

**AFTERNOON TEA MENU** 

Served daily from 12.30pm until 5pm

The very English custom of taking afternoon tea is thought to have found its roots in the 19th century by Lady Anna, the seventh Duchess of Bedford. Lunch in those days were rather early and dinner was not served until late in the evening.

Every afternoon, the Duchess found that she was slightly famished and started asking to enjoy a pot of tea with some light refreshments.

She began inviting her friends to join her and very soon, having the tea in the middle of the afternoon became a fashionable thing to do.

Here at The Lobby Lounge, at The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai, we are taking afternoon tea to a whole new level, tailor made to each individual for a truly memorable and ultimate experience.

### **THE TRADITIONAL TREAT AED 215**

Delectable assortment of savories and pastry delicacies, two freshly baked scones, served with homemade preserves and Devonshire clotted cream, coupled with loose-leaf tea or specialty hot beverage\*.

## THE ROYAL TREAT M AED 305

Indulge in "The Traditional Treat", enhanced with a glass of Champagne and loose-leaf tea or specialty hot beverage.

Add AED 150 per person for 2 hours of free flowing sparkling wine

## LOBBY LOUNGE AFTERNOON TEA

ASSORTMENT OF FINGER SANDWICHES Roast smoked beef and caramelized onion 🔮 Classic cucumber and chives sour cream 🔮 🕑 Poached Norwegian salmon with horseradish 🔮 🕑 🕝 Curried egg and remoulade 🔮 Spiced smoked chicken breast and mango 🔮

> **OPEN FACE SANDWICHES** Prawn cocktail in brioche 🔮 🕑 🥝

FRESHLY BAKED SCONES Plain and raisin scones 😫 🕔 🕑 Devonshire cream Berry jam, lemon curd

### **PASTRIES & SWEETS**

Lemon meringue tart 🔮 🕑 Pistachio macaroon 🔮 🚺 🕑 Chocolate and orange éclair 😵 🕑 Battenberg cake 😫 🚺 🕑

😢 Gluten, 🚺 Nuts, 🕑 Dairy, 🧭 Seafood, 🔽 Alcohol

All prices are in UAE Dirhams and inclusive of 5% VAT, 10% service charge and 7% municipality fee.



## **OOLONG TEAS**

### THE RITZ-CARLTON SIGNATURE TEA

From the majestic Phoenix Mountain, this singular cultivar oolong "Dan Cong" is known for its bold, complex fruit flavours

### **WUYI OOLONG**

A rich and buttery oolong tea, lifted by caramel sweetness and subtle floral notes. "Fabulously fragrant, almost sweetly nutty oolong from one of the "grand crus" of the Chinese tea world.

# **BLACK TEAS**

### ASSAM BREAKFAST

The ultimate breakfast tea, expertly blended from Assam's finest tea gardens, strong and bursting with flavor

### EARL GREY

A rich, structured Ceylon black tea base with a beautifully intense infusion and colour; uplifted with the citrus notes of the highest quality, natural bergamot.

# **GREEN TEAS**

### JAPANESE SENCHA

Picked in May on the banks of the Sasama river in Kawane where it is then

expertly steamed and rolled to give its satisfyingly thick texture and sweet, grassy-fresh taste.

#### **ORGANIC JADE SWORD**

Fresh, whole leaf organic green tea, selected for its sweet, spring flavour and grassy character.

# INFUSIONS

#### CAMOMILE

A caffeine free herbal infusion: elegant, floral & deeply soothing whole chamomile flowers.

#### PEPPERMINT

An intensely refreshing herbal infusion composing of only whole dried peppermint leaves.

### ROOIBOS

Composed of the highest grade, long lengths of African Rooibos for a deliciously rich infusion

# WHITE TEAS

### WHITE PEONY

An uplifting and fruity white tea with a light rose freshness. Its combination of large downy silvery buds and yellow-green leaves add depth to the tea, giving it a smooth texture and a refreshing floral character.

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