### -品 APPETIZER

| Edamame*  | 6          |
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| boiled soybeans w/ sea salt  Goma - ae*   | 7          |
| spinach w/a sweet-tangy black sesame paste & spinach dressing Agedashi Tofu*                            | 8          |
| deep-fried tofu in kombu broth topped w/ bonito flakes  Green Salad*                                    | 7          |
| seasonal greens w/ ginger dressing  Mushroom Medley*  | 15         |
| shimeji, maitake, king oyster, and shiitake Karaage   | 11         |
| Japanese style fried chicken  | 11         |
| Escolar OR Maguro Pearls 4p* spicy seared escolar OR tuna w/ soy & truffle oil soaked scallions         |            |
| Tako Yaki<br>fried octopus dumplings w/ bonito flakes, tako yaki sauce & wasabi                         | 10<br>mayo |
| Dynamite Mussels sake steamed New Zealand mussels topped w/spicy mayo, masago, black tobiko & negi mayo | 17         |

## おまかせ OMAKASE

Chef's Choice\* 90 and up Experience Chef Melvin & Carlo's Omakase

\*\*\*Limited Availability, ask your sever for details.\*\*\*

| 創作 KAI ZAN FAVORITES  |
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| Scallops or Oyster Shooter (uni market price)*  |
| scallops, uni, or oyster served in ponzu sauce w/ quail egg   |
| Madai Carpaccio*  |
| thin sliced Japanese red snapper topped w/ black tobiko, basil miso & olive oil  Polenta Bites*         |
| black garlic polenta wrapped in escolar, topped w/ toro & crispy kale                                   |
| Angry Crab (2p)*  |
| spicy crab wrapped in fresh tuna, topped w/ tempura crunch  |
| Orange Rush (2p)*   |
| scallops wrapped in salmon, lightly seared with a citrus glaze  |
| Grilled Hamachi Nigiri (1p)*  |
| hamachi kissed by the grill, brushed w/ soy sauce & topped w/ minced jalapeño                           |
| Grilled Scallop Nigiri (1p)*  |
| scallop kissed by the grill and topped w/ scallion mayo & black tobiko                                  |
| Fiesta Maki (6p)*   |
| fresh tuna, salmon, jalapeño, avocado, cilantro, masago, chili oil, lime juice S.O.S Maki (6p)*         |
| crispy salmon skin, octopus, spicy aioli, cucumber, masago  |
| Flaming Tuna Maki (8p)*   |
| shrimp tempura & cucumber, topped w/ seared tuna & truffle soaked scallions                             |
| Green Monster Maki (8p)*  |
| shrimp tempura, unagi & crab wrapped in avocado, topped w/ mayo & masago                                |
| Spicy Toro Maki (6p)*   |
| spicy toro (fatty tuna), avocado, black tobiko, masago, spicy mayo, truffle soaked scallions            |
| Wagyu Fried Rice  |
| Japanese wagyu beef, shrimp, shiitake mushrooms, carrots, shallots                                      |
| Wagyu Nigiri (1p)* lightly seared Japanese wagyu beef w/ tobiko, daikon-chili paste, scallions, and soy |
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### 串もの CHARBROIL SKEWERS

chicken thigh w/ yakitori glaze

Momo

Shiitake\*

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| grilled with soy sauce and lemon juice Shishito*         | c  |
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|  | 6  |
| Japanese pepper topped w/ bonito flakes  Hotate          | 9  |
| scallop w/ caramelized onion, yuzu & scallions           | 3  |
| Short Rib  | 9  |
| pear, garlic, ginger, berry-red wine reduction           | •  |
| Char Siu   | 7  |
| braised pork belly w/ black garlic sauce                 | •  |
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| 鉄板 TEPPAN  |    |
|  |    |
| Yaki Soba*   | 15 |
| stir-fried egg noodles & seasonal vegetables.            |    |
| add \$2 for pork or beef \$3 for shrimp                  | 10 |
| Chicken Teriyaki (served w/ miso & rice)                 | 18 |
| chicken thigh glazed with teriyaki sauce                 |    |
| Collar of the Day (served w/ miso & rice)                | MP |
| grilled fish collar served w/ ponzu-scallion             |    |
| sauce & grated daikon<br>Seafood Soba                    | 27 |
| lightly spicy soba noodles (wheat flour), mussels,       | 21 |
| shrimp, masago, shiitake mushrooms, garlic, green onions |    |
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# 野菜 YASAI

MP

Vegetarian Nigiri Assortment 17 5 pieces of delicious and thoughtfully created vegetarian nigiri

|   | 9   |   |
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|   | 17  | •Please understand that due to time restrictions and availability :                     |
|   | 12  | the Omakase might not be an option.•  |
|   | 11  | •The chefs can prepare other traditional maki, nigiri, and sashimi                      |
|   | 12  | not mentioned on the menu.•   |
|   | 12  | •Please inform your server about  |
|   | 7   | any allergies or dietary<br>restrictions.•  |
|   | 7   | *Contains raw seafood. Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, |
|   | 14  | or eggs may increase your risk of food-borne illness                                    |
|   | 4.1 | *can be made vegetarian if requested  |
|   | 14  |   |
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