

# BENCHMARK PIZZERIA

122°17'14.1 WEST, 37°53'58.3 NORTH KENSINGTON CALIFORNIA

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## STARTERS

HOUSEMADE SOURDOUGH BREAD 4  
Salted Butter

MARINATED OLIVES 6  
Castelvetrano, Taggiasche

ROASTED PURPLE CARROTS 9  
Sumac, Yogurt, Parsley

CURLY ENDIVE & CITRUS SALAD 12  
Oranges, Watermelon Radish, Fennel  
Meyer Lemon Buttermilk Vinaigrette

CHOPPED SALAD 14  
Arugula, Escarole, Pickled Beets, Egg  
Ceci Beans, Walnuts, Grana

BENCHMARK CAESAR 10/14  
Organic Romaine, Grana, Black Pepper

### ADD TO ANY PIZZA:

Salami, Sausage, Pancetta 4.5

Castelvetrano Olives, Pickled Anchovy 3

## PIZZA

THE BENCHMARK 14  
Tomato Sauce, Fresh Mozzarella  
Sicilian Oregano, Extra Virgin Olive Oil

FRIED SAGE 16  
Fresh Mozzarella, Brown Butter  
Lemon, Garlic

SPRING ONION & POTATO 17  
Fontina, Rosemary, Grana  
Oil Cured Black Olives

PANCETTA & MARASH 18  
Tomato Sauce, Fresh Mozzarella, Red Onion  
Oregano, Garlic, Pecorino

SALAMI & CALABRIAN CHILI 18  
Tomato Sauce, Garlic, Fresh Mozzarella  
Pickled Onions

SAUSAGE & SPINACH 19  
Tomato Sauce, Fresh Mozzarella  
Red Onions

## HOUSEMADE PASTA & SECONDI

SPAGHETTI WITH FAVA LEAF PESTO 17  
Walnuts, Green Garlic, Housemade Ricotta, Preserved Lemon, Pecorino

STROZZAPRETI BOLOGNESE 18  
"Priest Stranglers" Pasta, Traditional Bologna-Style Meat Sauce, Grana

BENCHMARK MEATBALLS 18  
Tomato Sauce, Soft Polenta, Braised Greens

LINGUINE WITH CLAMS 19  
Cayenne, Parsley, Preserved Lemon, Green Garlic

Our produce & meat comes from local organic farms and purveyors

Dishes come to the table as they are ready. No more than 3 credit cards per table accepted  
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\*Twenty percent gratuity may be added for parties of six or more\*

## WINE

By glass, bottle, and half liter  
(half liter = 3.3 glasses)

### HOUSE COCKTAIL

**THE SPRITZ 12**  
Sparkling Wine, Italian Vermouth, Lemon

### WHITE

**PROSECCO G 9/ B 36 (sparkling)**  
NV, Private Cuveé Brut  
Zardetto, Veneto, Italy

**SOAVE G 10/ B 40**  
2016, La Cappucina, Verona, Italy

**GRUNER VETLINER G 11 / B 44**  
2017, Pratsch, Austria

**RIESLING G 13 / B 52**  
2017, Tessier, Zabala Vineyard, Arroyo Seco

**BENCHMARK HOUSE WHITE G 12 / B 48**  
2015, Falanghina Pomeiano, Sorrento, Italy

### ROSE

**NEGROAMARO ROSATO G 9 / B 36**  
2017, Cantele, Salento, Italy

**SPUMANTE ROSÉ OF PINOT NOIR G 10/ B 40**  
NV, Rose Mari, Drusian, Veneto, Italy (*sparkling*)

### RED

**LAMBRUSCO G 13 / B 52 (sparkling)**  
Manicardi, Castelvetro, Italy

**BARBERA D'ASTI G 11 / B 44**  
2015, Villa Remotti, Piedmont, Italy

**SYRAH-GRENACHE G10 / HL 30**  
2015, Skylark, Mendocino

**BENCHMARK HOUSE RED G 9 / HL 27**  
2015, Tempranillo, Ercavio, Toledo, Spain

**NAVARROUGE RED BLEND G 12 / B 48**  
2015, Navarro Vineyards, Mendocino

**CABERNET FRANC G 14/ B 56**  
2016, Tessier, Alegria Vineyard, Russian River Valley

## Beer On Draft

**ANCHOR STEAM 7.5 / 26**  
Draft pint/pitcher  
Anchor Steam Brewing, San Francisco

**"OUTDOOR" HOPPY PILSNER 8 / 30**  
Draft pint/pitcher  
Fieldwork, Berkeley

**"STEREOTYPICAL" IPA 8 / 30**  
Draft pint/pitcher  
Fieldwork, Berkeley

## Bottle/Can

**EAST BROTHER BO PILS 9**  
(16 oz.) Richmond

## Non-Alcoholic

**DIET COKE 3**  
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**TOPO CHICO SPARKLING WATER 3.5**  
**TEJAVA ICED BLACK TEA 3.5**  
**CHEERWINE CHERRY SODA 4**  
**LEMMY LEMONADE SODA 4**  
**HOUSE SPRITZER 6**  
(Navarro Juice + Lemon + Sparkling Water)

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