# SPECIALS

# FALL SANGRIA



apple cider, brandy, blood orange, splash of cinnamon liquor 12

Pinot Grigio,

# COMISARIO TEQUILA FLIGHT

Blanco Reposado Añejo 15

# SMOKEY BLACK PALOMA

Artesanal Mestiza Mezcal, fresh lime juice, agave nectar, grapefruit bitters with a black salt rim 10



### THE HISTORY

The restaurant site has been recognized as a califonia state Historical Landmark. The building was originally two seperate structures. The northern section was originally the home of Miguel Yorba Adobe, built in 1797. The souther half housed the Juzgado y Carcel (court and jail) and was established in 1812.

The wall formin El Adobe's cocktail lounge were part of the original Miguel Yorba Adobe. The carcel is now a place for guests to enjoy their meals. The ground beneath the foyer served as a passageway for Seeley and Wright stagecoaches, until the advent to the Santa Fe railroad in 1888.

In 1910, Georgia Mott Vander-Leck bought and unified the properties for use as their residence and store. Thirty-six years later she sold it to a visionary farmer from the Rancho Mission Viejo, Mr. Clarence Brown. He built the El Adobe restaurant, which opened auspiciously on July 8, 1948 with the wedding and reception of the First Commandant of Camp Pendleton, General Fagan. Yearly, hundreds of couples continue the tradition as they marry in the garden-nestled Wedding Chapel. During his administration, former President Richard Nixon enjoyed the Mexican dishes prepared exclusively for him by El Adobe's Chef. These dishes inspired El Adobe's change from continental to Mexican Cuisine.

In 2003, Hatch Designs was contracted for the remodeling of El Adobe. The architectural elements of El Adobe de Capistrano artfully reflect the history of both building and location. Antiques, furnishing, and décor were all chosen to compliment the genuine Mexican-Californian ambiance. Included in the renovations, El Adobe's kitchen recieved a complete overhaul; and it incorporated a new mesquite-burning grill and hood system, so that fresh steaks and seafood could be added to the menu. El Adobe is now owned and operated by ranchers Tony Moiso, Gilbert Aguirre.

# MARGARITAS

#### **ADOBE MARGARITA**

Luna Azul Reposado, triple sec and sweet & sour, strawberry, peach or mango

Regular....9 Pitcher....36

#### **CADILLAC MARGARITA**

De Leon Reposado, fresh lime juice, agave nectar, and a splash of Grand Marnier Regular.....13 Pitcher.....52

#### ··PINEAPPLE CILANTRO ·····

Desmadre Silver, muddled pineapple, cilantro, agave nectar and fresh lime juice Regular.....10 Pitcher.....40

#### **COCONUT MARGARITA**

1800 Coconut Tequila, pineapple juice, squeeze of lime Regular....10 Pitcher....40

### RED PEPPER CUCUMBER

Libre Red Pepper Tequila, agave nectar, fresh lime juice, muddled cucumber, tajin rim

Regular....11 Pitcher....44

Nosotros Resposado, muddled blackberries,

agave nectar, fresh lime juice, tajin rim Regular.....11 Pitcher.....44

### SKINNY

De leon Blanco Tequila, agave nectar, fresh lime juice

Regular....12 Pitcher....48

### ······BLOOD ORANGE ······

Don Julio Blanco Tequila, blood orange mix, fresh lime juice, tajin rim Regular.....12 Pitcher.....52



# SIGNATURE COCKTAILS

#### **ORGANICA**

Organic Partida Reposado, fresh organic lime juice and organic agave nectar | 13

### **MEZCALITA**

Union Mezcal, agave nectar with fresh lime juice, splash of soda, and a tajin rim Regular.....12 Pitcher.....48

### **JAMAICA**

Mi Campo Reposado, fresh lime juice, agave nectar and Búho Hibiscus Pomergranate Soda with a Hibiscus salt rim | 10



#### **SANGRIA**

House Cabernet, Peach Schnapps, brandy, orange juice and a splash of Grenadine | 10

#### **ADOBE PEACH**

Infuse Peach vodka, puréed peaches, raspberry swirl and mint | 11



#### CHOCOLATE DEL DIABLO

Desmadre Anejo, Infuse spicy mango vodka, chocolate milk with a shaved chocolate rim | 10

#### LA PERFECTA

Corralejo Reposado, Cointreau, agave nectar and hand squeezed lime juice | 10

### **CERVEZA**

### IMPORT & CRAFT BEER | 7

Heineken Lagunitas IPA

### **MEXICAN BOTTLE BEER** | 6

Sol
Indio
Tecate
Pacifico
Victoria
Bohemia
Tecate Light
Carta Blanca
Corona Light
Corona Extra
Corona Premier
Corona Familiar
Dos XX Lager
Dos XX Amber
Modelo Especial
Negra Modelo

### **DOMESTIC BOTTLE BEER** | 5

Coors Light Bud Light Miller Lite Michelob Ultra

..... **DRAFT** | 6 .....:

Seasonal Modelo Negro Modelo Especial Stella Artois Lagunitas

# WINE

### SPARKLING/CHAMPAGNE

	glass	bottle
Chandon Brut (split) El Adobe "Especial Cuvee" Veuve Clicquot, Yellow Label	\$8	\$26 \$60
PINOT GRIGIO		
Santa Margherita, Italy	\$13	\$46
SAUVIGNON BLANC		
Mohua, Marborough Rombauer	\$8 \$12	\$26 \$42
CHARDONNAY		
Hess Kendall-Jackson La Crema Rombauer	\$8 \$10 \$11 \$14	\$26 \$34 \$38 \$50
ROSÉ		
Cape Mentelle	\$8	\$26
PINOT NIOR		
Noble Vines Bin No. 667 Nielson by Byron	\$8 \$12	\$26 \$42
\ MERLOT		
Rombauer		\$39
CABERNET SAUVIGNON		
Avalon Joel Gott, Bin No. 815	\$8 \$10	\$26 ( \$34 (
RED BLENDS		
)  Murphy-Goode  Duckhorn Paraduxx	\$8	\$26 ( \$42 (

# **HAPPY HOUR**

Available in Cantina Only All Day (Monday & Tuesday)

3pm - 6pm (Wednesday-Friday & Sunday) **HALF OFF CANTINA FOOD** 

### **HAPPY HOUR DRINKS**

House Margarita | 6

···Pineapple Cilantro Margarita | 7·····

With Desmadre Blanco Tequila

Well Drinks| 6

House Wine 6

Domestic Bottle Beer | 3 Mexican Bottled Beer | 4

Import Draft Pints | 4

## **CANTINA MUNCHIES**

**QUESADILLA FELIX** chicken or carne asada | 14

NACHOS DE LA HORA chicken or shredded beef | 14

SHRIMP COCKTAIL
with fresca salsa estilo Mexicano | 16

WILII HESCA SAISA ESLIIO MEXICAIIO | 10

FRESH SHRIMP CEVICHE served with corn tortilla chips | 16

CHICKEN FLAUTAS
served with guacamole & sour cream | 12

3 STREET TACOS

chicken, carnitas or carne asada| 12

··· OUESO FUNDIDO-----

mexican cheese blend, roasted pasilla peppers, chorizo, mushrooms and onions | 14

# TEQUILAS

#### **DELEON**

platinum | 10 reposado | 11 añejo | 12 diamanté | 15

DeLeon Tequila is made from the finest 100% Highland Blue Weber agave sourced from the rich earth of the Los Altos redion of Jalisco. Hand-selected at harvest for the high quality and peak ripeness, our plants yield the sweetest piñas, giving the tequila its abundance character and balance. Slow roasting agave in traditional brick and clay ovens, combined with slow fermintation, under the precise guidance of our master distiller contribute enriched depth and complexity to the agave's natural sweetness, creating remarkably nuanced character. DeLeon tequila achieves this astonishing depth of flavor in just two distillations - allowing the tequila to retain the unique character acquired during the fermentation process.

**DON JULIO** silver 11 reposado 12 añejo 13 Their logic is simple. To create a sublime and subtle tequila you must perfect and cherish every aspect of each step along the way: from teh cultivation of the agave plant to the barrels the tequila is aged in. It is not a process that can be performed by machines. Each step requires the skilled and practiced hands of people trained in the art and craft of tequila. This is what sets Tequila Don Julio apart.

**DON JULIO** 1942 | 25 70th year | 15 Real | 50 Aged for a minimum of two and a half years in American white-oak barrels, Tequila Don Julio 1942 is a tequila that pays tribute to the year that Don Julio González began his tequila-making journey.

### **CLASE AZUL** reposado | 20

Clase Azule tequila is created using only 100% organic Tequilana Weber Blue Agaves. Once harvested, the agaves are cooked in old-fashioned brick ovens for 72 hours. In Santa Maria Canchesda, over 100 artisans dedicate their time to creating each bottle one at a time.

#### TRES GENERACIONES

silver | 10 reposado | 11 añejo | 12

Founded in 1873 by Don Cenobia Sauza, this tequila represents three generations of wisdom, passed down from one to the next and one of their proudest accomplishments. Master Blender hand select the 12 month aged tequila before it can be called Tres Genaraciones.

# LIQUOR LIST

### **RUM**

Bicardi, Malibu, Captain Morgan, Myers, Mount Gay, Ron Zacapa 23

### **VODKA**

Absolut, Belvedere, Chopin, Tito's Handmade, Ketel One Ketel one Citroen or Orange, Grey Goose, Stoli, Ciroc Berry, Stoli Vanil

#### **GIN**

Tanqueray, Bombay Sapphire, Beefeaters, Nolet's Silver

### **WHISKEY**

Crown Royal, Jameson, Bulleit Rye

### **BOURBON**

Gentleman Jack, Jack Daniels Single Barrel, Maker's Mark, Jim Beam, Woodford Reserve, Bulleit Bourbon

#### **SCOTCH**

Buchanan's (12, 18, Master or Red Seal), Macallan 12, Johnnie Walker (Red, Black or Blue), Chivas, The Glenlivet, Glenfiddich

#### **MEZCAL**

Union, Xicaru

### **COGÑAC**

Hennessy V.S, Remy V.S.O.P, Martell V.S, Martell V.S.O.P, Hennessy X.O.

### LIQUEURS

Grand Marnier, Galliano, Campari, B&B, Tuaca, Amarreto Disarono, Jagermeister, Gold Strike, Rumpleminze, Midori, Bailys, Kahlua, Frangelico, Tia Maria

# **DESSERTS**

### CLASSIC MEXICAN FLAN|8

"Best in California"

# FRIED VANILLA ICE CREAM|6

### **CARAMEL CHURROS**|8

coated in cinnamon and sugar with vanilla ice cream

### MUD PIE 9

an ice cream pie with a thin crust topped with chocolate syrup and whipped cream

### **BOURBON PLANTAINS**|7

served in a warm cast iron skillet, topped with bourbon caramel sauce, graham cracker crust and vanilla bean

ice cream

## SUNORA BACANORA | 7

mocha or piña colada