

TESSA

UPPER WEST SIDE | NYC | EST. 2014

APPETIZERS

WATERMELON BURRATA	22
watermelon, mango, arugula, pistachios, orange mint vinaigrette	
GARLIC HUMMUS	19
spicy feta cheese, cucumber, tomato, red onion, pita bread (ADD CRUDITE +5)	
FRITTO MISTO	22
shrimp, calamari, market vegetables, lemon-harissa aioli	
TESSA MEATBALLS	19
blend of lamb, pork, & beef, pomodoro, ricotta whip, parmigiano, crostini	
AHI TUNA TARTARE	24
avocado, scallions, olives, tomato confit, sesame vinaigrette, pane carasau	
CHARRED OCTOPUS	25
fennel, shallot, heirloom tomato, olives, chickpeas, orange, fresno chili, red pepper coulis	
CAULIFLOWER FRITTO	18
tempura batter, basil jalapeno aioli	
LAMB MERGUEZ SLIDERS	18
cucumber, tomato, spicy feta	

CHARCUTERIE BOARD 24 | 38

choice of four or eight + apricot mostarda, mixed olives, crostini

CHEESE

kunik
la tur
goat camembert
tumbleweed cheddar

SALUMI

prosciutto
mortadella
spicy sopressata
finoccionna

ENTREES

PASTA

CACIO E PEPE	25
linguine, pecorino, black pepper, basil crunch, parmigiano foam	
GNOCCHI AL LIMONE	26
pearl onion, capers, dried cherry tomatoes, ricotta cheese	
GREEN GODDESS SHRIMP RISOTTO	35
sweet peas, asparagus, spring garlic, parmigiano	
LOBSTER PAPPARDELLE	42
lobster bisque, cherry tomato confit, snow peas	
BRAISED LAMB RAGU	34
radiator pasta, baby carrots, broccolini, pecorino	
EGGPLANT RIGATONI	24
rigatoni, eggplant marinara, fresh mozzarella, basil	
MAFALDINE AL TARTUFO	32
wild mushroom, black truffle cream, parmigiano, rosemary	

LAND & SEA

MEZZO POLLO	34
½ amish chicken, sauteed zucchini & spinach, pearl onion, salsa verde	
HERBED VEAL CHOP MILANESE	46
herb bread crumb, roasted cherry tomatoes, bagna cauda aioli, shaved parmigiano	
WHOLE BRANZINO ALLA GRIGLIA	39
butterflied, heirloom cherry tomato salad, lemon-caper vinaigrette	
ROMESCO SALMON	37
atlantic salmon, sauteed kale, cipollini onion, yellow squash, marcona almond	
HANGER STEAK	39
truffle mash, roasted tomato, spring onion chimichurri	
FILET MIGNON	55
charred broccolini, mostarda cream	
SEARED SCALLOPS	39
asparagus, potato, cherry tomato, pearl onion, orange beurre blanc	
WAGYU BURGER	25
balsamic caramelized onion, cheddar, TESSA's secret sauce, hand cut fries, sesame brioche	

AVOCADO +5

BACON +3

FRIED EGG +3

SOUPS & SALAD

NEW ENGLAND CLAM CHOWDER	14
yukon golds, crispy bacon, grissini	
MELON GAZPACHO	14
melon, tomato, basil, onion, garlic	
GARDEN SALAD	19
radicchio, watercress, navel orange, blueberries, whipped goat cheese, poppy seed vinaigrette	
MEDITERRANEAN SALAD	21
vine ripe tomatoes, cucumber, red onion, olives, feta, red wine vinaigrette	
ROASTED BEET SALAD	19
roasted baby beets, blood orange, avocado, toasted seeds, pickled beetroot vinaigrette	
TESSA SALAD	21
mixed lettuce, avocado, chickpea, cucumber, green beans, olives, sicilian oregano vinaigrette	
CAESAR SALAD	19
little gem lettuce, sour dough croutons, parmigiano	

ADD ONS

for pastas & salads

AVOCADO	5	CHICKEN	10
half of avocado, sliced		6oz chicken breast, grilled	
SHRIMP	12	STEAK	18
5pcs marinated, grilled		6oz hanger steak, grilled	
ATLANTIC SALMON	15	PROSCIUTTO	8
7oz fillet, grilled		san daniele, sliced	

SIDES

BRUSSELS AGRODULCE	12	ROASTED BABY CARROTS	12
balsamic glaze, candied walnuts, pomegranate		labne, honey glaze, herbs of provence	
HAND CUT FRIES	12	BREAD	8
rosemary or truffle parmigiano		house bread, pita, crostini	
GARLIC BROCCOLINI	12	TRUFFLE MASHED POTATOES	12
pecorino, chilli flakes, lemon		truffle oil	

DINNER

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SIGNATURE COCKTAILS 18 SEASONAL

PEACH-ROSÉ SANGRIA

rosé, juliette peach liqueur, elderflower liqueur, lemon & lime, four roses bourbon

CADILLAC PALOMA

astral tequila or 400 conejos mezcal, gran marnier, grapefruit soda, lime, salt

NUEVAYoL

ron del barillito, aperol, chinola passionfruit, amaretto, sparkling rosé, lemon, bitters

SWEET TEA OLD FASHIONED

four roses bourbon, black tea demerara, lemon & orange bitters

WATERMELON-MINT MARGARITA

astral tequila, watermelon, mint-agave, dry curacao, lime, tajin or salt

PURPLE RAIN

aviation gin, italicus, viola apertif, amarula, lemon

PEACH-MEZCAL NEGRONI

400 conejos mezcal, montenegro, lillet, juliette peach liqueur

TESSA CLASSICS

TESS'PRESSO MARTINI

milagro reposado tequila, espresso, mr. black, amarula

BLOOD ORANGE MARTINI

reyka vodka, solerno, dry curacao, blood orange puree, lime

(SPICY) LYCHEE TINI

(ghost) or astral tequila, lychee puree, cassis, lime, agave

FRENCH BLONDE

aviation gin, lillet, elderflower liqueur, grapefruit, lemon

GARDEN MARTINI

reyka vodka, cucumber, mint-agave, lime

BEER 9

DELIRIUM TREMENS

beligan pale ale, belgium
8.5%

PEACH BERRY PUNCH BY TALEA

fruited sour, brooklyn
6.0%

HAZY LITTLE THING BY SIERRA NEVADA

hazy IPA, california
6.7%

LAGUNITAS

IPA, california
6.2%

HEFEWEISSBIER BY WEIHENSTEPHANER

hefeweizen, germany,
5.4%

LIGHT & TIGHT LAGER BY SUNDAY BEER

light lager, brooklyn
3.9%

ESTRELLA GALICIA

spanish-style lager, spain,
5.5%

BUSHWICK PILSNER BY BRAVEN

pilsner, new york,
5.5%

MADURO BY CIGAR CITY

brown ale, florida,
5.5%

HUDSON NORTH CIDER

hard cider, new york,
5.0%

WINE BY THE GLASS

RED

PINOT NOIR

andré montessuy, bourgogne, fr

19 | 75

MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO

tenuta tre gemme, abruzzo, it

16 | 60

TEMPRANILLO

bodegas lan crianza, rioja, es

17 | 65

MALBEC

a lisa, patagonia, ar

19 | 75

SYRAH BLEND

bois de brignon, rhone valley, fr

16 | 60

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

jax y3, north coast, ca

19 | 75

BAROLO

terre di bo, piedmonte, it

21 | 80

CHILLED RED, ROSÉ & ORANGE

CHILLED RED (SYRAH BLEND)

bois de brignon, rhone valley, fr

16 | 60

ROSÉ

moulin de gassac, languedoc-roussillon, fr

15 | 55

ORANGE

jno es pitukol, curico valley, ch

15 | 55

WHITE

GAVI DI GAVI

villa sparina, piedmonte, it

17 | 65

SAUVIGNON BLANC

domaine de mazelles, touraine, fr

19 | 75

CHARDONNAY

diatom, santa barbara, ca

15 | 55

ALBARIÑO

val de meigas, rias bixas, es

17 | 65

ASSYRTIKO

skouras 'wild ferment', peloponnese, gr

16 | 60

SPARKLING

CHAMPAGNE

moët & chandon 'imperial brut' champagne, fr

26 | 100

SPARKLING ROSÉ

reneé briand 'brut rosé', burgundy, fr

15 | 55

PROSECCO

mionetto 'brut', veneto, it

15 | 55

CAVA

campo viejo 'brut', catalonia, es

15 | 55

LAMBRUSCO

fiorini 'becco rosso', grasparossa di castelvetro, it

15 | 55

NON-ALCOHOLIC

MINT-WATERMELON SPRITZER

watermelon, mint-agave, lime, grapefruit soda

9

PASSION FRUIT RICKEY

passionfruit, lime, grenadine, sprite

9

THE REFRESHER

cucumber, pineapple, basil agave

9

EAZY PEAZY - LEMON SQUEAZY

lemon, simple, ginger beer

9

PHONY NEGRONI BY ST AGRESTIS

spirit-free negroni, brooklyn
0.0%

12

ESTRELLA GALICIA NA

spanish-style lager, spain
0.0%

9

RUN WILD BY ATHLETIC BREWING CO.

IPA, connecticut,
0.0%

9

STIEGL-RADLER ZITRONE

summer lemon-shandy, austria
<0.5%

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