm Court Breakfast Menu

### Hilton Breakfast Specialties

#### Hilton Breakfast Buffet \$15<sup>50</sup>

Served with choice of Juice and Coffee or Tea. Includes Made-to-Order Omelettes and Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Ham, Smoked Salmon, European Style Meats, French Toast, Pancakes, Waffles, Goetta, Potatoes, Croissants, Muffins, Danish, Breads, Bagels, Cream Cheese, Seasonal Fruit and Berries, Yogurt and Cereal

#### Continental Breakfast \$11

Served with choice of Juice and Coffee or Tea. Includes Croissants, Muffins, Breads, Danish, Bagels, Cream Cheese, Seasonal Fruit and Berries, Yogurt, and Cereal

### Netherland Specialties

#### Smoked Salmon and Toasted Bagel \$12

Cream Cheese, Red Onion, Capers and Sliced Tomatoes

#### American Breakfast \$13

Two Eggs any style, Hash Browns, Toast and choice of Bacon, Sausage, Ham or Goetta and served with Juice and Coffee

#### Netherland Benedict \$12

Poached Eggs, Canadian Bacon, Hollandaise, English Muffin and Hash Browns With Smoked Salmon \$13

### Egg Specialties

#### Egg White Omelet \$13

Roasted Mushrooms, Red Peppers, Spinach and Swiss Cheese and served with Fresh Fruit and Toast

#### Three Egg Omelet \$12

Green Pepper, Onion, Tomato and Cheddar Cheese and served with Hash Browns, Toast and choice of Bacon or Sausage

#### Chorizo Omelet \$12

Onions, Peppers, Tomato, White Cheddar, Pico de Gallo, Sour Cream and served with Hash Browns, Toast and choice of Bacon or Sausage

#### Greek Omelet \$12

Feta Cheese, Spinach, Roasted Tomatoes and served with Hash Browns, Toast and choice of Bacon or Sausage

#### Create Your Own Omelet \$12

Prepared with your choice of Spinach, Ham, Mushrooms, Tomato, Onion, Peppers, Cheddar and Swiss Cheese and served with Hash Browns, Toast and choice of Bacon or Sausage

*Substitute Organic Eggs for an additional \$1*

### Breakfast Classics

#### Market Fresh Fruit Salad Bowl \$11

Sliced Market Fresh Fruits and Berries

#### Fresh Fruit Yogurt Crunch \$9

Low Fat Vanilla Yogurt, Granola and Fresh Berries

#### Vanilla Scented French Toast \$10

Stewed Berries and Powdered Sugar

#### Buttermilk Pancakes \$10

Tall Stack with Butter and Syrup. Add Blueberries for an additional \$1

#### Malted Belgian Waffles \$10

Fresh Berries and Fruit Compote

#### McCann's Steel Cut Oatmeal \$5

Brown Sugar and Golden Raisins. Add Mixed Berries for an additional \$3

### Sides

Two Eggs, any style	\$5	Grits	\$4
Hash Browns	\$3	Granola	\$4
Bacon, Sausage,		Cereal and Milk	\$4
Grilled Ham or Goetta	\$4	Toast or English Muffin	\$3
Fresh Fruit Cup	\$5	Bagel and Cream Cheese	\$4
Grapefruit Half	\$4	Yogurt	\$4

### Beverages

Coffee, Tea	\$3	Orange, Grapefruit, Cranberry,	
Espresso or Cappuccino	\$4	Apple or Tomato Juice, V8	\$3
Milk	\$3	Evian Bottled Water	\$4
Hot Chocolate	\$3	San Pellegrino Bottled Water	\$4

### Children's Menu Available to guests ages 10 years and younger

Breakfast Buffet	\$6	Scrambled Eggs	\$2
Waffle	\$4	Chocolate Chip Pancakes	\$4
Cold Cereal	\$2	Add 2 slices of bacon or sausage to any breakfast	\$1
Muffin	\$1	Children's Juice or Milk	\$1
Toast or Bagel	\$1		

## The Grille at Palm Court Lunch Menu

### Starters

Soup of the Day <i>Ask your server for details</i>	\$5
Minnesota Wild Rice Soup <i>Wild Rice, Ham, Bacon and Vegetables finished with Cream</i>	\$5
French Onion Soup <i>Caramelized Onions, Sherry and Gruyere Cheese</i>	\$6
Southwestern Chicken Tortilla Soup <i>Spicy Chicken Tortilla Soup with Cilantro and Dried Corn</i>	\$6
Arugula Salad <i>Avian Pears, Blue Cheese, Walnuts, Golden Raisins and Balsamic Vinaigrette</i>	\$7
Classic Caesar Salad <i>Romaine Hearts, Grana Parmasean, Caesar Dressing and Focaccia Croutons With Grilled Chicken as an entrée \$10</i>	\$5
B.L.T. Salad <i>Smoked Bacon, Bibb Lettuce, Tomatoes and Herb Buttermilk Dressing</i>	\$5
Mixed Green Salad <i>Baby Greens, Honey Dijon Vinaigrette and Tomatoes</i>	\$5
Fried Mozzarella Salad <i>Mixed Greens, Tomato Vinaigrette and Pesto</i>	\$8

### Pasta Bar & Luncheon Buffet

*Available Monday-Friday only 11:30am-1:50pm*

The Palm Court Pasta Bar <i>Create your own epicurean pasta delight. The pasta chef can assist with creations</i>	\$9.50
The Palm Court Buffet <i>The fabulous create-your-own pasta bar, the Chef's daily entrée selections, sides, salads and dessert buffet</i>	\$12.50

### Sandwiches and Salads

White Cheddar Belvedere Burger <i>Lettuce, Tomato, Grilled Onion and Steak Fries</i>	\$12
The Club "Panini Style" <i>Turkey, Prosciutto, Roasted Tomatoes and Aioli On Focaccia</i>	\$10
Half Panini Sandwich and Cup Of Soup <i>Ask Server for today's offerings</i>	\$9
Turkey Reuben <i>Smoked Turkey, Thousand Island and Swiss Cheese On Rye</i>	\$9
Buffalo Chicken Sandwich <i>Crispy Battered Chicken, Hot Sauce, Blue Cheese Slaw and Garlic Fries</i>	\$11
Roast Beef "French Dip" <i>Roast Beef, Brie, Horseradish Sauce and House Chips</i>	\$10
Smoked Turkey Wrap <i>Iceberg, Ranch, Bacon, Tomato, Cheddar and Avocado</i>	\$11
Tuna Salad Tartine <i>Albacore Tuna, Nicoise Olives, Radishes and Gruyere Cheese Served Open Face</i>	\$9
Grilled Chicken Caesar Salad <i>Romaine Hearts, Parmesan and Focaccia Croutons Add Marinated Shrimp \$13</i>	\$10
Grilled Chicken B.L.T. Salad <i>Smoked Bacon, Boston Lettuce, Tomatoes and Herb Buttermilk Dressing</i>	\$10
Netherland Salad <i>Chopped Iceberg, Maurice Dressing, Turkey, Ham and Hard Cooked Eggs</i>	\$12
Grilled Chicken Cobb Salad <i>Hard Cooked Eggs, Crisp Lettuce, Avocado, Tomatoes, Blue Cheese and Chopped Bacon</i>	\$11
Netherland Quiche and Salad <i>Bacon, Caramelized Onions and White Cheddar Quiche, Mixed Greens and Balsamic Vinaigrette</i>	\$12

**Orchids at Palm Court Dinner Menu (p. 1)**

F I R S T C O U R S E

Maine Lobster Salad Organic "Fried" Egg, Green Goddess and Clotted Cream	10
Roasted Hen of the Woods Mushrooms Braised Beef Cheeks and Swiss Chard	9
Spring Garlic Tortellini Arugula, Ricotta Cheese and Chives	7
Sauteéd Shrimp & Cavatelli Roasted Fennel, Curly Spinach and White Wine Nage	8
Seared Foie Gras Sweet Potato Pancakes, Pears and Vermont Maple Syrup	14
Tuna Tartare Potato Tuile, Radishes, Coriander Oil, Jalapeños, Cucumber Water and Yuzu Emulsion	11
Grilled Prosciutto Wrapped White Asparagus Parmesan Cheese, Poached Egg and Truffle Vinaigrette	9

S E C O N D C O U R S E

Shellfish Bisque Gulf Shrimp Quenelle, Chili Oil and Micro Chives	9
Split Pea Soup Crispy Pork Bellies, English Peas and Garlic Chips	7
Mâche Salad Fig and Brie "Grilled" Cheese, Port Wine Yuzu Vinaigrette and Kumquats	7
Blue Cheese Beignets Spicy Honey Gastrique, Tart Greens, Butter Pears and Almond Tuile	7
Field Greens "Greek" Salad Kalamata Olives, Artesian Feta, Pickled Red Onions, Roasted Tomatoes and Oregano Vinaigrette	8
Goat Cheese Panna Cotta Marinated Golden Beets, Watercress and Hazelnuts	8
Baby Red Romaine Caesar Grilled Crustini, White Anchovies and Garlic Parmesan Dressing	7

**Orchids at Palm Court Dinner Menu (p. 2)**

E N T R É E S

Slow Cooked New York Strip Loin Truffle Potato Puree, Crispy Haricot Vert, Soy and Béarnaise	27
Red Snapper "En Papillote" Braised Leeks, Tomato Vinaigrette, Shaved Fennel and Tart Apples	24
Spring Rabbit White Asparagus, Serrano Ham, Foie Gras and Raspberry Sauce	23
Berkshire Pork Loin Smoked Bacon, Lychees, Arugula, Lime, Cashews and Red Wine	24
Eggplant Timbale Roasted Tomatoes, Baby Fennel and Saffron Olive Oil Emulsion	21
Seared Scallops Potato Puree, Baby Carrots, Mirin Glazed Pork Bellies, Almonds and Curry Oil	27
Niman Ranch Rib Eye Steak Marrow Persillade, Enoki Mushrooms and Truffle Macaroni and Cheese	27
Red Wine Braised Beef Short Rib Spinach Gnudi, Vidalia Onions and Fava Beans	26
Smoked King Salmon Potato Crust, Brussels Sprouts, Pearl Onions and Smoked Ham Hocks	24
Roasted Lamb Tenderloins Grilled Ramps, Potato Croquettes, Oyster Mushrooms and Madeira Sauce	28
Poached Alaskan Halibut Dungeness Crab, Haricot Vert, Sunchokes and Tarragon	25
Châteaubriand For Two Potato Mousseline, Portobella Mushrooms, Asparagus and Duet of Sauces	12 Ounces 55    24 Ounces 80

T A S T I N G M E N U

Chef's Seasonal Tasting 50    With Wine Pairing 80

**Halibut Ceviche**

Lychees, Red Peppers, Pea Shoots and Avocado  
*Duval Leroy, Champagne, France, N.V.*

**Roasted Red Snapper**

Spring Garlic Tortellini, Grilled Ramps and Olive Oil Emulsion  
*Domaine Des Baumard Savennières, Loire Valley, France, 2004*

**Veal Sweet Breads**

Maitake Mushrooms, Artichokes and Marsala Sauce  
*Louis Latour Marsannay, Burgundy, France, 2006*

**Jamison Farms Lamb Tenderloin**

Potato Croquette, Crispy Enoki Mushrooms and Madeira Sauce  
*Chateau Paveil de Luze, Margaux, Bordeaux, France, 2005*

**Frozen Passion Fruit Soufflé**

Pineapple Confit and Frozen Currents  
*Cockburn's 10-year Tawny Port, Portugal, btd. 2007*

## Health Care

### Hospitals

Christ Hospital  
2123 Auburn Ave #324  
513.585.2668

University Hospital  
234 Goodman St.  
513.584.4615

### Urgent Care

Medical Urgent Care  
3158 Glenmore Ave  
10:00a-8:00p daily  
513.661.0555

### Chiropractors/ Massage Therapy

Body Center  
117 William Howard Taft Rd.  
513.221.4644

Inner Peace Holistic Center  
708 Walnut St.  
513.784.0403

Massage Envy  
3774 Paxton Ave.  
513.533.ENVY

## Safety Information

**In Case of Emergency:** Dial 9-1-1

### City of Cincinnati Police

310 Ezzard Charles Dr.  
513.352.3536

### Cincinnati Fire Department

430 Central Ave  
513.352.6220

### Cincinnati Drug & Poison Info Center

3333 Burnet Ave.  
513.636.5063 (emergencies: 800.222.1222)

## Transportation

### AAA Checker Cab

513.546.0678

### Cincinnati Airport

2939 Terminal Dr.  
513.767.3151

### Greyhound Bus Station

513.352.6012

### Thrifty Car Rental

859.689.5200

### SORTA: SW OH Regional Transit Auth

- Cincinnati's Bus System
- Bus schedules, routes, and pricing available at 513.621.4455 or [www.sorta.com](http://www.sorta.com)

## Banks & ATMs

### Huntington National Bank ATM

101 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St.

### Chase

45 E. 4<sup>th</sup> St.  
513.784.0770

### PNC Bank

19 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
513.784.1951



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## Shipping

### **FedEx Office** Shipping & Copy Center

51 E. 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
513.241.3366

### **US Post Office**

525 Vine St.  
513.275.8777

### **UPS Store**

407 Vine St.  
513.929.0900

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## Fitness

### **Care Tower Health & Fitness**

441 Vine St.  
513.651.1442

### **Siddha Yoga & Meditation Center**

1077 Celestial St.  
513.651.3551

### **YMCA**

1105 Elm St.  
513.651.2100

### **YWCA**

898 Walnut St. #1  
513.361.2111

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## Grocery Stores, Pharmacies, & Spirits

### **CVS Pharmacy**

36 E. 7<sup>th</sup> St. #2  
7:00a-7:00p Mon-Fri, 9:00a-5:00p Weekends  
513.721.5909

### **Dick's Wines & Liquors**

402 Scott St.  
Mon-Thurs 9:00a-10:00p, Fri-Sat 9:00a-11:00p,  
Sunday 10:00a-7:00p  
859.431.4988

### **Garfield Mini Mart**

723 Vine St.  
513.721.1279

### **Kroger** Large, chain grocery store

1014 Vine St. #1000  
7:00a-9:00p Mon-Sat, 8:00a-6:00p Sunday  
513.721.7285

### **Trader Joe's** Grocery w/ healthy & organic foods

7788 Montgomery Rd.  
9:00a-9:00p daily  
513.984.3452

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## Laundry Services

### **Madison Avenue Laundromat**

1605 Madison Ave.  
859.291.1527

### **Sunshine Cleaners Inc**

2402 Alexandria Pike  
859.441.7581

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## Phone Stores

### **AT&T**

45 Fairfield Ave  
859.957.0111

### **Sprint**

229 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
513.768.5600

## Local Attractions & Shopping

### **AMC Newport On The Levee** Movies

1 Levee Way  
888.262.4386

### **Barnes & Noble**

1 Levee way #2127  
859.581.2000

### **Best Buy**

5555 Glenway Ave. #500  
513.347.3457

### **Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden**

3400 Vine St.  
513.281.4700

### **Contemporary Arts Center** Art Museum & More

44 E. 6<sup>th</sup> St.  
513.345.8400

### **Danbarry Dollar Saver 12** Dollar Theater

5190 Glencrossing Way  
513.451.2300

### **Deviante Salon & Spa**

1010 Race St.  
513.651.2388

### **Fairfield Salon, Spa & Boutique**

411 Fairfield Ave.  
859.491.4800

### **Gap**

2659 Edmonson Rd.  
513.531.2427

### **Goodwill**

15 Donnermeyer Dr. #6  
859.291.1333

### **Kohl's**

395 Crossroads Blvd.  
859.781.5095

### **Lunar Mini Golf**

1136 Cincinnati Mills Dr.  
513.671.5888

**Newport On The Levee** Comparable to Easton. Shopping, bars, dining, comedy clubs, movies, gameworks, etc. Visit [www.newportonthelevee.com](http://www.newportonthelevee.com) for more information.

1 Levee Way  
859.291.0550

### **Old Navy**

2695 Edmonson Rd.  
513.351.8300

### **Polished & Pampered Nail Spa**

707 Fairfield Ave. #A  
859.581.7070

### **Posh Boutique**

315 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St.  
513.621.7674

### **Target**

5045 Glencrossing Way  
513.347.3388

### **Yankee Candle Co.**

2725 Edmonson Rd.  
513.531.8700

**Restaurants & Nightlife**

<b>Restaurant/Bar</b>	<b>Distance from Hilton</b>	<b>Distance from Aronoff</b>
<b>Below Zero Lounge</b> 1122 Walnut St. 513.421.9376	.6	.71
<b>Benihana</b> 126 E. 6 <sup>th</sup> St. 513.421.1688	.3	.29
<b>Blackfinn Restaurant Salon</b> 19 E. 7 <sup>th</sup> St. 513.721.3466	.3	.27
<b>Donato's Pizza</b> 721 Main St. 513.665.4600	.43	.36
<b>First Watch</b> 700 Walnut St. #100 513.721.4744	.3	.12
<b>Havana Martini Club</b> 441 Vine St. 513.651.2800	.1	.36
<b>It's Just Crepes</b> 39 E. Court St. 513.632.7373	.5	.45
<b>Javier's Mexican Restaurant</b> 100 E. 8 <sup>th</sup> St. 513.381.3287	.4	.35
<b>Jeff Ruby's Steakhouse</b> 700 Walnut St. #200 513.784.1200	.3	.2
<b>Kitty's Coffee</b> 119 E. Court St. 513.632.9580	.5	.65
<b>Mixx Ultra Lounge</b> 1203 Main St. 513.621.6499	.7	.69
<b>Nicholson's Tavern &amp; Pub</b> 625 Walnut St. 513.564.9111	.3	.1
<b>Starbucks</b> 580 Walnut St. #P170 513.621.0567	.28	.87
<b>Subway</b> 34 E. 7 <sup>th</sup> St. 513.421.1333	.3	.21
<b>Tan Thai Cuisine</b> 12 W. Court St. 513.381.2100	.4	.44
<b>Yum Yum Chinese Restaurant</b> 909 Race St. 513.721.7705	.4	.54

## Travel Information

### Wednesday, October 21<sup>st</sup> 2009

1:15p	Bus arrives at BalletMet Columbus
1:30p	Bus check in/ Load luggage Depart BalletMet for Hilton Hotel
3:30p	Approximate arrival time at Hilton Hotel (Bus returns to Columbus) Dancers walk to theatre
6:00p-6:30p	Stage available for warm up
6:30p	Tech begins Dancers walk back to the hotel following tech

### Thursday, October 22<sup>nd</sup> 2009

9:30a, 9:45a, 10:00a	First, second, and final van shuttles to Cincinnati Studios (respectively)
10:30a-12:00p	Class at Cincinnati Studios Vans and cars will shuttle to the Aronoff Theatre
1:30p	Tech / Spacing Act III & IV
5:30p	Stage available for warm up
6:30p	Dress rehearsal with orchestra Dancers walk back to the hotel following rehearsal

### Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> 2009

7:30a	Dressing rooms open
8:30a-9:45a	Company class onstage
10:30a	Student matinee
6:45p	Warm up onstage
7:30p	Half hour
8:00p	Curtain Immediately following performance is an open reception in Center Stage Room.

**Saturday, October 24<sup>th</sup> 2009**

10:45a	Dressing rooms open
11:45a-1:15p	Company class onstage
1:30p	Half hour
2:00p	Curtain
6:45p	Warm up onstage
7:30p	Half hour
8:00p	Curtain

**Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup> 2009**

Before call	Check out of your hotel before going to the theater. You will be able to leave your luggage in a locked room at the Hilton and I will take care of making sure it is loaded on the bus.
10:45a	Dressing rooms open
11:45a-1:15p	Company class onstage
1:30p	Half hour
2:00p	Curtain
3:00p	Bus arrives at Hilton to load Dancers' luggage After luggage is loaded, bus depart for Aronoff Theatre
4:00p	Approximate bus arrival at Aronoff Theatre
4:45p	Approximate departure from Aronoff Theatre
6:45p	Approximate arrival at BalletMet Columbus.