Overview of Hilton Omaha's Wedding Services

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to Weddings

at Hilton Omaha

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Team Hospitality

Over 100 years of legendary Hilton Hospitality forged by founder Conrad Hilton's vision to "fill the earth with the light and warmth of hospitality".

Executive Chef



Jeffrey Schaefer

"I am here for you, to make you & your guests delighted on your special night".

Wedding Specialists



Brian Thomas
"my passion for hospitality led me to this wonderful vocation of serving you"

Dir. of Food & Beverage



Zach Dimmitt"our service team is top notch, & I will guide you through your beverage options"



Gina Rodgers"working with you to make your dream day a reality"

Facilities & Accommodations

Omaha's **BEST ADDRESS**, **the Hilton Omaha**, has been orchestrating magical moments for the past two decades. Your guests will be steps from all the action in downtown Omaha.



Grand Central Ballroom

Perfect for hosting your ceremony, reception & dinner for up to 600, including a stage & dance floor. Some of Omaha's most legendary events have been hosted here.



Blackstone Ballroom

A more intimate ballroom with modern chandeliers & flexible setting create an ideal backdrop for weddings 150 to 375 guests.



Saint Nicholas Ballroom

This ballroom fits a perfect niche for 51 to 135 guests. Lower ceilings & a cozy setting for your wedding affair, as well as those looking for an entry level, price point option.

Facilities & Accommodations



Castle Room

Wonderful for a close friends & family wedding as this 8th floor room gives spectacular views. This is also a terrific option for rehearsal dinners or brunches as this room seats up to 50.



Suite

Couples relax in a unique & expansive suite with private bedroom & living area. Diamond package includes a 2 night stay in one of our several suites.



BARroom lounge + kitchen

The newest addition to the Hilton Omaha's lobby is the hub for your guests before & after the event. Featuring Chef's crafted bites menu, whiskey flights & our signature champagne on tap, BARroom is great for the "after party".



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Simplified Packages

Hilton hospitality at premium value, clear & transparent per person pricing, in our most popular packages: Gold & Diamond.

Gold

- experienced Wedding Specialist every step
- 3-Course plated meal including a delicious food display during 1 hour cocktail hour
- high end, 3 hour open bar featuring products like Absolut, Bacardi, bottled beer, & wine
- champagne toast with Executive Chef dramatically sabering bottle for all
- menu tasting up to 6 with Executive Chef
- staffed bartenders, captain, servers
- 2 night stay in Premium guest room
- discounted guest room rate for wedding group block
- personalized wedding room block Website
- parking included for drive-in or wedding block

\$49 per person base price

Diamond

Gold package plus the following

- enhanced cocktail hour with selection of 3
 passed hors d'oeuvres for 1 hour
- 3 hour open bar moves to a Top Shelf Bar products featuring Grey Goose, Tito's, Knob Creek, domestic beer, & premium wine selection by Director of Beverage
- fun late night snack in ballroom during reception to keep the good times rolling
- move from a premium room to a Suite for 2 nights (Presidential upgrade if available)

\$64 per person base price



Plated Dinner Menys

a 3 course menu including a cocktail hour food display from Executive Chef Jeffrey Schaefer & team, is comprised in the base Gold & Diamond packages. Chef's premium entrée options is a mere \$8 additional per person to base price. Diamond package enhancements are noted.

Chef's Entrées (select 2)

- Cider Brined Chicken butternut squash risotto, broccolini, chipotle butter sauce
- Chicken Marsala basil pesto mashed potato, green beans, onion-mushroom demi
- Coriander Seared Salmon stone ground grits, asparagus spears, citrus beurre blanc
- Port Braised Short Rib garlic whipped potato, glazed carrots, red wine demi-glace
- Maple Glazed Pork Chop sweet potato puree, wilted spinach, bourbon reduction

Chef will create an exclusive vegetarian option. Your guests will RSVP with their choice from the 3 options in Gold & Diamond.

Signature Salad (select 1)

Spinach & Beet, River City Caesar, or Nebraska Wedge

Delicious Dessert (select 1)

 Turtle Divine Cheesecake, Chocolate Mousse Cake, Banana Toffee Bourbon Cake or Cake Cutting (if you separately contract a wedding cake from a specialized pastry provider)

Display @ cocktail hour (choose 1)

 Antipasto, International & Domestic Cheese, or Vegetable Crudité

Premium Entrées (add \$8 to base per person)

- Omaha Steaks Filet gorgonzola mashed potato, haricot vert, au poivre sauce
- Miso Sea Bass creamy risotto, baby carrots,
 Japanese whiskey light cream sauce
- Seared Duck Breast Boursin whipped mashed potato, Brussel sprouts, blackberry gastrique

Diamond enhanced passed hors d'oeuvres @ cocktail hour (select 3)

 tomato & mozzarella balsamic skewer, jumbo shrimp shooter, smoked ahi cucumber bite, coffee rubbed pulled pork slider, crab & artichoke stuffed mushroom, duck confit crostini, seared diver scallops, or bacon wrapped shrimp diablo

Diamond enhanced Late Night Snack (select 1)

- Fiesta: salsa, guacamole, chili con queso, tortilla chips
- ◆ Fourth Quarter: spinach & artichoke dip, Buffalo chicken dip, French onion dip, house Saratoga chips
- Slider Bar: hot dog, cheeseburger, fried chicken



add to all prices prevailing sales tax, 22% service charge (of which 7.7% covers administrative expenses) all packages are limited to 5 hours of service or additional labor fees may apply

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Station Menys

Food Hall Stations our modern twist on the classic **Buffet** in gold or diamond package, is an alternative to a plated dinner. Chef & team craft a 1 hour presentation of attended, signature action stations including a cocktail hour food display, signature salad & desserts. Diamond package upgrades same as plated & are noted.

Food Hall Entrée Stations (gold select 2)

- Smoker chopped beef brisket, pulled pork or chicken, signature bbq sauces, house smoked
- Taqueria Austin carne asada, chicken tinga, fresh veg, cotija, Chef's crafted salsas
- Sicilian meatball arrabbiata, chicken marsala or shrimp piccata, burrata focacia
- Mediterranean grilled salmon & tapenade, chicken orzo, bulgur & feta
- Asian Spice Market Manchurian cauliflower or beef, orange chicken, fried & jasmine rice
- Classic Carvers herb crusted prime rib, roasted turkey breast, traditional accourrements

Signature Salad, Starch & Veg

Chef will theme these offerings based on selected stations

Sweet Street Dessert

Chef will theme a minis display or Cake Cutting (if you separately contract wedding cake from a specialized pastry provider)

Display @ cocktail hour (choose 1)

 Antipasto, International & Domestic Cheese, or Vegetable Crudité

Diamond Entrées

Your select 3 food hall stations

Diamond enhanced passed hors d'oeuvres

@ cocktail hour (select 3)

 tomato & mozzarella balsamic skewer, jumbo shrimp shooter, smoked ahi cucumber bite, coffee rubbed pulled pork slider, crab & artichoke stuffed mushroom, duck confit crostini, seared diver scallops, or bacon wrapped shrimp diablo

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Additions & Options

The packages include the most requested items and Chef's specialties. Although, we can certainly craft a more customized event with other items that are most requested. Price represents per person adds for Gold or Diamond.

Beverage & Bar

- Wine Service during entrée to Gold Bar beverage director assists in selecting glass of wine during entrée. Adds one hour to open bar. Starting @ \$7 per person
- Wine Service during entrée to Diamond Bar
 Adds one hour to open bar.
 Starting @ \$7 per person
- Add an hour to Gold Bar continue open bar,
 \$5 per person per hour
- Add an hour to Diamond Bar continue open bar,
 \$7 per person per hour

Chef Customized Menu

Chef Schaefer embraces opportunity to create unique offerings by collaborating with you for a personalized menu. This is a \$750 consultation fee or \$10 to \$35 per person addition to the base package. Your wedding specialist will assist.

Décor & Ambiance additions

- Chair Covers starting @ \$3 per person
- ◆ Specialty Linens starting @ \$12 per table
- ◆ Specialty Napkins starting @ \$1 per napkin
- Cake Cutting (if selecting dessert & providing a wedding cake from a specialty pastry provider) @ \$3 per person
- ◆ **LED Up-lights** (10 lights min, choice of color) starting @ \$50 per light
- Personalized Spotlight Gobo to display over head table or dance floor starting @ \$250
- Slideshow & Video Projections (screen, projector, sound, cords, & laptop) starting @ \$400

Optional Packages

- Social Chef's 3 course plated menu, you select 1 entrée option & 1 salad option, a 2 hour bar with Beverage Director selected products. \$39 per person
- Zero Proof our Gold plated dinner package, yet the bar is transformed into a zero proof specialty bar (no alcohol) with 2 signature mocktails. The toast is just as climatic with Chef sabering a fine bottle of sparkling cider. \$42 per person
- BARroom after party move to a reserved section with pre-selected bites & beverage starting @ \$10 per person



Sample Budget

Full transparency in cost below you'll find a sample budget for a 170-person event. Each banquet room does require a food & beverage minimum spend. Your wedding specialist will review these options with you & it varies greatly based on room size, day of the week, & time of year for your wedding. Also, please note: the cost will vary with final menu selections, guest count, and add-ons. BELOW is a SAMPLE

| Blackstone Ballroom | Ceremony, Reception, Dinner | Food & Beverage Minimum | | \$ | 7,500 |
|---|---|-------------------------|-----------|----|--------|
| Food & Beverage Adult Guests | 150 Children Guests | 20 Total Guests 1 | | | |
| item | | # | price per | Am | ount |
| Food & Beverage | | | | | |
| Gold Package | | 150 | \$ 49 | \$ | 7,350 |
| Gold Package Premium Entrees Add-On | | 35 | \$ 8 | \$ | 280 |
| Gold Package Wine Service during Entrée | | 150 | \$ 7 | \$ | 1,050 |
| Children Entrees | | 20 | \$ 18 | \$ | 360 |
| | food & beverage subtotal | | | \$ | 9,040 |
| | service charge & subtotal | 22% | \$ 1,989 | \$ | 11,029 |
| | local food & beverage tax & subtotal | 2.5% | \$ 276 | \$ | 11,305 |
| | state sales tax & subtotal | 7% | \$ 791 | \$ | 12,096 |
| | Total F&B cost estimate | | | \$ | 12,096 |
| Décor & Ambiance Add-ons | | | | | |
| Specialty Napkins | | 185 | \$ 1 | \$ | 185 |
| Personalized GoBo | | 1 | \$ 250 | \$ | 250 |
| | Décor & Ambiance Add-on subtotal | | | \$ | 435 |
| | state sales tax & subtotal | 7% | \$ 30 | \$ | 465 |
| | Total Décor & Ambiance Add-on cost estimate | | | \$ | 465 |
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| | Completed Total Cost Estimate | | | \$ | 12,561 |

CEREMONY & OTHER FEE Options

Ceremony fee WAIVED w/ Gold Package in same ballroom \$500 Labor p/hr to extend past 5 hours service time Valet parking (if available) is standard & prevailing hotel pricing

WAIVED FEES @ Hilton Omaha with packages

Ballroom Rental, Ceremony Fee (when in same room as reception/dinner)
Hilton Banquet Chairs, Hilton White or Black napkins & linens
Dance Floor and Labor Set up/Breakdown of these areas