

# News

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# The Ritz-Carlton, Macau Receives Accolades from Michelin Guide Hong Kong and Macau 2023

With Lai Heen awarded with its seventh consecutive One-Star designation

Macau, China – May 5, 2023 – The *Michelin Guide* for Hong Kong and Macau recently announced its 2023 results, and The Ritz-Carlton, Macau is once again recognized for its culinary excellence by the world's most trusted fine dining authority. Lai Heen, The Ritz-Carlton, Macau's signature Cantonese restaurant, has achieved the Michelin One Star title for the seventh consecutive year, keeping its sterling track record since it opened in 2015. In addition, The Ritz-Carlton Café is named a Michelin Selected Restaurant for the sixth year in a row.

Located on the 51st floor of The Ritz-Carlton, Macau, **Lai Heen** is one of the region's foremost Chinese gourmet destinations and the hotel's most renowned dining establishment. Under the helm of The Ritz-Carlton, Macau's long-serving Chinese Executive Chef, Jackie Ho Hon-sing, Lai Heen boasts a stellar reputation for consistently showcasing culinary ingenuity through its contemporary renditions of classic Cantonese dishes that honor the cuisine's traditional roots while exploring innovative possibilities. Its unparalleled craftsmanship and attention to detail is also evidenced by the personalized service and sophisticated décor, which complete the luxury experience enjoyed by every guest.

Meanwhile, **The Ritz-Carlton Café**, The Ritz-Carlton, Macau's popular French brasserie, is once again included in the Michelin Selected Restaurants list—a laurel that it has held since 2016.

Commenting on the commendations, Mr. Rauf Malik, Vice President of Operations at JW Marriott Hotel Macau and The Ritz-Carlton, Macau, said: "We are immensely proud to once again receive the prestigious honors from the *Michelin Guide*—the undisputed global benchmark of high-quality dining. My sincerest thanks to the Ladies and Gentlemen at The Ritz-Carlton, Macau, whose unmatched craftsmanship and passion are exemplary in the hospitality industry. Their diligent efforts embody the relentless pursuit of culinary excellence that is the driving spirit of the *Michelin Guide*."

To celebrate their respective accolades, both restaurants will be introducing a new limited-time menu this April. The **Michelin Star's Menu** is a grand showcase featuring a string of masterpieces that helped **Lai Heen** earn and keep its highly-coveted Michelin Star for seven years. The journey starts with a trio of umami-packed appetizers, before moving on to the comforting *Double-boiled Superior Fish Maw Soup with Pearl Oyster*, and the luxurious *Steamed Tiger Prawn with Egg White Topped with Superior Caviar* and the *Pan-seared French Quail Fillet with Pearl Onion in Port Wine Sauce*. Finally, three distinct desserts round up the meal on a sweet note. The menu reimagines Chinese culinary traditions with global influences, designed to delight and inspire every palate. The Michelin Star's Menu is priced at MOP \$1,888\* per person. Guests can also opt for the expertly curated wine (MOP \$688\*) or tea (MOP \$488\*) pairings to further elevate the experience.



Meanwhile, The Ritz-Carlton Café's **The Flavors of Spring Tasting Menu** will transport guests to springtime France with a wide selection of crowd-pleasers. The three-course meal pays homage to classic French flavors while adding innovative twists to the plates. Highlights include *Le Tartare de Crevettes*, *Le Plateau de Fruits de Mer*, *Le Poulet* and *Le Mille Feuille Aux Asperges et Petits Pois*. The menu, to be served now until May 31, 2023, is priced at MOP \$398\* per person.

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### **Photo cutlines:**



Lai Heen has been awarded a Michelin Star for the seventh consecutive year.



The Ritz-Carlton Café is one of the Michelin Selected Restaurants.

**APPENDIX:** 

#### Lai Heen - Michelin Star's Menu

Chilled Abalone Marinated in Fermented Rice Wine Crispy Alaskan King Crab Rolled with Coconut Marinated Jellyfish with Passion Fruit NV Perrier-Jouët, Grand Brut, Champagne, France

Taiwan Dong Ding Oolong

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Double-boiled Superior Fish Maw Soup with Pearl Oyster

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Steamed Tiger Prawn with Egg White Topped with Superior Caviar 2021 Voyager Estate, Coastal Chardonnay, Margaret River, Australia Tai Hung Bao

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Pan-seared French Quail Fillet with Pearl Onion in Port Wine Sauce 2008 Château Léoville- Barton, Saint-Julien, Bordeaux, France

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Fried Rice with Assorted Seafood Topped with Hokkaido Scallops
15-year Aged Ripe Pu-er

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Kiwi and Mango Panna Cotta Sweetened Pumpkin Dumpling with Egg Custard Baked Lotus Seed Paste Cake with Nuts

> Price\* (MOP) \$1,888 per person An extra \$688 for wine pairing

An extra \$488 for tea pairing

#### The Ritz-Carlton Café - The Flavors of Spring Tasting Menu

Available from now until May 31, 2023

# **STARTER**

La Salade D'asperges Lyonnaise Asparagus Lyonnaise Salad with Poached Egg, Caramelized Lardon and Frisée

OR

Le Tartare de Crevettes Prawn Tartare with Sweet Pea, Pea Emulsion, Marinated Radish, and Baby Greens

OR

Le Velouté de Pois Spring Pea with Basil Velouté, Caviar, Crème Fraiche Espuma

OR

Le Plateau de Fruits de Mer Boston Lobster, Fine De Claire #4, New Zealand Mussels, Clams, Tiger Prawn (An extra charge of \$188)

# **MAIN COURSE**

La Scampi

Pacific Prawn Scampi with Spring Pea Puree and Braised Endive

Price\* (MOP) \$398 per person



#This set menu is to be served to every guest at the same table

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