



JIM VEIL, GENERAL MANAGER

Greetings from the Willard InterContinental! As the year draws to an end, I would like to thank you for your continued patronage. We hope you have felt pampered and appreciated by our dedicated hotel staff as we continue the over 150-year legacy of Washington hospitality at its best.

This September we celebrated the 25th anniversary of the reopening of the Willard, an American landmark that was closed in 1968 and nearly demolished. Instead, this architectural gem was restored to its turn-of-the-century splendor and reopened in 1986. The year also marked America's 150th anniversary of the start of the Civil War. We hope you had the opportunity to take in some of over a dozen events we orchestrated to commemorate the Willard's own ties to this time of great sacrifice and change in our nation's history. Our final Civil War events of the year include an Afternoon Tea with Julia Ward Howe in November and Songs of the Civil War with the Washington National Opera's Domingo-Cafritz Young Artist Program in December.

Holidays at the Willard are an enjoyable time to experience the flavors, sounds, scents and sights of the season. From our Holiday Afternoon Tea throughout December, to our festive holiday brunches or seasonal cocktails in the Round Robin Bar and lobby where you can take in one of our nightly free, live choral holiday concerts. If you are planning a holiday party, there is no finer choice than the Willard. We offer a variety of elegantly-appointed rooms for events both large and small. Executive Chef Luc Dendievel's seasonal fare and pastry Chef Gary O'Hanlon's distinctive desserts will delight and inspire. I hope this newsletter will encourage you, your friends and family to join us in becoming part of the Willard's legacy. I wish you and your loved ones a joyous holiday season and a bountiful 2012.

HOLIDAY LOBBYING

Holiday Lobbying in the grandeur of the Willard lobby has evolved into one of Washington's most festive choral programs. The free music performances take place from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

December 1	The Washington Chorus	December 12	Annandale High School
December 2	Open Fifths	December 13	Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School
December 3	The Encore Singers	December 14	The Thomas Circle Singers
December 4	Alexandria Singers	December 15	Capital Accord
December 5	Musica Oriana	December 16	City Choir of Washington
December 6	Potomac Harmony Chorus	December 18	18th Street Singers
December 7	Illuminate	December 19	Vox Pulchra
December 8	Washington Women's Chorus	December 20	Children's Chorus of Washington
December 9	Cantate Chamber Singers	December 21	Philomela
December 10	Arlington Children's Chorus	December 22	Capital Hearings
December 11	Vienna-Falls Chorus	December 23	Sounds Advice Quartet

Visit www.washington.intercontinental.com for the most updated choir schedule and details on our other holiday events. Performances and schedule are subject to change.



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RED DOOR SPA

Share the gifts of the season at Red Door Spa: the most celebrated doorway to beauty, harmony and well-being.

With a focus on innovation, this quintessential relaxation destination offers signature spa services, specialty treatments and wellness recommendations that combine powerful ingredients and cutting-edge techniques. Prepare for an unparalleled escape with the newly-redesigned Ultimate Arden Facial. This multi-faceted spa indulgence combines Red Door Spas' proprietary organic flower peel microdermabrasion, milk and honey collagen mask and skin-firming décolleté treatment. Then all tension and stress is released as you enter a deeper state of relaxation with a warm stone upper body massage, intensive hand treatment and relaxing scalp massage.



Indulge the senses with our new, deliciously tempting Spiced Eden seasonal services that will wrap the mind and body in a scent reminiscent of an apple orchard on a cool autumn day. Infused with red & green apple notes, spiced cinnamon and almond extract, the Spiced Eden Manicure & Pedicure, Body Scrub and Signature Massage offers restorative treatment for the skin and senses, as well as antioxidant replenishment and moisturizing protection.

Wrapped in warm wishes, Red Door Spa gift certificates and gift cards are a meaningful and memorable gift for all the special people in your life. Receive a \$30 spa card with every gift certificate or gift card purchase of \$200 or more (offer available from November 1 through December 25, 2011; restrictions apply). To book an appointment or purchase gift cards, call (202) 942-2700 or visit www.reddoorspas.com

A SMALL PARTY ON A GRAND SCALE

The Willard has a special offering this December for those who want to have an intimate, yet grand holiday office party on a limited budget.

Bring your party to the Willard on Wednesday, December 14 from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. and enjoy dinner and dancing with an all-inclusive price of \$2000 for a 10-person table. This spectacular party offering includes: a one-hour reception serving hors d'oeuvres, wine and Champagne by the glass, a three-course plated dinner including wine service, a live band and photographer for individualized portraits, all amidst the Willard's spectacular holiday décor. Reserve your table by Friday, November 18 to receive the special pricing.

Reservations may be made by calling (202) 637-7325 or via email to steele.stevenson@ihg.com.

Table pricing includes all tax and service charges. Reservations are required and are based on space availability. Tables are reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.



HOLIDAY PACKAGES

WINTER WEEKEND PACKAGE

Warm the chill of winter with a Willard weekend. For Friday and Saturday nights from November 25 through December 25, accommodations in a Deluxe Guest Room start at \$299 per night. Breakfast for two and valet parking can be added starting at \$377 per night.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PACKAGE

If you prefer to welcome in the New Year in private and spend an evening in luxury and romance. Starting at \$479 for a Superior Guest Room, our New Year's Eve Package includes a bottle of Moët & Chandon Brut Imperial Champagne, valet parking and breakfast for two.

For room reservations and holiday packages, please call (202) 628-9100 and request the package of your choice. All rates exclude 14.5% tax.

CULINARY DELIGHTS

Join us for unforgettable culinary offerings throughout the holiday season for Thanksgiving, Christmas and the New Year.

To reserve any of our dining experiences or for additional information, please call (202) 637-7350.

THANKSGIVING BRUNCH IN THE WILLARD ROOM AND THE CRYSTAL ROOM

This traditional Thanksgiving feast will display a tasty array of autumnal offerings on our plentiful buffet. Children have their very own Thanksgiving Buffet and entertainment. Seatings are at 10:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. Price is \$85 per adult, \$35 for children ages 4 through 12 and free for children under 4. Price excludes tax and gratuity.

WILLARD ON WINGS

This carry-out holiday feast includes a 10 to 12-pound, or 22 to 24-pound turkey (serving four to six people for \$150, or eight to ten for \$250) with cranberry sauce and gravy, four side dishes, freshly baked rolls and pie. To order, please call (202) 637-7350. When picking up your order, simply dial (202) 637-7466, pop the trunk and we will take care of the rest. All orders must be placed by 3:00 p.m. on Monday, November 21, and exclude tax and are subject to a 18% service charge.

CHRISTMAS DAY BRUNCH IN THE WILLARD ROOM AND THE CRYSTAL ROOM

Our festive Christmas Day holiday brunch offers something for the entire family. With seatings at 10:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 2:00 p.m., this festive brunch is priced at \$85 per adult, \$35 for children ages 4 through 12 and free for children under 4.

CAFÉ DU PARC HOLIDAY OFFERINGS

Known for its authentic French cuisine, Café du Parc will be open Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve and New Year's Day offering a seasonal menu. Lunch is available noon through 2:30 p.m., dinner will be offered from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. and brunch is offered on Sundays. In November and December, we will have a prix fixe menu available for pre-theater dining. A list of hand-selected French wines is available to complement your meal. Reservations are suggested.

Reservations are necessary for holiday dining events and can be made by calling our Holiday Hotline at (202) 637-7350. Complimentary valet parking is provided for all guests dining in our restaurants for lunch, dinner and afternoon tea. Beverages are included only where indicated. Tax and gratuity are excluded.

FESTIVE HOLIDAY TEA IN PEACOCK ALLEY

The Willard's Afternoon Tea in Peacock Alley, priced at \$39 per person or \$49 with a glass of Champagne, will be offered Friday through Sunday from November 4 until December 1. Tea will be served daily throughout December (except December 25, 26 and 31) from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Dates and times are subject to change based on hotel events, special events and holidays. Reservations are necessary; please call (202) 637-7350.

OCCIDENTAL GRILL & SEAFOOD

For the quintessential D.C. dining experience, the Occidental Grill & Seafood has been an iconic D.C. landmark for over 100 years, serving classic American cuisine with a focus on regional ingredients. Experience the intimate, newly designed Wine Room with dark mahogany wood, burgundy leather and walls of wine on display. For every \$100 in gift certificates purchased, a \$20 gift certificate will be issued to the purchaser for their personal use. The restaurant is open Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve. To place your reservations, purchase gift certificates or for more information, please call (202) 783-1475.

WEDDINGS FOR ALL SEASONS

A Willard Wedding is for all seasons. Let us create the wedding of your dreams. We will gracefully orchestrate your celebration by offering personalized service in order to provide quality, elegance and life-long memories. The beautiful splendor of the Ballroom, Crystal Room and Willard Room provide the perfect backdrop for some of Washington D.C.'s most celebrated social weddings.

Please call our Catering Department at (202) 637-7325 for additional details.

