

Launch Press Release



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TIKI BAR AND GRILL COMING THIS SPRING!

The Bench restaurant is expanding outside.

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Just in time for summer, your newest tropical escape awaits! The Gaithersburg Marriott Washingtonian Center is thrilled to announce the opening of their newest concept, Tiki Bar and Grill.

For tiki connoisseurs, take a seat at a table on our patio and watch the show as our skilled mixologists shake up classic tiki cocktails. The bar menu will feature favorites including the Mai Tai, the Blue Hawaiian and Zombie all made with freshly pressed juices and premium spirits.

The menu, designed by Head Chef Bea Legaspi, features grilled dishes inspired by the flavors of Polynesia and feature locally sourced ingredients, infused with tropical flavors. Guests can indulge in our signature mahi-mahi fish tacos, fire-grilled chicken wings or our classic Hawaiian burger, topped with grilled pineapple and chef's signature teriyaki sauce.

Open Tuesday - Thursday from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM, the Tiki Bar and Grill features a 19ft tall mural, designed to transport guests to the South Seas the moment they step into the bar and take in the serene views, overlooking the lake. The vantage point offers the ideal backdrop for gathering with friends and family to people watch or enjoy a night under the stars. With seating for 70, Tiki Bar and Grill will also be available for private events and signature celebrations and can be combined with our ballroom, located adjacent to the bar.

We are excited to extend an invitation for you to sip and snack on May 1st which is the start of Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month, to learn more about Tiki Bar and Grill and to live the island life, if only for a few hours. If you are interested in joining us, contact Chris Smigocki 407-201-9101.

We look forward to welcoming you to our little slice of paradise!

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