SUPPER CLUB HISTORY

Situated at the corner of 15th and Wazee Streets—surrounded by brick and stone reminders of Denver's colorful past—The Wazee Supper Club has long been an inevitable destination for social gatherers.

Founding fathers Angelo and Jim Karagas ventured forth from their native Detroit and in 1969 opened their first Denver enterprise, My Brother's Bar. The next acquisition in 1974 was a 1910 structure—originally a plumbing supply house—that became the current Wazee.

Since then, the Wazee Supper Club, with its classic urban atmosphere, has earned favor with artists, politicians, architects, theater-goers, entertainers, businessmen, movers, shakers, and generally people of good character from around the globe. The Wazee also quickly became known as a source of the best pizza in the civilized world.

The atmosphere at the Wazee is nothing if not unique. A classic black and white tile floor is framed by depression-era wainscoting and overhung by gas lights dating from turn-of-the-century Milwaukee. The back bar—finished in bleached mahogany burl—is an outstanding example of 30s deco style. It was removed from the American Hotel shortly before its demolition.

As with many of the fixtures in the bar, the old telegraph clock hanging at its center has a story behind it. It dates back about 75 years and was originally in an establishment called Verne's in Detroit owned by the Karagas brothers. During a lease-breaking party, many of the patrons decided to avail themselves of the opportunity and pitch various items for the sheer sake of nostalgia. The culprit in this case ended up in Wyoming (employed at the University of Wyoming). He ran into the Karagas brothers and immediately arranged the return of the clock which had been gathering dust in his basement for an eternity.

The benches in the restaurant were obtained when the downtown chapter of the Denver Elks Club decided to relocate. They still have little brass numbers on them. The three stained glass windows above the bar were bought from a guy in a pickup parked nearby.

By far the most popular toy for people making their first trip to the bar is the converted 1937 garage door opener currently used in a dumbwaiter capacity to shuttle food and drinks.

As with a few good establishments, many of the Wazee's customers think of it as a home away from home and many people stopping through Denver or on travels make a point of popping in.

Just a few blocks from the Wazee is Auraria, the site of the original town of Denver and not far off the Smoky Hill Trail, the dusty road that pioneers traveled to reach deep into the West.

Denver's original city hall stood a short distance away and reminders are everywhere of the rich past of this Historic District. In the old days, one of the more noteworthy features of this neighborhood was its Tenderloin District. Characters like Damon Runyan, H. Allen Smith, Bat Masterson, Gene Fowler and other famous writers used to prowl the bars and brothels with only a stone's throw away. More recent notables include Jack Kerouac, Jack Nicholson, Danny Glover and Raymond Burr.

We have great space for large or not-so-large parties!
**APPETIZERS**

**Italian Breadsticks**
Glazed with olive oil, garlic and parmesan cheese, baked lightly. Served with marinara sauce. .......... 4.95

**Z-Sticks**
Grilled chicken tenderloins marinated in a Thai sauce and grilled to perfection. .......... 5.50

**Crisp Mozzarella Sticks**
Mozzarella dipped in Japanese breadcrumbs and lightly fried, served with marinara sauce. ...... 6.75

**Bruschetta Plate**
Sliced grilled country Italian bread, served with hummus, tapenade and tomato relish. .......... 6.50

**Wazee Wings**
Chicken wings tossed in homemade sauce. Choice of Cajun, BBQ, Oriental or Garlic. Parmesan. Served with carrot sticks. .......... 5.95 8.95

**Santa Fe Eggrolls**
These eggrolls are filled with chicken, corn and blackbeans. Served with a creamy salsa. .......... 7.25

**Appetizer Combo**
Grilled Z-sticks, Wazee wings, Santa Fe eggrolls, crispy mozzarella sticks, onion rings and breadsticks. Served with dipping sauces. .......... 9.95

**SOUP & SALAD**

**Homemade Soup of the Day**
Cup Bowl
Different soups made fresh daily. ............. 2.50 3.50

**Homemade Chili**
A bountiful mixture of beef, vegetables and seasonings. .......... 2.50 3.50

**House Salad**
Dressings: Ranch, Blue Cheese, 1000 Island, Italian, Honey Dijon, Oriental, Balsamic Vinaigrette .......... 2.75

**Greek Salad**
Feta, Greek olives, artichoke hearts, tomato, cucumbers, red onion and pepperoncinis.
small .......... 3.95  large ......... 6.95

**Caesar Salad**
With parmesan cheese and garlic croutons.
small .......... 3.95  large .......... 6.95
Add chicken — large .......... 8.25

**Albacore Tuna Salad Plate**
White albacore tuna served with cucumbers, tomatoes, sliced egg and olive panini roll. .......... 7.95

**Grilled Chicken Salad**
Tender pieces of grilled chicken breast on a bed of fresh greens, with pineapple, orange, almonds, wonton noodles and Asian dressing. .......... 8.25

**Winter Salad**
Fresh spinach with roasted pecans, cranberries, apple, bleu cheese crumbles and a sherry vinaigrette. .......... 7.95

**AWARD-WINNING PIZZA**

We make our pizzas from scratch so please allow extra time for preparation.

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We recommend a maximum of five toppings for even cooking.
Create your own from the following items:

**Regular toppings**

- individual 1.25 each; medium 1.50 each; large 2.50 each
- ham, pepperoni, sausage, black olive, green olive, green pepper, onion, mushroom, fresh tomato, pineapple, spinach, anchovy, jalapeno, green chili, fresh garlic, double cheese

**Gourmet toppings**

- individual 2.00 each; medium 2.50 each; large 3.00 each
- roasted red pepper, feta cheese, sundried tomato, pesto, Canadian bacon, artichoke heart, chicken breast

**Vegetarian Special**

- mushroom, black olive, green pepper, onion
- 14.50 19.75

**Pacific Rim**

- ham, pineapple, green pepper, onion
- 14.50 19.75

**Meat Lovers**

- pepperoni, sausage, ham, Canadian bacon
- 14.50 19.50

**Supreme Pizza**

- pepperoni, sausage, green pepper, mushroom, onion
- 14.75 19.50

**STROMBOLIS**

Like a pizza folded over with all your favorite ingredients inside. Served with sauce on the side.

**Combo**

- pepperoni, mushroom, sausage, green pepper, and mozzarella
- 7.95

**Vegetarian**

- mushroom, green pepper, black olive, onion, tomato, and mozzarella
- 7.95

**Mediterranean**

- feta cheese, red onion, green olive, black olive, fresh garlic and olive oil
- 7.95

**Chicken Caesar**

- marinated chicken, tomatoes, spinach, mozzarella and parmesan cheese with Caesar dressing
- 7.95

**Pesto**

- basil pesto, artichoke heart, fresh tomato, sundried tomato, roasted red pepper, and mozzarella
- 7.95

**THIRST QUENCHERS**

**Soda**
(Coke, Diet Coke, Sprite, Mr. Pibb, ginger ale) .......... 1.50

**Hot or Iced Tea, Coffee, Milk, Lemonade**
 .......... 1.50

**Hot Chocolate**
 .......... 2.00

**Sparkling water**
 .......... 2.00

**Stewarts Soda**
 .......... 2.75

**Looper** (cranberry and grapefruit juice, ginger ale) .......... 2.25

**Juices** (cranberry, orange, grapefruit, pineapple, tomato) .......... 3.00

**BURGERS**

All Certified Black Angus Beef.

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**Add to it**

- Bleu cheese crumbles .......... 55
- American cheese .......... 55
- Sauteed onions .......... 55
- Swiss .......... 55
- Fresh jalapenos .......... 55
- White cheddar .......... 55
- BBQ sauce .......... 55
- Bacon .......... 75
- Jalapenos cream cheese .......... 1.00
- Sauteed mushrooms .......... 1.00

**SANDWICHES**

**Grilled Smoked Turkey & Harvart Pita**
Sliced smoked turkey with avocado relish, sliced tomato, bacon, lettuce and harvart cheese .......... 6.95

**Ham and Jack Cheese**
Lean shaved ham piled high with jack cheese, grilled on ciabatta bread. .......... 6.95

**N.Y. Style Reuben (The Original)**
Corned beef stacked high, with sauerkraut, swiss and 1000 island, grilled on dark rye. .......... 6.95

**Albacore Tuna Melt**
Albacore tuna salad with roasted red peppers, and melted swiss, grilled on sour dough. .......... 6.95

**Philly Cheesesteak**
Sliced ribeye grilled with mushrooms, onions, green peppers and swiss cheese .......... 6.95

**Phog Horn**
Grilled chicken breast with bacon, sauteed mushrooms, pesto, roasted red peppers and swiss on focaccia. .......... 8.25

**ADD ONS**

**Fries**
small .......... 1.75  large .......... 3.00

**Onion Rings**
small .......... 2.50  large .......... 3.50

**Frings (fries and rings)**
 .......... 3.50

**Chips**
 .......... 1.25

**Cole Slaw**
 .......... 1.50

**DESSERTS**

**N.Y. Cheesecake w/raspberry sauce**
 .......... 4.50

**Chocolate Sin**
 .......... 4.50

**Tiramisu**
 .......... 4.50

**Apple Tart**
 .......... 4.50

**Big Cookie**
 .......... 2.00

**Special Dessert**

MasterCard, Visa, American Express.
Reservations encouraged on parties of eight or more.
18% gratuity added on parties of six or more.

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