# Sentili ospiti, dear guests

The Ticino represents many things, such as sun, granite and hydropower. It is also known for its steep slopes, long valleys, vineyards, chestnuts and palm trees. Such a natural diversity cannot be found anywhere else in Switzerland. The fine Ticino dishes, that we serve, come to a big part from the native origin. We keep looking for new products all the time, to make a surprise to our clients, like you.

In the Bellini Locanda Ticinese the wonders of nature are part of the menu. We are always on the outlook for new delicacies, with the aim to surprise our dear guests. Most of the Ticino producers we know in person, so we guarantee personally for the origin and the quality.

A variety of alp cheese is always part of our menu. The cheeses are kept well ripened and ready for enjoyment. Try our exquisite "Robiei" from the Val Bavona or the "Piora", the king of Ticino cheese, from the Alp Piora made high above the Leventina valley.

Enjoy what we prepare together with our head chef Bassem Ayad again and again and full of conviction and enthusiasm! Or buy the specialties at the "Bellini Negozio", our Ticino store and enjoy these delicacies at home.

### Cordialmente

Family Pedrazzetti, Hoteliers Bassem Ayad, head chef & our entire team

### INTOLERANCES AND DECLARATIONS

With pleasure we inform you about allergenic ingredients in our dishes. Our gluten free bread is made from sourdough, corn sturgeon, rice flour, rice starch and water.

## Please inform us that you order gluten free.

gluten free

vegetarian

wegan vegan

Eggs and fresh meat from CH-production, deer, vanison (CH), pheasant (F), meat (CH, F, AR), tuna (PAZ), salmon (NOR), shrimps (VIET)

All prices in CHF and VAT included.







# I nostri produttori e i loro prodotti

#### FORMAGGIO TICINESE — TICINO CHEESE

**Formaggio dell'Alpe Piora** is considered the "King of Cheese" from Ticino! We procure it directly from the cheese makers cellar every autumn.

**Formaggio dell'Alpe Robiei** is produced in "Val Bavona" in a long side valley of the Alp Robiei. It is made of one part goats milk and two parts cow's milk and is known for its tanginess.

In October we get the wheels straight from the producers.

**Zincarlin della Valle di Muggio** is produced by Maria Luce Valtulini in Morbio Superiore. The cow cream cheese (Robiola), from raw milk, is enriched with cracked pepper, stored for two to three months and washed repeatedly with white wine. A real delicacy!

SALAMETTI — MORTADELLA — LUGANIGHE — LUGANIGHETTE

We obtain our meat and sausage specialties directly from Donato Mattioli from Lavorgo, a small butcher who knows his craft. With meticulous attention they process the meats of pork, cows, goats and donkeys to make particular specialties such as «Salametto di capra or asinello »! Mortadella is a Ticino specialty and is not to be confused with Bologna.

### FARINA BONA

**«Farina bona»**, the flour from roasted corn, is an old specialty from the Onsernone valley. Ilarion Garbani saved this traditional preservation system from extinction a few years ago. Its flavor reminds you of popcorn and can be used for various dishes like gnocchi or ice cream.







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# OUR PRODUCERS, THEIR PRODUCTS AND OUR ORIGIN

Ilario Garbani, Verscio — Farina Bona products Paolo Bassetti, Pianezzo — Farina di castagne, Farine di mais Ercole Pellanda, Intragna — Panettone, Colomba Metzgerei Gabriel, Wolfenschiessen — fresh meat Donato Mattioli, Lavorgo — dried meats and sausage specialties Family Lötscher, Pany — "Gitzi" (young goat)-meat (spring) Family Achermann, Rotmoos — Dexter beef Tanya Giovanoli, Reichenau — air dried beef Marialuce Valtulini, Morbio Superiore — Zincarlin Boggiesi di Quinto — Formaggio dell'Alpe Piora Alessandro Scherrer, Bignasco — Formaggio dell'Alpe Robiei Ari Lombardi — Formaggio dell'Alpe Fieudo, Manegorio, Pontino Agroval SA, Airolo — Yogurt di montagna Caseificio Ticino SA — Burrata, Ricotta, Mozzarella Rolf Beeler — Cheese and Sbrinz for risotto own hunt in Ticino and Mount Pilatus area – chamois and venison meat Paul Forni, Claro — Paste Frolle Terreni alla Maggia — rice, pasta, mustard and honey Sandro Vanini S.A. — Mostarda di frutta (Mustard with fruits) Mundo AG — fruits and vegetables

#### FRANCA PEDRAZZETTI

Photographer and sister of Alessandro Pedrazzetti has portrayed our producers in impressive strong black and white photographs. The context is the origin of our family, which comes from Bellinzonese and Lucerne. Migration and Emigration were part of the family's life for generations. « To create » and « to retain » business and friendly relationships have had an even deeper meaning for us. These actions helped build bridges between the two cultures, to build a mutual understanding and overcome the connected melancholic feeling.

# WE SUPPORT INTEGRATION TOGETHER WITH THE "LA CAPRIOLA" FOUNDATION

Bellini Locanda Ticinese is working alongside La Capriola, a local organization dedicated to help individuals with different disabilities, to become qualified professionals. We are currently training new members in our team. During your visit, you may be served by one of these trainees. We sincerely thank you for supporting them.



# La cucina alpina - ieri e oggi

#### MENU TICINESE - MONTI E LAGO

#### PRIM PIATT

## Burratina sü mousse da melanzane e tahin

Ticino Burratina on eggplant tahini mousse with pomegranate, roasted pistachios and olive oil served with homemade focaccia

#### o/or

### Furmagin da caura caramelizà cun tartüffo

Gratinated goat's fresh cheese with truffle honey on marinated Kapia peppers and green apple cream, fresh herbs and homemade focaccia

#### SECUND PIATT

# Velutina da zücca Hokkaido e olivello spinoso

Hokkaido pumpkin-sea buckthorn cream with nutmeg foam and Luganighetta ragout

#### PIATT PRINCIPAL

#### Cotrofilet da manz ai fer

Grilled entrecôte on homemade ratatouille and creamy saffron risotto

# o/or

### Filet da lucio perca

Fried pike-perch fillet on mustard-saffron cream sauce glazed apple and walnut ragout and potato pearls

#### **FORMAC**

#### **Formac Ticines**

Selection of Ticino alpine and fresh cheeses

### DULZ

# Tiramisù ai pistacchi

Pistachio tiramisu on roasted konafah and caramelized chestnuts

### o/or

# Affogato al café

Vanilla ice cream in espresso with whipped cream

## from 2 people

menu per person, excluding beverages

CHF 98.-



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# STUZZICHINI — ANTIPASTI — ZUPPE

Piat nustran Ticinés servi cun mustarda da fig variety of air-dried meat and sausage specialties from the Ticino, Bergell and Northern Italy, served with		29
Ticino fig mustard and homemade focaccia additionally with Ticino cheese selection	1/2	23 7
Furmagin da caura caramelizà cun tartüffo Gratinated goat's fresh cheese with truffle honey on marinated Kapia peppers and green apple cream, fresh herbs and homemade focaccia		26
Tartara da manz Spicy beef tartare with tomato and avocado ragout roasted almonds homemade focaccia	**************************************	32 26
Burrata sü mousse da melanzane e tahin Ticino Burratina on eggplant tahini mousse with pomegranate, roasted pistachios and olive oil served with homemade focaccia additionally with Ticino cured ham	<b>*</b> Ø	26 7
Tatara da scombro affumicato Smoked mackerel tartare with parsnip cream and pickled red beets alpine herbs and homemade focaccia		26
Insalata mista da verdüra freschg all'oli extra vergine e balsamic Mixed salad of fresh vegetables and greens		14
Insalata verda ai erbett freschg con oli d'oliva extra vergine e balsamic Green salad leaves with fresh herbs		10
Formentino cun lüganighetta e fic Lamb's lettuce with pan-fried Luganighetta and fig slices		24
<b>Velutina da zücca Hokkaido e olivello spinoso</b> Hokkaido pumpkin-sea buckthorn cream with nutmeg fo and Luganighetta ragout	) Dam	16



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# PASTA E RISOTTI

Lasagne verd «Bellini» – la specialità da la cà! spinach-lasagna with béchamel and bolognese sauce, gratinated with Grana Padano (20 min. waiting time)		30
Risott all zafran – creamy carnaroli saffron risotto, garnished with Rolf Beeler's Sbrinz (cheese) with sautéed porcino mushrooms	<b>P O</b>	31
with sautéed pieces of luganighetta pork sausage		31
Malfatti al büter cun salvia e pignö-specialità da lacà! our specialty for 50 years!  Ticino spinach-ricotta-gnocchi (made with Ticino ricotta) with brown sage butter and roasted pine nuts		31
o/or Malfatti with luganighetta porc sausage		31
Risott ai fer e strachin cun nus Creamy Carnaroli risotto with pear pieces, Blu Ticino cheese, and walnuts		33
Tagliatelle fai in cà cun gamberi e finöc Homemade tagliatelle with shrimps in fennel-saffro- lime broth, chopped herbs and olive oil		36
Raviö ripien cun fünsch cun per Homemade ravioli filled with wild mushrooms and thyme glazed pears and milk foam	<b>Ø</b>	36



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## CARNI E PESCE

Our ceramic charcoal grill, Big Green Egg, is heated exclusively with charcoal. The closed heat circulation and the even heat distribution of the ceramic shell prevent the meat from drying out, keeping it juicier than on a conventional grill plate.

Costin da cüin al rosmarin e panzetta We have been serving Costinis for 50 years! crispy grilled pork rips with rosemary, bacon & onions creamy saffron risotto (20 min. waiting time)	<b>41.</b> –
Cotrofilet da manz ai fer Grilled entrecôte on homemade ratatouille and creamy saffron risotto	48
<b>Guancie da vedel glasà cun polenta</b> Glazed veal cheeks on winter spinach lingonberry sauce and Ticino polenta	48
Polpettine dalla Nonna cun risot val Onsernone Grilled minced beef patties from Dexter beef on hummus-cumin purée, glazed chestnuts, and blueberry risotto	<b>44.</b> –
Petto d'anatra ai aranz Sautéed duck breast on cinnamon red cabbage with sweet potato puree and orange sauce	46
Filet da lucio perca Fried pike-perch fillet on mustard-saffron cream sauce glazed apple and walnut ragout and potato pearls	44

Starting mid-December, we will once again have fresh Dexter beef from the Achermann family in Entlebuch.

Ask us about our current selection.

Also, don't forget to inquire about our daily specials.

Depending on the hunting season, we may still have game on offer.

The game meat comes from our own hunting.

For further information, our restaurant manager will be happy to assist you.



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# DOLCI TICINESI

Affogato al café you always have to get it!		8	
vanilla ice cream in espresso with whipped cream			
<b>Tiramisù ai pistacchi</b> Pistachio tiramisu on roasted konafah and caramelized chestnuts		14	
Tartetatin di fic cun gelat alla canella		14	
Tarte Tatin with red figs			
served with a scoop of cinnamon ice cream			
Mousse da mascarpa e canella sü ragù da prügna		14	
Mascarpone cinnamon mousse	₩		
on caramelized plum ragout			
GELATO			
Gelat e sorbet Ice cream / Sorbet per scoop Vanilla, caramel, strawberry, mocha, pistachios, chocolate, stracciatella, hazelnut, fior di latte yogurt, plum, lemon		4	
whipped cream		+ 1.50	
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<b>Gelat e sorbett fai in cà</b> Ice cream / Sorbet per scoop Homemade - Farina Bona, balsamic, basil		6	
whipped cream		+ 1.50	
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FORMAGGIO			
We always have a special selection of Ticino alpine and mountain cheeses, as well as a selection from Rolf Beeler!			
Formac dall' Alp Piora DOP (Val Piora – Leventina)		2024	
Formac dall' Alp Robiei (Val Bavona – Valle Maggia)		2024	
Formac dall' Alp Fieudo (Leventina – San Gottardo)		2024	
Formac dall' Alp Prato (Leventina – Rodi Fiesso)		2024	
Zincarlin da la Val da Mücc (Valle di Muggio)		2 months	
raw milk cheese with cracked pepper			
Ticino cheese plate		18	
Rolf Beeler's cheese selection		18	
Sarved with homemade focascia and Ticino fig mustard			



Served with homemade focaccia and Ticino fig mustard

Le pizze

# BELLINI ALLA FARINA BONÀ

The dough is enriched with one part Farina Bonà flour - roasted corn flour. This gives it a slight nutty flavor.

Mozzarella di bufala e basilico Tomato concassée, Buffalo mozzarella, basil and fresh tomatoes	24
<b>Giardinera</b> Tomato concassée, mozzarella, antipasto vegetables, oregano	24
<b>Calzone</b> Tomato concassée, Mozzarella, spinach, ham, egg	26
<b>Bianca</b> Mozzarella, rocket, gorgonzola and spinach	29
<b>Mozzarella di bufala e lüganighetta</b> Tomato concassée, buffalo mozzarella, luganighetta (pork sausage) and Valle Maggia pepper	32
<b>Boscirö</b> Tomato concassée, burrata, cured ham figs and Valle Maggia pepper	32
<b>Alpi Ticines</b> Tomato concassée, various Ticino Alpine cheeses, basil and Valle Maggia pepper	29
<b>Montanara</b> Tomato concassée, mozzarella, Ziger (fresh cheese), coppa and thyme	29
<b>Salmone</b> Tomato concassé, salmon, mozzarella, capers, olives and Valle Maggia pepper	32

When sharing a pizza on two plates we charge an additional CHF 9.-.

