

# APPETIZER

- 1. Angel Wings ( Peak kai yoot sai) 6.95**  
*Deep-fried boneless chicken wings stuffed with chicken, silver noodles  
And mixed vegetable, served with sweet and sour sauce 2ea*
- 2. Crab Rangoon 5.25**  
*Deep-fried rice shell skin, stuffed with ham, crab meat, and cream cheese,  
Served with sweet and sour sauce 6ea*
- 3. Fish Cake (Tod mun pla) 5.95**  
*Deep fried fish cake, served with sweet and sour peanut sauce 4ea*
- 4. Fried Wonton 4.95**  
*Deep-fried seasoned ground chicken, shrimp wrapped in a wonton skin,  
Served with sweet and sour sauce 6ea*
- 5. Golden Tofu 4.95**  
*Deep-fried tofu served with sweet and sour sauce*
- 6. Golden Crispy Calamari 5.95**  
*Deep-fried calamari, served with sweet and sour peanut sauce*
- 7. Thai Sate (Beef or Pork or Chicken) 5.95**  
*Marinated in coconut cream with Thai herbs and spice, served with crushed  
peanut sauce and cucumber, red onion dips4ea*
- 8. Thai Spring rolls 4.95**  
*Deep fried egg roll skin wrapped with chicken, silver noodles and mixed  
vegetable, served with sweet and sour sauce 4ea*
- 9. Northern Thai sausage 5.95**  
*Served with lettuce, gingers, cucumbers and chili*
- 10. Northern Thai fresh spring rolls 6.95**  
*Stuffed with silver noodles, mint leaves, green onions and ground chicken,  
served with sweet and sour sauce*
- 11. Northern Thai fresh spring rolls 6.95**  
*Stuffed with silver noodles, mint leaves, green onions and ground chicken,*

*served with sweet and sour sauce*

## SOUP

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| <b>12. Wonton Soup</b>   | <b>5.95</b> |
| <i>With roasted pork and bok-choy in chicken broth</i>                                 |             |
| <b>13. Glass Noodle Soup</b>   | <b>5.95</b> |
| <i>Bean thread with ground chicken, mushroom, and green onion<br/>In chicken broth</i> |             |
| <b>14. Vegetable Soup</b>  | <b>5.95</b> |
| <i>Mixed vegetable with mushrooms and Tofu in chicken broth</i>                        |             |

## SPICY SOUP

*(Served with steam rice)  
Also Available Vegetarian Style*

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|---|--------------|
| <b>15. Thom Yum Kung</b> (Spicy shrimp soup)  | <b>7.95</b>  |
| <i>Shrimp with mushroom, onion, bell pepper, and tomato in<br/>Thai Herbs and spices broth</i>  |              |
| <b>16. Thom Yum Kai</b> (Spicy chicken soup)  | <b>6.95</b>  |
| <i>Chicken with mushroom, onion, bell pepper, and tomato in<br/>Thai herbs and spices broth</i> |              |
| <b>17. Poh-Tack</b> (Spicy sea food combination soup)   | <b>10.95</b> |
| <i>Combination of sea food with mushrooms, and onions in Thai herbs<br/>and spices broth</i>    |              |
| <b>18. Thom Ka Kung</b> (Spicy coconut milk and shrimp soup)                                    | <b>7.95</b>  |
| <i>Shrimp with mushrooms, onions and coconut milk in Thai herbs<br/>and spices broth</i>        |              |
| <b>19. Thom Ka Kai</b> (Spicy coconut milk and chicken soup)                                    | <b>6.95</b>  |
| <i>Chicken with mushrooms, onions and coconut milk in Thai herbs<br/>and spices broth</i>       |              |
| <b>20. Thom Ka Talae</b> (Spicy coconut milk and sea food soup)                                 | <b>11.95</b> |

*Sea food combination with mushrooms, onions and coconut milk  
in Thai herbs and spices broth*

## SALADS

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| <b>21. Thai Salad</b>   |   | <b>4.25</b> |
| <i>Mixed of lettuce, red onion, cucumber, tomato, and green onion<br/>With sweet and sour peanut or sweet and sour dressing</i>                                     |   |             |
| <b>22. Yum Woon Sen</b>   | * | <b>7.25</b> |
| <i>Glass noodles with chicken, shrimp, red onion, tomato, and cucumber<br/>Seasoned with spicy Thai herbs and lime on bed of lettuce</i>                            |   |             |
| <b>23. Yum Nuea (Beef Salad)</b>  | * | <b>6.95</b> |
| <i>Sautéed beef, red onion, green onion, cucumber, rice powder,<br/>and tomato, seasoned with spicy Thai herbs and lime on bed of lettuce</i>                       |   |             |
| <b>24. Yum Kai (Chicken Salad)</b>  | * | <b>6.95</b> |
| <i>Sautéed chicken, red onion, green onion, cucumber, rice powder,<br/>And tomato, seasoned with spicy Thai herbs and lime on bed of lettuce</i>                    |   |             |
| <b>25. Yum Kung (Shrimp Salad)</b>  | * | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Sautéed shrimps, red onion, green onion, cucumber, rice powder,<br/>And tomato, Seasoned with spicy Thai herbs and lime on bed of lettuce</i>                    |   |             |
| <b>26. Yum Pla Merk (Calamari Salad)</b>  | * | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Sautéed calami, red onion, green onion, cucumber, rice powder,<br/>And tomato, Seasoned with spicy Thai herbs and lime on bed of lettuce</i>                     |   |             |
| <b>27. Yum Talae (Seafood Salad)</b>  | * | <b>8.25</b> |
| <i>Sautéed calami, shrimp, mussel, red onion, green onion, cucumber,<br/>rice powder, and tomato. Seasoned with spicy Thai herbs and lime<br/>On bed of lettuce</i> |   |             |
| <b>28. Papaya Salad</b>   | * | <b>6.25</b> |
| <i>Thai style stripped of green papaya tossed with chopped shrimp and<br/>Thai herbs and lime</i>   |   |             |
| <b>29. Larb</b>   | * | <b>6.95</b> |

*Beef or Chicken spice with mint leaves, onion, lime juice, rice powder.  
And Thai herbs on bed of lettuce*

## **NOODLES** (Our Express Lunch)

### **Pan Fried**

- 30. Pad Thai** **7.95**  
*Rice Noodle pan fried with shrimps, chickens and egg  
Garnish with ground peanuts, green onions and bean sprouts*
- 31. Pad Siew** **6.95**  
*Flat rice noodle scrambled with egg, and broccolis  
(Choice of Beef or Chicken)*
- 32. Rad Nah** **6.95**  
*Flat rice noodle with broccoli with house special gravy sauce  
(Choice of Beef or Chicken)*
- 33. Northern Fried \*** **6.95**  
*Flat rice noodle with chili sauce with mint leave and onion  
(Choice of Beef or Chicken)*

### **Noodle Soup** Choice of rice noodle or egg noodles

- 34. Beef Noodle** **6.95**  
*Sliced beef, Thai meatballs and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in authentic soup base*
- 35. Chicken Noodle** **6.95**  
*Boneless chicken slices and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in authentic soup base*
- 36. B.B.Q. Pork Noodle** **6.95**  
*Slices of B.B.Q. Pork and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in authentic soup base*
- 37. B.B.Q. Duck Noodle** **7.25**  
*Slices of B.B.Q. Duck and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in authentic soup base*
- 38. Sea Food Noodle \*** **8.25**  
*Shrimp, Squid, Fish ball, Fish cake and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in authentic soup base*

- 39. Thom Yum Noodle** (Beef or Chicken) \* **7.25**  
*Vermicelli noodle and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in Thom Yum broth*
- 40. Thom Ka Noodle** (Beef or Chicken) \* **7.25**  
*Vermicelli noodle and bean sprouts garnished with green onions and cilantro in Thom Ka broth*
- 41. Yen Ta FO** **7.95**  
*Shrimp, jelly fish, fish ball, fish cake, squid and spinach topped with Fried wonton*

## RICES

- 42. Thai Fried Rice** **6.95**  
*Choice of Beef or Chicken with eggs, tomatoes, onion and green onion*
- 43. Thai Shrimps Fried Rice** **7.95**  
*Shrimps with eggs, tomatoes, onion and green onion*
- 44. Thai Pineapple Fried Rice** **7.95**  
*Chicken, Shrimps, Pineapple, Eggs, Cashew nuts, onion and green onion*

## HOUSE SPECIALTIES

### CURRIES *Served with rice*

- 45. Pa nang Nuar (Red Curry)** \* **8.95**  
*Beef or Chicken in Dried red chili sauce and coconut milk mix with vegetables, and basil leaves*
- 46. Gang Kiew wan (Green Curry)** \* **8.95**  
*Beef or Chicken in green curry sauce and coconut milk with mixed vegetables*
- 47. Gang Ka lee (Yellow Curry)** \* **8.95**  
*Beef or Chicken with potatoes, carrots, and onion in yellow curry sauce and coconut milk*
- 48. Gang Ka lee Kung** \* **9.95**  
*Shrimp, Scallop with potatoes, carrots, and onion in yellow curry sauce and coconut milk*

## LUNCH SPECIALS Combination Plates

*Served with a Thai spring roll, fried wonton, house soup and steamed rice  
Served daily from 11:00A.M. – 3:00P.M.*

### Meat Sautéed with Vegetables

*Your choice of Chicken or Beef (Shrimp add \$1.00) Served with Rice*

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| <b>49. Garlic &amp; Bell Pepper</b>   | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Garlic, Bell Pepper and onions</i>   |             |
| <b>50. Ginger</b>   | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Ginger, Straw mushrooms, Bell Peppers, snow pea and onion</i>                      |             |
| <b>51. Baby Corn &amp; Mushrooms</b>  | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Baby Corn, straw mushrooms, onions and carrots</i>                                 |             |
| <b>52. Bamboo Shoots</b>  | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Bamboo Shoots, straw mushrooms, bell peppers, onions and carrots</i>               |             |
| <b>53. Basil *</b>  | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Basil Leave, bell peppers, onion and carrots with Chili</i>                        |             |
| <b>54. Broccoli</b>   | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Broccoli and carrots in house sauce</i>  |             |
| <b>55. Sweet &amp; Sour</b>   | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Bell peppers, onions, tomatoes, cucumbers and pineapple</i>                        |             |
| <b>56. Chicken Cashew *</b>   | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Cashew nut, onions, Bell Peppers, carrots and celery in Sauce</i>                  |             |
| <b>57. Pad Ga Prao (Basil leave) *</b>  | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Basil Leave, bell peppers, onion and carrots with Chili sauce</i>                  |             |
| <b>58. Pad Kee Mow *</b>  | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Pea nut, onions, bell peppers, carrots, mint leave and carrot with Chili sauce</i> |             |
| <b>59. Sole Fish or Cat fish lard Prik *</b>  | <b>7.95</b> |
| <i>Deep fried breaded sole fillet or cat fish with spicy house sauce</i>              |             |

# BEVERAGES

<i>Thai Ice tea with Tapioca</i>	2.95		
<i>Thai Ice Tea / Ice Coffee</i>	2.25	<b>BEER...</b>	
<i>Hot Tea</i>	1.00	<b>IMPORTED</b>	3.25
<i>Hot Tea (Pot)</i>	2.25	<b>Corona</b>	
<i>Hot Coffee</i>	1.00	<b>Heineken</b>	
<i>Ice Tea</i>	1.00	<b>Singha</b>	
<i>Lemonade</i>	1.25		
<i>Orange Juice</i>	1.25	<b>DOMESTIC</b>	2.50
<i>Milk</i>	1.25	<b>Bud</b>	
<i>Coke, Sprite, Pepsi, 7-Up</i>	1.50	<b>Bud Light</b>	
<i>Coconut Juice</i>	1.50	<b>MGD</b>	
<i>Kids Juice</i>	1.00	<b>MG Light</b>	
		<b>WINE...</b>	
		<b>Red</b>	3.25
		<b>White</b>	3.25
		<b>HOUSE WINE...</b>	
		<b>Red</b>	2.00
		<b>White</b>	2.00

# DESSERT

<i>Sweet rice with Mango</i>	4.25
<i>Fried Banana</i>	3.00
<i>Ice Cream</i>	2.75

## Note to our Spice measurement

<b>*</b>	<b>Very Mild</b>
<b>**Mild</b>	<b>Tip of Table Spoon</b>
<b>***Med</b>	<b>¼ of Table Spoon</b>
<b>****Hot</b>	<b>½ of Table Spoon</b>
<b>*****</b>	<b>Very Hot 1 Table Spoon</b>

# *Welcome to Essence of Thai*

*We provide you with an excellent selection of Traditional Northern Thai cuisine. All dishes are individually prepared with natural ingredients and exotic Herbs and spices. For your health and pleasure, we use vegetable oil for cooking and no MSG. Some dishes are quite spicy, but can be made mild upon request.*

*We would like to take this opportunity to thank our entire valued customer (s) who has been dining with us.*

*We will always keep a high standard in customer service and maintained our quality for a pleasant dining experience.*

*Thank you very much for giving us an opportunity to serve you. We truly appreciate all of you for coming in and dining at Essence of Thai.*

*Please enjoy and we look forward to you next visit.*

# *Essence of Thai*

## *Authentic Thai Cuisine*

### *Traditional Thai Dishes*

*We feature an extensive selection of Soups  
Salads, Curries, Rice and Noodles,  
Vegetables and Daily Special*

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*Serving Lunch and Dinner*

*Monday – Thursday*

*11:00 A.M. - 9:30 P.M.*

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*11:00 A.M. - 10:00 P.M.*

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