



# Mandarin Oriental Tea Lounge



“There are few hours in life more agreeable  
than the hour dedicated to the ceremony  
known as afternoon tea”

- Henry James (1843-1916)

Serving Afternoon Tea Daily

1st seating: 11:45am, 12:00pm, 12:15pm

2nd seating: 1:45pm, 2:00pm, 2:15pm

3rd seating: 3:45pm, 4:00pm, 4:15pm

*Reservations are highly recommended*



## History of Afternoon Tea

According to legend, one of Queen Victoria's (1819-1901) ladies in waiting, Anna Maria Stanhope (1783-1857), known as the Duchess of Bedford, is credited as the creator of afternoon teatime. Because the noon meal had become skimpier, the Duchess suffered from "a sinking feeling" at about four o'clock in the afternoon. At first the Duchess had her servants sneak her a pot of tea and a few breadstuffs. Adopting the European tea service format, she invited friends to join her for an additional afternoon meal at five o'clock in her rooms at Belvoir Castle. The menu centered around small cakes, bread and butter sandwiches, assorted sweets and of course, tea. This summer practice proved so popular, the Duchess continued it when she returned to London, sending cards to her friends asking them to join her for "tea and a walk in the fields." The practice of inviting friends to come for tea in the afternoon was quickly picked up by other social hostesses.



## Classic English Afternoon Tea 40

Available daily

Selection of freshly brewed loose leaf teas

### *Signature Scones*

Served with imported Devonshire clotted cream and Chef Philippe's house made marmalades and jams

### *Sandwiches*

Smoked salmon and tartar cream on homemade brioche bun

Curry chicken, trumpet mushroom and Asian persimmon on sesame cone

Egg salad and chives on croissant bread

Black forest ham sandwich

### *Tea Pastries*

Chef's selection of assorted tea pastries

## Children's Afternoon Tea 28

12 years and under

Our Signature Scones with imported Devonshire clotted cream and Chef Philippe's house made marmalades and jams

Peanut butter and jelly

Turkey and cheese

Signature cupcake and

Chef's selection of assorted tea pastries

All Afternoon Tea services will have an 18% service charge included.



## Champagne Offerings

### Perrier Jouët Afternoon Tea 60

Indulge yourself and add  
a glass of Perrier Jouët Champagne

### Afternoon Tea For Two 189

Enjoy two afternoon teas with a bottle of  
Perrier Jouët Champagne

### Ruinart Rosé Afternoon Tea 70

Indulge yourself and  
add a glass of Ruinart Rosé Champagne

### Afternoon Tea For Two 240

Enjoy two afternoon teas with a bottle of  
Ruinart Rosé Champagne

## Bottle Selection

Ruinart, Blanc de Blancs	155
Ruinart, Rose	175
Dom Perignon	400
Louis Roederer, "Cristal"	490
Taittinger, "Comtes de Champagne"	255
Dom Perignon Rose	810
Louis Roederer, "Cristal~Rose"	1,515



## Tea Lounge Cocktails 18

### Royal Tea

Absolut Mandarin, homemade simple syrup,  
chilled Osmanthus Oolong Tea  
and a splash of fresh lemon juice.

### Tea-tini

Bulleit bourbon, chilled Jasmine Pearl tea,  
apple juice and agave nectar.

### The Golden Leaf (Mandarin Martini)

Created specifically for Mandarin Oriental,  
Las Vegas. The Golden Leaf uses Hendricks gin,  
Aperol, muddled mandarin oranges,  
pineapple juice, fresh lime juice and  
housemade simple syrup.

## Iced Teas 7

### Mandarin Orange Black Tea

Custom-blended exclusively for  
Mandarin Oriental, our master blender has  
infused black tealeaves with a sense of the  
exotic mandarin oranges.



## Gifts

Please ask server for more details

Gift Box

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## Loose Leaf Tea Selections 12

### Black Tea

#### Mandarin Orange Blend

This custom black tea blend was picked specifically for Mandarin Oriental Las Vegas. It is an infused blend that will open up your senses and give you a burst of orange and mandarin flavors with light vanilla undertones.

#### Pu-Erh Tou Cha

Pu-Erh has become known particularly for its cholesterol reducing and digestive properties. With strong characteristics and an earthy flavor, it is one of the few teas to get better with age. This Pu-erh is characterized by succulent leaves which have been pressed into small bowl shapes called Tou cha and is prized for its distinct earthy flavor.

#### Thunderbolt Darjeeling

This tea, treasured for its ripe, complex flavor and floral bouquet is a clear favorite for lovers of Darjeeling's distinct muscatel character. This tea is a well-defined cup infusion from the first flush of golden-tipped leaves.

#### Golden Assam

This second flush, large-leaf golden-tipped Assam produces a full-bodied cup with a deep copper liquor, noted for its lively character and distinctly malty flavor. This tea is perfect for Breakfast or as an afternoon pick-me-up.



## Green Tea

### Mandarin Blossoms

One of the Mandarin Oriental Las Vegas signature teas. High grown estate China green tea, perfumed with the essence of fresh mandarin oranges.

### Organic Lychee Green

Perfumed in the traditional Chinese manner with a sweet and complex bouquet of lychee. Soft and exotically mellow, enveloping floral bouquet. First blended over a decade ago for the Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group.

### Matcha

High quality Japanese green tea freshly ground into a powder. For full flavor it can be served plain; or as a latté with milk and sugar. It is loaded with vitamins, minerals, antioxidants and caffeine as you actually ingest the tea leaves.

### Imperial Spring Dragonwell

The Dragonwell is praised for its jade colour, vegetative aroma, mellow chestnut-like flavor and singular shape. This tea is pan-fired, which gives it an inviting and toasty aroma, and also has a sweet, rounded flavor. Full, nutty and pleasantly dry finish describes this truly satisfying cup of tea.



## Oolong Tea

### Jasmine Green Oolong

The seductive aroma of night blooming jasmine perfumes this blend of fancy oolong and green tea leaves with a rich body. Lightly sweet and flowery, with great complexity.

### Monkey Picked Oolong

Legend has it that monkeys were trained to pick the choicest leaves from wild tea trees, which were enjoyed exclusively by the Imperial Court. Presently the term "Monkey Picked" refers to the highest quality of Oolong tea available. The taste is tempting with a fresh orchid aroma, a bold fruit flavor and a sweet, lingering finish.

### Osmathus Oolong

Top-grade high-mountain oolong tea from Formosa delicately scented with rare osmanthus flowers. It is highly coveted and prized for its champagne aroma and deep, rich flavour. A traditional symbol of love and romance.



## Artisan Blends

### Jasmine Pearl - White Tea

The finest fragrant leaves are selected and deftly rolled into a tight pearl, sealing in a sweet scent deep within. When submerged in hot water, these hand-rolled fragrant pearls unfurl seductively in your cup releasing an enchanting Jasmine perfume.

### Jasmine Earl Grey

An exquisite blend of black and green tea leaves, perfumed with Jasmine and accented with blue cornflower petals. This tea is noted for its seductive, citrusy, bergamot flavor and uplifting aromas.

### Ginger Rooibos

This sweet, full-bodied Rooibos is meticulously blended with lively zing of fresh ginger root.

### Seasonal Tea

The finest loose leaf tea choices that elegantly promote the flavors of the current season.



## Blooming Tea 16

### Peach Artisan Tea

Hand-tied, this artisanal display is both beautiful to behold and tantalizing to taste. With a crown of chrysanthemums and jasmine flowers, this peach scented white tea unfurls with flavor, can be infused again and again.



## Health and Wellness

### Introspection

A calming and thoughtful herbal infusion that focuses the palate on a balance between mint and chamomile, accented by allspice and cloves for a lingering finish. Perfect for a day of reflection spent with your inner child.

### Life Through Water

The exuberant freshness of green tea, organic peppermint, organic yerba mate and refreshing lemongrass infused, gives this blend a vitality and confidence that awakens your senses and raises the spirit of your soul.

### Peace Through Water

Reinforce your inner calm with this naturally caffeine-free infusion. Chamomile, lavender, and lemon balm work as the active ingredients. Carefully selected flowers and herbs work together to calm jangled nerves.

### Cold and Flu Blend

Boneset, hyssop, yarrow and elderflowers are blended with peppermint, ginger root, lemongrass, lemon peel and thyme for an infusion that eases aches and pains, congestion, lowers fever, and helps make you feel better.



## All Day Delights

Available from 12:00PM to 4:00PM

Tea Pastries 12

Tea Sandwiches 12

Fruit Platter 12

Cupcake 5.50

Scones 12

Macaron 2

## Juices and Water

Apple / Tomato / Cranberry

Pineapple / Grapefruit 7

Soft Drinks 6

Sparkling Water 9

Mineral Water

small/large 7/9

## Coffee and Hot Chocolate

Illy Espresso 6

Illy Cappuccino / Latté 7

Illy Coffee / Decaffeinated Coffee 7

Homemade Hot Chocolate 7