

## **Events & Weddings**

# Parties of all Sorts, Rehearsal Dinners, Brunches, Birthdays and More.....

#### Hudson

Helsinki Hudson in The City of Hudson is located on the Hudson River, approximately two hours north of NYC by road or rail (Amtrak). Once a colorful center of the whaling industry, the town now blossoms as a vibrant cultural mecca thanks to a large influx of working artists, and has been compared to New Orleans for its ornate and stately architecture. The crown jewel of the historic city's artistic and economic rebirth, Helsinki Hudson is comprised of Club Helsinki, a nationally recognized music venue, and the adjacent, award-winning Restaurant at Helsinki. In addition to its ongoing role of serving up world-class music and fine dining, the versatile venue is available for hire as a unique site for private parties or events—complete with a specially prepared menu or a Banquet Menu of choices.

## **Spaces to Celebrate**

The Right Fit for Any Occasion, Helsinki Hudson is a beautifully renovated 1863 industrial building. We feature four distinct and accommodating spaces, each of which is available separately or in any combination. Helsinki is also fully wheelchair accessible.

#### The Club

An acoustically designed, multi-tiered live event theatre space, Club Helsinki's club has a capacity of 225. The club has a full-service bar, table and booth seating, a lavish dance floor and large stage with a full PA, monitors, and lighting system (house engineers are available for private events; ask club about recommended bands or DJs).

The club is divided from the attached Restaurant by a set of floor-to-ceiling hand hewn wooden wall panels, which can be opened to bring the two spaces together for increased capacity of nearly 500.

#### The Restaurant at Helsinki

The Restaurant at Helsinki is a popular dining destination revered for its constantly evolving menu of sumptuously innovative comfort food. The restaurant itself has a seated capacity of 85, and features table and booth seating and a full-service bar. As in the main club, groups of adjacent tables can be reserved for smaller parties.

#### The Ballroom

Directly above The Restaurant is The Ballroom. This beautiful, space has a wooden dance floor, table seating, a full bar, and a baby grand piano (a pianist or a small musical group, such as a string quartet or trio, perfectly complements many events; ask for recommendations). The ballroom's separate access makes it especially well-suited for weddings, cocktail parties, or other private gatherings.

#### The Courtyard

Directly connected to The Restaurant is the outdoor courtyard, which is open during the warmer months. The garden area has table seating, and can also be used to extend the capacity of functions being held in The Restaurant. Tenting can also be arranged for courtyard events.



## **Banquet and Bar Menus**

Prices reflect Buffet Service – Plated quotes also available for an additional fee.

Brunch Menu

Buffet Style Brunch: \$35pp

#### Custom Menu Available

Priced As quoted

Wedding Cake Made on premises and priced according to style and need.

**Dessert Choices** Also available

Included in Menu and site cost:

Off white linens Place settings

Votive Candles

\* Extra charge may be applicable for colored linen.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Helsinki can help with floral service, music, photographers, hair stylists, and make-up and sound engineers.



#### **Brunch Buffet**

Farm Fresh Egg Quesadillas with pico de gallo, guacamole and sour cream

Macaroni and Cheese Topped with Buttery Crumbs

Banana and Strawberry Buttermilk Pancakes

Low Country Shrimp and Grits with the holy trinity and house smoked andouille

Maryland Crab Cakes with our house remoulade over jasmine herb rice

Brown Sugar Baked Virginia Ham with sweet potato and vidilia hash

all served with warm local maple syrup

Sides

Mixed Organic Greens with House Vinaigrette Warm Loaf Breads and Pastry Granola-Yogurt-Cut Fruit

#### **Custom Culinary Care**

Helsinki Hudson's kitchens are overseen by Executive Chef Hugh Horner, a leader in the Brooklyn food movement of the early 2000s. Chef Hugh's prize-winning comfort food expands on the rich traditions of his American Southern roots and is dominated by locally sourced, organic, and seasonal ingredients. \* Chef Hugh is available to consult with you on planning any custom designed menus as well.

#### **Individual Attention**

In addition to Helsinki Hudson's stellar dining and service, clients holding their special events at the venue can look forward to every other detail being addressed. The building is warm and beautiful, and because of the layout of four spaces, can feel both spacious and intimate.



## **Bar Service**

House Red and White wines, Standard Spirits and assorted Beer and assorted non-alcoholic beverages included for service. \*Specially poured dinner wines and top-shelf liquors and champagne are available on an as consumed basis. \*All food and alcohol must be provided by Helsinki and not brought in by guests per state licensing requirements.

Bar can also be tallied in a price per drink consumption, or guests may pay for their own drinks at a cash bar.

#### Non-Alcoholic Beverage

Includes Fountain Soda, Ice Tea Assortment, Coffee and Tea

- Two Hours \$5.00/Person

#### Brunch Bar

Includes Brunch Cocktails and Soda and Bottled Water.

- Two Hours \$19.00/Person
- Three Hours \$24.00/Person
- Four Hours \$29.00/Person

Champagne, Mimosas, Bellini, Spiked Sweet Tea, Screwdriver, Irish Coffee, Bloody Mary

## Beer, Wine and Soda Package

Includes All Beer, House Wine and Soda and Bottled Water.

- Two Hours \$19.00/Person
- Three Hours \$24.00/Person
- Four Hours \$29.00/Person

#### Tier One Bar Package

Also Includes Well Liquors, All Beers, House Wines, Soda and Cocktails Bottled Water.

- Two Hours \$24.00/Person
- Three Hours \$30.00/Person
- Four Hours \$36.00/Person

#### Premium Bar Package

Also Includes Premium Spirits, All Beers, House Wines, Soda and Bottled Water.

- Two Hours \$27.00/Person
- Three Hours \$34.00/Person
- Four Hours \$41.00/Person

#### Also available

Cash bar - prices are charged to the guest as drinks are ordered.

Consumption Bar - drinks are tallied as ordered and charged to host at the end of the event.

Signature Cocktails – we are happy to create signature cocktails for your event.



### Site Fees

Site fees are determined depending on month of year, day of week and space usage.

#### **Guest Count and Terms**

A 20% deposit is required with returned contract. Second 20% deposit is due two weeks prior to the event.

We do not hold dates without deposits. A final head count is required 10 days prior to the event.

#### Payment:

We accept Visa and Master Card, and Personal Check.

8% State Meals Tax is applied to all fees and charges.

20% Gratuity Administrative Fee for all food and services is also applied.

\* We are also able to individually custom design menus, based on collaborations with clients and chef,

and to provide individual plate service for an extra charge.

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Everything at Helsinki is Hand-Crafted. We believe that good food travels the shortest possible distance between

farm and the table. Our menu is founded upon the very best raw materials from a community of artisans, local farmers, foragers and cheese-makers who are also our friends and our neighbors. Many of our meats and fish are

cured in our Courtyard Wood-Fired Smoker, Atticus.